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A LOOSE SITUATION.

The Times is informed that clerk does the work for the recorder, trict court in Lincoln county.

posed that these county officials act as a check upon one another in the important work in any situation.

doctoring records and accounts to pil. usefulness." fer and defraud superiors and the county.

crooked work in county offices. The fellow who does the actual work has no check on him whatever, unless specially arranged for as in the case of Mr. Freudenthal.

For the good of the county the Times believes that these offices should be separated and occupied by election of the people.

It is intended that these officers are to be a check upon one another. But as the situation is they are not. And no wonder that such a condition as the one now confronting the citizens, exists.

The remedy for this is with the legislature. Let the people prepare for these officials separate and distinct from one another.

EARLY PIONEERS.

Men to whom the west owes an incalculable debt of gratitude will in the near future visit their former scenes of hardship and behold the results of their early "trail biazing."

The pioneers who will make this trip at the expense of Senator Clark are W. C. A. Smoot, James A. Bean, A. L. Hale, Benjamin Cluff, W. W. Cluff, Henry Heath, S. L. Ensign, S. S. Worthington, Ruel Barrus, William Price Jones, James Oakley, William C. Mitchell, William Robins, Charles Crisman, Alex. Gemmil, I. N. Dunyon, George Speirs, A. Milton Musser, Eliot Wilden, George Harrison, Thomas of the old Mormon battalion.

presented to the guests. At the top that which made them a party to a not as pure. is an arrowhead, emblems of the Salt crime, but with no inclination to do Lake Route. The ox team is also other than what was right. They are being made to manufacture symrepresented as the method of trans- signed a document that had any of pathy and a good quality of whiteportation of 1855. Below it is the the children of the Pioche public wash. It is desperate. A game for head of an Indian and a modern school the opportunity of scrutinizing penitentiary honors has but just comequipped train with the date of 1905. and have compared it with the rec-menced.

pire builder Brigham Young, to build an ignoramus or a vandal.

tial Pullmans, then the task of the fact of him having that key "was this feeling before the public, and pack and trail.

day citizens.

DESERT JOURNALISM.

William E. Curtis, the notable writer paper. and correspondent for the Chicago the newspapers and writers and edi- the same as anybody leaving the state dred yards in the rear of the postof-

one on the desert, with the thermometer his release. Now, "Jim" Nesbitt is averaging 110 to 115 degrees Fahren- an old pioneer of this county, he has treasurer, auditor and clerk of the dis- heit the year around; where the roll- held high and official stations within ers will melt off the presses and lie, its gift. The present incumbent, H. J. The office of auditor and recorder like pools of molasses on the floor. Goodrich, succeeded him to the ofis merged in one official and that of Hence you may appreciate the great fice of treasurer, and G. O. Sawyer county treasurer and clerk of the work these gentlemen are doing. was the trusted and confidential depcourt is likewise served by one per. They show as much energy in get- uty of both. Now "Jim" goes on his ting news, and work just as hard to bond for Sawyer's appearance before We call attention to this condition interest their readers as any other the grand jury in a sum that is conby virtue of the fact that it is sup- editors in the universe. They are de- temptible for the offense allegedvoting their lives and their talents to \$500. building up the little towns down in performance of their duties. But in this desolate country and keeping last week-a ring, if you please who this case it is practically a situation people cheerful; and while you may would raise up in their dignity and of one man-the clerk in the main say they are not compelled to come paw the air should anything be done attending to the detail work—the most here, and that no one can make them that would mar the serenity of past How easy it is for errors to occur hat in the presence of men of their and not be rectified or for an individ- endurance and devotion and congrat- "click" holds out, can be heard the bonded Robert Flynn's mine at nigh and close. nal who is dishonest and capable of ulate them upon their enterprise and lamentations because justice is pass. Stampede Gap and are now working

The splendid observance of this noof transacting the business of the tion has toll and push but little com- have been detained as a witness. That county. The situation is easy for pensation except the proud satisfact the deputy ought not to have shadtion that he played his part for the owed him, for fear that he would skip property. upbuilding of a country and that the out, that he ought to have been per- State Comptroller Davis and Attorvirtue of such endeavors.

IN A SPLENDID ROLE.

fire. Miss Wadsworth appeared upon we do for the midnight yelping of a owner. on and urge a law that will make the scene and presto change. An order- mangey yellow cur. ly, energetic and calm direction was inaugurated and from thence the fire one, no matter whom it is, is one parwas doomed. She not only brought ticle better than another, "All men order out of chaos but while giving look alike to the Express; there are cards has at last struck Pioche, sevher directions was working with a no exceptions. Sawyer can congratuleral of our fellow townsmen being will the pump handle that was the late himself, and so can the ring that recipients of cards on Tuesday evenmeans of supplying the water necessary to overcome the fire.

> mended and admired for the splendid expense of those whom the "click" paid for the next five years, as also role she played under the critical sit- are maligning and abusing, in the

GEORGE O. SAWYER.

(From the Caliente Express.) prearranged judgment to convict any- ing table? one before the law has determined

1855. A year later parties of emi- ing those false facts to his superiors this instance. grants, including the twenty-five for their signatures. They signed, named, started across the desert for a report that was in error and had ing, nor neither has the "click." One southern California. At this time, ac been so for five months. The most man is just as good as another man; cording to the account of Charles flagrant and most simple of detection there are no special privileges, and Crisman, "Los Angeles was only a vil- imaginable. But that confidence re- we want to say further Sawyer is no lage and not much of a one at that, posed in him was of such a character exception any more so than an ordiand San Bernardino was a ranch." that his superiors took it for granted nary stranger. He stands the same ner is ended. All bills contracted in Badges of burnt leather have been the reports were correct and signed before the county, no better, perhaps, future I am solely responsible for. I

egas more than fifty years ago in estly believe they would have detect- committed on the county books in Linence to the command of that em- ed the error of a criminal, an imbecile, coin county as far back as 1870, if the

They will commence their journey a key to the vault. Goodrich says sonally civilly liable as soon as the on October 9th. What a difference that up to the time he found him un-malfeasance is discovered. between now and then. Now the pala- locking the safe one morning, that the I would kindly ask you to work up These age-stained builders are wor- him, he exclaimed in wonder and us not make piece-meal of it. thy of a gracious welcome by present- amazement, "Oh, George, what are you doing: where did you get that key?" Sawyer explained his side of District Attorney Lincoln County, the transaction which has been published in a prior issue of this news-

Sawyer came to Callente, he was Record-Herald, has this to say about detected, aprehended, and detained tors of desert journalism in the Her- under like circumstances ought to fice on First street. have been and until such times as "It is quite a job to run a newspaper James A. Nesbitt went on the bond for

We said something about a "click" stay against their will, I take off my actions. Well, they have pawed and at this distance from where that ing on her way.

In defense they set up the claim was not treated as a man charged with embezlement ought to have been. He was allowed the liberties of the Miss Mae Wadsworth, the pleasant was not put behind its bars in de- arations to commence shipping ore. assistant postmistress of Las Vegas fault of a necessary bond, or pending is entitled to the credit of being he the time for him to get one but be torney returned Wednesday evening role and clear viewed in the midst of cause he was so favored, the "click" from his trip to Los Angeles. danger and unusual consternation, hold street corner indignation meet-While the fire was raging at the Ofark ings and condemn the officer, the ing done to the court house. Forwarding company's place of busi- county attorney who done his duty. aimless effort to overcome the raging cares no more for their cat-calls than

Now the matter of fact is this. No he was not thrown behind the locks ing. and bars of the Caliente calaboose in-Miss Wadsworth is cordially com- stead of being dined and wined at the

The people, the citizens and the taxpayers of this county want to know what became of that money; where George O. Sawyer, we do not say did it go? Was it contributed to s guilty, or do we set up a plea of midnight debauchery or to the gam-

By the time this game is sifted to the guilt or innocence of the accused. the bottom, we do not believe that George O. Sawyer had the books un- anyone will whimper and whine about Dallin, Hop Pender, J. Lawson, Nathan der his supervision, he kept those being shadowed, about being arrested Tanner and Phil Margetts, members books, and if reports are true, he for embezzlement, or for being made footed up the balances on the trial an exception of, contrary to law as in The trip to Las Vegas was made in sheet and handed the report contain such cases made and provided as in

George O. Sawyer has no roar com-

It appears as if desperate efforts

NOTICE.

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SECRET BOARD MEETINGS.

Comes in for a Deserving Jolt From Office & Hotel Las Vegas County Attorney.

James Brown, editor Caliente Ex-

press. Dear Sir: The commissioners are advertising for bids to examine the county records from the 1st of Jan- LAS VEGAS - - NEVADA uary, 1896, to the present time. In my judgment there has been some great injustices done to the citizens of this county during all of the eighties along up to 1896. It is civil to say to the commissioners that a crime committed in secrecy and in a clandestine manner is not affected by the statute of limitation until it

These grizzled Mormons were at Las ords, that is if they had any, we bon- known to exist. Hence, any crit party committing it is yet living, he Now about that key. Sawyer had or she is criminally liable, and per-

BENJ. SANDERS

(From the Caliente Express.)

Have your tailoring, cleaning and reparing done at the shoe shop, one hun-

FROM THE COUNTY SEAT.

Short, Pithy and Interesting to All of Our Readers from Pioche.

R. Husband, of South Africa, who has been visiting A. W. Scott the past few days, leaves for Goldfield Friday. M. B. Silver, a mining man from San Francisco, arrived on Wednesday evening. While in the city he will during the past week. look over the "Ida May" property for San Francisco parties who are inter-

Miss Catherine Mathews of Salt left Friday morning for White River, pleasure. where she will teach school the com-

Charles Rives and A. W. Scott have

B. M. Cornish and Judge Burton of table writer is true. The average that George should not be charged Salt Lake, who have been inspecting It strikes the Times as a loose way newspaper writer of the desert sec. with embezzlement, that he ought to their properties here, left Sunday for pleased with the condition of the

> future will gain its competence by mitted to do as he pleased. No, he ney General Sweeney, of Carson City, have sent word they would be in Pioche at the next term of court.

Lloyd and Cook are still working town though we have a bastile. George at the Mendah and are making prep-Hon. Benjamin Sanders, district at-

Some much needed repairs are be-

The barber shop formerly conductness the big brawney men were in an and the editor of this newspaper who ed by Wilkes Campbell, has changed hands, James Kline now being the

> George Walker received word to continue work on the shaft of the Doolittle Mining company.

The fad of sending freak postal We now have several members of

Liars' club in good standing and dues we have several of the Buttinsky orhighways and byways of the county der, just as though we had none of either before.

Fred J. Pack, A. M., of Columbia university, expects to leave for the east in a few days. During his stay here he has looked over most of the properties here and expresses himself as well pleased with the outlook here

County Commissioner Baldwin, of Moapa, attended the meeting of the board of equalization on Tuesday. Judge Maynard of Caliente was here on Tuesday last.

Proprietor Dickel of the Hotel Cecil continues to make that popular hostilery more inviting to the traveling

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WAS YOUTH PERSONIFIED.

that assembled to do honor to the re turn of Mr. and Mrs. Humphrey. This well known couple had just returned from a pleasure tour of the gay coast towns. The evening was one that news to him" and when he detected now we are looking into matters, let consorts with a good time away from home. It is reported that the gallant Will Stewart, possessing the native instinct, excelled in the performance of the Highland Fling. He was youth

LOST-REWARD.

C. A. Ahearn lost a watch charm while at Vegas organizing the Eagles. He will pay a reward of \$25 for the recovery of it. If found return to Lloyd Smith. Palace hotel. It is a square charm, smooth surface on one side, and black enamel on the other. It is studded with six brilliants.

REALTY NOW ACTIVE. Fulmer & Herrick sold lot 24, block

3. Clark's townsite, to J H. .Stone, of Bakersfield, California, for \$1,000. Other transactions of equal importance

Judge Wallace, the eminent south Nevada journalist, is on a rusticating trip to Los Angeles and the seashore. Lake, arrived Thursday evening and The judge combines business and Andy Tyler is the same game, good

follow he was in days gone hy. Hanpy to report that his silver lining is

Go to J. F. Miller's Hotel Nevada for a square meal.

The Maid of Other Days. Oh, vanished maids of grandma's day, What darksome lives were those

Obliged in youth to pick your way; Uncertain paths to keep and tread; No experts had you to advise, To counsel, caution or direct

When grandpapas a-calling came,
No chats with girls were yours to tell—
The judgment of some worthy dame—
The time to sound the curfew bell;
Ind all in vain you sought the truth—
They tell it now—if 'twas a sin,
When after dark a comely youth
Had seen you home, to ask him in.

You never learned—oh, vanished fair!—You come not, and it been your wish the latest way to best prepare
Your luncheon in a chafing-dish.
And e'en perhaps you never read
The fact that hungry companies
Would rather starve than not be fed
From Mrs. Cookem's recipes.

fou could not tell. I'll wager now,
Of countless things the etiquette;
In spite of which, somewhere, somehow,
You got your start; and yet—and yet
t really is a problem quite
To find what saved you from the bad;
fou had no "Hints" to guide you right;
Your mothers, they were all you had. Arthur H. Folwell in The Sunday Mag-

King of the Penguins.

The "emperor" penguin, one of the 'iscoveries of Capt. Scott's recent entarctic expedition, was the subject of an interesting illustrated lecture by Dr. Wilson before the recent ornithelogical congress in London. The bird stands about four feet high, weighs eighty pounds or more, and with its black coat and erect posture has, when seen at a distance, a truly startling resemblance to a dwarf man. These "emperors" of the penguin world live upon the great girdle of pack ice which surrounds the antarctic continent, and seem to depend daily for their food on crustaceans caught in the crevices of the ice. The female lays a solitary egg, which is caught on the great web leet, so that it never touches the ice, and is held there covered with the mother's body until hatching occurs.

For a Girl to Know.

Some one has suggested a few things that every girl can learn before she is 12. Not every one can learn to play or sing or paint well enough to give pleasure to her friends, but the following "accomplishments" within everybody's reach: Shut the door and shut it softly.

Keep your own room in tasteful or-

Have an hour for rising, and rise. Never let a button stay off twentyfour hours. Always know where your things are.

Never let a day pass without doing cmething to make somebody comfortable. Learn to make bread as well as

Never go about with your shoes unauttoned.

Meat Is Unpopular. "I never knew meat to be so unpop-

ular as it has been this summer," said prosperous butcher. "Of course I always expect the meat sales to fall off In the warm weather, but this year I have sold only one-half as much as I did last summer. One customer-a landlady, who has twenty-five boarders-tells me that she can hardly get her boarders to touch the meat dishes. and she is rejoicing. Even ham, the old standby, which is generally in good demand even in the most scorching weather, is frowned upon, and the beef rust would soon go to pieces if its produce were no more popular the year round than it has been this sum-

Snuff Boxes Again in Use. After having been on the semi-re ired list for many years, the snuff ox is once again in evidence in the Even cigar stores had not not been showing sneeze-producer holders in recent seasons. The con-sumption of snuff is considerably greater in winter than in summer.

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