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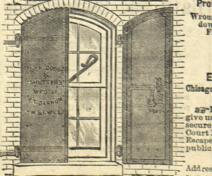
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### A Terrible Fall.

A special dispatch from Central City to the Denver News gives particulars of a terrible accident which occurred last Friday evening: "Another one of those hor rors of mining life which send their victims into another world violently, frightfully and without warning, occurred at the California mine, on Quartz Hill, last evening. A. Warren was the unfortunate man, and he met his fate in a fall of over one thousand feet down a rocky shaft and into a watery grave right before the eyes of his helpless fellow-laborors. His body, mangled and broken as it must be, cannot be recovered for a long time. Warren and five fellow miners got on

the bucket at the 500-foot level and were being hoisted to the surface, when, about 450 feet from the surface a rock falling down the shaft struck Warren on the head. backward down the shaft. One of the men on the bucket reached to catch him as he let loose his hold but was too late to catch him, as the unfortunate man had fallen beyond his reach, and in a moment without warning he was plunged into eternity. He fell 1,250 feet to the 1,700foot level, striking at every 100-foot level as he went down, and at the 1,700-foot level plunging iuto 225 feet of water.

Parties went down the shaft immediately after the accident and parts of Warren's anatomy and clothing were found on the way down. His lower jaw bone with the teeth still in place and a part of ally poor as compared with the salaries his skull were found at the 1,300 foot level. His coat was also found at this level. His pants were found floating on the water at the 1,700-foot level. His body had sunk to the bottom of the shaft, in which is 225 feet of water.

Warren was 46 years of age. He came Suspender Company, of Cincinnati, O., to this country from England in 1868, and has lived here ever since with the ex ception of a few years spent in California. He leaves two children in England and one in California

### A Few of Josh Billings' Epigrams.

I had rather undertake to be two good

doves than one decent serpent. To learn your offspring to steal, make them beg hard for all you give them. Piety is like beans; it seems to do best

on poor soil. A broken reputation is like a broken vase; it may be mended, but always shows

where Gatherack was. If you can't trust a man for the full amount let him skip. This trying to get an average on honesty has always been a

There is no treachery in silence-silence is a hard argument to beat

Don't mistake habits for character. The men of the most character have the fewest habits. The man who is thoroughly polite is

two-thirds of a Christian anyhow. Flattery is like Cologne water-to be

smelt of, not swallowed. I have noticed that the man who is always telling what he will do when he gets

there, never gets there. Death mows strangely, and round fall the daisy and grass, and alone, snarling, stands the coarse thistle, left for what? Death can't tell, for God only knows. When a man has a great deal to say, he branding. can say it in a very few words.

### Down the Raging Rio Grande.

Alamosa Independent-Journal.

The three men who left Alamosa some weeks ago, bound for Texas by boat, on the raging Rio Grande, were decidedly unfortunate on the trip. The Taos Herald informs us that the one who claimed to hail from "Philadelphy" came floating into that plaza recently, and gave the information that their boat was wrecked, smashed all to splinters near the mouth of the Rio Hondo cañon, through which they had to pass. He does not tell if his companious found a watery grave or not. The three men spent several weeks here building their boat, and to those expressing a doubt as to their getting safely by the canon, they said it was no trick at all and they would go through right side up with care. The Rio Hondo cañon is 40 miles long, and the walls rise perpendicularly in places to a heighth of 1,000 feet.

their bulls away from their herds for the to Alaska. winter. They are now rounding up those animals, some 250 to 300 head, and will News, has left Telluride for Denver, and herd them in the lower end of Gypsum the Journal gives its ex brother the fol-

### Two Hundred Millions.

New York Times. Mr. Vanderbilt was worth \$200,000,000. If we say that he was worth \$500,000 or \$1,000,000,000 do we get a perceptibly different impression about the bulk of his fortune? Most people do not. To the avarage mind the conception of enormous wealth is much the same whether it be reckoned in bundred millions or in vigintillions. The human mind cannot grasp these great sums or clearly appreciate the difference between \$100,000,000 or \$200,

Lef us try and describe Mr. Vanderbilt's great fortune in terms of linear, square and cubic measurement and of weight. Everybody understands these terms and make a definite impression on men's

If this sum of \$200,000,000 were in standard silver dollars it would present such features as this:

Put lengthwise, dollar after dollar, it would stretch a distance of 4,672 miles, making a silver streak from New York across the ocean to Liverpool. Piled up, dollar on dollar, it would

reach a height of 355 miles. Laid flat on the ground, the dollars would cover a space of nearly sixty acres.

The weight of this mass of silver would be 7.160 tons. To transport it would require 358 cars, carrying twenty tons each (this is the capacity of the strongest freight cars), and making a train just about two and a

half miles long. twelve locomotives to haul this train the icy stream might be turned aside into On roads of steep grades and sharp curves | mid-occan. Then, it is believed, the Gulf fifteen or twenty locomotives would be

In \$1 bills this \$200,000,000 fortune would assume such shapes as this: The bills stretched lengthwise would extend 23,674 miles, or nearly the circumference of the earth at the equator.

Piled up one on another, close as leaves in a new book, they would reach a height of twelve miles. Spread out on the ground they would

face of Gentral park including ponds and A safe deposit vault to contain these bills would require to be 23 feet long, 22

### feet wide and 20 feet high. What is a Maverick?

Miles City, Jan. M. T. Stockgrowers' Journal. A correspondent in the New Mexico Stock Grower in endeavoring to correct Packard's cow boy dictionary, says:

land in the Colorado river, and thinking they could not get off the island he never branded them, but during an overflow in were branded by other parties, who profited by Maverick's humane principles.

The correspondent is right so far as the meaning of the term is concerned, but away wrong as to how it originated. In the first place the Colorado river is not large enough to have islands from which any sensible man would suppose animals could not stray, and no Texas man has to attempt to raise range cattle without

During the civil war from 1861 to '65. cowboys were scarce in Texas-they were off fighting, and there was very little attention paid to cattle raising. The cattle that were on the ranges at the breaking cut of the war bred rapidly as the southern cattle always do, and there were not men enough on the ranges to work them properly and keep the calves branded. Hence a vast number of unbranded cattle roamed at will over Texas plains. The war closed and men began again to turn their attention to business. Mr. Maverick, a southern Texas gentleman, had been in the stock business before the war, but like the rest had neglected his herds. He set in new to make up for lost time. He branded everything that was not al ready branded. So well did this custom of his become known that stock men upon seeing an unbranded animal would insinuatingly remark: "There's one of Maver

ick's cows-that's his brand." As may be readily imagined, Mr. May erick prospered greatly, and soon became THE Cattlemen's Association of this a wealthy and highly respected citizen. section receives this compliment from the A few years ago he built a very fine hotel Montrose Messenger: "The Cattlemen's in San Antonio, Texas. This house is Association which was organized beyond widely known as the Maverick Hotel and the San Miguel river last spring, which is quite popular. The term Maverick is includes all the stockmen of Lone Cone used to denote an unbranded calf not foland Disappointment regions, have decided lowing its mother, wherever cattle are to take the very sensible action of taking raised on the range from South America

GID PROPPER, late of the Telluride

valley. We cannot too strongly commend lowing elegant notice: "Mr. Propper dethis action on the part of the cattlemen, clares he has kicked the Telluride snowas it will unquestionably result in a great balls from his heels forever. Every once increase in their calf crop, as well as a in a while, during our long San Juan saving in the expense necessary to keep winters, when all the world looks dark good male animals on the range, and we and dreary, there descends some bright wish that more stockmen would adopt ray of hope to cheer the hearts of us poor unfortunates who are unable to get out, THE YOUNGEST ON RECORD. - James, and strengthen the hope which springs Gunter was abusing a woman at Big Lau- eternal in the human heart." Curry then rel, North Carolina, last Sunday, when pronounces the benediction by referring her little son, aged only 8 years, stepped to Propper as "the dirtiest person, menup and shot him dead in his tracks. The tally, morally and bodily," that was ever

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### Interesting Scientific Items.

Among some scientific notes recently printed are the following of much interest: COPPER PLATING CORPSES. - A French chemist proposes coating the bodies of the dead with a skin of copper by means of the well-known electro-plating process. A second plating of gold or silver could be added if so desired. This treatment,

which permanently preserves corpses, has

already been applied to several human

subjects and to many animals. USING THE EARTH'S HEAT.—There is abundant reason for believing that the earth's crust is very thin, asserts Mr. J. Starkie Gardner, and it seems not impossible that some means may be devised for utilizing the intense heat of the molten mass below. This is already being done, in fact, to some extent, an artesian well having just been bored at Pestli to obtain warm water for public baths, etc. From a depth of about 3,000 feet a large quantlty of water heated to 161 degrees Fahrenheit pours forth, and the boring is tobe continued until water at 178 degrees is

DAMMING THE POLAR SEA. - The polar current passing between Newfoundland and Labrador appears to deflect the Gulf Stream from the shores of the U.S. and the British provinces, interposing a cold wall of water between the land and the genial warmth of the current from the tropics. By building a dam across the narrow Straits of Belle Isle-about ten miles wide and averaging 150 feet deep-On ordinary grades it would require Mr. John C. Goodridge, Jr., suggests that Stream would skirt the American coast and materially change its climate from

Cape Hatteras to Newfoundland, freeing

the Gulf of St. Lawrence from icebergs

and giving to Nova Scotia the mildness of Cape May. WE prepared a beautiful bouquet of pansy blossoms and blades of grass and contemplated contributing the same to the floral display at recent Vanderbilt funeral; cover 746 acres or nearly the whole sur- but, reading in a New York paper that friends of the Vanderbilt family were de sired "kindly to omit flowers," we have decided to place our fragrant decoration upon the grave of the printer who spells separate with only one a, insists upon throwing in a comma after the word and, and begins the word Burro, with a capital B, and the word Washington, with a

lower case w .-- Durango Herald. ABOUT twenty DaRD n- D & R. G., have been working for the D. . "Maverick, an unbranded weaned calf, with headquarters in Gunnison, received originated with a man of that name in Texas who had a herd of cattle on an island in the Colorado river and thinking army. They dropped their shovels and started by the first train. They did not the river many of them swam off and like the idea of going home, to be put up for targets, but they had sworn to obey the call, if made, before leaving their native land, and there was no way to get out of obeying .- Gunnison Review Press.

HORACE THOMAS came down this week from Rico to attend the funeral ceremonies of his brother, Charlie Thomas. He started from Rice at 11 o'clock at night has yet showed himself verdant enough and arrived in Durango the next morning -having spent the night running and walking and leading his horse to keep warm - Durango Idea.

W. H. Combs, who was in charge of store at Arlee, Montana, was driven out last Sunday by two Indians, one of whom be killed and wounded the other. The Indians in the neighborhood then killed Combs. The sheriff arrested the bucks, but they were rescued and the military is now on the ground.

Ar the Chicago fat slock show were exhibited the biggest steer and the "littlest" cow in the world. The steer weighs 4,250 pounds. The cow is from Scotland, 36 inches high, weighs 356 pounds and gives three gallons of milk daily.

TERRIBLE RETRIBUTION.—The Georgetown Miner suggests that every Colorado voter write a postal card to our congress men every day to constantly remind them to vote against any meddling with silver coinage. Heavenly Moses!

A South Carolina woman rode 25 miles through a drenching storm to marry the man she loved. Seems as though a man would be rather shy about marrying a woman with so much energy as that, says an exchange. THE prevailing sickness among Mexico

cans in the towns about Albuquerque is proving greatly fatal, because the greasy heathens are prejudiced against employ ing physicians.

W. R. LEONARD is on the ground with the material for the new iron bridge over the Dolores river on the Paradox road. Leonard has the contract to erect it.

FIVE soldiers of the territorial militia

were killed Monday in a fight with the Apaches, at White House, twelve miles from Fort Bayard, New Mexico. Rico is one among the most prosperous of San Juan camps, and her eighty-four

sertion .- Muldoon. It is not generally known that Mrs.

car-loads of bullion corroborates the as-

will help all, of either sex, to more money right away than anything else in this world. Fortunes await the workers absolutely sure. At once address True & Co., Augusta, Maine. up and shot him dead in his tracks. The tally, morally and bodily," that was ever little fellow is being lionized for the act, which was both brave and justifiable.

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### MINING MATTERS.

THE REARNEY. W. H. M. Bangs commenced work to-

day on the Kearney lode. HOPE AND CROSS

pre on Thursday to the Grand View. THE IRON VAULT. J. A. Morris yesterday commenced the

The Hope and Cross shipped 15 tons of

assessment on the Iron Vault lode, a little below the C. H. C.

THE GEN. LOGAN.

The air shaft at the Logan will be finished next week, and work can then be resumed in the lower workings, where some good ore was uncovered. J. E. W.

ling and Brown continue work on the drift. The air is getting bad in the latter to clear it.

THE DEMOCRAT. J. F. Wannemaker is doing the assess-

Democrat Consolidated Mining Company. A tunnel of 80 feet is the only present development.

The last shipment by Spurlock and Fleisher, lessees of the Newman gave very satisfactory results. The first class ran 414 ounces in silver, 41 ounces in gold, ounce in gold.

THE C. H. C.

The C. H. C. is working every hour of the 24 and turning out all the ore possible. The lease to James & Co. will expire next Thursday and on the morning of the first day of the new year, H. W. wages of other days.

mines, treats about the same amount per is passed. day, piles up ab ut ogs much bullion as it id yesterday or week before last. It speaks volumes for the prosperity of the camp, without much ado. This is a sort of general truism which applys in Rico to the Grand View just now. The only jar in operations is the difficulty of securing transportation for the bullion to the railroad.

FORREST AND PAROLE.

The Forrest has sent down a shipment of several tons of ore, which returned 53 per cent in lead and 39 ounces per ton in silver. Drifting towards the Parole still gives increasing encouragement, and Dick Johnstone is positive that when the Parole ore chute is reached it will be no trick at all to surface a ton of ore per day to the man. Johnstone, by the way, is now a partner in the Parole lease with Mr. Meredith. The vein is opened on Parole ground 80 feet below the Forrest workings, and the permanency of the ore-body is reasonably assured.

### A Silverton Snowslide.

The first fatal snowslide of the season for San Juan is reported in dispatch from Silverton of last Tuesday. It says:

"The town was startled about 1 o'clock to-day by the announcement that a snowslide had occurred this morning up Ce ment Creek, about six miles from town, filling the shaft of the Prodigal Son mine, at the bottom of which Burke Hovey, a nephew of M. F. Hovey, the Silverton

druggist, and J. M. Skates were working. M. F. Hovey, who, together with R. L. Wood, have a bond on the mine, discovered the accident about noon, when he went up from here to see how the work

was progressing. The slide was a comparatively small one. It started several hundred feet above the mine and passed entirely over it. The windlass was held in place by the weight of the snow which was packed so tightly in the mine that the rope which was unwound and hanging down the shaft could not be moved by the

Mr. Hovey immediately returned to town, and a force of men started at once for the rescue. No later reports have been received, but there is very little hope men started for the scene this evening. The slide is said to have been composed the Kuner Pickle Co. Denver, Colo. almost entirely of the two or three inches of snow which fell last evening, and the old snow, of which there is a little more than a foot, in the vicinity of the slide, was but little disturbed."

Colorado's Census.

The report of the commissioner of cen sus, filed with the governor a few days since, furnishes a vast deal of valuable information regarding the population and industries of Colorado. The increase in population during the past five years while falling far below that during the five years preceding, shows a healthy and prosperous growth, says the Denver News. In 1880, according to the United States eensus, there were 194,327 persons in the state, where there are now 243,910, a difference of 49,583, or an increase per cent of 25. This shows an addition to the population of the state of almost 10,-000 per annum

There is something peculiar in the repetition of figures representing decrease in population. In Clear Creek county it is 666; in Gilpin 444, and in Park 333. There are only two cities which have a population exceeding 10,000-Denver with 54,308 and Leadville with 10,925. The races are about as follows: White, 239,585; colored, (which evidently does not include Mexicans), 3,262; Chinese, 861, and Indians 202, the latter not including Indians who live on reservations, or in tribal relations.

Pueblo county has brought suit against Ludwig Kramer and J. S. Thompson, excommissioners of the county, and the well known firm of Rollins & Young, of Denver, dealers in security investments. Andy Carson has a contract to continue | The amount sued for is \$100,000, and the the J. E. W. cross-cut 100 feet, and Ster- defendants are charged with conspiracy to defraud Pueblo County of that sum more or less, in the buying in of railroad and a furnace will be built and pipes laid. bonds. A retainer of \$6000 in cash has been paid John M. Waldron and John W. Sleeper, by the county. Rollins & Young have made immense profits in dealing in ment on the Democrat, the companion warrants of Colorado counties, and their piece to the Wabash in the Wabash and methods have not always been the most honorable, as indicated by the above.

THE Silverton Democrat says J. H. E. Waters will leave the first of the week for London, and continues: "His mission is fraught with the greatest interest to the future of the San Juan country, which is nothing less than the consolidation of all and 18 per cent. in lead. The second the noted properties on the Sheridan vein, class ran 102 ounces in silver and one and the working and development of them in a manner commensurate with their great extent and richness. Should he be successful there will be consolidated under one management in Marshall basin the most valuable mining property in the United States.

WILL THE UTES Go? -- Senator Teller Carr will succeed W. J. Muncaster as has introduced another Ute bill and it foreman and will work the mine in the asks Congress to authorize the secretary interest of The Grand View Co. and C. of the interior to remove the Southern H. Carpenter. James & Co. are making Ute Indians from Colorado to a suitable several bales of hay while the sun shines place in New Mexico or Utah, or to allow and paid all the miners who worked actual settlers within the Uncompangre Christmas a handsome advance over the and White River reservations, in Colorado, who have taken lands under the pre-emption law, to take an additional 160 acres, The news items furnished by a smelter on payment of \$1.25 per acre. La Plata in smooth and constant operation are but county, and all southern Colorado is to be few. It receives ore from much the same | congratulated if this or any similar bill

> THE Prince of Wales has been threat ened with immediate annihilation in case he does not pay a monied consideration for immunity from attack. A letter demanding \$750 was handed by him to the detectives and they sent a note purporting to come from him and appointed a place of meeting. A young couple appeared at the proper time and place, received the money, and were immediately arrested. Their names were John and Sarah Magee. and the arrest was made at Kensington.

THE editor of the Silverton Democrat visited Durango last week and on his return published the following among his impressions of the trip: "One of the proprietors of this paper visited Durango the first of this week and while there was mistaken for 'one of the Silverton stranglers, by one George Leet and several and in case of a disabling accident, the other tin horns and pimps. The consequence was we had a narrow escape from a first class pounding."

SENATOR COKE has introduced a bill to establish a National live steck highway. It provides that the public lands in range 41, lying along the east line of the State Accident Insurance is especially valuable. of Colorado, which are about two miles in width, be reserved from sale or settlement for ten years, and set apart as a whose income supports a wife and children, Accident Insurance is of priceless ment for ten years, and set apart as a another or to a market.

citizen of Denver, as manager of the St. James, is fatally ill at his old Chicago home and he may die at any moment, if, 5,000 claims for indemnity for accidents indeed, he is not already dead. He is 62

have been shipped to Marshall Basin, above Telluride, from Montrose, to be fee in this Association is \$5, paid but once. Members having preferred occu-

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Man and Beast, Mustang Liniment is older than most men, and used more and more every year.

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is a secret aid to beauty. Many a lady owes her freshness to it, who would rather not tell, and you can't tell.

THE Art Age for November has a beautiful Forbes Photogravure of a rocky coast marine, by M. F. H. De Haas, N. A., and a cattle picture by James M. Hart, N. A., in the December issue. The Art Age is printed in two colors. Twenty-five cents a copy. Turnure & Gilliss Brothers, publishers, 75 Fulton street,

The house of Callaway Bros. & Dingwall, 409 and 411 Lawrence street, Den ver, has been exceedingly busy for the past three weeks filling orders for holiday goods. Their stock in this line is very large, and prices lower than ever beplaced their orders for fancy goods, we

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THIRD-6,000 Ladies' and Gents' Linen Handkerchiefs for 121c, worth 25c. FOURTH-A line of Ladies', Gents' and Children's Hosiery at Half Price. M. J. McNAMARA & CO., Denver.

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Therefore to all men whose circumstan ces or occupations expose them to risks of accidents, and to those who foolishly imagine that they are exposed to no risks. man-of-leisure, even to every person for live stock passing from one State to value. To them may be recommended The United States Mutual Accident As sociation, which effects a saving to Col. David A. Gage, long a prominent insured of one-half the usual cost of Accident Insurance as practiced by other

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NOTICE TO WARRANT HOLDERS.

TREASURER'S OFFICE, TOWN OF RICO, COLORADO, Nov. 21st, 1885.

Appropriations have been made to the several funds covering the following warrants of the Town of Rico, which will be paid upon presentation:
Nos. 171—172—173—174—175—178—179—180—182
—184—188. Interest on these warrants will cease thirty days from this date.
A. H. MUNDEE,
Town Treasurer.

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the firm of D.

R. Clav & Company, of Rico, Dolores
County, Colorado, has made an assignment to
me for the benefit of all its creditors, of all its
property and effects, and each of the creditors
of said firm is required within three months
from the date hereof to furnish me with a
statement under oath of his claim against said
firm and that such as do not, the payment of
their claims out of the trust estate will be
postponed to the claims of those who comply
with the requirements of this notice.

Dated at Rico, Colorado, December 5th, 1885.

N. J. BRADLEY,
Assignee of D. R. Clay & Co.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT In the Matter of the Estate of James H.

Burns, Deceased: rery large, and prices lower than ever before. To merchants who have not yet placed their orders for fancy goods, we would suggest that they write to Calla way Bros. & Dingwall, who will give all communications and orders immediate attention.

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First—A fine Satteen Corset, always NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That on Mon-

MINING APPLICATION NO. 509.

U. S. LAND OFFICE, DURANGO, COLO., October 15, 1885. DURANGO, COLO., October 15, 1885.

NOTICE is hereby given that L. D. Ratliff, attorney in fact for the Mt. Wilson Gold and Silver Mining Co. of Indiana, whose postoffice address is Rico, Colo., has this day filed his application for a patent for 1207 linear feet of the Tewfik mine or vein bearing gold and silver, with surface ground 300 feet in width, stuated in Lone Cone Mining District, County of Dolores and State of Colorado, and designated by the field notes and official plat on file in this office as lot number 2275, in township 41 n R 10 w of the N. M. P. M., said lot number 2275 being as follows, to-wit: Beginning at cor No. 1, a granite stone 3"x25"x8 chiseled 11275 Tewfik, whence the w ½ cor in 56° 4" w 415 feet, Dolores pk bears s 86° 45" w, Polar Peak bears n 30° e. thence n 82° 15' e 1267 ft to cor No. 2, a granite stone 21"x15"x5 chiseled 212275, whence Mt. Wilson bears n 59° 30°, thence a witness cor a granite stone 24"x4"x6" chiseled W C 312275 set s 82° 15" w 705. ft from true cor 3, thence s 82° 15' w 1267 ft to cor No. 4, inaccessible, hence a W C a granite stone 24"x8" chiseled W C 412275 Tewfik, n 82° 15' e 17 ft from true cor 3, thence of W C a granite stone 24"x8" of itseled W C 412275 Tewfik, n 82° 15' e 17 ft from true cor 4, thence n 7° 43' w 300 ft to cor No. 1, place of beginning.

Area, 8.72 acres; magnetic variation at 17° voto 18 45' east. Recorded in

be barred by virtue of the provisions of the Statute.

D. L. SHEETS,

First publication Oct. 17, 1885. Last "Dec. 19, 1835.

MINING APPLICATION NO. 510.

U. S. LAND OFFICE,
DURANGO, COLO., October 15, 1885.

NOTICE is hereby given that L. D. Ratliff,
attorney in fact for the Mt. Wilson Gold and
Silver Mining Co. of Indiana, whose postoffice
address is Rico, Colo., has this day filed his Silver Mining Co. of Indiana, whose postoffice address is Rico, Colo., has this day filed his application for a patent for 1500 linear feet of the Le Conte mine or vein bearing silver and gold, with surface ground 300 feet in width, situated in Lone Cone Mining District, county of Dolores and State of Colorado, and designated by the field notes and official plat on file in this office as lot number 2276, in township 41, sw ½ Sec 6 n R 10 w and se ½ Sec 1 n R 11 w of N. M. P. M., said lot number 2276 being as follows, to-wit: Beginning at cor No. 1, a granite stone 26"x10"x4" chiseled 18276 Le Conte, whence the w ½ cor in Sec 6 T 41 n R 10 w of N. M. P. M. bears n 56' 4' w 445 ft, Dolores Peak bears s 88' 45' w, Polar Peak bears n 30° c, thence s 82' 15' w 1500 ft to cor no 2, inaccessible, hence W C s 7' 45' e 6 ft from true cor 2, thence s 7' 45 e 300 ft to cor No. 3, a granite stone 27"x10" 'x4" chiseled 31276, whence Dolores Peak bears s 87' 27' w, Polar pk bears n 38' 30' e, thence n 82' 15' e 1500 ft to cor No. 4, inaccessible, hence W C a granite stone 25"x6"x4" chiseled W C 43276 Le Conte, n 82' 15' e 71 ft from true cor 4, thence n 7' 45' w 330 ft to cor No. 1, place of beginning. Magnetic variation, 17' 20' to 18' east, containing 10.33 acres.

The location of this mine is recorded in Book 21, page 54, Dolores County Records, Colorado.

Any and all persons claiming adversely any portion of said Le Conte, mag. of surface.

Colorado.

Any and all persons claiming adversely any portion of said Le Conte mine or surface ground are required to file their adverse claims with the Register of the United States Land Office at Durango in the State of Colorado during the sixty days period of publication hereof, or they will be barred by virtue of the provisions of the Statute.

D. J. SHEETS,
Register.

First publication Oct. 17, 1885. Last "Dec. 19, 1885.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

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WHEREAS Harry Cahn and Minnie Cahn, his wife, on the first day of December, A. D. 1884, by their certain deed of trust of that date, which was duly recorded in the office of the County Clerk and Recorder of Dolores County, Co.orado, on the 2d day of December, A. D. 1884, in Book 19, page 167, did convey to Charles J. Pence, Trustee, and in case of his death, resignation, removal from said county or failure to act or other inability then to the acting sheriff of said Dolores county, as his successor in trust, the following described real estate, situate in the county of Dolores and state of Colorado, to-wit: Lots numbered 8, 9 and 10 in Block numbered 7, in the town of Rico, which said conveyance was made in trust to secure the payment to Jacob Weil of a certain promissory note of said Harry Cahn and Minnie Cahn of even date therewith for the sum of eighteen hundred dollars (\$1800.00) with interest at the rate of 8 per cent per annum, due on the 27th day of November, A. D. 1885, and whereas said deed of trust provides that in case of default in the payment of said sum of 'money according to

per cent per annum, due on the 27th day of November, A. D. 1885, and whereas said deed of trust provides that in case of default in the payment of said sum of 'money according to the effect and tenor of said promissory note or any part thereof and the interest, then the said trustee, or in case of his removal from the county of Dolores, State of Colorado, or refusal to act in this behalf, then his said successor in trust should sell said real estate to pay said note and interest and the expenses of the sale, the said trustee having previously given 30 days notice of such sale in some newspaper published in said county of Dolores. And now said note is past due and default has been made in the payment thereof, and Charles J. Pence, trustee aforesaid, having removed from said County of Dolores, State of Colorado, and having refused and declined to act as such trustee in the premises, now, therefore, at the request of the holder of said note in and by virtue of the authority in me vested by the terms of said deed of trust, I, David Swickhimer, the said acting sheriff of Dolores county, successor in trust, will on

Monday, the 11th day of January, 1886,

Monday, the 11th day of January, 1886. at 10 o'clock, a. m., of said day, at the front door of the Court House in the Town of Rico, County of Dolores, and State of Colorado, sell the above described property and improvements at public auction to the highest and best bidder for cash in hand, for the purpose of paying said promissory note and interest thereon, together with the cost and expenses of executing this trust.

DAVID SWICKHIMER, Sheriff of Dolores County, Colorado, Successor in Trust.

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on right side, A on right shoulder. These cattle earmarked with half undercrop to left and half overcrop to right. on hip, A on side, on shoulder. On right side; ear-mark crop to right.

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A. C. MARSHALL.



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PICTURE FRAMES at Towne's.

Vic Timson returned from Ophir last

last Monday

Dr. LANDON will return from Denver

FRED C. Morse of Denver, was an arrival of this week. A DOZEN turkeys were raffled off at the

Beanery Christmas Eve. MRS. SARAH C. LACY has purchased of Brumley Bros. their ranch on the Dolores.

POCKET KNIVES at Towne's. BOB AND WILL SNYDER came up from their winter quarters in the lower country 'early this week, and have returned.

WE neglected last week to announce the departure of James E. Watson for Lawrence, Kansas, where he will spend

GRIGSBY BROS. are working the Jawbone lode and have assays of 150 ounces in silver. Working the jawbone is nothing new to Rico.

W. GRIGSBY and John Clark are spending a few days in Durango, visiting the "Ladies Fair," and other holiday diversions of Durango.

W. W. SHAW has struck it rich in the lock from Albuquerque.

This is the last issue of the News for 1885. It is an atrociously thin number, and is late, but it can all be laid to the charge of too much Christmas.

N. R. WILSON, once metallurgist of the Grand View, is now managing the metallurgical department of the La Plata, the

largest of Leadville's smelters. Four kinds Chatterbex at Towne's

THE Woman's Relief Corps, auxiliary to Post No. 63, will entertain its friends at a dance in G. A. R. Hall next Friday (New Years) night. Everybody will be

REV. W. H. HOWARD went south on Monday's stage and is spending the holidays at the Waterfall Ranch in the Animas Valley. He will be absent until the first Sunday after New Years.

C. H. CARPENTER is in Los Angeles, California. He took a run dewn to Santa Ana a few days ago to see the Clays, and rying a six-shooter and sent to jail in defound them luxuriating in a tropical cli. fault of payment. He expects that luck mate, fresh fruits, surf bathing, etc.

FINE Holiday and Children's Books at

the timbers.

PHIL CROUT came over from Bowen to the Little Suse alone all winter and there will not be another man on the West Dolores. His nearest neighbors will be

ATKINS resigned his posias manager of the Pasadena Reducon Co., to take effect Dec. 15th, and W. W. Parshall was appointed in his stead. and will look after its affairs during the winter and indefinitely.

The fatherly and dignified air with which George received him and showed him the sights was quite overwhelming.

Our thanks are due to many, to the ladies especially, who contributed so fully of their time and talents in making the entertainment for the benefit of the cemetery fund last Saturday evening a suc-COMMITTEE.

THE Durango Herald in speaking of 2,500 specimens."

gold watch and chain which will be the ing that a party of gentlemen had serprize to the winner in the 100-lap race at the rink next Thursday evening (New Year's Eve.) This race is free for all and there will be a large number of starters, most of whom will drop out of the race before the 99th lap. The prize is one worth centesting for.

THE beautiful custom, so common in England, of singing Christmas carols under the windows of friends on Christmas morning, was revived in Rico by Messrs. W. J. Muncaster, J. T. Beale, W. H. M. Bangs and Wm. Davidson. This quartette of fine voices made the rounds early in the morning and favored numerous friends with rich Christmas melodies.

The Black Hawk is doing very nicely and sending down a good deal of ore last struck Rico amidships, and the first from its mammoth yein.

"On coming down off the hill the other N. J. Bradley returned from Denver day Professor Brickson found letters, Misses Mary and Ollie Ohlhausen, Lida from the bands at Rico, Montrose, Delta and Grand Junction, soliciting his serfirst love."

> .THE Christmas ball at the rink last night was a social event taken advantage of by a large number of party goers, who gentlemen who assisted her in holding the enjoyed the occasion immensely, and danced to fine music until a late (or early) hour this morning. Mr. Bennetts, manager of the rink, spared neither pains nor expense to insure a happy time to his guests, and was rewarded by a large turn-

THE sale of Christmas goods has been very large in Rico this season and many were made happy by the reception of presents. Filer Thompson displayed a very handsome and elegant line of holiday novelties and had an immense trade. Towne and Gilbert sold a quantity of goods and the furnishing goods people, confectionery places, etc., did a rushing

THE assessment workers are busy everywhere in the hills this week. Numbers of people, especially non residents, delay the working of assessments until the last possible moment, and as a consequence, the last two weeks of every year mines of Huallapais valley, in Mojave is one of hurried work. Next Thursday county, Arizona. So writes Charlie Bul- at midnight all unworked, unpatented properties become government property, subject to relocation.

> BACK SALARY GRAB .- J. W. Park has brought suit against the school board for back salary as president of the board for the past three years, his fellow members of the board having refused to allow the account. They claim that the school law states that they may fix a salary for themselves, but that there is no compulsory salary clause where none is fixed. Therefore they refused to allow the account and suit was brought, and will be heard this evening at 7 o'clock.

JACK YORE, who was a Rico miner in 1880 and 1881, returned here this week. He has been on the Durango police force for a long time and has lately been in a peck of trouble. Harry Green, one of Carlisle's cowboys, shot off a finger for him a short time ago and also sent two or three bullets through his clothing. He was removed or resigned from the police force, was arrested and fined for carwill change in his favor in Rico.

THE new firm of Bradley and Clarke has this week received a first installment of goods, and a full line of ladies' and JIM McJUNKIN, Dell Raples and Jay gents' furnishing goods is on the road for Irwin have just finished a contract to get them. They intend to make a specialty out 100 sets of timbers for the C. H. C. of ladies' goods, and will carry a very full and are getting as many more ready. stock. If at sny time, however, some George Percival has the contract to frame article is wanted which they do not carry, it will be a pleasure to them to order it, as they have made arrangements wherehy spend Christmas here. He will work on any order can be filled reasonably and promptly. They will be content with deete and will deal in first qualities

of goods only. A NUMBER of ladies and gentlemen

have joined a club which is organized for the purpose of maintaining a club room, to which the members and their friends will have access at all times. A prelimi nary meeting at the Court House Wednesday evening effected an organization and elected:

some ten years, came in from Ophir to W. I. Benham . . . . . . Vice President, spend Christmas with his brother George. B. F. Klee ...... Sec'y and Treas. Executive Committee-C. M. Wyman, Julius Thompson and Joseph Meredith.

The club has leased the "Gold Room." which is being fitted up with billiard tables, chess, checkers, card tables, books and papers, and other means of pleasant y whiling away the winter days and evenings. It will no doubt be very popular.

Two of Rico's charming belles were the New and elegant New Year cards just recipients of a delightful serenade at the hands of the Christmas carolers. They couldn't testify positively to that fact, but "to the best of their knowledge and be-George Siffré, the miner who has been lief" such is the case. The carolers sang collecting specimens from Rico for the sweetly and threw rich melody into their Paris Exposition says: "He will leave voices and in the swelling chorus the echo Durango in about ten days and take with resounded from the hills. Through the him a cabinet of some San Juan mineral rendition of "Glory to God in the High specimens, which he will exhibit at Paris est," "Hosanna," etc., the young ladies free of charge. He already has almost dreamed sweetly, and the voices "wasted their sweetness on the desert air." Next W. H. BENNETTS exhibits an elegant day they felt somewhat slighted on hearenaded many others and (as they thought) passed them by. A little artifice revealed the truth. Next Christmas the carolers

MAGGIE DICKENS, a young child who has been living with Mr. and Mrs. N. N. PETE CRAWFORD has the thanks of of rumors have been rife as to the cruelty speak of twenty six cents per pound to Disconsolate,' in the most feeling manner.

party of this nature in Rico was a pleasant feature of Christmas Eve, when Mrs. THE hope that Prof. Brickson would J. P. Landon royally entertained: Mr. and

PROGRESSIVE EUCHRE as a craze has at

spend the winter in Rico is frustrated by Mrs. Wm. Davidson, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph the following from the Telluride Journal: Meredith, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Swickhimer, and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. A. Jones, and Cullen and Tillie Scofield, and Messrs. Geo. O. Gilbert, M. E. Field, B. F. Klee, vices this winter. He will stay with his W. H. M. Bangs and W. H. Bean. The first prize was won by Miss Mary Ohlhauwho won the contest with Mr. Bangs, the position at Table No. 1. The "booby" prize was taken by Miss Ollie Ohlhausen, by a large majority. Card playing was continued until 11 o'clock, when an elegant lunch was served. A pleasant hour or so was whiled away in social conversa tion, and when the guests took their departure "Merry Christmas" was strictly in order and appropriate to the day.

#### School Prizes.

School closed for the holidays Thursday afternoon and the exercises are described as having been very interesting. After their close the following prizes were

Best general average-Emma McCon-

Spelling, First Grade Ella Rule, In Second Grade-Mattie Ohlhausen, In Third Grade-Johnnie Muncaster, Highest number of merits-Johnnie

### A Handsome Present.

The friends of Mrs. R. C. Darling made her a Christmas present in the shape of a very handsome dressing case, the most beautiful one of its kind ever made. The gift was a complete surprise to the lady, and she voices her thanks in the following "card of thanks:"

"To the kind donors of the beautiful gift of which I was made the happy recipient on Christmas Eve, I wish to extend my hearty thanks and sincerest gratitude. Though having done nothing to merit such favor it is thoroughly appreciated. The gift will be highly prized for its intrinsic value, but more for the kindly spirit which prompted the giving. A Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to one and all. Mrs. R. C. DARLING."

### Ladies Who Will Receive.

The following Rico ladies who will keep open house on New Years Day desire to give notice to gentlemen friends and they will be welcomed by:

Mrs. Jos. Meredith and Wm. Davidson, at the residence of the former on Mantz avenue, from 2 to 5, p. m.

Mrs. J. P. Landon, Misses Mary and Ollie Ohlhausen and Mrs. C. A. Jones, at the residence of the first named on Commercial street, from 2 to 5, p. m.

Miss Mattie Kauffman and Mrs. W. T. Williamson at the residence of the former on Mantz avenue, from 10, a. m. to 3, p. m.

There will no doubt be numerous others who will receive, but these are the only announcements we are authorized to

### For the Cemetery Fund.

The entertainment last Saturday eve ning at G. A. R. Hall was very successful in a financial point of view, as well as socially. The programme as published last Saturday was carried out, and each of the participants acquitted himself or herself very creditably, affording an hour of pleasure to those listening to addresses, recitations and songs. The songs of Misses Reynolds and Capt. Davidson were encored. The former responded with "Whither, Pretty Maiden," after rendering "The Gales Ajar." The captain sang a comic selection "Far, Far Away," and on being again called responded with a few verses of his own construction, dedicated to the mugwumps. The others on the programme, Miss Ollie Ohlhausen, Mrs. F. L. Thompson, W. H. Howard, W. H. Bean, Harry Engle, L. O. Towne and W. J. Muncaster, were also applauded to the

The net proceeds of the entertainment were \$80.75 to which a donation of \$5.00 from W. J. Cox was added. The amount previously in the treasury was \$39.65, making a total now in the hands of Treasurer Meredith \$125.40.

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### CHRIS. J. BANG.

Death of Mrs. Lafe Pence.

did husband worship wife and family this city. more; their home was their kingdom and Mrs. Pence came to Denver when her

and buoyant with hope for the future, charming manners

blasted it forever woman-in person and in character. To sympathy of the entire community." know her was to love her, and the sorrow heart. The advancement of her husband 2 years of age. was her chief ambition, and his success was in no small degree attributable to her exalting influence. They seemed made by nature for one another, and this separation is cruel. It is not strange that the hearts of many sympathizing! friends go out to the sorrowing husband as he stands upen the threshold of a new existence, with all his worldly hopes dashed cruelly

The funeral occurred from the Centralchurch last Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. Bayard Craig officiating, the remains being interred in Riverside cemetery The particulars are taken from the Tribune-Republican, which pays a handsome tribute to the departed lady in the fol-

"The coffin was exquisitely decorated with immortelles and lilies of the valley, by the friends of the deceased. The funeral party included Mrs. Pence's parents, who lately arrived from Indiana to pay express company demands a rate of thirty- their last sad tribute to the dead, the sorrowing husband and several intimate Thanking for past patronage and solicitfriends. The ceremonies were simple and of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Wannemaker. Once before this office paid at the rate impressive, opening with the singing of Durango store, we remain a hymn by the congregation, after which was never duly appointed as her guardian ages from Chicago to Rico. Similar the minister read, in a voice thick with it was proper for the judge of the county charges have occurred in the experience sobs, the well known chapter wherein oc- Dated Durango, Colo., Dec. 3d, 1885. court to appoint a guardian until she of others, and it is no wonder that any curs the passage: 'Let not your heart be reaches the age when in law she is com- package that can be broken into four troubled. In my Father's house are petent to select one for herself. This pound packages is sent by mail. The many mansions. I go to prepare a place age is fourteen in Colorado, which age rate between Rockwood and Rico is five for you.' After this the leading soprano the girl will reach next year. All sorts cents per pound, leaving in the case we in the choir sang the solo, Come Ye "Baby Jones" for a very handsome musto which the little girl has been subjected, be divided between two railway express The Rev. Mr. Craig then delivered a ser tache cup-a Christmas present. Pete some of them horrible enough to recall companies. Such rates are nothing less mon from the sixth chapter of John, presented the youth with a pair of "gal- the memory of the Cuddigan affair. than a bare-faced steal and the express sixty-eighth verse: 'Lord, to whom shall luses" when he was a few days old; now There is no doubt but that these stories lines which practice it should be boy- we go? Thou alone hast the words of he presents him with a mustache cup and are much exaggerated, but it is equally cotted from Dan to Beersheba until they eternal life.' The minister said it was Kibbler, S F we are fully prepared to hear that the child has not been kindly are forced to do business at half way de- easy to be reconciled to the death of a Morris, Moses boy will receive on his first birthday as a treated and that she is much better off in cent rates. At their cut throat prices, leved one at three-score years and ten, or Persons calling for any of the above present from Pete, a gold-headed cane, the good hands into which fortune has gold dollars sent by express would hardly to that of an infant, but the subject be- will please say "advertised." be worth redemption by the consignce. fore us to day was of a different nature

sang 'Asleep in Jesus,' and the funeral-The news of the death of this estimable cortege proceeded on its way to the ady came suddenly and brought a shock tomb. Mrs. Pence lived but a day and which grieved the hearts of many and night after the birth of a beautiful pair of brought teirs to the eyes of not a twins, a boy and a girl who never openfew. Death at best is a sad visitor, but ed their eyes to the light. Last Thurswhen it cuts down the flower and pride day afternoon they were taken to a vault of a family in whom is centered all the at the cemetery to await the time when earthly hopes and aspirations of fond Mrs. Pence should be sufficiently recovhearts, the havoc wrought is fearful. To ered to select a lot for them to be buried those who know the wealth of affection in. The next day she died. When the bestowed upon her who is gone by one casket containing her remains was lowerwho brought her among us as his bride ed into the earth yesterday a little white a few brief years ago, the picture of him, coffin containing the two babies was standing mourning over her newly made brought from the vault and put into the grave, is indeed a sad one, and makes the same open grave. The funeral was one heart sick almost to suffocation. Never of the most impressive ever witnessed in

in it she reigned a queen. Early in 1882 husband was elected to the Legislature rico, happy in their union last winter, soon won her way to

each living for the other. A year ago all hearts. Many persons remember her they went to Denver, the young husband particularly as she appeared at ex-Govhaving been elected to the legislature. ernor Grant's farewell reception, full of He formed an alliance with Patterson & health and spirits, and honestly happy in Thomas, Denver's leading law firm, which assuming the position in society she was promised great things, and their future so well fitted to fill. She was buried in looked indeed rosy. The grim destrayer her bridal dress of snowy white, with has desolated this happy household and beautiful flowers all about her, and a smile of heavenly calm on her sweet face. Clara Vawter Pence was a beautiful The afflicted husband has the heartfelt

The following gentlemen members of of Rico is universal and sincere. We like the bar, officiated as pall bearers: Messrs. to think of her as she moved among us; George H. Kohn, W. I. Clarke, Thomas so buoyant with health and happiness B. Stuart, Ralph Talbott, A. J. Sampson that her presence had a charm unspeaka, and E. C. Stimson. Had Mrs. Pence ble. Her husband idolized her, and in lived until December 22d, it would have return she gave him the full wealth of been the fourth anniversary of her mar love from a pure, warm and affectionate riage. She leaves one child, a boy about

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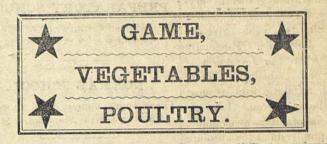
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### What a Tenderfoot Knows About Mining.

By One of Them-a Rico Pilgrim. What the tenderfoot does NOT know about mining would fill volumes, but what he does know is an unknown quantity somewhere between zero and infinity, approximating very closely the former. The abjudication of the whole thing would be a very proper disposition of it, but I like the motto: "Be virtuous and you will be happy," so here goes. Abligurition, is usually the first diffi-culty that the miner has to overcome. The next is to determine the kind of ground that is to be worked. If it is argilloferruginous the exigencies of the occasion will not demand an extraordinary dexterity. But if amphibolyte or anthophyllite is encountered a prodigious dissimilitude is immediately discovered to exist. However, this may not be as unfavorable as lepidomelane, yltrotantalite or even pharmacosiderite. Of course it is absolutely necessary that the miner understands the difference between an arenelytic formation and a sesquioxidal one. As a possible mistake here is to be guarded against, a description of the leading sesquioxide is given. The lustre, vitreous, sometimes pearly on the basal planes, and occasionally exhibiting a bright opalescent star of six rays in the direction of the axis; color, sometimes alutaceous; transparent, translucent; Three full courses, four years each fracture, conclividal. But the real amusement comes in the very simple mathematical calculations and formulae for the various forms in crystallography. You perceive at once the facility that this would give the miner in his daily toils. Especially is this true when the formation is principally antiennahedral. There, again, the chemical constituents must necessarily be considered. Take the well-known montanite as an example. Anyone can understand the absolute impossibility of mining advantageously without knowing this. The formula is-Bi2 Fe O6 + 2 Ag. Anything more disastrous than ignorance in this direction cannot be imagined. The miner laboring in mental Egyptian umbrageousness in regard to these things could not do better than to precipitate his anthropological ego into a plenated abreu-P. S.-For aching jaws St. Jacob's Oil stands

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subject to the same cone at the mints, and that such dollars shall be legal tender at the nominal value for all debts and mes, public or private. On the following day Senator Teller also invoduced a bill to provide for the issue of silver certificates.

Denver News specials say Bowen, Teller and Gesus Gonzales Symes are Offers superior inducements with its fine climall primed with silver speeches and Bowen will probably work his off first. It will be his debut in a senatorial effort on the floor of the senate.

According to present appearances, the nearest approach to a solution of the silver problem is embodied in a proposition which originated with William L. Scott, of Pennsylvania. His bill authorizes the secretary of the treasury to create what shall be known as the silver reserve fund, to consist entirely of standard silver dollars, the minimum amount to be placed at \$20,000,000.

THERE are, as nearly as can be estimated, about 15,000 miles of wire in Chicago, used by the telegraph, telephone and electric light companies, besides countless private lines. The city ordinance compelling these to be placed underground is being complied with and about 5,000 miles are already in pipes. By May 1st, it is thought all the wires in the busi- IT IS THE BEST MADE, ness portion of the city will be underground and the poles cut down, though it will probably take 10 years to put all the wires in the city there.

A DENVER paper says Bowen, the long senator from San Juan, confidently counts on a republican majority in the legislature which will have the question of his re-election in hand. He regards Hill as his most DO NOT BUY ANY OTHER BEFORE dangerous opponent in the caucus.

THE bill allowing the widow of Gen. Grant a pension of \$5,000 per year and granting her the franking privilege, passed both Senate and the House last Saturday.

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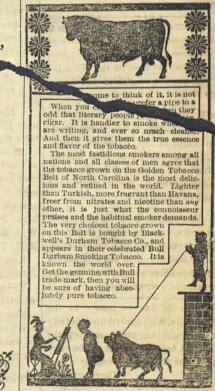
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