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LOCAL AND OTHERWISE.

St. Valentine's Day to-day. John Shier, County Recorder, left for DeLamar on Monday's stage.

About eight inches of snow fell Tuesday night telling us that our winter is not over with yet.

Ed. Freudenthal went out to Bristol on Saturday to look after some of his mining interests.

Travel over the Milford route is not very heavy at present, but is expected to increase with the opening of Spring.

The best Valentine of the season was presented to Russ Allen this morning by his wife. Mother and child well.

Henry Freudenthal and his brother Ed. returned from Silver Reef last Thursday evening. They will remain with us for some time.

Assemblyman Denton is making himself heard in the Legislature. He takes a leading part in all the debates and is generally on the winning side.

The entertainment by the A. O. U. W. to-night promises to be a treat and it is earnestly requested of all those who attend that they be in the hall by 8:15 as the exercises will commence promptly at 8:30 o'clock.

C. L. Roe came in Friday from Bristol, for supplies and also for hands to start up his furnace. He left on Saturday with a crew and expect to make a successful run. The ore now being run through is from the Cave mine.

A "Sheet and Pillow-case" dance is to be given in Thompson's Opera House on Friday evening, February 22nd. Celebrate Washington's Birthday by attending the coming social event. Tickets will be on sale in a few days at 50 cents each.

Al Grant died at Silver Reef on the 23rd of last month after a long illness. Al Grant was well known here and in Silver Reef, and was liked by all who knew him.

Frank Bangers had a narrow escape from death on last Saturday night. He has been sleeping in the frame building to the north of John Roeder's store and on Sunday morning at about one o'clock the roof fell in, caused by the heavy weight of snow, and buried him up. Where he had his bed there was an old saw horse and some boxes which prevented the mass from crushing the life out of him.

Prof. Foster, the weather prophet, says that the next storm wave will reach the Pacific Coast about February 16th, cross the western mountain country be the close of the 17th, the great central valleys from the 18th to 20th and the eastern States about the 24th.

As the result of about two week's negotiating, a deal which involves the Advance and Old Democrat groups in the Ferguson district, was closed up yesterday in a very satisfactory manner and the title to the properties passed from the former owner and locator W. J. Dooly, to Henry W. Lawrence, W. S. Godbe, S. T. Godbe, Frank Godbe, Ernest Godbe and Marry Godbe.

The above appeared in the Herald of Feb. 9, and the Advance and Old Democrat mines are situated in what is now known as the Panaca district formerly called Chief district and is situated 12 miles below Bullenville. The property was transferred to H. W. Lawrence, P. Sheahan and Wm. Lloyd who will very shortly commence work on the property. The first locations were made some twenty years ago, but have been abandoned for a long time.

FOR THE WORSE.

The dissatisfaction expressed by the DeLamar citizens over their mail service, and the petitions for a change, have evidently effected one which is the worse for all concerned. For several years past the mail has left Milford in the evening, arriving here the evening following at 6 p. m.

The service from Milford for the past two years has been the best this section has ever had and it will be generally satisfactory to allow it to remain untouched.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder Most Perfect Made. THE STAMP FRAUD.

Parties in Pioche are in receipt of letters asking for canceled stamps for a charity's sake, the alleged beneficiary being a young crippled girl, whom some eastern medical college had agreed to furnish a pair of artificial limbs upon receiving 1,000,000 canceled stamps, or so it was claimed.

The scheme was as follows: Letters were sent out to many persons in all parts of the country requesting the received to send ten cancelled stamps to the girl, whose address is given, and to make three copies of the letter and send them to their friends, with requests for them each to send ten stamps, and to get three friends to send ten stamps, and so on, until a series of fifty letters have been sent out.

The almost utter impossibility of one person collecting a million cancelled stamps in a life time is thus overcome. A man with a mind running to mathematics has made a computation as to how many carloads of stamps the "poor crippled girl" would receive, this is what he says: "The number of letters received by her would equal the sum of all powers of 3 from 1 to 50-1, for the letter No. 1 would be returned with 10 stamps, while the multiples of 3 do not begin until the letter No. 2 are returned.

It seems that the origin of the effort to gather them was a Chicago advertisement offering \$200 for a million cancelled stamps. This sum would have paid for what the cripple needed. The young lady who started the collection resides at Kanesville, Ill., a place with a population of 400. And now, after nearly ruining the village postmaster, whose salary is \$200 a year, and the mail carrier, whose contract is for much less, and perplexing the whole place with the inundation of letters from all quarters, it turns out that the advertisement was a hoax and the cancelled stamps are worthless.

Letters series No. 33 struck this place and if all of the series of that number were answered the young lady would receive 6,000,501,566,555,523 letters. The Flagstaff. Since our last mention of this property work has continued steadily showing the ledge to maintain an almost uniform width of nearly three feet. The ore in the upper part of the raise has improved in quality and a mill shipment is expected to be made next week.

The whist club met last Saturday evening at the residence of Mrs. Carman. A series of thirty-six games were played, the winners being Henry Freudenthal with 24 games won to 12 lost, and Miss Mattie Sawyer and Miss Annie Carman with 21 won to 15 lost, and the losers were Eugene Goodrich with 19 lost to 17 won and Miss Alma Dupont with 20 lost and 16 won.

The weekly meetings of the Whist Club are eagerly looked for now by the members as they are sure to spend a pleasant evening. The next meeting of the club will be at the residence of Mrs. Geo. S. Sawyer.

CALIFORNIA EASTERN.

The Present Outlook For Resuming Operations.

The Los Angeles Herald publishes the following: "The Nevada Southern railroad will be built. All the articles were signed in Denver on the 5th of January last, and W. R. Woodbury, President of the Union National bank in that city, was elected President of the corporation."

The above was the emphatic statement of a gentleman well known in San Francisco and Denver railroad circles, but whose name, for obvious reasons, he desires withheld for a while.

Continuing, he said: "The contracts for the grading and bridging of the road will be signed either to-morrow or Tuesday, and the work will at once be commenced."

"Mr. Woodbury is a heavy owner in the road and intends to push it to completion as far as Good Springs, in the Yellow Pine mining district, Lincoln county, Nevada, immediately. This point is six miles east of the rich Keystone gold mine and from this locality the bulk of the roads tonnage will come. The road which at present ends four miles south of Vanderbilt, is thirty miles in length, starting from Blake on the Atlantic and Pacific railroad, and although there is no town anywhere located on it, it pays its expenses. With this extension it will become a handsome and paying investment, as Good Springs is situated in one of the most extensive undeveloped and unexplored mineral districts in the United States.

Mr. R. G. Scofield of the Pacific Coast Oil Company of San Francisco, who was formerly vice-president of the road under the Blake management, is still interested in it, in connection with E. S. Seibert, who at present is in Marvel with Joseph D. Lynch and T. R. Gabel, former general superintendent of the Atlantic & Pacific division of the Santa Fe system.

Isaac E. Blake, the former president of the road is entirely out of it now. Mr. Blake was working for the organization of a new company of which he was to be president. It was to be called the Utah and Nevada Company. In this company was to be embodied the rich Keystone mine located in the Yellow Pine mining district, Nevada; the Gladiator Company's property, located in San Bernardino county, Cal.; the Needles Reduction Works, the Pioche Consolidated Company's property, and the Nevada Southern Railway. The deal was to be consummated on the condition that Mr. Blake would raise the incumbrances in the way of indebtedness that might exist on the different properties.

The panic of last year, however, and his failure to realize upon his many assets, prevented the consummation of the plan outlined, and as he could not put in his property free from all incumbrances, the whole thing fell through, due mainly to the withdrawal of the interests owned by John B. Claffin of New York. One thing is certain the Nevada Southern will be built, and quickly at that, to Good Springs. There is really no object for them to extend the road farther at present, because at Good Springs it will hold the key to the situation."

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder World's Fair Highest Medal and Diploma. County Recorder Shier received a letter the other day from a party in San Francisco who has just woken up from a Rip Van Winkle sleep.

In speaking of Senator Patchen one of our exchanges says: "Senator Patchen is the envied Adonis of the Legislature. The eulogy of the Governor and the Governor's private secretary in the forenoon session on his illicit 'kiss but never tell' bill, which was sent in with his Excellency's cordial approval, was enough to make anybody proud, and the ladies all admire him both secretly and openly.

The Vaughan murder case is up in the Supreme Court on appeal. Alfred Vaughan shot and killed Willie and John Lester near Austin in 1893. He was convicted of murder in the first degree for killing Willie.

The vote of Humboldt county was recounted in the Assembly to decide the Francis-Hardin contest. Francis the sitting member was shown to have been elected by one vote.

Virginia has contributed \$20 and 300 pounds of clothing to the Kansas and Nebraska destitute.

OUR WASHINGTON LETTER.

Washington, February 7, 1895. President Cleveland has again shown his belief that the Indians are entitled to some consideration in legislation which affects their interest.

The action of the House Commerce Committee in adopting a resolution that the Nicaragua Canal bill previously reported from that committee be adopted by the House as a substitute for the bill that has already passed the Senate, has increased the chances, already numerous, against any action on this matter by the present Congress.

Much gossip has been caused by the often reiterated statement that the Attorney General forced the resignation of the Solicitor General, his highest subordinate, because that official as the representative of the government, joined with counsel for the other side in asking the Supreme Court to advance the case involving the constitutionality of the income tax. If true this would place the Attorney General in an extraordinary position. Anyway the court has advanced the case and a decision is expected before the close of this term, and Judge Maxwell has returned to his law practice, having been succeeded as Solicitor General by Mr. Holmes Conrad, of Virginia.

Among the more or less biting remarks made in the House when the Pacific Railroad funding bill was being discussed, was the following reply of Representative Bryan, of Neb., to the numerous suggestion of Mr. Powers, of Vt., that New England send its surplus wisdom to the West. "Judging from some of the legislation originating in the East, I think you had better pay a bounty and retain some of your intelligence at home. New England is the spawning ground for the eels who have been guilty of the great villainies perpetrated in the management of these roads, and who prove so slippery when the government undertakes to make them answer therefor."

Representative Heard, of Mo., was called a "contemptible scoundrel" by Representative Breckenridge of Ky., he retorted by calling him a "liar," and the floor of the House was in an uproar for a few minutes which was both disgusting and disgraceful. Readers who get their news exclusively from the Congressional Record will never know anything about this, as both "gentlemen," having apologized and withdrawn the objectionable remarks, the House with its usual good nature ordered that all mention of the affair be expunged from the record. Why shouldn't contempt of Congress be punished as heavily as contempt of court?

The vote on the bill to issue \$500,000,000 in bonds shows that ninety-two Democrats and forty-two Republicans voted for the bill and ninety-eight Democrats, fifty-six Republicans and seven Populists and Silver men against it. The bill was an administration measure. It had the approval of President Cleveland. It was intended to prevent all legislation in the interest of silver and increase the national debt half a billion of dollars, yet notwithstanding the disposition of the Republican to oppose administration measures, forty-two of them, including Reed of Maine, could not resist the temptation to permanently establish the gold standard, and voted for the bill.

Their dislike for silver overcame their opposition to Cleveland Democracy and they combined with the "cuckoos" to saddle an enormous debt on the country rather than coin silver and put it in circulation.

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A. O. U. W. PIOCHE LODGE NO. 26. THE REGULAR MEETINGS OF Pioche Lodge No. 26, A. O. U. W., are held in Odd Fellow's Hall the first and third Wednesday evening of each month, at 7:30 o'clock sharp. Visiting brothers cordially invited to attend. J. D. CAMPBELL, M. W.

F. & A. M. ST. JOHN'S LODGE NO. 18. MEETS THE FOURTH SATURDAY in each month at Masonic Hall, on LaCour street. All visiting Brothers in good standing are invited to attend. JAMES NESBITT, Secretary. J. D. CAMPBELL, W. M.

Notice of Forfeiture. To E. O. Western, his grantees, assigns, heirs, executors, or administrator and all parties claiming under, from, by or through him: You are hereby notified that the undersigned co-owner with you in the mining claim known as the "West End" situated in Ely Mining District, Lincoln County, State of Nevada, has performed the work and made the expenditures on the said mining claim, required by section 2324 of the Revised Statutes of the United States to hold the same for the years 1890, 1891, '92, '93, and '94 and the amount due from you, your grantees, assigns, or administrator, etc., on account of such expenditures on said mining claim is the sum of one hundred and seventy-five dollars (\$175). And if within ninety days after the publication of this notice you fail or refuse to contribute your said proportion of such expenditure as co-owner, said proportion of said claim will become the property of the subscriber under said section 2324. JOHN BINGHAM. Dated Pioche, Nevada, December 27, 1894.

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