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A WEAK DEFENSE.

"Maybe the day will come when we will change our opinion; maybe the (divorce) law of this state will be so abused and the demands of decency so outraged by those who come to avail themselves of its liberality that the Gazette will feel that a change of some sort must be made." Excerpt from the defense of the Nevada divorce laws by the Reno Gazette.

Any time that the Gazette experiences a change of heart, or changes its opinion, it will not be because the "demands of decency are outraged." Were this the pivot on which that newspaper swung, the change would have taken place long ago. If the "demands of decency" have not been outraged, when and how, in the name of all that is good and holy will the time come? Nevada today, through her elastic divorce law, is the laughing stock of the civilized world. The most liberal-minded blush for shame at her "outraged decency." The city of Reno is a city to be shunned by all but the morally putrid. Members of the famous "colony" turn night into day, and with the promised advent of the 50,000 disgruntled matrimonial-tired of Europe, there is every prospect that law and order will be things unknown.

With the leading men of the country—not the puritanical and narrow-minded—uttering a protest against conditions as they are in Reno, it is almost time for the most thick-skinned immoralist to arrive at the conclusion that the "demands of decency are outraged." However, it is not to be expected that the Gazette, or any other organ that ekes its existence out of the "filthy lucre" of barks shipwrecked on the sea of matrimony, will see "the light" so long as money is being spent in Reno by this class.

It is not to be expected that they will condemn that which adds most materially to their bread and butter. But it is about time that they saw fit to ignore the subject and not come forward with lamentably weak, excuses that simply tend to parade before the public the fact that at the present time the divorce laws of this state place her in a worse position than ever was occupied by a "frontier" state in the "wild and woolly" days of "Judge Lynch."

DEMOCRATIC HINDERANCE.

Well, it's almost over! What? Why the twenty-fifth session of the legislature of the state of Nevada. The body that has miserably failed to accomplish anything worth while. That body that has been eminently successful in "putting off until tomorrow that which should have been done today." Time for regrets is over, so far as the members who misrepresented the different communities throughout the state are concerned. Provided their inaction was due to ignorance, they deserve sympathy, and their constituents deserve censure. Provided, on the other hand, their inaction was with malicious intent, they deserve censure and their constituents sympathy. It is the opinion of the Bonanza that the latter is correct.

The twenty-fifth session had opportunity to enact considerable meritorious legislation, and it is firmly believed that it would have done so had not the filibustering tactics of the democratic members made it almost impossible. However, there will come a day of reckoning at the next election, and it would be well for these democratic members to prepare for the wrath to come, brace themselves, as it were, for the defeat that justly is theirs. They have earned any old kind of a "licking" that their constituents see fit to dish out to them. The harder it is, the nearer it will be to their deserts. They have successfully tied the hands of the legislature and caused the state a useless expenditure of much-needed money. Their actions have spelled for them the word DEFEAT.

John Hays Hammond is not worried about the report of a curt reception he may have as the personal representative of President Taft at the coronation of King George. He has rented for \$15,000 a house in Piccadilly for the occasion, and in it will give a series of swell entertainments that will cause his money to circulate. But, republican simplicity, where are you?

The great ocean steamers are so long that they find trouble in getting piers extended enough to accommodate them. They want piers a thousand feet long, and the government refuses to allow such extensions in the North river; and so the big liners may have to go to the eastern end of Long Island, as Corbett planned years ago to have them do.

CRIME INCREASES.

Sometimes an optimist arises and kindly tells the world that it is growing better all the time. He places before us pictures of savagery from the dim past and asks us to contrast those with the present glories of an advanced civilization; and we feel pleased with ourselves and the world and with the law of evolution.

But then again, the picture is marred. The illusions are dispelled. From the world of reality comes disturbing reports that do not seem to harmonize with the pleasant notes from the harp of optimism. Just now such discords are heard both from London and Paris.

From London comes the statement that the English home office has found a "steady increase of crime during the past ten years." This is no figure of speech. From Paris comes the report that both the police and the clergymen are "appalled and puzzled over the constant increase of crime committed by children and youth."

Some illustrations are given of this statement. A boy only ten years old has appeared as a leader of a gang of thieves. He was brought before the police commissioners on a charge of stealing, but in consideration of his youthfulness he was released. A great deal has been said about the evil influences of prison life in company with hardened criminals. But this boy did not go to prison. He was set free, and yet, a few days later he organized a gang. Goods disposed for sale outside the shops disappeared as if by magic, and every hour of the day the tradesmen were seen hurrying to the police commissary to report losses. A couple of lads were caught. They confessed, adding that their gang was under the control of the boy. Brought before the police commissary the lad gave vent to lamentations over the capture of his gang at the moment when it was about to distinguish itself.

"In a very short time," he cried, "we would have made our fortunes, as I had discovered a way of exploiting the markets. Well, I am caught, and so much the worse for us all!"

Another gang of boys under sixteen was operating with the help of a trained magpie. The bird was perched on the wrist of one of the boys and did tricks, bowed, danced and chattered. The shopkeeper was amused. Suddenly the magpie flew up and perched somewhere out of reach. Some of the boys and the shopkeeper started hunting for the bird; and while the hunt was going on the till was emptied. A whistle called the bird down, and all escaped.

Senator Page of Idaho, having been "licked" by Senator Day in senate session, passes on the licking to Representative Bell, who is probably expected to pass it along to a smaller man. At this rate, a pugilistic training will be an indispensable qualification for statesmanship in our neighboring commonwealth.

Pastor Aked is as good as his word. He quits the millionaire church because it does not afford him the opportunity for Christian service that he craves, and goes to the masses of the people to do them good. And by so doing he vindicates practically his Christian professions.

San Francisco issues four million post-card invitations to persons known, asking them to visit the Panama canal exposition; no answer expected save in person. And yet it is fully understood that no intent is had to slight anybody; so if you don't receive your card, you are invited just the same.

And now our government at the isthmus is called a "satrapy." There's always somebody to complain when definite things are done. Without direct and positive administration, the isthmus could not be kept habitable, to say nothing of the possibility of finishing the canal.

The ease of the swindling banker, Robin, in New York is another shock to the idea that expert testimony is conclusive. He claimed to be insane, and was pronounced to be so by the alienists; but he was shamming all the time.

Regret is expressed in the east that the Hay-Pauncefote treaty is likely to become a nullity by our making the isthmus a fortress in the protection of the canal. But as Great Britain is not objecting, why should Americans speak in her behalf?

Russia appears anxious to invade China, but fearful to do so on account of the plague. It is a case of anxiety putting the brakes upon eagerness; and at last China gets this small compensation for her sore affliction.

That proposed New York farm colony to care for tramps will be carefully avoided by the tramps; it savors too strongly of work for food, for there's always something to do on a farm.

Congress is to be asked to protect the elk herd of Wyoming. But the only way this could be done would be to move them into the National Park and feed them on hay till the grass sprouts.

The two new dreadnoughts which congress has authorized are to be the largest ever. And it is hoped that they will retain this superiority for at least a month.

As a headliner in vaudeville Dr. Cook will in all likelihood make more money out of the North Pole controversy than will Peary as a retired rear-admiral.

Colonel Roosevelt favors the initiative and referendum, but says "the conditions of their use must be properly safeguarded." Sure; but how?

A dirigible ariship that can develop 320 horse-power has been ordered for the German army. About this time watch out for another scare in England.

PERSONAL MENTION

Jake Goodfriend, of Butler theater fame, left this afternoon for Goldfield.

Mrs. Harry Martin, accompanied by her daughter, left today for a visit at San Rafael.

Miss Amy Ford left this morning for San Francisco, where she will visit with relatives.

R. H. Handin, superintendent of the Tonopah & Goldfield railroad, passed through Tonopah this morning, en route to San Francisco.

Mrs. R. C. Moore, wife of Mr. Moore, of the Tonopah Banking corporation, left this morning for a month's vacation in San Francisco.

George Durgan, brother of Mrs. W. W. Booth, came over from Goldfield this morning to spend the day with his sister and brother-in-law.

County Commissioner O'Connell, accompanied by his wife, departed on this morning's train for San Francisco, where Mr. O'Connell goes for the benefit of his health.

STOCK MARKET

The following quotations were furnished the Bonanza by H. E. Epstein, broker:

TONOPAH.		Bid.	Asked.
Tonopah Nevada	\$.85	...	...
Montana	.....	.....	.....
Tonopah Ex.	.....	1.22*	.....
MacNamara	.....	.13	.....
Midway	.....	.15	.....
Belmont	.....	6.05	6.10
North Star	.....	.10	.11
West End	.....	.50	.51
Rescue	.....	.08	.09
Jim Butler	.....	.26	.28
Mizpah Ex.	.....	.....	.48

GOLDFIELD.		Bid.	Asked.
Goldfield Con.	.....	\$6.70	\$6.75
Booth	.....	.11	.12
Blue Bull	.....	.04	.05
Atlanta	.....	.13	.14
Florence	.....	2.15	2.20
Spearhead	.....	.10	.....
Comb. Fraction	.....	.11	.12
Kewanas	.....	.06	.07
Jumbo Ex.	.....	.46	.48
Mustang	.....	.02	.04

MISCELLANEOUS.		Bid.	Asked.
Pitts. Silver Peak	.....	\$.75	\$.80
Manhattan Con.	.....	.....	.03
Man. Dexter	.....	.04	.05
Nevada Hills	.....	2.87 1/2	2.90
Man. Big Four	.....	.11	.....

NEW YORK CURB.		Bid.	Asked.
Tonopah Mining	.....	\$.85	\$.87
Montana	.....	.85	.90
Tonopah Ex.	.....	1.18	1.22
MacNamara	.....	.14	.16
Midway	.....	.14	.16
Belmont	.....	5.82	5.87 1/2
West End	.....	.52	.54
Jim Butler	.....	.26	.28
Goldfield Con.	.....	6.87 1/2	7.00
Mizpah Ex.	.....	.43	.46

SALES.		Forenoon.	Afternoon.
2000 MacNamara	.....	\$.14	.....
500 West End	.....	.52	.....
500 Midway	.....	.15	.....
2000 West End	.....	.50	.....
1500 North Star	.....	.11	.....
1000 Midway	.....	.15	.....
500 Belmont	.....	6.05	.....

W. Van Patten begs to notify the public that he has purchased the interests of Mrs. F. M. White in the American Ladies' dress-making parlors over Morrow & Hussey's store, and will conduct the same from now on with nothing but first-class dress-makers and designers. Workmanship, style and fit guaranteed. 3-11.

NOTICE!
St. Mark's Episcopal Guild will hold their regular meeting Friday afternoon, March 17. All members requested to be present.
LILLIAN HERRING, Sec.
3-14-3t

Temperature Report

Today's hourly temperature as recorded at the Tonopah weather office was as follows:

1 a. m.	.....	38
2 a. m.	.....	38
3 a. m.	.....	37
4 a. m.	.....	36
5 a. m.	.....	36
6 a. m.	.....	35
7 a. m.	.....	34
8 a. m.	.....	36
9 a. m.	.....	40
10 a. m.	.....	36
11 a. m.	.....	40
12 noon	.....	42
1 p. m.	.....	45
2 p. m.	.....	47
Highest a year ago	.....	52
Lowest	.....	37

MRS. RUSSELL SAGE MAKES GIFT TO ART MUSEUM

NEW YORK, March 14.—Mrs. Russell Sage is the donor of the most important recent acquisition to the metropolitan art museum here—a collection of Japanese "netsukes." The collection includes 2546 specimens of these marvelous carved trinkets that the Japanese wear on the cords of their tobacco pouches or any receptacles that may hang suspended from the belt. The netsukes were collected originally by A. C. Vrooman of Pasadena, Cal. They were seen there by Mrs. Sage and after her return east she made the purchase.

PRICE OF PLATINUM RAPIDLY ADVANCING

NEW YORK, March 14.—Platinum, which now is far more costly than gold, has been advancing rapidly in price in the last few weeks. It is quoted in Maiden Lane at \$43 an ounce for the hard platinum, and \$41 an ounce for the soft metal. These are the highest prices ever reached and indicate an advance of about \$10 an ounce in the last six months.

ZUCCA JURY DISAGREED.

NEW YORK, March 14.—A disagreement of the jury was the outcome yesterday of the trial of Antonio Zucca, a former coroner and prominent Tammany politician, on an indictment charging that he had defrauded the government by the false invoicing and weighing of imports.

Notice of Restoration of Public Lands to Settlement and Entry. Department of the Interior, General Land Office, Washington, D. C., February 8, 1911. Notice is hereby given that the public lands in the following described areas, which were excluded from the Toiyabe National Forest, Nevada, by proclamation of the President on December 10, 1910, if not otherwise withdrawn or reserved, will by authority of the Secretary of the Interior be restored to the public domain on April 15, 1911, and become subject to settlement on and after that date, but not to entry, filing or selection until on and after May 15, 1911, under the usual restrictions, at the United States Land Office at Carson City, Nevada: In T. 10 N., R. 37 E., Secs. 2 to 6, inclusive, S. 8, 9, 10, 11, 14, 15 and 16; in T. 11 N., R. 37 E., E. 1/2 Sec. 14 and N. E. 1/4 Sec. 23; in T. 12 N., R. 38 E., N. E. 1/4 Sec. 19; in T. 11 N., R. 39 E., Secs. 23 and 32; in T. 14 N., R. 41 E., W. 1/2 Secs. 22, 27 and 34; in T. 15 N., R. 41 E., W. 1/2 Secs. 16, 21 and 25 and N. E. 1/4 Sec. 29; in T. 9 N., R. 42 E., E. 1/2 Secs. 1, 12 and 13; in T. 10 N., R. 42 E., E. 1/2 Sec. 36; in T. 7 N., R. 43 E., S. 1/2 Secs. 23 and 24; in T. 17 N., R. 43 E., S. W. 1/4 N. E. 1/4 and S. E. 1/4 Sec. 9; in T. 18 N., R. 43 E., N. W. 1/4 Sec. 22; in T. 19 N., R. 43 E., S. E. 1/4 Sec. 24; in T. 7 N., R. 44 E., Sec. 1, N. E. 1/4 and S. 1/2 Sec. 2, Secs. 10 and 16, S. E. 1/4 Sec. 17, S. 1/2 Sec. 19, Secs. 20 and 21; in T. 8 N., R. 44 E., S. E. 1/4 Secs. 25 and 35 and all Sec. 36; in T. 16 N., R. 44 E., N. 1/2 and S. W. 1/4 Sec. 4, S. E. 1/4 Sec. 8, W. 1/2 Sec. 9, N. E. 1/4 and S. W. 1/4 Sec. 17 and N. W. 1/4 Sec. 20; in T. 17 N., R. 44 E., N. E. 1/4 and S. 1/2 Sec. 2, Secs. 10 and 11, W. 1/2 Sec. 14, Sec. 15, N. 1/2 and S. W. 1/4 Sec. 22, N. W. 1/4 Sec. 27, S. E. 1/4 Sec. 28, and E. 1/2 Sec. 33; in T. 19 N., R. 44 E., Sec. 19 and W. 1/2 Sec. 20; in T. 20 N., R. 44 E., Secs. 19 to 24, inclusive; in T. 3 N., R. 45 E., W. 1/2 Sec. 28, S. 1/2 Secs. 35 and 36; in T. 8 N., R. 45 E., S. E. 1/4 Sec. 7, E. 1/2 Sec. 18, N. E. 1/4 and S. 1/2 Sec. 19, all Secs. 30 and 31; in T. 14 N., R. 45 E., W. 1/2 Sec. 16 and 21; in T. 15 N., R. 45 E., Sec. 12; in T. 20 N., R. 45 E., Secs. 19, 20 and 21; in T. 3 N., R. 46 E., E. 1/2 Sec. 29 and S. 1/2 Sec. 31; in T. 11 N., R. 46 E., Sec. 6, E. 1/2 and N. W. 1/4 Sec. 7, E. 1/2 Sec. 13, N. E. 1/4 Sec. 19 and E. 1/2 Sec. 29; in T. 12 N., R. 46 E., S. E. 1/4 Sec. 30, N. E. 1/4 and S. 1/2 Sec. 31; in T. 13 N., R. 46 E., S. E. 1/4 Sec. 14, N. E. 1/4 and S. 1/2 Sec. 23; in T. 14 N., R. 46 E., E. 1/2 Sec. 36; in T. 6 N., R. 47 E., E. 1/2 Secs. 2, 11 and 14; in T. 7 N., R. 47 E., S. E. 1/4 Sec. 1, N. E. 1/4 and S. 1/2 Sec. 12, Sec. 13, E. 1/2 Secs. 14 and 23, all Secs. 24 and 25, and E. 1/2 Secs. 26 and 35; in T. 15 N., R. 47 E., Secs. 6, 7 and 13; in T. 16 N., R. 47 E., Sec. 6, N. E. 1/4 and N. W. 1/4 Sec. 7, E. 1/2 Sec. 18, N. E. 1/4 and S. 1/2 Sec. 31; in T. 17 N., R. 47 E., Secs. 6, 7, 8, 17, 18, 19, 20, 29 and 30; in T. 8 N., R. 48 E., Secs. 16, 17, 20, 21, 28, 29, S. E. 1/4 Sec. 30, E. 1/2 Sec. 31, all Secs. 32 and 33; in T. 12 N., R. 49 E., Sec. 21; in T. 15 N., R. 50 E., E. 1/2 Secs. 5 and 8; Mount Diablo Meridian and Base. Warning is hereby expressly given that under the President's proclamation no persons will be permitted to gain or exercise any right whatever under any settlement or occupancy begun after December 10, 1910, and prior to April 15, 1911, and all such settlement or occupancy is hereby forbidden, and those settling in violation of the President's proclamation are liable to be ejected. (Signed) S. V. PROUDFIT, Assistant Commissioner of the General Land Office. Approved February 8, 1911. (Signed) FRANK PIERCE, First Assistant Secretary of the Interior. 2-18, 25-3-4, 11, 18.

NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the SILVER GLANCE MINING COMPANY OF NEVADA will be held at the office of the company, Tonopah, Nevada, at 3 p. m., on April 11, 1911, for the purpose of electing a board of directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.
J. W. STEWART, Secretary.
3-14 to 4-11

CLASSIFIED ADS.

Advertisements in this Column are 10 cents per line, each insertion. Five words to the line.

WANTED—Four or 6-hole 2nd hand cooking stove—cheap. S. R. Moore & Co. 3-11-3t

FOUND—Gentleman's gold-rimmed eyeglasses. Call Bonanza office, prove property and pay for advertisement. 1t

FOR SALE—Rooming house and laundry; cheap. Must be sold at once. P. O. Box 21, Millers, Nev. 2-27-tf

FOR SALE—Child's twin crib, Domestic sewing machine; small heating stove. Rear Presbyterian church. Bargain. Mrs. W. V. Ryan. 3-7-tf

MEN'S MADE-TO-ORDER SUITS—Good dressers have their clothes made to measure. The latest fabrics in many colors, \$15 to \$40. Ryan & Stenson. 3-8-1m

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