

**NEW DEAL AT HEBER.**

Acquires Townsite and Plans Active Development Campaign.

ph R. Loftus, who recently a large tract of land near Cak for subdivision, has organized Loftus & Burnham company, headquarters in Los Angeles, to an Imperial Valley lands. The any is capitalized at \$50,000, and rectors are Jos. R. Loftus, M. P. am, C. H. Baker, Myron West- and G. M. Giffen.

Loftus and his associates have ed the Heber townsite and in- ated a townsite company with 00 capital, and will dispose of lots and cut up into small tracts res adjoining.

hitects are now asking for bids contract for a \$10,000 hotel to be ed at Heber. A lumber yard al- has been established, and it is ted that by the time the canta- season is well under way a will be opened with a capital of 0.

hundred acres of deeded land y Loftus & Burnham will be d in ten-acre tracts at reason- prices. The land in that vicinity ll known to be as good as any valley.

**NEY AND THE GENERAL.**

ey, the Ranacaboo graft hunt- ed The Times are having a high olding match in Los Angeles. y says "so help him God" he end Gen. Otis to prison, and the al retorts:

ancis J. Heney is a very com- pully. Take the bulldozer out ofakeup and you would have left ole in the doughnut. He tickles ars of the rabble by mouthing making people "shut up," and wins another bit of cheap ape by threatening to indict some-

It is all froth and falsehood. as never made The Times "shut and never will. We fear neither re nor the smoke of this explos- icaneer, demagogue and swash- er. We have heard and defied threats before. We fear no in- ent at his hands or at the hands y other human being."

**FAKE COLONY SCHEME.**

Prosperidad" Association Official- ly Declared a Humbug.

t winter a promoter of the name ith infested El Centro for a or two with a scheme to induce e to join an alleged colony in eo. Why anyone should expect t recruits for Mexico from g the settlers of Imperial Valley a conundrum, but not important h to be worth guessing, and and his scheme quietly faded

J. Diaz Prieto, Mexican consul an Diego, now declares that the ration known as the "La Pro- ad Colony" Smith's project, no land in Lower California, as obtained no concessions from Mexican government, as stated in ompany's literature.

company's application was re- l by the Mexican government in er, 1907, and it has no authority l land in Lower California.

**TO ONION GROWERS:**

your onions in sacks. Crates oo expensive. The barley sack o large, the onions are liable to . Our attention has been called is, so we procured a sack that only sixty pounds, just two of onions. It is just the thing vant. Price of new sacks just the factory \$6.50 per one hun- We procured these sacks es- ly for your use.

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**--- TIME TABLES ---**

**Southern Pacific Railway Company.**

**NORTHBOUND.**  
No. 503.  
Leave Calexico ..... 6:00 a. m.  
" El Centro ..... 6:24 "  
" Imperial ..... 6:40 "  
" Brawley ..... 7:10 "  
" Junction ..... 8:00 "

No. 505.  
Leave Calexico ..... 12:45 p. m.  
" El Centro ..... 1:09 "  
" Imperial ..... 1:25 "  
" Brawley ..... 1:55 "  
" Junction ..... 2:45 "

**SOUTHBOUND.**  
No. 502.  
Leave Junction ..... 8:40 a. m.  
" Brawley ..... 9:25 "  
" Imperial ..... 9:52 "  
" El Centro ..... 10:10 "  
" Calexico ..... 10:40 "

No. 504.  
Leave Junction ..... 3:30 p. m.  
" Brawley ..... 4:15 "  
" Imperial ..... 4:42 "  
" El Centro ..... 5:00 "  
" Calexico ..... 5:30 "

**Holton Inter-Urban Railway Company.**  
Effective March 23, 1908.

**WEEK DAYS.**

**Westbound.**  
No. 1—Leave Holtville..... 5:30 a. m.  
No. 3—Leave Holtville..... 12:20 p. m.  
No. 5—Leave Holtville..... 4:15 p. m.

**Eastbound.**  
No. 2—Leave El Centro..... 7:20 a. m.  
No. 4—Leave El Centro..... 1:30 p. m.  
No. 6—Leave El Centro..... 5:30 p. m.

Trains Nos. 1 and 2 carry freight. Nos. 3, 4, 5 and 6, motor car service.

**SUNDAYS.**

**Westbound.**  
No. 1—Leave Holtville..... 10:15 a. m.  
No. 3—Leave Holtville..... 4:15 p. m.

**Eastbound.**  
No. 2—Leave El Centro..... 12:35 p. m.  
No. 4—Leave El Centro..... 5:30 p. m.

Motor car service only.

W. F. HOLT, C. E. PARIS,  
President. Gen'l. Supt.

**ORDINANCE NO. 2.**  
An Ordinance for Police Regulation, Relating to Gambling and the Places Where Gaming is Carried on, Prohibiting the Dealing, Carrying on, Playing or Conducting any Game of Faro, Monte, Roulette, Lansquet, Rouge et Noir, Rondo, Tan, Fan Tan, Stud Horse Poker, Seven and One-half, Twenty-one, Hokey Pokey, or any Banking or Percentage Game, Playe With Cards, Dice or any Device, for Money, Checks, Credit, or Other Representative of Value; Prohibiting the Operation of any Slot Machine, the Payment or Return From the Operation of Which is Dependent Upon Chance and Providing Penalties for the Violation Hereof.

The Board of Trustees of the City of El Centro do ordain as follows:  
Section 1.—Every person who deals, plays or carries on, opens or causes to be opened, or who conducts either as owner or employee or agent, whether for hire or not, any game of faro, monte, roulette, lansquet, rouge et noir, rondo, tan, fan tan, stud horse poker, draw poker, seven and one-half, twenty-one, hokey pokey, or any banking or percentage game played with cards or any device, for money, checks, credit or any other representative of value, and every person who plays or bets at or against any said prohibited game is guilty of a misdemeanor and on conviction shall be punishable by imprisonment in the city or county jail for not less than thirty days, not more than six months and in addition to such imprisonment by a fine of not less than fifty nor more than five hundred dollars.

Section 2.—Every person who, in the City of El Centro operates or causes to be operated or who procures or exposes for the purpose of being operated any slot machine or other device which mechanically, upon the operation of which, by any means whatever, registers or designates any payment to be made or prize to be given, or which mechanically deposits any money, check, credit or other representative of value, or indicates in any manner, any return to be made whatsoever, which return is contingent upon chance or is not positively, plainly and certainly designated beforehand is guilty of a misdemeanor and on conviction shall be punished by imprisonment in the city or county jail for not less than thirty days nor more than six months and in addition to such imprisonments, by a fine of not less than fifty or more than five hundred dollars.

Section 3.—Any person in the City of El Centro owning or renting, leasing or having under control any house or premises who knowingly permits any of the acts mentioned in section one and two, to be done in such house or premises, owned, rented, leased or controlled by such person, shall be punishable as provided in sections one and two of this ordinance.

Section 4.—This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.  
Passed and ordered published this 5th day of May, 1908, by the following vote:  
Ayes—Pearson, Brown, Pellet, Buttress, Hamilton.  
Noes—None.  
H. B. PEARSON,  
President of the Board of Trustees.  
Attest:  
F. G. HAVENS,  
Clerk of the City of El Centro.

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**NOTICE TO CREDITORS.**

In the Superior Court of the County of Imperial, State of California.  
In the matter of the estate of James P. Robinson, deceased.  
Estate of James P. Robinson, deceased.  
Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administrator of the estate of James P. Robinson, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said administrator at the law office of V. Rapp, in El Centro, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate, in said county of Imperial.  
Dated April 11th, A. D. 1908.  
GEORGE W. ROBINSON,  
apr. 11-may 9 Administrator.

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