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STATEHOOD LINGERS.

Conditions for the immediate admission of New Mexico have not improved the past week. Indeed, if possible, they have grown worse. This condition has been accentuated by the position of the administration on Arizona, whose fate is inextricably linked with that of New Mexico, and the presence of a New Mexico delegation at Washington who are insisting that the New Mexico constitution be amended before admission.

In our opinion, there is little excuse for either. The Arizona people framed their constitution and adopted it by an overwhelming majority, and they are the ones who are to reap its benefits or to suffer from its defects. The federal authorities should not interfere. In New Mexico, while its constitution was unsatisfactory to many, a vast majority approved it, and its acceptance by the people of New Mexico should have the same force and is governed by the same principle as that of Arizona. Every man has a right to improve the condition of his people, and to a certain point, if our constitution could be bettered without endangering statehood, well and good, but nothing should be placed in the way of congress giving us immediate statehood; yet we fear such a condition is now confronting us.

CONDITIONS VERY FAVORABLE.

Not in many years have conditions at this season of the year been as favorable as they now are, and certainly not for the past three or four. The ground has been moistened to a depth greater than usual, and grass and other vegetation are springing up everywhere. Everything has a tint of green, which is a joyous prospect over the general appearance of the sear and brown plains for the past few years at this season.

The increase in the sheep flocks this year should approach the maximum. The lambing season is now in full swing, and the green stuff, so necessary for the preservation of the lambs, is conspicuous on every hand. The weather is all that could be wished for, and if the flocks of this section do not enjoy a phenomenal increase, conditions other than climatic will have to be blamed. The cattleman is equally jubilant, and this should be a banner year for those engaged in the propagation of the bovine species. In addition to an abundant moisture, which has caused old Mother Earth to put on her emerald sheen, the stockmen are further benefitted by the fact that the range will not be overcrowded, because so many sheep

and cattle have been shipped out of the country.

And the farmer—the man with the hoe—he's all right. He is willing to forget the past, and has his eye only on the future. His farm is in good condition, his crops are planted, and in many cases already up and growing. He too, is feeling hopeful and anticipates a big crop. And so it may be said, notwithstanding the lean years through which we have passed, we are now, in truth, on the upward climb, and effect of such conditions is bound to produce, and is producing, jubilant spirits among all classes of our people.

Mrs. N. B. Taylor and Mrs. Joe N. White and children returned Sunday from Fort Stockton, Tex. They have been absent since last November, traveling for the benefit of Mrs. White's health, who has been ill for more than a year. She has now practically regained her health, and her friends rejoice with her family over her condition. Mr. White remained at Fort Stockton, where has a lucrative position.

MINING APPLICATION.

Serial Number 024680.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE.

Roswell, New Mexic.

April 12, 1911.

Notice is hereby given that Chicago and Santa Fe Smelting and Mining Company, by John Y. Hewitt its attorney-in-fact, whose post office address is White Oaks, Lincoln County, New Mexico, has this day filed its application for a patent for the Hawkeye Group of mining claims consisting of the Hawkeye Lode for 1270.90 feet and the Red Rose Lode for 1254.15 feet of said veins, bearing gold, together with the surface ground as shown on the plat on file in this office situated in Jicarilla Mining District, Lincoln County, New Mexico, and described by the field notes on file in this office as survey No. 1388, in unsurveyed township No. 5 S., Range 12 E., New Mexico Principal Meridian. Said survey No. 1388 being described as follows, to-wit:

HAWKEYE LODGE.

Beginning at corner No. 1, whence the standard 1/4 section corner on the South side of Section 34, Township 5 S., Range 12 E., of New Mexico Principal Meridian, bears S. 27° 53' W. 5573.95 feet.

Thence N. 16° 24' W. 1289.7 feet to corner No. 2; Thence N. 58° 16' E.—Var. 13° 10' E.—477.55 feet to corner No. 3.

Thence S. 22° 36' E.—Var 14° E.—1259.81 feet to corner No. 4;

Thence S. 58° 16' W. 618.50 feet to corner No. 1, the place of beginning.

Area of this the Hawkeye Lode claim 15,090 acres.

RED ROSE LODGE.

Beginning at corner No. 1, whence the 1/4 section corner of the South side of Section 34, Township 5 S., Range 12 E., New Mexico Principal Meridian bears S. 15° 50' W. 6730.11 feet.

Thence N. 16° 53' E. 383.30 feet to corner No. 2; Thence S. 65° 21' E. 1254.15 feet to corner No. 3.

Thence S. 10° 53' W., Var. 14° E., 393.30 feet to corner No. 4.

Thence N. 65° 21' W., 1254.15 feet to corner No. 1, the place of beginning. Saving and excepting from this claim all that portion thereof in conflict with the Hawkeye Lode of this survey. Net area of this the Red Rose Lode 9,112 acres.

Total area of this group 24,202 acres. Each of said mining claims is of record in the office of the Recorder of said Lincoln County, New Mexico.

The adjoining claims so far as known, are on the East Meadow Lark Lode, Zig Zag Lode and public lands; on the North, Hard Luck Lode and public lands; on the West, Belle of New Mexico Lode, Hard Luck Lode and public lands; on the South, Bells of New Mexico Lode, Ready Cash Lode and public lands.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the mining ground, veins, lodes, promises or any portion thereof so described, surveyed, platted and applied for, are hereby notified that unless their adverse claims are duly filed according to law and the regulations thereunder, with the Registrar of the United States Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, during the sixty days period of the publication hereof they will be barred by reason of the statutes.

4-21-9 T. C. TILLOTSON, Register.

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