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EL PASO HAS AN EXCITING TIME IN PANAMA

Parvin Witte Tells of Recent Concert Trip to the Isthmus.

Parvin Witte, tenor soloist and director of the First Presbyterian church chorus choir, who recently returned from a concert tour of the Isthmus of Panama, which he made in company with a concert company from Pittsburgh, talks interestingly of his trip across the Isthmus.

After a stormy trip down the coast and across the Caribbean, the Pittsburgh concert company landed at Colon on February 3 and made a flying trip across the Isthmus to Panama where headquarters were established. Concerts were given at Ancon, Culebra, Empire, Cuzco, Gorgona, Gatun and Cristobal Colon.

In these concerts Mr. Witte appeared as solo tenor and he says the enthusiasm of the Americans who attended these concerts was the true, American kind and they were all lionized during the entire stay on the Isthmus. The concerts were arranged by the government for the entertainment of the government employees of the canal zone, just as the Y. M. C. A. buildings, the schools and other conveniences have been provided for the men who are making the great gateway to the Pacific possible.

Side trips were made by the concert company to the interesting places in the town of Panama. Culebra, cut, with its gigantic engineering problem of conquering the sliding mountain and the quaint old world cities were visited by the El Pasoan and his companions.

Exciting Experience. "Everywhere the spikity, or native, was in evidence," Mr. Witte said, "I saw a swarm of them try to stop a fight between some natives and a bunch of jacksies from one of the United States battleships. Those little men, four of whom would hardly make a good sized American man, would apparently drop out of the sky when the police whistles blew and they would overcome their foes by actual force of numbers."

"We had one exciting experience while on the Isthmus which looked for a few minutes as if it might have a fatal termination. We all went to Cartagena, a little native village near Empire. It happened to be Shrove Tuesday, preceding Lent and the natives were celebrating in a most barbarous fashion. They had their faces blackened and hideous circles painted under their eyes. They looked like real man eaters and when the chief spied us he came galloping down upon us, a wicked looking machete suspended over his head emitting whoops of defiance which would make a college yell sound like a postage stamp flirtation."

"What 'em want?" he said in broken English. We informed him that we were on no more warlike mission than to take some pictures of the doings. He immediately opened negotiations for the privilege of taking their pictures, the consideration being one spikity dollar in addition to the usual consideration of love and affection."

FEDERAL BUILDING NOTES. William E. Mercer, assistant transfer clerk in the railway mail service, has transferred to Fort Worth and John C. Carter is now transfer clerk here.

Four applicants wrote the examination for forest clerk Thursday at the federal building.

Lost Part of Engine. A brass hub was lost off of the new auto fire engine yesterday while a test run was being made from the fire station. The firemen are now looking for the lost part along the streets where the test was made.

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RAILROAD NEWS. STILWELL SPECIAL HERE MARCH 23

Southwestern to Handle the Special From Tucumcari, N. M.

Another of the special trains of president A. E. Stilwell, of the Kansas City, Mexico & Orient, is scheduled to pass through El Paso on the evening of March 23, the Southwestern operating department announcing that arrangements have been made for hauling it from Tucumcari to this city, where it will be delivered to the National Railways of Mexico.

The train, comprising eight coaches, will originate at St. Louis and depart over the Rock Island. It will be in charge of president Stilwell, who will have as his guests a number of friends and capitalists whom he expects to interest in his road.

IMMIGRANTS TO FLOOD COUNTRY

Germans Will Be Brought Over Regularly and Landed at Galveston.

The southwest is to be flooded with immigrants from Europe, according to the statement of E. L. Boas, a director and general manager of the Hamburg-American steamship line, who announced that monthly and later fortnightly service is to be established between Hamburg and New Orleans.

Mr. Boas believes that the southwestern country offers inducements and opportunities to the European immigrants and that many who would otherwise settle in New York or the north, will come to Texas.

Mr. Boas is visiting with his son, Herbert A. Boas, connected with the Southwestern. He has not been in El Paso since 1882 and was properly surprised at the progress the city has made.

SOME FUN OVER A WALKING CONTEST IN ARIZONA

Stakeholder Confiscates Stakes of His Friends and Declares the Contest a Draw.

A story of a phenomenal showing of wits by a briseman at Amarillo, on the Southwestern, comes from Benson. According to the dispatch, de Lacy is alleged to have announced that he could walk from Benson to St. David, seven miles, within an hour. Gowen thought of a walking contest was started, Carothers, who held the stakes, which it is announced consisted of a gold watch valued at \$25, and a few cents, also acted as referee. He is alleged to have called the contest a draw, heat, acting upon the suggestions, perhaps, of the Mabray gang, and to have confiscated the watch and money.

Gowen and de Lacy, as a result of walking over the lines, are reported to be confined to their rooms.

SOUTHWESTERN GIVES RATE TO PANHANDLE STOCKMEN.

For the meeting of the Panhandle Live-stock association at Amarillo, on April 5 to 7, the Southwestern has announced a round trip rate of \$23. Tickets will be placed on sale on April 4, 5 and 6. The final return limit is placed at April 3.

In the event the Tucumcari-Amarillo branch of railroad is completed by the time of the meeting, passengers from El Paso and the western division of the road will transfer at Tucumcari, rather than go to Dalhart and transferring to the Colorado & Southern. It is thought that the road from Tucumcari to Amarillo will be completed by April 1, as several miles of steel have already been laid.

SWARTOUT QUITS STATION.

C. E. Waterhouse has succeeded W. J. Swartout as first shift operator at the union station. Mr. Swartout left last night for Kansas City, where he has accepted a position. Mike Carter has been promoted to second shift operator, and operator Espinosa, located in Juarez for the past three years, takes the third shift.

CHEAP RATES TO CHICAGO. Special round trip rates to Chicago for the spring meeting of merchants, are being announced by the various railroads.

NEW ROADMASTER. The appointment of John Welch as roadmaster for the first district of the western division of the Southwestern, has been announced by F. B. Wilson,

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Oven Pot Roast, 2 lbs 25c | Rib Stew . . . 3 lbs 25c
Cloverdale Process Butter 30c per pound

Grocery Department
"Lyndon" brand Sliced Lemon Cling Peaches, 3 lb. cans. 25c
Regular price 35c per can. Special.
"Casino" brand Clams. Regular F. S. Granulated Hominy. Regular
price 25c. Special, 20c price 2 pkgs 25c. Special 25c
per can. 3 pkgs. for

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AMUSEMENTS.

CRAWFORD VAUDEVILLE.
The original bill which the Crawford vaudeville season opened, was augmented last night by the addition of the LeRoy sisters and Keith and Cummings. LeMont brothers opening the bill with a new skit, including singing and eccentric dancing, and the Malcomms duo are second with some splendid juggling. The LeRoy sisters in songs that are up to date and entertaining come third on the program, and Keith and Cummings are next. They do a musical and comedy act that made a tremendous hit with the audience. One of them plays the piano and the other as a blackface bellhop sings and tells jokes and then both of them act. They have good voices and their act is very amusing. Leonard Lohr then sang a new song and Frank Houghton and company, cyruses, close the bill with the exception of the motion pictures. The cyclists do a lot of things that are more than uncommon even for trick cyclists.

SANFORD DODGE.
Sanford Dodge and company presented "The Gladiator" at the Crawford last night, and tonight will appear in "Faust." "The Gladiator" is in five acts and is laid in the time of ancient Rome, when Christians were persecuted and made slaves. It is a strong story and requires some very strong acting at times. Mr. Dodge and Miss Hazel Haslem in the leading roles were satisfactory, and were supported by a fairly capable company. They should appear to better advantage in "Faust."

NEW BILL AT MAJESTIC.
The Majestic changed its bill last night and the three audiences seemed pleased with the new offering of music and mirth as concocted by Fritz Fields and company. The principals all have solo numbers that are well rendered and the chorus does some new dances in appropriate costumes.

"UNCLE JOSH PERKINS."
The press man says: "Uncle Josh Perkins" is the title of a play that has scored a success this season unprecedented in recent years. It is to be given here in all its entirety by the original company, which first carried it into prosperity and popularity. It will be produced here next Sunday, March 20, at the El Paso theater, and it is certain to play to a packed house. "Uncle Josh Perkins" is a comedy drama; there is a touch of tragic na-

ture in it that excites to an intense pitch the emotions of the spectators with all ending happily. The play is livened up by the excellent company and when the spectators are not in sleep over the misfortune of the beautiful young heroine and the shadows that appear to threaten her future, they are laughing and applauding uproariously at the funny antics of the comedians. Some new and some exceedingly clever songs and specialties are introduced at appropriate stages of the play, a vast amount of new and magnificent scenery is used for the impressive stage pictures presented in each of the four acts of the piece.

Seats are now selling at the Crawford theater. Prices, lower floor, 75c, balcony 50c gallery 25c.

AMATEURS TONIGHT.
In connection with the splendid vaudeville bill at the Crawford, the amateurs of the city will be given a chance tonight to show their ability after the last regular show. A large number have sent in their names and a "great bill" is assured, the management says.

SOUVENIRS SATURDAY NIGHT.
Every woman attending the Crawford Saturday night will receive a handsome souvenir. There is a continuous show from 7:30 to 10:30.

MATINEE SATURDAY.
A great vaudeville bill will be given at the matinee Saturday at the Crawford. The matinee prices are 10c to all parts of the house.

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RAIN FALLS AT VAUGHN; YOUNG PEOPLE GIVE DANCE
Vaughn, N. M., March 18.—Vaughn has been visited with rain. The ground is not wet deep, but there is enough moisture to make plowing easier, and to bring up the garden seed already planted.

J. K. Monroe is repairing his store room on Cedar street next to the barber shop. Miss Nellie Dowell has leased it and will put in a millinery stock.

Mrs. E. H. McNabb entertained at cards.

The young people gave a St. Patrick's dance at the hall.

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MONUMENT TO A NOTED MEXICAN

Oaxaca People to Honor the Memory of Matias Romero, Former Ambassador.

Oaxaca de Juarez, Oaxaca, Mexico, March 18.—In view of friendly relations with the United States, and the coming centennial of Mexico's independence, officials of Rincon Antonio, aided by citizens of both that and this town, are preparing to erect a monument to Matias Romero, former ambassador to Washington, and "first statesman" of Mexico.

Already president Diaz and minister of foreign relations Mariscal have donated heavily to the patriotic project; which will result in erection of a life size statue of the eminent statesman and the creation of a park for the purpose of a setting. The task of raising the sum required is in the hands of Ricardo J. Jordan, of Rincon.

Romero was ambassador to the United States before the French invasion of Mexico. He was a foremost lawyer, diplomat and patriot, and gained a fair name among the Americans of Washington. Romero was a native of Oaxaca and for that reason the movement to erect a monument in his name bears especial local interest.

PATENTS FOR THE ASYLUM.

Mrs. Mary Larsen, Mrs. M. Delaney, Emma Glass and Felipe Chacon, the inmates of the county jail, who are to be taken to the Insane hospital at San Antonio, will be taken there this evening. Jesus Madrid, the 15-year-old boy will be taken if the consent of his parents can be obtained.

INSPECTING RAILWAY BOOKS.

San Antonio, Tex., March 18.—Interstate commerce commission agents, numbering 30, have been in Texas since March 1 inspecting the books in the general offices of the railway companies in an effort to find evidence of rebates or other violations of the law.

LOS ANGELES EXCURSIONISTS.

The Los Angeles trade excursionists are being entertained at Douglas and Bisbee today. The party, comprising 125 business men of the California city, are traveling in a special train.

KILLED BY A CAR.

Manuel Gamma, a Mexican, was killed at Benson yesterday, being crushed by a freight car.

ABOUT RAILROAD PEOPLE.

O. J. Donaldson, tourist manager of the Rock Island, is in El Paso on business.

MINER INJURED BY ROCK STRIKING HEAD

Runaway Horse Damages Street Car and Automobile—Bisbee Merchants Want Street Stands Moved.

Bisbee, Ariz., March 18.—S. Varbusch, a miner, while working at the Cole shaft, was struck and severely hurt by a big piece of rock falling on his head. By the time the man arrived at the C. & A. hospital he had suffered a large loss of blood and was in a serious condition. It is believed, however, that Varbusch will recover.

Jack Dowling of Bisbee has gone to Roosevelt where, according to information received, his brother was accidentally killed by falling from a building.

Frightened at the howling of a dog, a black mare belonging to Griff Williams ran down Main street, damaging a street car and automobile during its wild run.

The business men of Bisbee have made a petition to the mayor and the city council asking them to prevent the obstruction of the streets of Bisbee by lunch, peanuts and other kinds of stands.

Thomas Cornish, aged 82, died after an illness of several weeks. His death was due to the so-called "miners' consumption," the result of dust of the mines. He leaves two sons.

TRUSTY TRAPPER AND GUIDE.

Says the Tobstone (Ariz.) prospector: "Col. John W. Walker, the polite, obliging and professional guide to parties touring old Mexico, has returned after having successfully piloted a party of 'buried city' hunters down the west coast. We look for the energetic passenger guide to soon have a 'tour agency' that will put 'Cook's Tours' out of commission, and when we say Cook's we do not mean the pole provericator." "Col. John" is a brother of Norman Walker, of El Paso.

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