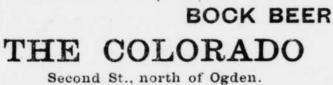
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LAS VEGAS, LINCOLN COUNTY, NEVADA, JUNE 30, 1906

RAISE TAXES Land Owners Should Con. Vegas Copper Company Files Reasonable Prospect Exists tribute, Improve or Sell Non-resident land owners are retard-They refise to improve and ask high prospects near Mountain Springs, in the Vegar

prices for their lands. They are hold- Yellow Pine district. ing for speculation and waiting for others to develop water and increase June 9th, showing a capitalization of a \$1,000,000 plant. This is not a fact. values

agricultural lands of this section. They practically contribute nothing to the support of the county. Their land is assessed Sumner. at 50 cents an acre. When asked to sell by those who are devoting time, energy, direction of Dr. Wm. S. Park and fine now engaged in the actual preliminary and money to developing the resources shipping ore is being sacked. The ore work, such as making constructs, securof the county, they value it at from \$10 is said to be very rich in oxide of cop- ing transportation facilities and rates to \$50 an acre. Residents of the county who own a into a first-class shipping proposition at In an interview with Mr. C. P.

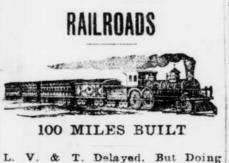
hence, a store or a ranch pay taxes on an early date. something near its cash value. These non-residents, who are preventing the ment work will be vigorously prose- that he felt remanably certains that the development of the county, value their cuted. properfies at from 40 to 400 times the WELL AT JOHNNIE SIDING amount on which they pay taxes.

How tong will the people of Lincoln county tolerste this condition of affairs? place and a force of men actively en- the enterprise all the encouragement A raise of from 40 to 400 times the gaged in sinking a well at Johnnie possible. Both have already given conpresent assessment would bring results, siding. It is the intention to rush the siderable time to the matter, and the The matter has been discussed by work as rapidly as possible and two fact that they are continuing their efcitizens and will probably be taken up shifts of men are employed, one work- forts would indicate that they feel aswith the assessor. It should be done at ing through the day and the other dur- sured of ultimate success. ing the night. once.

Force these people to phy taxes and by those interested in the county; wells been necessary to hand water over the assure the success of the project. will be sunk and the barren desert con- road in tank cars to supply stations beverted into gardens and orchards and youd Indian Creek. fields of grain.

water is obtained. lator-

There are many who stand ready to develop water if they can secure at a reasonable price the land on which to use it.



Best It Can Wednesday night Las Vegas and To-



Articles

SMELTER

for Las Vegas

The Vegas Copper Company has been It is not only possible but very probing the progress of Lincoln county, incorporated to develop the copper able that a smelter will be built at Las-

> Last Tuesday's Examiner stated that Articles of incorporation were filed a company had been organized to build

1,000,000 shares of the par value For some time past those interested Non-residents own the bulk of the of \$1.00 each. The directors are in the project have been investigating Walter R. Bracken, C. P. Squires, M. conditions in this section and anaking S. Beal, E. T. Maxwell and J. A. estimates of the probable tonnage that migis be secured. The projectors are Work has been commenced under the well satisfied with the prospect and are per and it is believed this will develop and arranging other essential details.

Squires, secretary of Las Vegas In-The Age is informed that develop- provement Co., yesterday, he stated smelter would be built here.

Mr. Chris. N. Brown, president of the Improvement Co., and Mr. Squipes-The railroad company has a rig in are assisting the promoters and giving

The capacity of the samelter to begin The railroad track is located at an with would probably not exceed 150 they will either improve or sell. In the elevation several hundred feet above the tons per day. A guarantee of 75 tons latter case, the lands will be acquired springs in Ash Meadows and it has of ore per day is all that is required to-

A meeting of the miners and miner Owing to the elevation it is estimated owners of El Dorado Canyor Mining At present no one feels like investing the well will have to be sunk to a depth district has been called for July 10th, money is wells for the benefit of specu- of 400 feet or more before a supply of for the purpose of electing 2 district recorder



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Henry Lee. Recordes

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MUST MOVE

LUCKY DUTCHMAN

C. O. Whittemore has added the following to his previous statements:

quirements removed."

If the agreement, which has been shipments were made. ignored for a year, is now enforced, it will leave only two saloons in block 16.

lenient with the saloons.

them in good faith.

The Government has given a year's In the past these mines have pro-Soutrast to N. B. Buckler to carry mail duced hundreds of thousands of dollars, When a week between Searchlight and and they are considered to be one of the Nelsop.

At the Lucky Dutchman, near Crescent, a new gasoline hoist has been "Owners of lots in block 16 refuse to installed and work in the new shaft is waive conditions in regard to building being carried on with three crews of testrictions and it will therefore be four men on a shift. This shaft will be becessary for the company to have all sunk to a depth of 300 feet, at which buildings that do not meet with the resect the vein from which the former

EL DORADO BONDS

Murphy, has been bonded to G. F. Col- to couple them. The only losers, are those who lived ton. It is understood that M. E. Cook

at once.

best properties in the district-

ing him that he had been appointed nopah railroad was compl postmaster by the President.

Walter R. Bracken received telegrams

Thursday from Senator Nixon, notify-

THIRD CLASS

vanced

Las Vegas postoffice has been advanced from fourth to third class,

making it a presidential office with sal-

ary and perquisites.

Mr. Bracken has been postmaster at Beatty.

master is not always to blame.

improve the service.

SCHWAB TO BUY

Will Acquire Copper Property in Funeral Range The Age is informed that the Schwab syndicate will purchase from H. Ramsey, John Salesberry and A. Konze the

Clark property in the Funeral Range. Four companies are now developing mines in this section.

SALT LAKE SUED

Interstate Commerce Commission and California Railway twenty years Brings Action.

against the Salt Lake and San Pedro rebuilt in many places. railroad company by United States Atin repair. The complaint has two old grade. charges, alleging first, that the railroad company, while carrying interstate commerce, hauled a caboose with inoperative apparatus, thus compelling brakemen to go between the caboose and freight cars to couple them. The second charge alleges a violation of the railroad law because the company engaged in interstate commerce traffic ran a train hauled by an engine of inoperative ap-The hotel clause was promptly taken The Capitol group of mines at El Do- paratus, which also compelled brakeinto court, but the company has been rado Canyon, owned by Monahan & men to go between cars and the engine

This is the first suit of the kind ever up to the various agreements, or took is interested in the deal, and active de- brought in Nevada by the Interstate velopment of this property, will begin Commerce Commission. The penalty for viglation of this particular haw is a

and power system.

eted 100 mile from Las Vegas, within 18 miles of

Las Vegas since the office was first es- It has been reported that the road tablished and was entitled to the ap- would be stopped for a month at Rose pointment. While many may have Wells, for want of material. Supt. grievances against the postoffice service Grace denies this. He states that the in the past, they must remember that strike of stevedores on the coast has the U.S. Postoffice Department makes delayed the arrival of ties, but the same a special study of remaining from 50 to are now being unloaded from the ves-75 years behind modern business meth- sels and will begin to arrive in a few ods and requirements and the post- days.

He anticipates not more than a week Now that Mr. Bracken will receive or ten days' delay, and states that some compensation, it is reasonable to the road will reach Beatty July 20th. suppose that he will make an effort to Two miles of ties and mils went to the front on Wednesday's train. The

tracklayers can make two miles a day when the ties arrive, says Mr. Grace.

PICCHE BRANCH

Tuesday's Los Angeles Examiner SAVE

"Chief Engineer Tilton, of the Salt Lake Railway, left last evening for Caliente, where he will meet the party of copper property adjoining the Patsy surveyors he sent there several days ago. Mr. Tilton and his men will at once retrace the line of the proposed branch of the Salt Lake Railway from t'aliente to Pioche.

The grade built by the Utah, Nevada

ago will be used: this has suffered from

At Carson a stift has been filed storm and washouts and will have to be "The new road, which will be 50 miles torney Samuel Platt actifig for the In- long, is to be completed by October." terstate Commerce Commission, for Three carloads of men, scrapers and alleged violation of the railroad law re- horset arrived at Caliente last Thursday quiring the railroads to keep their cars and began the work of leveling up the

> We, the undersigned, agree to close our places of business all day July 4th:

A. N. Pauff. W. E. Hawkins Clayson & Griffith. M. C. Thomas. W. Botkin. T. E. Blake. First State Bank. Atholph Levy. Kubn Mercantile Co. Las Vegas Trust Co. 9 a. m. Kramer Bros. (noon) Alfred De Leon.

The Indians of Eastern Nevada will debrate the Fourth of July at Deeth, Elko county, this year. Arrangements are being made by the rodskins for a grand time. They will have a pow wow, Searchlight is to have an electric light horse racing, a fundango and a "heap big eat.'



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