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## GREENWATER

### Well Diggers Will Soon Supply Water to Wash In

Jim Brandt is digging a well in Furnace creek wash, eight miles from the "Patsy" Clark townsite. At a depth of 118 feet the diggers are working in mud.

Water in plenty has been struck in the Kelly well, six miles above the Fairbanks well, shortening the haul to Greenwater 10 miles.

W. D. Worrell of Las Vegas has received orders for two 1000-gallon storage tanks and one 550-gallon wagon tank to supply water for the Clark townsite. Two wagon tanks of equal capacity are now in commission.

Work on the artesian well, near the Clark townsite, will be commenced soon. The rig is in place and the drillers are only waiting for the wagons to supply them with water in sufficient quantities.

"Blowhard" Brown of Times notoriety is mad because Clark and other Greenwater capitalists don't tell him what they are going to do in regard to opening townsites, building smelters and other important matters. "Blowhard's" reputation got to Greenwater ahead of him.

Willie Hearst is now giving himself banquets in honor of his splendid defeat. You can't keep Willie out of his newspapers.

## ON FOUR SIDES

### Industries Now Occupy the Hills In Every Direction

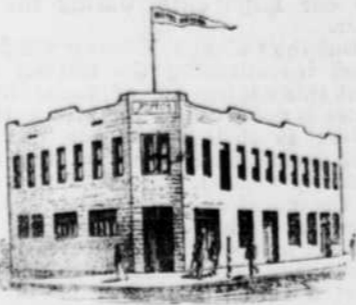
East, west, north and south, there is now mining or other industry in the hills that encircle the valley of the Vegas. The opening of the Nevada Granite company's quarry to the north completed the square.

West of Las Vegas in the Charleston mountains is the sawmill of the Lincoln county Lumber Co. with a good saw roll; southwest the big Potosi lead-zinc mine, employing 75 men, and the newer Lucky Strike; to the southeast, Railroad Pass, Colorado river and Eldorado canyon mining districts where many miners and prospectors are at work; east, about eight miles, the South Nevada Gold Mining Co. is developing its gold ledge and gypsum deposits; to the north there was nothing, till the Nevada Granite Co. with men and machinery went out to commence operations this week.

It has been stated that Las Vegas would be nothing more than a trading center, but it already has more and more diversified projects under way than any other town in Southern Nevada—lumber, lead, zinc, granite, gypsum, realties; gold, silver, copper, artesian water and agricultural products, probabilities.

Lumber hauled from the railroad sells at from \$60 to \$75 per M at Rhyolite.

## Hotel Nevada Arrivals.



J. F. MILLER, Owner and Manager.

- W R Wharton, Beatty Nev
- R Mallory, "
- Edward Bahtin, Greenwater Cal
- F W Chamber wife and son, Pasadena A L Butler, Chicago, Ill
- H J Butler, "
- Lewis B Rogers, Salt Lake
- W U Smith, New York
- F S Chase, Passaic N J
- F C Dewitt wife and son, Ely Nev
- Mrs G V Verback, Delta Colo
- H A Stouffer, "
- E C Rupard wife, Kan City Mo
- C W Trau, Los Angeles
- K N Bright, Lyons Nev
- J P Smith, Nev
- Mrs Chas S Eakins, Denver
- Juo J Duffie, San Francisco
- J M Day, Greenwater Cal
- T Walter Beaux, Denver Colo
- F P Noteh, Cheyenne, Wyo
- R P Kelly, Butte Mont
- J R Martin, Tonopah
- Max Baeh, Salt Lake
- Chas T Humphries, Moapa Nev
- B H Ward, Caliente Nev
- J Ross Clark, Los Angeles
- F L Youle, "
- S E Barton, Okanogan, Wash
- C V Smith, Duluth Minn
- O A Stewart, "
- D L, "
- G H Coffey, Amargosa
- G D Mcklejohn, Omaha Neb
- Fred Trakson, "
- John Swan, Jr, Virginia City, Mont
- Thos Adams, Helena Mont
- A F Clark, New York
- W H Bayley, Pomona Cal
- John Nance, Butte Mont
- Fred Mitchell, Bullfrog
- Jos H Harper, Butte, Mont
- J E Flanders, Washington D C
- W R Brown, Schenectady N Y
- E Heyward Braly, Shepherdstown W Va.
- Louis R Rogers, Salt Lake
- H R Coate, Los Angeles
- T McDonald, Greenwater
- Walter W Green, Cobre Nev
- H E McClain, "
- A F Abbott, Denver Colo
- Mrs Harry Erwin, Glascow Kan
- A A Whiting Los Angeles
- S Magrins, "
- H. Burris, "
- John H Baker, San Francisco.

## NEW COUNTY LINES

### A Bill to Create Counties of Clark and Bullfrog

Following is a bill prepared by Senator Stewart for introduction in the coming Legislature:

"The people of the State of Nevada, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

"That all those parts of Nye and Esmeralda Counties south of Mt. Diablo base and Meridian shall constitute the County of Bullfrog, and Rhyolite shall be the County seat thereof; that all that part of Lincoln County south of the third parallel south, Mt. Diablo base, shall constitute the County of Clark, and Las Vegas shall be the County seat thereof; that all that part of Esmeralda County north of the first standard parallel south, Mt. Diablo base and east of range 37, Mt. Diablo base and meridian, shall be joined to the County of Nye; that all that part of Nye County west of range 38, Mt. Diablo base and meridian shall be joined to Esmeralda County; that all that part of Nye County north of the second parallel north, Mt. Diablo base and between the west line of Eureka County extended and range 27, Mt. Diablo base and meridian shall be joined to the County of Lander; that all that part of Nye County north of second parallel north, Mt. Diablo base and between the east and west lines of Eureka County extended shall be joined to the County of Eureka; that all that part of White Pine and Nye Counties south of the second parallel north, Mt. Diablo base and east of the west line of Lincoln County extended shall be joined to Lincoln County; and all that part of Nye County north of second parallel north, Mt. Diablo base and meridian and east of the east line of Eureka County extended shall be joined to White Pine County.

"Sec. 2. That immediately after the passage of this Act, the Governor shall appoint the Township and County officers for the Counties of Bullfrog and Clark, who shall hold their offices until the next general election, and until their successors are elected and qualified, and he shall also appoint a commission, consisting of one person for each of the following Counties, to-wit: Esmeralda, Lander, Eureka, White Pine, Lincoln, Nye, Bullfrog and Clark, whose duty it shall be to cause copies of the County Records of the various Counties affected by this Act to be transferred to the County seats of the proper Counties, and such commission shall also apportion the indebtedness to the several Counties created or affected by this Act on the principle of equity and justice; the compensation of the commission to be fixed by the Governor and apportioned among the several Counties interested."

It is assumed that Tonopah and Goldfield, both on county lines, will naturally favor the bill to make their county seats more secure.

## Close Call

N. A. Kuhn and force—in fact, the whole quarter block—had a narrow escape Wednesday afternoon.

Prof. Bachtelle picked up in the rear of the store a small box apparently containing rubbish and dumped it on the floor. To his amazement and consternation, out rolled several dozen loose caps, a roll of fuse and four sticks of giant powder. Glycerine from the powder had crystallized on the outside of the wrappers, leaving it in condition to explode on the slightest provocation.

The box had probably been left there by some careless miner, and none of the store force knew of its existence.

Some hairs stood on end when those present encountered the deadly combination.

## Drug Store Sale

The Red Cross Drug Store, owned by Kendrick and Shannon, was this week transferred to the Wilson Drug Co., and will hereafter be conducted under the management of W. B. Wilson, formerly of the Hawkins Drug Store and later manager of the Red Cross during Mr. Shannon's recent illness. Mr. Wilson comes highly recommended as a competent druggist, and a capable business man. Mr. Shannon's retiring manager came to Las Vegas and opened his store during the days of "Rag Town", in the face of the difficulties of pioneer life. He has built up a good business, but owing to ill health has decided to return to the cooler climate of Montana.

## Gibson Superseded

Judge W. R. Kelly, former general counsel of the Union Pacific, has been appointed to succeed J. E. Gibson, general counsel for the Salt Lake road. Gibson has resumed private practice.

## THE BIG STORE

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JOHN S. PARK, Cashier.

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LEAVE YOUR ORDER FOR WAGON TO CALL DAILY  
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## A WOMAN'S REMEDY

There was an old woman that lived in a shoe.  
Her husband was so cruel she didn't know what to do.  
She presented him with a bottle of old Sam Clay,  
And now she's happy the livelong day.

Where did she get it? Why, at the Colorado, where nothing but the best of Wines, Liquors and Cigars can be had.

SECOND ST., N. OF OGDEN **THE COLORADO** LAS VEGAS, NEVADA

## To Deaths From Pneumonia

C. J. O'Donnell, a mining man from Greenwater, died on the train between Amargosa station and Las Vegas last Sunday. Deceased was suffering with pneumonia and was being brought in for better accommodations. The remains were embalmed by Clayton and Griffith and shipped to Mr. O'Donnell's former home in Portland, Oregon.

W. T. Taney, a brakman on the L. V. & T. died of pneumonia in the company hospital, in Buol's addition last Friday. Mr. Taney was a recent arrival and a stranger here. Relatives were expected to come from Weston, Mo., for the remains, but failing to arrive interment was made in Las Vegas cemetery Tuesday.

## Lower Freight

Reno Journal says: With the granting of lower freight rates to Pocatello, Idaho, allowing that place to compete with Salt Lake in wholesale trade, the people of Nevada are given cause for expecting favorable recognition of their needs of similar character.

"The rates that have hitherto applied to Ogden and Salt Lake city will apply to Pocatello.

"Under the new tariff the rate on beer from Chicago to Pocatello will be 84 cents as against the old rate of \$1. From Mississippi river points to Pocatello it will be 80 cents as against the old rate of 95 cents. From Missouri river points to Pocatello will be 61 cents, as against 75 cents, as now obtaining.

"The rate on furniture from eastern points to Pocatello is a big reduction of 20 cents per hundred from Chicago, the new rate being \$1.25; of 20 cents from the Mississippi river points, the new rate being \$1.17½, and of 30 cents from the Missouri river points, the new rate being 95 cents."

Nevada railroads will no doubt reduce rates at an early date.

The Western Union telegraph wire has been extended to Rhyolite from Beatty.

## To the Public

I hereby, with grateful appreciation, manifest my gratitude to those generous friends who on Nov. 6 rallied so splendidly to my support and gave me an almost unanimous election in Las Vegas precinct, for constable.

I appreciate this compliment and hereby assure the public of a faithful performance of the duties of office without any enemies to punish or friends to favor, at the expense of the performance of official duty.

Very Gratefully  
SAM S. GAY.  
Las Vegas, Nov. 12, 1906.