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Notice to the Public. DONA ANA, N. Mex. Feb. 6, 1897. We hereby notify all concerned that we shall pay no orders, requisitions or accounts of any sub-contractor or employee unless authorized by us in writing from this office.

Don't Get Left. All the weather prophets declare that the cold weather is not yet over, and the cold March winds will chill us badly as if the temperature was low.

All the dance hall men were pulled yesterday, charged with the non-payment of their license. There were three of them before the recorder and the proprietor of the Columbia dance hall on Stanton street plead guilty and was fined \$25—the amount of the license.

The engine horse "Ed" that has been off duty for several days tried to jump the new corral fence yesterday afternoon and hitting with his shoulder on the top board cut a gash about a foot long ranging from his breast around the right shoulder. The wound was sewed up and it is expected will be entirely cured long before the horse's feet will allow him to be used again.

Our people are growing more and more in the habit of looking to the local dealer for the latest and best of everything in the drug line. They sell Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, famous for its cures of bad colds, croup and whooping cough.

William Caples is reported as suffering from heart weakness.

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Brief News

Isaac Haas deeds to E. F. J. McCarty for \$2000, 10 and part of lot 9 block 27, Campbell's addition.

The best quality of Mexican coffee for 25 cents per pound at the El Paso Grocery Co., 112 E. Overland St.

Antonio Ap daco was arrested for smuggling by Ed Bryant yesterday, and brought up from Ysleta for judgment in the county jail.

Don't fail to see the "Bachelor's Dream" given by the young ladies of the Presbyterian church at the opera house Saturday night.

Just received a fresh lot of dried fruits, consisting of dried prunes, evaporated peaches, apricots and apples. El Paso Grocery Co., 112 E. Overland St.

J. L. Smith and Samuel Fernandez sell by sheriff's deed, to Mrs. Mary Baugman for \$400, lots in block 14 and 15, and ten lots blocks 39 and 40, Alexander addition.

A war by man has been worthily remembered by President Cleveland in the appointment of W. W. Follette to be consulting engineer of the international boundary commission.

Harry Carpenter's overcoat was stolen last night while he was attending a meeting at the Alamo lodge. It is thought that some thief sneaked up in the anti-room of the lodge and nailed the coat while the meeting was at an interesting point.

A new periodical is to appear in El Paso, The El Paso Weekly Graphic to be published every Monday morning. It is to be illustrated, four pages, four columns to the page, and the projector proposes to make the Graphic a readable paper. L. G. Bridgers will be the manager, and Mr. McNaughton of the HERALD, the artist.

The ladies of the Presbyterian church give an interesting program at opera house Saturday night, consisting of "Don Drift" by the children, "The Bachelor's Dream" by the young ladies, "The Art Student" and last, but not least the "Delectable Saute." Be sure and come. It will be worth twice the price of admission.

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Mrs. Matilda Edington, wife of Rev. J. D. Edington of Roanoke, Va., is dead at the age of 76. She was the mother of Presiding Elder Edington of the El Paso district, and of Miss Ella Edington, teacher in the Mexican mission in this city. The deceased was a woman of sterling character, an upright, lovable, christian woman.

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Around About El Paso

When McKinley gets in office, Add the Clevelandites are nit. It is then I'll pack my g. I sack. And to Washington I'll send it. P. pie, beautiful pie.

"Did you notice the broad grin that covered the countenance of several republicans about the city yesterday?" said a democrat to Round About this morning. "Well those smiles were all caused by the announcement that President McKinley would not recognize the civil service snare and that there would be several postoffice and custom house jobs open after the fourth of March. It is said that several of them have been out rubbing up their noses preparatory to getting a job as river guard, wh leathers were walking around the streets studying the numbers of the different houses in anticipation of getting a job as postoffice men. The civil service delusion has been a wet blanket on the aspirations of many republicans in this section."

"I am strongly opposed to the civil service snare as it goes to holding a man in office," said a democrat this morning. "I think it is all right for people who want government positions to be required to go through an examination before they are appointed. But I believe that each person appointed under the civil service should be appointed only for a certain length of time, and not given a life term lease on a government position. I don't believe that all the men that the Cleveland administration appointed to office should hold over through McKinley's administration, but if the civil service law is recognized by the republican administration, there will not be many rewards in either the custom house or the postoffice."

"I hope the republicans will follow the policy of the Cleveland administration in one respect," said a republican today, "and that is in selecting men for the administration of the different offices in the gift of the government in this city from the city, or at least from the district. I think men who have lived here are better qualified to administer the government offices than those who are brought here from a distance. The republican party once bought itself in very bad repute by getting men from Maine to administer the government affairs in southwest Texas and the name of 'carpet-bagger' has been attached to the party ever since. I don't believe that southern republicans who had been loyal to the party during a bitter war became disgusted, because they were set aside and some of them from New Hampshire was given the preference for the southern offices. I never want to see the republican party act that way again, but am always in favor of the offices in a city being given to its citizens."

"Sneak thieves are getting down to a fine point when they sneak into lodges and steal an overcoat," said a party this morning. "Only last night one sneaked into the massive lodge and walked away with an overcoat. If the sneakers are not more careful in future some one will sneak up there and catch him riding the goat and then all the fun in the order will be gone."

"Tumor has it," said a fireman this morning, "that Johnny Connors, child of the fire department, is soon to be married to a pretty miss of this city, and that nuptial knot will soon be tied. Johnny's friends will all join in his matrimonial venture."

"Several of El Paso's bachelors intended to take unto themselves a better half," said an old bachelor this morning. "However, the matrimonial candidates have been looked upon as im-pregnable to the wiles of feminine beauty, but they occasionally drop off and leave us fellows who have decided to go through life single handed, alone. 'Twas ever thus."

ROUND ABOUT.

Cowboys Brushed Away. Rev. J. T. Edwards, rector of last night's meeting in Trinity church, a convert of local interest. He was called the other day to the bedside of a young lawyer from Ohio, who had come to the city in the hope of saving his life by joining a political party. He had been reading Ingersoll and the opinions of a sensational New York preacher named Pierce, and his views of the spiritual life and the hereafter had been covered with cobwebs. At the same time the young man said his folks were Methodists, he had attended Sunday school back in Ohio, and his natural affections had always been toward the christian faith. But his readings seemed to have blocked up the road to eternal life.

Mr. French found that the sufferer was in a repentant mood, notwithstanding his clank of spiritual yea's, and he read to him John V:21: "He who heareth my word, and believeth on him who hath sent me, hath everlasting life, and shall not come into condemnation; but is passed from death unto life." This with the first verse of John XIV, "Let not your heart be troubled; ye believe in God, believe also in me," coupled with earnest prayer based on this scripture, brushed away the cobwebs and the young man died full of faith and hope. His remains were shipped back home for burial the other day.

Quite a number of the boys from Fort Bliss are regular attendants on the Wednesday night meetings in Trinity church.

The HERALD was in error in stating the particulars of Morris Simon's mishap. Mr. Simon upon horseback was crossing the railroad track on Kansas street and at the time an engine was passing quite close to him in an opposite direction. A Pullman car, a friend who was ahead of him was cautioned by him to be careful as the engine might open the steam cocks as they were passing. The friend got by safely but the steam cocks were opened and Simon was passing under a skilful physician and the kind nursing of Mrs. Simon and her sister, Miss Tyson. The affair was especially unfortunate as Mr. Simon's employer, Mr. Mahan, was about to leave for the east upon a purchasing trip and the mishap caused him to delay the voyage.

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LARGEST IN THE WORLD. Elephant Butte Reservoir to Hold 12,000,000 Cubic Feet of Water.

W. A. Hawkins, of Silver City, in a New Mexican interview says: "We have many works of development under way, but the most important is that of the Rio Grande irrigation company. This company is building a diverting dam across the Rio Grande of solid masonry almost opposite old Fort Selden. This dam will be placed upon piling, and other dikes in the valley, and no attempt will be made to divert any water until after the completion of what is called its Elephant Butte reservoir. The site of which is located just west of Selden."

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"The dam for this reservoir will be constructed of solid masonry, about 500 feet in length and eighty feet high, with estimated capacity of the reservoir of 12,000,000 cubic feet of water. This will be the largest irrigating reservoir in the world, the next largest being the Para reservoir in India, with a capacity of 8,000,000 cubic feet, and the Seven Rivers reservoir in the Pecos valley with nearly the same capacity as the Para reservoir."

"It will cost between \$300,000 and \$400,000 to build the Elephant Butte dam, and it is not yet decided when the work of construction will begin. The dam now under construction at Elephant Butte is a small affair costing only about \$40,000, and in the future will be used to divert water from the river bed, which will be stored in the Elephant Butte reservoir and allowed to run down the river bed to the diverting dam at old Fort Selden. The company intends to store this water only during the winter months, and during excessive floods allowing the natural flow of the river during the irrigating seasons and at times when the water will be used by the people to flow through the reservoir and down to the community and other ditches as it does at present."

"It is estimated that 150,000 acres in the Mesilla valley alone will be brought under irrigation by the owners by virtue of this enterprise."

Southern Pacific Excursions.

PRESIDENTIAL INAUGURATION CEREMONIES.—Washington D. C., March 4, 1897.—For this occasion the Southern Pacific will sell round trip tickets for \$54.00. Selling dates Feb. 27th and 28th. Final limit for return March 10th 1897. Remember that the Southern Pacific trains make the fastest time to New Orleans. There is close connection is made with the fast trains east of that point and Washington can be reached from El Paso in a little over four days. But one change between El Paso and Washington.

On March 6th the Southern Pacific will sell round trip tickets to New Orleans, on the certificate plan one and a third fare for the round trip on account of Knights of Honor grand lodge meeting. Final limit for return March 13th.

On March 7th the Southern Pacific will sell round trip tickets to San Antonio at \$11.50 on account of Cattlemen Association meeting. Final limit for return March 12th.

On Feb. 25th and 26th the G. H. & S. A. will sell round trip tickets to Hartsville and return at the rate \$27.50 on account of Y. T. S. C. E. meeting. Final limit for return March 1st.

For the meeting of the Texas State Medical association at Paris, Texas, April 27 to 30th this year, the Southern Pacific will sell tickets on the certificate plan which gives a rate of 1/2 fare for the round trip provided not less than 20 representatives from all parts of Texas are in attendance. Date of sale April 25th. Final limit for return May 2nd.

A new line via San Antonio and Fort Worth will be running through through sleepers San Antonio to Paris and Passengers via this line reach San Antonio 11:30 a. m., and take through sleeper from that point at 7:40 p. m., reaching Paris following morning.

MADRI GRAS CARNIVAL at New Orleans Mar. 2nd, 1897. For this occasion the Southern Pacific will sell round trip tickets for \$43.20. Selling dates Feb. 26th and 27th. Final limit for return March 12th 1897. Tickets to be used for continuous trip in both directions. Do not miss this gorgeous display and remember that the great Sunset Limited leaves here on Monday and Thursday of each week at 6 p. m., reaching New Orleans 7:30 a. m., following Wednesday and Saturday. Our regular daily train leaves El Paso at 1:50 p. m., reaching New Orleans at 8:30 a. m. the second day thereafter. HARRY TURNER, T. E. HUNT, Ticket Agent. Com'l Agent.

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On account of our building on San Antonio St. not being completed, we will not be able to move before February 15. From this date until Feb. 15 we will make prices that will please the most artful buyer of Furniture, Crockery, Carpets and all kinds of House Furnishings. T. H. SPRINGER, Furniture, Crockery and Carpets. Corner of St. Louis and Stanton Streets, EL PASO, TEXAS. We will move to 213 San Antonio street about Feb. 15, 1897.

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