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Baxter Lodge No. 9, K. of P. Regular meetings Thursday evenings of each week, at the K. of P. Hall. Visiting Knights are always welcome.

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Golden Rule Lodge No. 16, I. O. O. F., meets at Pythian Hall, Tuesday nights.

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Kearney Post No. 10, Department of New Mexico.

Meetings first Monday of each month.

Comrades from other posts always given the glad hand and salute returned.

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HOTEL OZANNE,

White Oaks, New Mexico. Now open for business. Clean beds and an excellent cuisine awaits the traveling public.

Church Directory.

Methodist Church.

Preaching every fourth Sunday in the month.

Sabbath School each Sunday at 10 o'clock a. m.

Prayer Services every Wednesday evening at 7:30, also Sundays at 11 o'clock a. m. and 7:30 p. m., when there is no preaching.

All are cordially invited to join in these services.

Plymouth Congregational Church.

Services every Sunday as follows: Sunday School at 10 a. m.

Christian Endeavor Society at 1:00 p. m.

All are cordially invited to attend these services.

DISTRICT COURT.

District Court opened in due form at Lincoln, Monday. Judge Edward A. Mann presiding. District Attorney, H. B. Holt, was not able to be present at the opening but will arrive a few days later on. During his absence the business of his office will be ably conducted by Joseph Bonham, formerly of this county, but now of Las Cruces. Deputy Clerk, Chas. P. Downs will handle the quill, swear the jurymen, frighten the witnesses into telling more or less of the truth, and fix the compensation and mileage of the practitioners.

The grand jury was empaneled and Judge Mann had delivered his charge by eleven o'clock. From the way the court starts out it looks as if the judge meant to run it on business principles. His charge to the grand jury certainly indicates that, so far as he is concerned at least, wrong-doers may just as well get out of the game.

John W. Cole, a merchant and stockman of Pecos, was made foreman of the grand jury, a very good selection.

Up to adjournment Tuesday evening there was a very noticeable feanness of lawyers, there being but few present from outside the county and not all these present and accounted for.

Judge Barnes, a prominent attorney of the territory and a former member of the legislature, came in Monday evening with Jim Brent, from Silver City. The Roswell contingent will probably arrive Wednesday evening.

Judge Mann is in manner thoroughly western, and makes friends readily. He is genial and companionable, yet gives one the impression of having a strong reserve force, and would allow no foolishness while in the discharge of his official duties.

Sheriff Owen is now entertaining about fourteen guests at his free lunch counter, and from the personal appearance of a majority of them, it is safe to make the prediction that none of them are angels in disguise, at least not of the New Jerusalem variety. John says they all brought their appetites with them as well as their jabberwock.

The Commissioner's Court seems to be running as a side show but the manager is doing some spectacular business over the limited amount of the gate receipts. There isn't enough, he says, to pay the ushers and property men, while the ballet girls are on their high heels over the non payment of their salaries. The shrinkage in the value of property last year and the consequent lengthening of the delinquent tax roll in the cause.

Will Glean, a White Oaks shaver, has opened a tonsorial hair lifting emporium under the shadow of the harpoon of justice and will shave anything from a five thousand and a year lawyer to a Guinea pig with a curly tail.

We keep four grades of Chase & Sanborn's Coffee. And guarantee it A. I. Taliaferro, agent for White Oaks.

Advertised Letter List.
The following is a list of unclaimed letters lying in the post office at White Oaks, N. M. for the month ending March 31st, 1905, which if not called for within 30 days will be sent to the dead letter office at Washington, D. C. Sr. Isabel Pacheco.

Persons calling for the above letters will please say advertised.
John A. Brown, P. M.

Millinery—Latest Styles at Wiener's.

Roy Trent came up from Carrizozo Monday to visit his home people—etc.

MACKERALL MACKERALL
At Taliaferro's

Wm. Frost and Mr. Hopkins of Jicarilla were doing business in White Oaks last Saturday.

New style Ladies' Shirt Waists, the very thing for early spring wear, just received at Ziegler Bros.

Quite a number of White Oaks citizens have transferred their residence to Lincoln during court.

Patent Medicine—
At Taliaferro's.

Fred Smith has returned to New Mexico after a year's absence in Missouri and other out the way places.

Selz Shoes—Best made
at Wiener's

Ernest Langston held the lucky number that drew the picture which was on exhibition in the Outlook window, at the drawing last Wednesday at M. H. Koob's.

See the fine line of new Ginghams, Percales, Calicos etc. Ziegler Bros. received this week.

B. H. Dye dropped in on his old haunts and friends at White Oaks this morning very unexpectedly. He hails from Joplin, Missouri, where he has been living for more than a year past. His sojourn here will be only for a few days.

A special sale in broken sizes of Shoes, call and see them. Can save you money. Taliaferro's

The Vera Cruz mine, which has been running very successfully since starting up last November, was lately shut down for a few days on account of a breakage in the machinery, has again started up and is getting in its twenty-four hours work daily as usual.

Ziegler Bros. will pay you the highest market price for hides and pelts.

A report comes from Nogal that Bird and Wiggins, two prominent mining men, who for several years have been interested in property on the Bonito, have secured control of the American and Helen Red mines near the former place and will soon begin operations.

All kinds of Garden and Field Seeds at Taliaferro's.

The tax schedules for 1904 can now be had at the Outlook office, the editor having been appointed deputy assessor of this precinct. Mr. Hurt requests that as many as possible have their property returns filed out by the time he comes around, which will be a week or ten days from the time of the publication of this notice.

We have just received a fine stock of Dried Fruits, Peaches, Pears, Prunes & Apricots, which we can and will sell at very low prices for the next thirty days.
Ziegler Bros.

Miss Clara Jacobs as hostess gave the Social Circle a most enjoyable time last Thursday afternoon. Jolly is the word used by every one present in describing it. There were three contests in which Mrs. Stephenson, Mrs. Crumb and Miss Kankasky were prize winners. Mrs. Jesse Taliaferro assisted by Mrs. Jas. Reid presiding the Circle this afternoon.

Ziegler Brothers.

ARE WELL PREPARED TO SUPPLY YOUR WANTS.

Their Stock of General Merchandise is Complete.

Dry Goods, Clothing, Groceries, Gents Furnishings.

A COMPLETE STOCK

of Boots and Shoes.

Give Us a Chance and See How Cheap We Can Sell You a Bill of Goods.

Ziegler Bros.

W. J. Dunn, a prominent sheep man with headquarters over beyond Ancho station, was doing business in town for a day or two during the past week. Mr. Dunn has been so unfortunate as to lose his ranch house a short time ago by fire. A portion of his furniture was also burned.

FOR SALE.
Barbed wire. Special prices in quantities.
WELCH & TITTSWORTH.
CAPITAN, NEW MEXICO.

Dr. H. G. Miller will arrive some time next week and will fill the pulpit at the Congregational church on Easter Sunday, and every Sabbath thereafter for an indefinite period. He will be welcomed back by the devout as well as the degenerate of heart.

Dr. Price's Breakfast Food 10 cents a package to close out.
Ziegler Bros.

Dr. Laws of Coalinga, but formerly a physician at the Fort Stanton Marine Hospital, has bought the celebrated Ellis ranch and orchard at Lincoln and it is understood will turn it into a sanitarium at an early date. Wallace Gumm will take charge of the place this summer, and will move his family down from Angus.

On April 15th I will put on sale 1,000 yards of fine Embroideries and Insertions, worth from 12 1/2 to 17 1/2 cts a yard, at 7 1/2 cents a yard—Do not overlook this as this is a bargain. Mail orders given best care. S. C. Wiener.

It is reported that W. C. McDonald and J. H. Canning have purchased the interests of the Southwestern Mercantile Co. at Carrizozo and will run a general retail and jobbing establishment at that point. Mayfield Hunt will have charge for the present, it is understood.

W. E. Dudley, formerly a Nogal pedagogue, and later engaged in the same occupation at Alamogordo, made White Oaks a running visit a few days ago. Mr. Dudley was appointed a territorial ranger by the governor and has entered upon his duties. The headquarters of the company is permanently established at Socorro and its operations will probably be confined to the territory west of the Rio Grande, where its services are needed worse than in this country.

THE EXCHANGE BANK!

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Transacts a General Banking Business—Issues Drafts on all Principal Cities of the World—Accords to Borrowers every accommodation consistent with safety. Accounts solicited.
INTEREST PAID ON TIME DEPOSITS.

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MERCANTILE and TRADING CO.

FOR 25 YEARS WE HAVE BEEN DOING BUSINESS AT OUR PRESENT STAND.

WE ARE NOT CLOSING OUT

We Guarantee Our Goods, and Your Money Back If Not as Represented.

SCHILLING'S GOODS are not adulterated.
CHASE AND SANBORN'S COFFEE,
NONE BETTER.

General Merchandise.

NOGAL MECRANTILE CO.

John H. Canning, Proprietor.

A Complete Line of Strictly HIGH-GRADE

GENERAL MERCHANDISE

—THE STORE WHERE YOU GET A SQUARE DEAL—
ALL THE TIME

A NEW & COMPLETE
LINE
of Spring and Summer
MERCHANDISE

In All the Latest Effects, in What We are Showing this Season and at the Very Lowest Prices
Consistent with Quality.

MAIL ORDERS RECEIVE PROMPT Attention.

It Will Pay You to Look Over My Stock Before Purchasing.

S. C. Wiener.

We own in this country three million mules, all related to Maud.

The kiwi is a bird without any wings—but he also gets there just the same.

That Pennsylvania cobbler who has inherited \$250,000 doesn't care whether he has a sole or not.

The discovery of a "use" for the vermiform appendix was anticipated some time ago by the surgeons.

A Pennsylvania bride was married with frost-bitten toes. Now she will have to begin married life with cold feet.

People who think that some of our eminent financiers think of nothing but money ought to see them at a dog show.

The discovery that Maj. Gen. Germ commanded a division in the Russian army may be suggestive to the bacteriologists.

A hot stove fell into the lap of a woman passenger in an Akron, O., trolley car. That was worse than a fat man.

Miss Mabel Wood Tuttle advises women to use their tongues constantly. Well, the day is only twenty-four hours long.

The chemists have succeeded in producing artificial silk. They are too late. The factories have been turning it out for years.

A New York rooster has just swallowed a \$500 diamond. He can now charge for his voice and go on the grand opera stage.

Since he learned that Carnegie got \$64 for attending the Chadwick case Russell Sage may wish that Caselle had selected his name.

Two Chinese students are to be admitted to West Point. Now we will see how strong is the anti-Chinese sentiment among the cadets.

Young Cornelius Vanderbilt is being mentioned as probable ambassador to Germany. Evidently his wife is not yet through with her mother-in-law.

Mr. Rockefeller is going to put up a \$1,000,000 house. Russell Sage will regard this as a sign that the great oil magnate must be losing his mental vigor.

Some savant has at last managed to figure out that Aphrodite was an old woman. Must have been concocted with the Greek corps de ballet in some way.

The Chicago board of education is thinking about establishing a special school for wiv'ers of less than 14 years of age. We hope the attendance will not be large.

More than 100 American tourists have barely escaped death in an eruption of Mt. Vesuvius. Same old story, didn't know it was loaded and looked down the crater.

The discussion in the New York Sun of the question: "Do suckers bite?" refers to fish. The green-goods men, therefore, haven't felt called upon to take a hand in it.

The Californian who threatens to shoot on sight the man who marries his divorced wife has found a way that probably never occurred to the other divorce reformers.

At a time when a leading literary journal can hold a symposium with the hideous title of "The Slump in Poetry" it is not hard to believe that the slumped slump exists.

The matrimonial engagement of the German crown prince is furnishing as many good news stories as any other European political movement except the war in which Russia is engaged.

Without wishing to underestimate the merits of rhinoceros meat as a table delicacy, we have no hesitation in saying that the hippopotamus looks as if its flesh would be tenderer and spicier.

That week draws nigh, that dreadful week when feeling spring-salt within her blood, the housewife drives us forth and mops and scrubs and changes things around until the house is clean.

A woman has got a verdict of \$1,000 for a kick by a horse. This may seem a good deal to the horse's owner, but comparatively few women would be willing to be kicked by a horse for that.

After having been imprisoned in a summer cabin by a snow drift with out food and water for twenty-five days, a Pennsylvania cat finally succumbed apparently to the worse for her confinement—but how she recovered she will tell.

Anthropologists have unearthed some mysterious evidence that a certain early man smacked himself what occasioned

At the University.

Arbor Day was celebrated on the campus at the New Mexico University at Albuquerque, and it was a strenuous day, to say nothing of the presence and force of the wind. The boys and some of the men of the faculty divided up in the morning, some digging holes, others going to the river bottom to get trees. In the afternoon several dozen of trees were planted with the help of the girls, the wind assisting to blow said in the holes. After tree planting all gathered in the science hall, where the girls served an abundance of good cake and ice cream. In a sort of dinner fashion several toasts were served. Miss Cunningham was toastmaster. President Light spoke on the value of trees to the campus. Professor Hodgkin toasted "Historical Trees," and compared trees and girls. Miss Parsons read a very neat original poem on Arbor Day. Miss Huggott also entertained the nurses and had a poem on the first Arbor Day at the university. A game of base ball was played between the faculty, students and the wind. The wind and the students came out ahead with a pretty good score. The faculty was somewhat crippled because of a failure to play good enough ball to become victors.

Charged With Mail Offense. An Albuquerque dispatch of April 3d says: L. R. Knowles is in jail here, and, having waived a preliminary examination, will appear before the grand jury to answer the serious charge of violating the United States postal laws by sending prohibited matter through U. S. mails. The arrest was made by Deputy Marshal Cooper upon the complaint of Postoffice Inspector A. P. Smithers. Knowles is well known here and for a while was employed in the Santa Fe shops as machinist, going out with the disaffected men when the strike was declared. Later he was one of the men tried and convicted of interfering with non-union men, from which the strikers had been enjoined by the District Court. The letters in question are said to have been written to strike breakers and were of an abusive nature. Knowles was interested in the management of the Labor Advocate, the local labor union organ, at one time. The grand jury does not meet for some time. Meanwhile Knowles will be compelled to remain in jail in default of bail, which he has not obtained.

Prepare for the Year 1906.

There will be no municipal elections in this territory next month, except in Silver City, which has a special city charter. While the city governments now in force in the larger cities and towns of the territory are not conducted as they should be, all the people will worry along with them until April, 1906. That year will be a strenuous political one in the history of this territory, there will be city elections; members of the constitutional convention will have to be elected and a constitutional convention will be held. Conventions and nominations for all kinds of tickets will be called, and in November of that year will all human probability not only take place territorial elections, but also an election for officials and Legislature of the new state, joint or single. Therefore it will be well for citizens generally and for political leaders particularly, to take a good long rest during the present year and during the coming winter to stir up their joints for the fray in the year of our Lord 1906. Santa Fe New Mexican.

New Incorporations.

Incorporation papers were filed at Santa Fe March 31st by the Colorado Telephone Company of Colorado, capitalization, \$10,000,000. The New Mexico Roadwayers are at Albuquerque and the great J. R. Rider.

Incorporation papers were filed by the Rio Grande Development Company. The incorporators are: Gen. M. A. Otero of Santa Fe, Robinson Lane of Los Lunas and Judge Daniel L. McMillan of Bernalillo. The capitalization is \$2,000,000. Incorporators: Albuquerque, J. A. Otero, Robinson Lane, D. L. McMillan, W. E. Strickler, H. C. Perry, E. W. Flannery and M. K. Otero.

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Mining Revival.

In the case of the Kincaid district, the Kincaid Mining Company is being organized. The Kincaid Mining Company is being organized. The Kincaid Mining Company is being organized.

Gila River Forest Reserve.

The Gila River forest reserve, in New Mexico, which was established by proclamation of President McKinley on March 2, 1899, was examined in the summer of 1903 by Mr. Theodore F. Rixson of the United States Geological Survey. Mr. Rixson's report which is published as a Professional Paper No. 39, is now available. Besides examining the lands Mr. Rixson made a rough survey of the area and prepared a reconnaissance map, which is used as an illustration in the report.

This reserve includes several prominent mountain ranges, the principal of which are the San Francisco, the Tularosa, the Mogollon and the Black. The southwest corner of the reserve is, generally speaking, a rolling country with many prominent buttes, and is without trees except a light growth of scrub timber in patches. The extreme southwestern portion in which Mount McMullen rises its barren summit, is very rocky and abrupt. Here the country drops perpendicularly several hundred feet into a desert tributary to San Francisco river, which lies distant twenty miles or more to the west. The reserve as a whole is well watered, all the streams from the mountain ranges carrying a considerable flow for a long distance beyond the forest regions. It is traversed by fairly good roads and trails, which follow the valleys.

Agriculture is carried on extensively along San Francisco river and there are a few farming settlements along Gila river, but no large agricultural area exists anywhere within the confines of the reserve. By introducing reservoirs and irrigating ditches the amount of available agricultural land could be largely increased. The market for the products of this district is so distant, however, being in no instance less than ninety miles away, that a system of irrigation would hardly pay for itself.

Grazing, the most important of the industries of this region, requires careful attention and supervision to prevent the total destruction of the grass roots by overstocking. The mining industries in the reserve are confined to the Mogollon mountains and practically to the Conroy mining district, although a few prospects are found on south fork of Whitewater creek. The advent of railroad facilities would undoubtedly bring the district to the front, but there is little prospect of that in the near future, as the territory is practically unproductive agriculturally and the only freight available would be the ore from Conroy district.

Logging operations have been carried on in a desultory manner for some years in different parts of the reserve. Wherever the yellow pine has been logged clean, the young growth on the lower lands is inevitably yellow pine, which is growing very rapidly in places. The young growth throughout the alpine and mountainous regions is white fir, red fir, limber pine, spruce and balsam and the proportion of reproduction is in the order named. At the lower altitudes the second growth timber is very limited. However close their proximity to streams, the different species of cottonwood, walnut, ash, alder, box elder and sycamore reproduce themselves to a limited extent only, mostly in shady places along deep, rugged cañons. All of these varieties are indigenous to the soil, and grow freely wherever there is sufficient moisture. The depth of humus is slight, the lowlands being entirely devoid of it. The litter and the underbrush among the alpine timber are very heavy. This reserve has suffered very little from fires.

If the totally barren area is not taken into consideration, the Gila river forest reserve is a well-timbered region. The total area examined is about 3,640 square miles. Of this, 2,693 square miles, or seventy-one and one-fourth per cent, are covered with merchantable timber of extra quality. Two square miles have been burned, ninety square miles, or two and one-half per cent, have been logged, and 855 square miles, or twenty-three and one-fourth per cent, are naturally timberless. The timber of the reserve amounts to a total of 5,887,759 feet board measure, giving an average stand of 3,532 feet board measure per acre over the entire timbered part. Yellow pine constitutes 67.74 per cent and red fir 23.37 per cent of the merchantable species in the reserve.

Two Sentences.

A Las Vegas dispatch of April 1st says: Sheriff Marion Littrell of Colfax county was here today with Luanna Ford, a negro woman, sentenced to serve twenty years for stabbing and killing Ed Gallegos, and R. J. Davis, who killed George Williams, sentenced to serve twelve years. Both were sentenced by Chief Justice Mills. Littrell also had with him Clarence Hamilton, who escaped from Santa Fe while serving a five-year sentence for cattle stealing, and was recaptured at Trinidad, Colorado.

Among several violators of the Sunday law sentenced by Judge Mills was a Savannah Day Adventist, who kept his bookstall shop open Sunday and closed Saturday.

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Leon F. Kneipp, supervisor of the Gila Forest Reserve, who returned yesterday from a week's inspection trip through the eastern part of the reserve in San Miguel and Mora counties, reports the weather extremely bad the past week, with much snow and rain. The sufferers from the flood of last year are in distressing circumstances. These people will be very materially assisted, however, by their share of the appropriation of \$4,000 to San Miguel county and \$3,000 to Mora county, which go to them under the provisions of the Martin flood sufferers' relief law.

The people at present are in straightened circumstances, but the supervisor says that prospects are bright for a productive yield of crops, which the farmers are already planting. If no more bad weather strikes the Mora country, the farmers and merchants will recover from the bad effects of the past year. Mr. Kneipp reports that there are thousands of acres of good, tillable land in that section which would be very productive with proper care and water. The valleys are beautiful, and as there are a number of first-class dam sites, if a sufficient amount of money could be obtained with which to build dams, almost all of the tillable land could be put under cultivation. There are at present only two rangers on the reserve, but under the new law there will probably be an additional two or three, at least during the summer.—Santa Fe New Mexican.

Deaf and Dumb Asylum.

A Santa Fe dispatch of March 31st says: The new board of trustees of the New Mexico asylum for the deaf and dumb at Santa Fe met to-day and arrangements were made to open this institution, which has just completed a new building, costing \$20,000, if a superintendent can be found to take charge of it. The board organized by electing Maj. R. J. Palen president, and Francisco Delgado treasurer. Luis Moya was elected janitor.

Gov. M. A. Otero left Santa Fe for California to spend a month recuperating from the hard work during the legislative session. He was accompanied by Mrs. Otero, his son, Miguel, and Nina Otero.

Ramon Quintana, a wealthy stock raiser and farmer of Pojoaque, northern Santa Fe county, died at Santa Fe March 31st at the home of his brother, Tomas Quintana. He was fifty-one years old and leaves a widow, three sons and four daughters.

A telegram has been received at Las Vegas from Judge Luther M. Goddard of Denver to the effect that the reputation of Edward Gray, charged with the murder of Chile DeFaster, was of the best; that he had never been in the penitentiary, and that for fifteen years he had lived as a peaceable and honest citizen in Leadville and Denver.

The Roswell Hardware Company has been incorporated by William A. Johnson, Thomas W. Thomas, Hugh R. Morrow and Leslie B. Tannehill of Roswell, the headquarters of the company. The capital stock is \$60,000. The directors are J. T. Murphy of Naples, Texas; J. W. Thomas, W. A. Johnson, H. R. Morrow and L. B. Tannehill of Roswell.

The Tularosa Mining and Milling Company, capitalized at \$1,000,000, was incorporated March 31st by W. Frank Drake and Hiram E. Forrester of Pueblo, Colorado, Frank P. Kern of Atlanta, Georgia, and George B. Bent of Tularosa, New Mexico, which latter place, in Otero county, is the principal place of business. The directors are Frank P. Kern, George B. Bent and Hiram E. Forrester.

The cattle on the ranges of Otero and Chavez counties are suffering from a sickness similar to that produced by the loco weed. W. A. Coe, the well-known ranchman, who lives northwest of Alamogordo, reports that he has seen a number of animals so affected, and he thinks the sickness must be due to some weed which is as yet unidentified. There is no loco weed in that district, consequently it can not be attributed to that. If the malady proves to be serious or becomes epidemic, experts will be sent for to investigate the matter.—Santa Fe New Mexican.

Roswell parties are arranging to run an automobile passenger line from Roswell to Torrance, a distance of about seventy miles. The promoters of the scheme have purchased three heavy Winton motor cars, one of which will make the trip up while the other two are making the trip down, and the third one will be kept in the shops for emergencies. Connection will be made with the Santa Fe Central at Torrance, giving quick access to the Pecos country from central New Mexico. The fare will be \$10 and the trip will be made in about ten days.

The Legislature at its recent session passed a bill which was approved by the governor, and which gives to the institutions, owning land which has been donated by the government, the right to use the proceeds of the sale and lease of such lands for maintenance and improvement purposes. The question was at once raised if the funds so secured could be used without any further authorization than that of the Legislature. This question has now been passed upon by the attorney general, whose opinion is that the consent of the Department of the Interior must first be obtained before the provisions of the law can be carried out.

Thousands of dollars' damages was done to the tender fruits in the farming district in the Mesilla Valley, Wednesday morning, March 24th, by frost. It is impossible to compute the exact damage, but it is believed that fully one-third the crop of tender fruits was ruined, while some of the others were damaged slightly. The frost was not heavy enough to damage the alfalfa, although it withered badly. It was not turned black, however, and will recover in three or four days. The next was predicted in the weather report of Tuesday, but it was supposed to be only a trace that the

Doan's Kidney Pills Give Out Under the Burden of Daily Toil.

Lieutenant George G. Warren, U. S. No. 3 Chemical, Washington, D. C., says: "It's an honest fact that Doan's Kidney Pills did me a great lot of good, and if it were not true I would not recommend them. It was the strain of lifting that brought on kidney trouble and weakened my back, but since using Doan's Kidney Pills I have lifted 600 pounds and felt no bad effects. I have not felt the trouble come back since, although I had suffered for five or six years, and other remedies had not helped me at all."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N.Y.

Christian Endeavor Society.

The Young People's Society for Christian Endeavor was twenty-five years old in 1904, and its founder, the Rev. Dr. F. E. Clark, says that was one of its most prosperous years. It has thriven amazingly during its comparatively short career and now has 55,327 societies all told, with an aggregate membership of 3,019,600.

In Europe the number of societies doubled last year, and there are now about 500. The order has extended into China and Japan; in the latter country ten different denominations are united in the association, the Presbyterians leading. India has over 500 societies; there is one in Jerusalem; the Armenian Christians have taken it up; Persia reports forty associations; Syria, twenty; Korea about a dozen, and they are scattered here and there throughout Africa wherever missionary efforts have extended. It is firmly rooted in Australia and last year the junior rally in Melbourne called together 10,000 boys and girls with their fathers and mothers.

When Your Grocer Says

he does not have DeLancey Starch, you may be sure he is afraid to keep it until his stock of 12-oz. packages are sold. DeLancey Starch is not only better than any other Cold Water Starch, but contains 16 oz. to the package and sells for same money as 12 oz. brands.

Maude—Oh, dear! I dread the thought of my thirtieth birthday. Clara—Why, I supposed you had forgotten it long ago.

TEA

Does it pay to advertise? Depends on circumstances. What circumstances? The tea and the dealing.

Your grocer returns your money if you don't like Schilling's Best.

When some men meet a creditor they either tear up the street or turn down an alley.

Try me just once and I am sure to come again. DeLancey Starch. A lawyer may be happy though his life is full of trials.

BAD STOMACH

Attended with fatigued, offensive, or foul breath, bitter taste, especially in the morning, furred tongue, sick or bilious headache, poor or irregular appetite, sour stomach, water brash, constipation with strong tendency to flatulency, or other ailments, all relieved and radically cured by the faithful use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. No man can be stronger than his stomach; when it gets out of order he becomes bilious, dyspeptic, hypochondriacal, peevish and "out of sorts." His feet languid, tired and all agitated. Nothing will restore speedily or permanently invigorate and tone into action liver and bowels than Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It is compounded from the active medicinal principles extracted from native medicinal plants without the use of alcohol, opium, or any other deleterious ingredients. The benefits felt from its use is not, therefore, due to alcoholic exhilaration, and consequently of short duration, but is enduring and permanent.

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When they are joined (Oklahoma and Indian Territory) there is not one among the older commonwealths richer by nature than this new state. My own opinion is that Indian Territory is the richest spot on earth under the American flag to-day for the size of it. It is one of the few places on this continent that possesses almost every kind of wealth—coal in great abundance and of excellent quality, iron, I believe the greatest granite bed on earth, gold, asphalt and all kinds of mineral wealth, produced in any other section. And over these riches treasures in the earth there is the most fertile of soils, producing more abundantly those great products which contribute to the comfort, the health and the pleasure of the human race than almost any other spot of equal size."

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TEA

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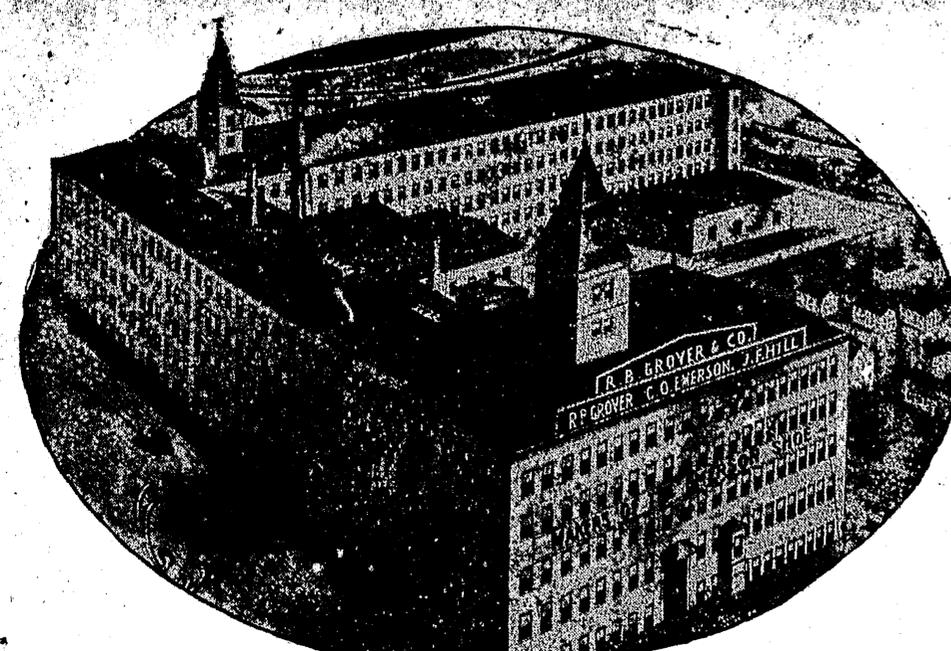
Your grocer returns your money if you don't like Schilling's Best.

Freddy—"Say, old chap, how do you manage to kiss a girl without the chap being in a right close by?" Teddy—"Why, by kissing the chap on first."

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OBSERVE RULES OF WAR Combatants in the Far East Have Been Scrupulous in Their Conduct.

Up till within the memory of people now living, civilized nations waged war much as do savage races at this present day. Now, of course, all this is altered. Modern scientific warfare is hedged round with as many rules and regulations as is modern scientific football, and the same penalty is incurred for foul or unfair play—namely, the stern disapprobation of the spectators.

war against savage races, such as British soldiers had frequently to encounter. Neither would Great Britain assent to the clauses prohibiting the dropping of explosives from balloons, and making it unlawful to fire at an enemy projectile, charged with asphyxiating or deleterious gases.

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The presence of a sick or wounded soldier in a dwelling house confers protection upon it and exempts its other occupants from having troops quartered upon them. Commanders are forbidden to requisition the property of such occupants.

Also, the convention made it very clear who were, and who were not spies. Formerly great latitude was permitted to individual commanders, and innocent persons suffered accordingly.

The Grover factory was located at the corner of Main and Calmar streets, Campello, in the southern outskirts of Brockton. The building extended 100 feet along Main street and 200 feet to the rear.

Among other things forbidden are the employment of poison, or of poisoned arms or projectiles, or of "any arms, projectiles, or material of a nature to cause superfluous injury."

Private property must be respected, "save in the case of urgent military necessity," and the destruction of historical monuments, works of art or science, and of religious, charitable, or educational institutions is strictly prohibited.

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The Typographical Journal gives an interesting account of the government printing office at Washington. The long-talked-of introduction of typesetting machines into the office has at length taken place, and batteries of linotypes and monotypes are in full sway.

Electricity helps all the processes of work throughout the building except in the foundry, where gas is used to melt the stereotyping metal. A new fast press that will print 80,000 eight-page papers per hour has a thirty horse power motor to run it, and a small one of eight and a half horse power to run it at slow speed.

BABY ONE SOLID SORE. Could Not Shut Eyes to Sleep—Spent \$100 on Doctors—Baby Grew Worse—Cured by Cuticura for \$5.

"A scab formed on my baby's face spreading until it completely covered her from head to foot, followed by boils, having forty on her head at one time, and more on her body. Then her skin started to dry up and it became so bad she could not shut her eyes to sleep.

The woman who drives a man o' drink has no need of a whip.

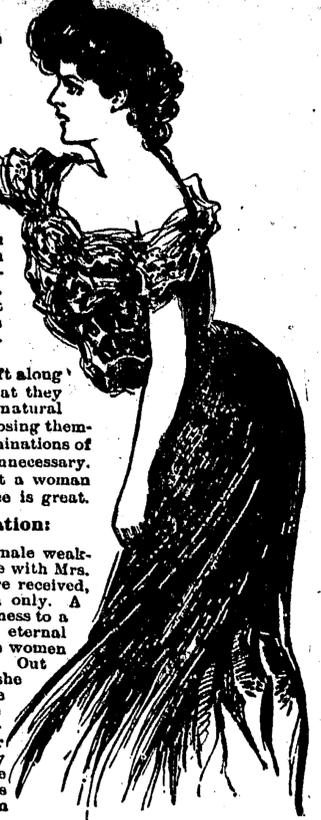
"A Wonder-Worker of Science." Luther Burbank, the California magician, has developed a verberna with a strong arbutus fragrance. He has made possible a new fruit, the plumcot, a combination of the common wild American plum, the Japanese plum and the apricot.

TEA Good tea doesn't have to be fine; if fine, all the better. There is but one degree of goodness; there are twenty of fineness.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury. The fellow who spouts hot air has to buy coal just the same.

TEA The soul is let loose by tea; it wanders far and forgets its prison.

That in addressing Mrs. Pinkham you are confiding your private ills to a woman—a woman whose experience with woman's diseases covers a great many years. You can talk freely to a woman when it is revolting to relate your private troubles to a man—besides a man does not understand—simply because he is a man.



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BIGGS' BLOOD PURIFIER. CURES SCURF of the stomach.

DINKELSPIEL'S DEFFYNISHUNG.

A fool and his money was soon spotted. A schwellid head always gets it in der neck. Der meaning of Flattery was der lankvitch ve usw ven ve tell a man dot ve envy him.

Most Effective Weapon Available for Conflict With Dreaded "White Plague"

The following abstracts from an article by J. E. Stubbett, M. D., in the Medical Record, should receive wide and careful attention. No doubt if these ideas could be carried out, the "white plague" would be robbed of much of its terror.

There are several plans by which the victim of tuberculosis may continuously breathe pure, fresh air by night as well as by day. Sleeping out in the open air is not harmful to a large majority of tuberculous people.

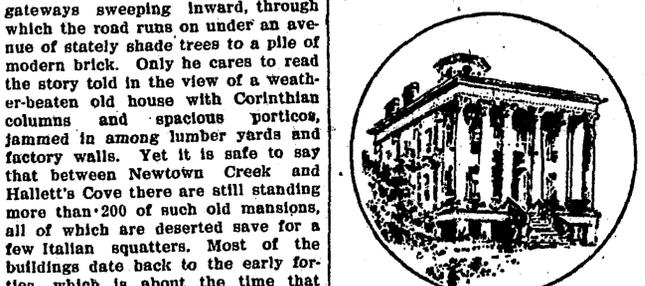
Suburbs of New York, Once Homes of the Wealthy and Fashionable, Now Occupied by Grimy Mills and Factories.

New York moves with too fast and determined a stride to have much time to spare for sentiment, but for one who is alive to the glamor that hangs over a past that is fast being thrust back into complete forgetfulness this city contains many regions that are peculiarly rich in memories.



A Type of the House of the La Rogues, in the Suburbs of New York.

well, Lawrence, Riker, Rapelye, Holmstrom, Potter, Barclay and Wolcott among them to realize that this little colony across the river was indeed the home of the very leaders of New York. Great weather-worn mansions still stand there to testify how stouly they were built and on how stately a plan; but they are shut in to-day among cheap modern dwellings, with here and there a mill or a factory.



The Home of the La Rogues

ward, are still kept up by the families. During the Revolution the Holmstrom house was part of a block house situated further up the river, and was removed bodily on skids to its present site.

How to Earn Sound Sleep.

All doctors are not so careful of the welfare of their patients as they might be. Here is a story of one who went to the limit. He is the proprietor of a famous health resort not far from ... When he receives a patient for treatment he says: "Now, I want it understood that unless you do exactly as I say, there is no use of your staying."

Special Hospitals for Consumptives.

A hundred years ago the city of Naples, Italy, erected a large hospital for consumptives, and required the isolation of all persons suffering from this disease. It is only recently, however, that the authorities of modern cities have become awakened to the importance of this sanitary measure.

An Extra Good Appetite.

A good appetite is a symptom of good health. An extra good appetite is sometimes a symptom of constitutional disturbance somewhere. A sample letter sent to the "Questions and Answers" column of a prominent health journal was something like this:

Little Now Left but Memories.

There are few left now who remember this district in its palmiest days, when the only roads were driveways of gnarled oaks and beeches that led to great country houses, set in the midst of cedars of Lebanon and guarded by tall hedges.



One of the Old Dutch "Hokottears."

While over veranda and pillared portico wistfully and a wealth of fragrant creepers clung. Of all this little but the memories remain. Masters and gardeners have long since passed away. "That large gray house," the old singer will say, "which is now used as a school house, was built originally on an island, but the channels were filled up long ago and streets made up of dump and the city's refuse ran where once the clean streets swept to and fro.

BY THE BACHELOR GIRL.

Respect is the father and admiration the mother of love. A lie will live as long as a truth if you do it up in an equally neat epigram.

ADVANCE SPRING ITEMS.

The brethren who don't trust in Providence are busy putting up lightning rods. Spring is trying to come in. Yesterday she shook the snow from her slippers and spread her coalblack cloak on a honeysuckle vine.

JUST THOUGHTS.

The literary pokpocket scatters the seeds of thought. The world is always predisposed to judge a person by his mistakes. A sense of humor will invariably be found accompanied by brains.

COMPLETED PROVERBS.

"A fool is never wrong"; few of us are. "He who hesitates" when lying "is lost."

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EFFECTS OF PROSPERITY.

In the six years of the country's greatest prosperity, from 1897 to 1903, average prices of breadstuffs advanced 65 per cent., meats 23.1 per cent., dairy and garden products 50.1 per cent., and clothing 24.1. All these were products of the farmer and stockman who profited more than any other class of the community by these advances.

TEA

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SCHOOL WARRANTS.

To What Extent They May
Be Issued.

Opinion of Attorney General Prichard
In Reference to the Matter.

Santa Fe, N. M. March 24, 1905.
Hon. Amado Chaves, Acting Super-
intendent of Public Instruction,
Santa Fe, N. M.

Sir—In your letter of the 22nd
instant, you propound to me the
following questions:

In cases where a school board
has not the funds on hand to meet
the monthly payments on a teachers'
contract is it the proper
course for the board to issue to
the teacher a warrant, the county
superintendent then to sign it,
and then the teacher to present it
to the county treasurer whose duty
it is to endorse it "not paid for want of funds?"

Under the law have the school
boards authority to issue any
warrants to teachers before
the funds are in the treasury to
meet them?

To the first question above, I
answer, Yes.

To the second question, I have
to say that section 1535 of the
Compiled laws of 1897, seems to
control. By that section the
school directors are limited in
issuing warrants for the payment
of the indebtedness of the school
district to the amount of the levy
for school purposes. The pro-
vision referred to reads as fol-
lows: "That no board shall issue
warrants or certificates of
indebtedness of the school dis-
trict in excess of the amount of
the levy for one year, but all
school orders draw six per cent
interest *ex panno* after having
been presented to the county
treasurer and not paid for want
of funds, which fact shall be en-
dorsed upon the order by the
treasurer.

It will be seen by the above that
it is not essential to the validity
of an order or warrant of the
school directors issued to a teacher,
that the funds must be in the
treasury with which to pay such
order or warrant at the time of
its issue. The fact that the treasurer
is authorized to endorse on
an order or warrant "Not paid
for want of funds," implies the
right of the school directors to
issue the same to a teacher for
his wages whether there is any
funds to pay it or not.

Very respectfully,

G. W. PRICHARD,
Attorney General.

J. W. Reynolds, acting govern-
or of the territory, has com-
muted the death sentence of Jose
Vigil to that of life imprison-
ment. Vigil in a fit of jealousy
shot his wife while holding her in
his arms and begging him for
mercy, simply because she
danced with another man. Is it
any wonder that these atrocities
are multiplying so rapidly today
in New Mexico when an acting
governor can defeat the ends of
justice by setting aside the sen-
tence of a court at the mere so-
licitation of friends of the criminal?
A life sentence only means
about fifteen years at the most
in the territorial prison, at least
better and better fare than the
majority of these men and
women would get.

WHAT THE LEGISLATURE DID.

And What the People Pay For Being
Governed.

(Continued.)

A Very brief synopsis of the
more important measures passed
by the late territorial Legislature
will be given in this column from
time to time so that all can gov-
ern themselves accordingly. These
acts, however, will be of small
importance to the general public
outside of the effect it may have
on their pocket books.

Council Bill No. 23, which be-
came a law might be termed a
Cowboy's Waterloo. It will prob-
ably make the atmosphere about
some of the ranges lurid with
original *exas* words near fair
time. It is intended to prohibit
the spectacular vaqueros from
indulging in roping contests, and
subjects them to a fine ranging
from five to five hundred dollars
for indulging in these natty
sports at public exhibitions.

The next act on the list pro-
vides for eleven district attorneys
in the territory, with salaries
running from \$300 to \$1,400, with
power to appoint assistants in the
several counties to look after the
fees.

This is followed by an act pro-
hibiting the Rio Grande from
washing off the natives that live
along its banks, and is followed
by another to protect any citizen
who is foolhardy enough to hire
someone to work for him and pay
in advance.

The next is an allowance of \$5
per day to members of registra-
tion boards in precincts of over
100 voters, and \$3 where there
are less than that number.

Here follows several minor
bills of no general importance.

Then we have these. House
Bill No. 110. An act relating to
the Sheep Sanitary board. The
act prohibits the trailing across
county lines without permit; of
any sheep affected with scabies,
or from any Indian reservation
within or bordering on New Mex-
ico, without having first obtained
a bill of health from an inspector
of the Sheep Sanitary Board. It
makes it the duty of owners of
scabby sheep to notify the Sheep
Sanitary Board in writing and to
obey the orders of the Board.
The penalty is not to exceed
\$500, to be lien on the sheep of
any person convicted.

Council Bill No. 79. An act
for a compulsory flag law for the
Territory of New Mexico. The
act provides that Boards of Edu-
cation must procure flags for the
public school houses throughout
New Mexico, the flag to be not
less than five feet long. Feb.
12 is denominated flag day, to be
observed annually by the public
schools.

Then there is an appropriation
of \$2,500, according to the word-
ing of the act, "for the improve-
ment of the Rio Grande and the
increase of the surface flow" down
at the Elephant Buttes, in
lower Dona Ana county. It would
appear by this that our solons
had an elephant on their hands
in the Rio Grande, or thought
they had, and were determined
to harass that placid stream un-
til it fled for protection to the
more friendly state of Texas.

Then they went to doctoring
the present game law. They in-
creased the power of the game
warden so far as to allow him to
grant a permit, for a consid-
eration no doubt, to any one to
shoot, trap or strangle a beaver
caught in the act of interfering
with any lawful ditch, but the
law barring beaver is allowed to
paddle around in the unlawful
ditch to his heart's content. This
act establishes a closed season
of five years for antelope, pheas-
ants, bob-white quail or wild
geese. Deer with horns may
be killed with a gun only from
September 15th to October 1st.
Turkeys may be killed with
guns only from August 1 to Sept.
15. Quoted quail will torture

mountain quail or prairie quail
may be killed with gun only
during October, November and
December. The penalty is a fine
from \$50 to \$100 and imprison-
ment from thirty to sixty days.
One half of the fine is to be tur-
ned into the county school fund.
It prohibits the serving of game
fish or game killed in New Mex-
ico in any hotel, restaurant or
boarding house. For the serv-
ing of game fish or game brought
from outside of the Territory a
permit must be obtained from
the territorial game warden. The
penalty is a fine from \$25 to \$100
and imprisonment in jail from 30
to 60 days.

Elsewhere in this issue is
published the opinion of Attorney
General Geo. W. Prichard in refer-
ence to the authority of district
school boards to issue warrants
up to the full amount of the levy
for any one year. The Attorney
General is undoubtedly correct
in his interpretation of the law in
this instance—that is, as nearly
correct as it is possible for any
human mind to arrive at a
rational conclusion in regard to
the intent and meaning of many
of our New Mexico statutes. As
to the practical workings of this
law, if put in force, that is quite
another thing. In the first place
how are the school boards to de-
termine the full amount of the
levy in each particular school dis-
trict for the year? In case that
is determined, how are they to
know just what amount of the
taxes are to be collected? It is a
well known fact that only from
sixty to eighty per cent. of the
taxes are ever paid in, taking the
whole territory over. Suppose
then that each school district
should issue warrants to cover
the whole amount of the levy
each and every year, as they are
authorized to do by this law, and
that these warrants should begin
to draw interest from the time
the county treasurers write their
refusals thereon until paid, it can
readily be seen that the aggre-
gate school debt of the territory
would soon bankrupt every
school district in the territory.
This appears to be one of those
laws that are honored more in
the breach than in the obser-
vance. Good judgement, there-
fore, as well as sound business
sense, should govern the school
boards in limiting their expendi-
tures to the actual amount of
funds apportioned to their sever-
al districts each quarter.

of war is that the Japs are now
allowing Gen. Kurapatkin and
Linsvitch to fight it out between
themselves, while they are swing-
ing around their left bicycle bri-
gade to capture Vladivostok on the
fly, and the center of their gin-
ricksha division is building a sus-
pension bridge across the Kan-
goncrosse river between Kupan-
zanignnaki and Szintzyatun.
When this is accomplished it is
expected that the battle of Gog,
Magog and Maogruder will be
pulled off before soon.

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For Letters About the Southwest.

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er's experience since he settled in
the Southwest. They should tell
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came, what measure of success has
since crowned his efforts and what
he thinks of that portion of the
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chants school teachers clergymen
and from every one who has a story
to tell and who knows how to tell
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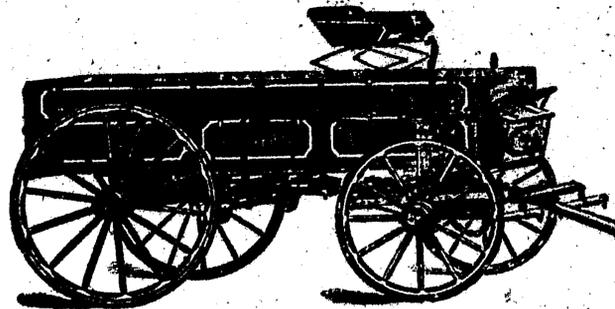
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