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KEEP YOUR EYE ON THE PRIMARY.

The time is not long hence for political action in this county and we hope the people who are not bound up by "click" and "class" will view the situation in its proper light and to take advantage of the preliminary situation.

We believe the slate makers are not only residents of the temporary county seat, but we are of the opinion that there are a scattering few in Las Vegas who want to control the respective county convention and dictate the men for the respective county office.

They go even further. They are anxious to participate in the deliberations of state conventions and to appear as truly representatives of the county. The small click of "ringsters" who invest the Vegas do not represent the sentiment of the people, but they are determined to sway the destiny of every political organization and to continue the present reign, that is if money, coercion or political rascality can do it for them.

A LOCAL ENTERPRISE.

The Golden Triangle Mining company is organized and will be ready to issue stock certificates to its subscribers. The Golden Triangle company has for its object the development of that mining section known as the Andersonville portion of the Vincent Mining district. The promoters have every faith and confidence that this nearby mining field will be one of the great contributory factors in giving Las Vegas that standing and enlargement and prosperity to which it is entitled by virtue of its location and center of a coming productive territory.

In order to demonstrate beyond a doubt the merit of the territory surrounding the great Catlin find, it will be necessary to do some straightforward practical mining. To do this the Golden Triangle Mining company is organized. Its methods will be that of co-operation—the powerful lever that has produced all the great achievements of the world whether in the development of gigantic mining or industrial enterprises or in the sciences of government.

It is a local company and hopes to interest the local forces who are so vitally interested in the proper development of all southern Nevada.

To facilitate the aim two-thirds of the stock is placed into the treasury to be sold, the proceeds of which are to be applied in a conservative manner to develop the property of the company and bring into view the undoubted great mineral resources so close to Las Vegas and presenting all those features that today entrances the mining world by virtue of the great and rich discoveries of Nevada. The opportunity is ripe for a forward movement. The resources are near by and much depends upon the Las Vegas community to bring the worth of these resources to the attention of the world.

The officers of the company are, N. A. Kuhn, president; H. C. Catlin, vice president; J. S. Parks, treasurer, with a board of directors of equal responsibility.

THE CHARLESTON RANGE.

Busteed & Co. sold last week to the Vaada Mines and Promotion company of Los Angeles, Cal., a property in the Charleston mountains consisting of a group of eight claims.

This property was only lately located by Colonel Towne and associates, and while as yet no work has been done upon it the surface indications are remarkably good, and the Vaada people will have their expert examine the property and should he report favorably will at once commence development work upon a large scale.

The Vaada Mines and Promotion company is one of the most conservative and reliable companies upon the coast and have been very successful in every property they have undertaken to handle. They are very careful as to the character of properties they finance, but once they have confidence in a property they do not spare expense in properly developing it.

One of the properties they have been notably successful in developing into a shipping and paying proposition is the Bull Frog Red Oak. This is one of the best properties in that district and the stock is selling around about 75c.

We sincerely trust this lead property will pan out satisfactorily as the advent of such people as the Vaada people into this district will mean much for Vegas.

OFFICIAL DEPRAVITY.

Anyone reading the official organ published in Los Angeles, and circulated at the Vegas, can easily perceive it is trying to serve the political factions, most detested in the county. How much easier and how much more pleasant it would be were they not a "subsidized rag," but loyally and honestly striving to serve the people instead of fumbling a dishonorable dollar.

They are paid their price with lewd and filthy gold—public crib offal. In consideration of the price paid they hope to cloud the fact of the county having been pillaged. It is the official organ of corruption in public place. It is the official organ of "ring rule," the mouthpiece of the embezzler and penitentiary bird roaming at large within the confines of Lincoln county.

USURPING POWER.

We are not favorably inclined to any official who under the cloak of political authority will delegate to himself and usurp power for self and gain.

It is repulsive to the eyes of any religious mind and disgusting to any blue blooded, Simon pure American citizen. Such men are they who hope for success of the "click" and they are political pie-biting intruders who should not be trusted.

Deputy Sheriff Murphy might accept a nomination for sheriff, but the nomination would fall considerable short of an election. Whether he could secure the nomination or not we are unable to say, but we do venture the thought that he would come as near unanimously falling short of an election as any man who could possibly be nominated.

George Phillips, who lost his life by an accident by falling from a bridge last week was a man who stood high in the estimation of his associates. He was a priceless gem and jewel to his sorrowing wife and family to whom the sorrowing bereaved have the sympathy of this whole community.

What is needed most other than a change of the county seat, is an entire revolution of political positions from township to the highest office in the gift of the people of Lincoln county.

Dr. W. P. Murray of Caliente would make a true representative of the people in the legislative assembly of the state of Nevada. He would fittingly represent the people of Lincoln county in that law making body.

The "click" can put up the slate, but the voters make slate smashers when properly aroused to the situation as they ought to be in this county by this time.

Dr. Bracken is being spoken of for the legislature and his brother Walter is talked of for county commissioner.

MARTIN DONNELLAN DEAD.

From the Caliente Express:
Last Thursday a man giving the name of Martin Donnellan entered Billy Noble's place, evidently in a very bad condition. John Shier, the county health commissioner, was notified, and took the man in charge, providing suitable quarters for his care. Dr. Smith was called and found the man suffering from a complication of diseases and so far gone as to be beyond the power of medical skill. Little could be done for the poor unfortunate man except to alleviate the intense suffering, and after lingering between life and death until Sunday night, he crossed the divide to join the great majority. Nothing is known of the man here except the mere fact that he has been a sufferer for years and has repeatedly been in the hospital. From a letter found on the body of the deceased it is evident that he had a sister living in Springfield, O., and she has been notified of his death. Beyond this nothing is known of his relatives.

He was buried Monday at the expense of the county.

Assistant Master's Lot is Hard.

If you take a scholar and a gentleman and make him do the work of a nursemaid for the wages of a bricklayer's laborer coupled with the treatment of a dog, you then get that finished product of civilization, the assistant master at an English private school—Barry Pain in the Tatler.

He Was In, But Not Dead.

The following story is told of an Eastport (Mass.) lad of seven. His father was a high Mason, and happened to have in his possession the key to the Masonic tomb. The undertaker, wishing to borrow this, drove up to the house one morning on his horse. Seeing the boy outside, he asked: "Is your father in?" "Yes," replied the boy in a frightened tone, "but he is dead."

The Wedding Ring.

The history of the wedding ring is hard to trace, but our Puritan ancestors considered it a relic of heathenism—which very likely it is—and abolished it. They would no more have a wedding ring around than they would have old women riding on broomsticks and bewitching the cows. But the Puritans are dead and the wedding ring survives out of a mysterious past.

Unenviable Notoriety.

In the early part of the last century a firm of contractors named Jerry Brothers carried on business in Liverpool, England, and earned an unpleasant notoriety by putting up rapidly-built, showy, but ill-constructed houses, so that their name eventually became general for such builders and such work in all parts of the world.

Italians Flock to Portugal.

The Italian colonization in Brazil has increased in such a measure that in some districts the Italian language is beginning to crowd out the Portuguese and the whole life is taking on quite an Italian character.

French No Longer Polite.

Paris dancing masters are lamenting the decline of French elegance in the art. They assert that the French are losing their old habits of politeness and, as a dancing nation are declining.

Australians in America.

There are only a few Australians distributed throughout the United States, and their number is so small that in most of the official bulletins they come under the head of "unclassified."

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TEMPORARY WITHDRAWAL.

Department of the Interior, Land Office, Washington, D. C., January 6, 1906.

Proposed Spring Mountain Forest Reserve, Nevada.

Gentlemen: On January 4, 1906, Register and Receiver, Carson City, Nevada.

The acting secretary of the interior, temporarily withdrew from all disposal, except under the mineral laws, all the vacant unappropriated public lands in the following described area, for the proposed Spring Mountain Forest Reserve:

Townships 18, 19 and 20 South, Range 55 East.

Townships 18, 19, 20 and 21 South, Ranges 56, 57 and 58 East, M. D. B. and M., Nevada.

You will post said withdrawals upon the records of your office.

Very respectfully,
W. A. RICHARDS, Commissioner.

SURFEIT OF MOOSE MEAT.

Discomforts of a Party of Prospectors on a Trip Through Alaska.

"In journeying down one of the tributaries of the Tanana river, in Alaska, with a party of prospectors in 1902, our raft went to pieces on a drift and every pound of provisions, cooking utensils, bedding and pretty nearly all the clothing of the outfit, as well as a tidy sum of money, went to the bottom," relates P. J. Habberton, of Seattle.

"Luckily I managed to save my Winchester and a few rounds of ammunition, and if it had not been for that I believe we would have come pretty near starving to death, as the place of the accident was 100 miles from any settlement or roadhouse. My gun was the only one that was saved, and never did one come in handier. We trudged along, shivering and greatly depressed at our loss, but such is the elasticity of the pioneer adventurer that upon my shooting a big bull moose about midnight the whole party began to get in better heart, and even to jest about our predicament.

"We cut out the best parts of the flesh of the moose and made a hearty supper. Little then did any of us think that we would be confined to that single article of food for four long days. Now, moose meat isn't bad, but to have to eat it for 16 straight meals, unrelieved by a grain of salt or pepper, is a hardship such as I hope never to experience again. Long before the dawn of the fifth day how we did loathe the very sight of the solitary item of our bill of fare. Some of the party experienced extreme nausea, but marching over the snow is hard work, and the pangs of hunger would drive them again to the monotony of the moose menu.

"Well, when at last we got to a roadhouse and found that plenty of beans and coffee were to be had a shout of joy went up that rent the heavens. I had \$10 left from the food and every cent of it went for just one meal. I think we ate for two hours, then went to sleep, woke up and went to eating again, until not a bean was left. I wouldn't even at this far day from that gastronomic tragedy partake of a chunk of moose meat for the weight of the animal in gold."

NATIONS THAT OWE MUCH.

Latin-America Swamped by Foreign Loans—Colombia's Four-Cent Dollar.

The foreign debt of Colombia has been in existence for 83 years, says the Monthly Review, during approximately 47 of which no interest was paid. The corresponding figures for Guatemala, Honduras and Venezuela respectively are 78 and 48, 78 and 72 and 85 and 41.

Costa Rica and Nicaragua have benefited by intervals during which they owed nothing to the foreign bondholder. Nevertheless the external debt of the first has been in default for 30 years out of 47, while Nicaragua paid nothing for 49 years out of 66.

Salvador neglected her share of the old debt of the Central American Federation from 1827 to 1860. With the exception of a single lapse her subsequent record is good, and she now occupies the happy position of having no regular foreign debt.

Santo Domingo began her financial connection with the outside world by a loan issued in 1869. She has since then off and on been in default for about 22 years.

Some two years ago Colombia issued from a protracted civil war. She has since lost Panama, while the expenses of the war were met by the short-sighted expedient of issuing forced currency. As a result she now finds herself saddled with a debt in notes reaching the enormous total of nearly \$850,000,000.

At one time the rate of exchange for the paper dollar touched 25,000 per cent. But by legislative enactment the parity between gold and paper was fixed not long ago—in respect of government transactions—at the relatively moderate figure of 10,000 per cent.

Even this means that Colombia's dollar represents only two pence, or four cents; and the brain whirls at the thought of the equivalent in currency of the £31,000 which she will in future have to pay each year for the service of her foreign debt.

Something Worth While.

Do you know that these small amounts, such as millions and billions, are growing tiresome? I am going in for astronomy, where numbers are really worth while considering, says a New York Press writer. There is our nearest neighbor among the fixed stars, dear old Alpha Centauri, who is just 25,000,000,000 miles away. She gets about her orbit at the rate of 186,400 miles a second, and when she throws out her flashlight it takes us four years and 123 days to see it. If she should cry aloud we should be 3,000,000 years in hearing the sound of her voice. The Chicago Limited, starting from Alpha Centauri for New York would arrive here in about 75,000,000 years.

No Need of It.

"Can't I sell you a painless corn cure, madam?" said the peddler.

"No, you can't!" snapped the woman of the house. "I have no painless corns."

Then the door was shut with a sudden slam.—Chicago Tribune.

Converted.

She—Do you believe in living a single life?

He—You bet I do. I tried living a double life and got two years in jail!—Detroit Free Press.

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