

From Wednesday's Daily. E. L. Robertson and L. A. Fairer, of Helen, spent yesterday in the metropolis.

S. H. Wallace, Jr., of Philadelphia, a friend of the Elders, is registered at the European.

Mrs. Alice Beecher, of Las Cruces, and Miss Jessie Casey went up to Santa Fe last night.

The gold deposits found at Cripple Creek are not richer in value than Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder.

George Blake is suffering with a complication of diseases. He has the asthma, pneumonia and dropsy.

Judge J. R. McElin, of Las Cruces, was in the city last night, registered at the European. He went up to Santa Fe this morning.

R. M. Barbour and wife, of Monterey, Mexico, have arrived, and will visit the parents of Mrs. Barbour, Mr. and Mrs. Lockhart, for some time.

Mrs. G. M. Condit is quite ill. Although she was considered in a dangerous condition last Monday night, she is reported very much better today.

H. B. Ferguson and others, who were at Santa Fe when the legislature was organized last Monday, returned home on the delayed passenger train this evening.

John Woodin, a popular gentleman of St. Joseph, Mo., was in the city yesterday, the guest of Conductor C. H. Stevenson. Mr. Woodin left last evening for California.

Dr. Henry A. Mott, United States government chemist, reports that Dr. Price's Baking Powder has reached "the same of perfection" in wholesomeness and efficiency.

Food poisoning, who came down from his names in the United States district to enjoy the holidays with his folks, was treated to a reception last night at his home, and all those who attended passed a very pleasant evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Brennan celebrated the holidays by the addition to their household of a born new girl baby. The little thing arrived one evening last week, and the attending physician pronounced mother and child getting along nicely.

Mrs. C. A. Haynes, of Santa Fe, aunt of Ernest Dougherty, of this office, who has been to Las Cruces attending the Christian Endeavor convention, passed through the city Monday night on her way home. She also visited friends in El Paso.

The female impersonation at the masquerade ball last Monday night by Floyd Whitson was simply great, and his make-up was so near genuine that it took the second look from his most intimate friends to convince them that the subject was really a man.

The little daughter of Mrs. Adelia Hill, residing on Railroad avenue, met with a very distressing accident yesterday afternoon. The little girl, about two and a half years old, met with a mishap while playing, and her right thigh about the knee was broken.

During clock-making at Gross, Blackwell & Co's., W. S. McLaughlin is the extra assistant. The firm did a big business during 1894, and it was through hard work from the local manager, Frank Waugh, and his able assistants, W. H. Erickson and J. S. MacTavish.

W. A. Givens, who resigned the general agency of the Singer Sewing Machine company the other day, was presented with a gold-headed ebony cane on Dec. 31 by the employees of the company. Mr. McIntosh making the presentation speech. Mr. Givens responded in a happy manner.

H. C. O'Neal, bookkeeper at A. J. MacJury's, resigned his position, and this morning was found at the store of F. G. Pratt & Co's., vice F. A. Burlingame, resigned. Mr. O'Neal is a capital gentleman in a grocery store, and invites his friends to call on him in the future at F. G. Pratt & Co's.

No news has reached this city, so says Donatiano Chavez, that the gifted old town lawyer, Modesto Ortiz, has been promised a situation in the legislature. This county has no democratic representative in the present legislature, still half of the democrats of the county and city are clamoring for situations.

J. J. Dickey, superintendent of the Western Union Telegraph company at Omaha, and B. Brooks, the superintendent at Denver, were in the city yesterday, and Andrew Smith, of the Atlantic & Pacific railroad company, showed them courtesies. They leave for Ash Fork and other western towns on a tour of inspection.

The following officers of Albuquerque lodge, No. 1, I. O. O. F., will be installed Friday night: George Giggold, N. G.; A. H. Jones, V. G.; James Volaw, secretary; W. W. McCellan, treasurer; Henry Mann, trustee. Harmony lodge, No. 17, I. O. O. F., will install the following new officers on Thursday night: H. E. Rogers, N. G.; Jay A. Hulds, V. G.; R. K. Gentry, secretary; B. F. Davis, treasurer; J. A. Horton, trustee. These two odd Fellows lodges are in flourishing condition.

The regular quarterly meeting of the board of pharmacy will be held in Santa Fe during this week. The members of the board are C. M. Cressmer, of Santa Fe; Bernard Ruppe, of Albuquerque; K. G. Murphy, of Las Vegas; John L. Zimmerman, of Las Vegas, and W. C. Porterford, of Silver City. Much important business will come before the board several complaints have been received lately concerning parties running drug stores without proper certificates. These charges will all be thoroughly investigated.

For some time past several stores in the city have been agitating the question of closing their places of business at 7 o'clock every evening, Saturday and pay

day evenings excepted, beginning with the first of the new year, but some feared that all would not follow out the agreement. However, a paper was passed around Monday and the following merchants agreed to the new order of things: E. L. Washburn & Co., Golden Rule Dry Goods Company, H. H. Brown, L. B. Stern & Co., Lester & Lewison, Marshall Bros. & Co., Grunsfeld Bros., Simon Stern, J. D. Tordun, The Racket, Kilder & Co., and A. Simpson.

Floyd Bone and Frank Lee returned from a visit to E. Paso and Jarez, Mexico, Monday night. Mr. Lee stated that he was persuaded to visit Juarez on Sunday, and in the afternoon he was persuaded to witness the cruel bull fight. He saw five fights, and says that the first fight, in which a big red bull took part, was the best of all. The animal was a vicious one and before the Spanish matador dispatched his bull the animal had killed two horses, tossed two of his matadors on his back clear out of the ring, and nearly gored one man to death.

The new board of county commissioners, W. W. Strong, Jesus Romero and Jesus M. Santoluci, qualified this morning, and will hold their first session next Monday. Chas. F. Hunt, sheriff, F. A. Hubbell, assessor, Alejandro Sandoval, collector, R. H. Meyers, treasurer, Benito Perez, school superintendent, H. V. Harris, probate clerk, and other newly-elected county officers were present and qualified, at the same time filing their bonds according to the law. There was present quite a large crowd, and everything passed off quietly.

The unexpected discharge of a cannon. Close by would not have a more disturbing effect upon nerves which are vigorous than an ordinary house upon those that are weak and vibrating. As a nervous habit, a stomach-bitter is unrivaled. By promoting digestion and assimilation they overcome that gastric disorder, which is the most prolific cause of nervous debility, and which, so long as it exists, defies in large measure the action of sedatives and opiates. Such remedies, moreover, necessitate the use of increasing doses, and finally cease to act altogether, except in dangerous quantities. They never reach the fountain head of the trouble, and quiet the nerves only by semi-paralyzing them. Equally objectionable are very unimpaired alcoholic stimulants, kaffee, brandy and liver-tonic, because a constipation and rheumatism are relieved by the Bitters, which also promotes appetite and nightly repose.

The Public Schools. On next Monday morning at 9 o'clock the schools will begin work again after two weeks of vacation. It is hoped that teachers and pupils will all be in their places ready for renewed energy, as they begin the last part of the year's work. Parents should assist teachers in their efforts to fix the habits of punctuality and regularity in the school life of pupils, so that they may lose no work, unnecessarily, and not reap the benefits of promptness and regularity in after business life.

An Old Soldier's recommendation. In the late war I was a soldier in the First Maryland Volunteers, Company G, during my term of service I contracted a severe diarrhea. Since then I have used a great amount of medicine, but when I found out that would give me relief it would injure my stomach, until Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy was brought to my notice. I used it, and will say it is the only remedy that gave me permanent relief, and I can now follow in the pleasure in recommending this preparation to all of my old comrades, who, while giving their services to their country, contracted this dreadful disease as I did, from eating unwholesome and uncooked food. Yours truly, A. E. Hendig, Halsey, Oregon. For sale by T. H. Burgess & Son, druggists.

An Honest Man. There is no man in Dona Ana county who cannot be led away from the path of honor and honesty. His name is R. S. Young, late candidate for the house of representatives in opposition to Hon. A. L. Christy, who was elected. Mr. Young has been written to, wired to, and in every manner tried by the potshouse politicians to contest the election of Mr. Christy, but Mr. Young has said and maintained the honorable position that Mr. Christy was elected by the people on the 6th day of last November, and he would not be a party to the blotting out of the will of the people. All honor to such true, tried and trusty Americans. If there were many more such men, who would not flinch, and who would not flinch in the face of a dangerous and treacherous work as there is going on in Santa Fe today.—Kincon shaft.

All Free. Those who have used Dr. King's New Discovery know its value, and those who have not, have now the opportunity to try it free. Call on the advertised druggist and get a trial bottle free. Send your name and address to H. E. Bucklen & Co., Chicago, and get a sample box of Dr. King's New Life Pills free, as well as a copy of Guide to Health and Household Instructor, free. All of which is given you free on your word and cost you nothing. Dr. Thos. H. Burgess & Son's druggists.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is famous for the cure of bad colds. It opens the secretions, relieves the lungs and aids nature in restoring the system to a healthy condition. If freely used, as soon as the cold has been contracted, and before it has become settled in the system, it greatly lessens the severity of the attack, and has often cured in a single day what would have been a severe cold. For sale by T. H. Burgess & Son, druggists.

Murderer Arrested. Deputy Sheriff Ben Williams, of Dona Ana county, arrested at Raton George Gladson, alias Peter Carl. Gladson is an old offender, the particular offense for which he was arrested being the murder of H. Huler at Rincon ten years ago. Gladson was also mixed up in the Mason county, Texas, war in 1875, and has been connected with a number of other killing scrapes. He was taken to Las Cruces for trial.

A Veteran of the Mexican War. Oak Harbor, Ohio.—I met George O. Momeny, an old veteran of the Mexican war, on the streets today, who told me that after reading about Simonson's Life Regulator he bought a bottle, and the first three doses gave him immediate relief—George (heine). Your druggist sells it in powder or liquid—the powder to be taken dry or made into a tea.

Hall's Hair Renewer is pronounced the best preparation made for thickening the growth of the hair and restoring that which is gray to its original color.

AT FORT WINGATE. What Was Done at the Post on New Year's Day. Fort Wingate, Jan. 1.—The west wind drove a blinding snow as we awoke from Conductor Berry's train, an hour late, at Wingate station, and continued into the garrison, three miles away, was reached. At the depot were the nineteen Moqui Indians, including the medicine man, who were being taken to Alcantara, in San Francisco harbor, on a charge of interfering with those who desired to send their children to school. How long they are to remain is a question. Lieut. Brainard was in charge of a detachment of bluecoats from the various troops who were to keep an eye on the dark visaged and generally aged prisoners during the journey.

Major Freeman, leader of the band, accompanied Lieut. Brainard's squad on today's trip, and Sgt. Matson, a skilled musician, will lead the organization in the various local engagements as laid down in the rules.

An officers' mess established not long since. They have been feasting with Lieut. Peay up to the date of change.

Col. Davidson, father of Mrs. Hopkin, the most estimable wife of the lieutenant and quartermaster, was in command of the Third cavalry in 1866 at Fort Riley, Kansas.

Lieut. Fuller has a connection with the main line from the post exchange. Frank Harber has charge of the main office in the post.

Roads almost impassable to teams owing to the sticky condition of the adobe surface. Walking is simply out of the question over the thoroughfares.

The band menu on Christmas day included oyster soup, turkey, mince pie and ornate cakes, etc. The day was generally observed and a full round of enjoyment acquired by all.

Fully 100 persons sat down to the supper last night, three being included in the entrance fee of one dollar for gentleman and ladies. The menu consisted of chicken and lobster salads, tongue, ham, relishes, coffee, chocolate and cakes. Of the latter twenty-two were ornamented and displayed on the various tables, all of which, and the supper, were prepared by Pete Barth, a veteran of thirty years in Uncle Sam's service. The feast was the wind-up of one of the most successful masked balls ever given at the post, and the credit of the entertainment and supper is recorded in favor of the Second Cavalry band. Music was supplied by the superb orchestra of ten led by Bandmaster John Freeman, ably assisted by Sergeant Matson, and the dance proceeded to the hour of limit—12 o'clock. There were many pretty costumes and numerous of the merriment. Space will not admit of individual mention. Several officers and their ladies participated and viewed the scene, while Gallup, Gooding and Wingate contributed representation, which would have been large but for the horrible roads. Those who came from abroad were transferred by army vehicles to and from Wingate station.

Guard mount and hodge galls were observed during to-day in fact, pretty much the usual routine. New Year's day calls were made to some extent.

Col. Hunt gave a party at his headquarters this evening instead of the hall. Among the guests was Dr. Kimdon, of Gallup, a frequent visitor at the post. PIRATE.

He settled his accounts. A thirty democratic merchant in the lower part of the county had \$1,500 sent him to buy up voters at Plaza Alcala at the last election by the Santa Fe democratic ring. He promised the men so much a piece for their votes, and after they had voted, gave those who owed him, and the majority did, credit on his books. It is needless to add that he is a son of Judah.—Chama Northwest.

John's hemorrhage. W. F. Jones, a brakeman on the west end, was attacked with a severe hemorrhage of the lungs last Thursday morning, but went on his regular run west and bleed off and on all the way to Peach Springs and return, and when he arrived here he went direct to his room at the Grand Canon hotel, where he died at 6 o'clock last night. An effort is being made to locate his relatives, and if word is not received by to-morrow, the funeral will take place in Williams—Williams News.

Year's Weather Report. The University of New Mexico observatory provides the following summary for 1894: Maximum temperature 95 deg. on several days in July. Minimum temperature 0 January 7. Annual range of temperature, 95 deg. Mean maximum temperature for the year, 68.7 deg. Mean minimum temperature for the year, 40.2 deg. Mean temperature for the year, 54.5 deg. Mean range for the year, 28.4 deg. Rainfall for the year, 7.14 inches. Number of clear days, 211. Number of partly cloudy days, 129. Number of cloudy days, 25.

Stomach for Coal Miners. James Flynn, who was one of the bonuses at the hard coal mine, Cerrillos, is in the city and will leave to-night for Gallup, where he expects to secure work. Mr. Flynn informs The Citizen that the Waldo mine has shut down altogether, that work was ordered stopped at the hard coal mine yesterday, and in consequence about seventy men, all single were let out. He also stated that more men, completing the list of unmarried at work in the various mines near Cerrillos, will be dismissed from the service of the company in a few days. Mr. Flynn states that the reason for the shutting down of the principal mines, so he learned from one intimate with the railroad company officials, is lack of a market for the coal.

Territorial Fair. The committee recently appointed by the board of directors of the Territorial Fair association to select an executive

committee met late yesterday afternoon, and decided upon the following gentlemen from the directory to officiate as members of said executive committee: E. S. Steyer, G. H. Brown, M. S. Otero, J. G. Albright, W. S. Burke, Newfield, E. L. Washburn, W. J. Wilson and J. K. Saint.

President W. M. Weaver, Vice President C. C. Hall, Secretary Andrew Smith and Treasurer A. A. Keen are ex-officio members of the executive committee.

A meeting of the newly elected committee will be called at an early day, when active work on the coming territorial fair will be commenced in dead earnest and the superintendents of the various departments will be appointed.

ROYALLY REMEMBERED. The Employees of the Atlantic & Pacific R. R. at Mr. Gabel. At 9 o'clock last evening a telephonic message, followed up by a carriage, was sent to ex-General Superintendent Gabel, of the Atlantic & Pacific, requesting his immediate presence at the legal department of the company on an important matter. Mr. Gabel, believing the case to be an urgent one, responded at once, and upon his arrival was ushered into the presence of about twenty-five of the officers and employees, representing the various divisions of the road. Before he could fully realize the situation, Judge C. N. Steyer, general attorney for the road, stepped forward and in a neat and impressive speech expressed to Mr. Gabel, on behalf of the officers and employees of the road, the high regard and esteem in which he was held, and the regret for the severance of those close and cordial relations that had existed for so many years.

At the close of his remarks, Mr. Steyer presented Mr. Gabel with a handsome gold hunting case watch, which will be engraved as follows: "Presented to T. R. Gabel by the Officers and Employees, General Superintendent of the Atlantic & Pacific Railway, Jan. 1, 1895."

On the back of the watch case is a solitary diamond, neatly circled with raised platinum gold figures, the chain being of heavy gold links, attached to which is a Knight Templar charm, the cross and crown being surrounded by diamonds and rubies. These were placed in a Morocco case, set on a silver tray, and encircled by \$700 in \$20 gold pieces.

The employees also presented Mr. Gabel with a beautiful Limoge hand-painted French China fish set, the large platter being two feet in length, all arranged in a handsome case.

Mr. Gabel was so completely taken by surprise that for a moment he was quite unresponsive. He thanked the officers and employees for the very substantial evidence of their good will and appreciation, and for the interest and substantial support they had rendered him during his administration. He touched briefly on the unfortunate, untoward circumstances that had come up during the past year by reason of which many old and faithful employees were prevented from participating with such their present company to convey to the employees in all departments his assurance that he had nothing but the best of good wishes and feeling for all, and the any adverse feeling that might have been engendered by reason of the circumstances referred to, was, as far as he was concerned, all forgotten, and that he was ready and willing to lend a helping hand to those of the ex-employees who had so materially aided in making his administration a success.

Some years ago Mr. Simon Goldbaum, San Luis Rey, Cal., was troubled with a lame back and rheumatism. He used Chamberlain's Pain Balm and a prompt cure was effected. He says he has since advised many of his friends to try it, and all who have done so have spoken highly of it. It is for sale by T. H. Burgess & Son, druggists.

The Officers. Charles F. Hunt, the new sheriff, who was inducted into office yesterday, at once appointed Thomas Hubbell his chief deputy; C. P. Jones, jailer, and Cornelius Murphy, assistant jailer. Jesus M. Sandoval, Alejandro Sandoval, F. A. Hubbell and Luciano Ortiz are his bondsmen. The bond calls for \$10,000, although the bondsmen qualified in the sum of \$20,000. Alejandro Sandoval, the collector, gave a bond for \$130,000, and appointed Jose L. Perez, Jr., ex-sheriff and one of the most popular gentlemen in Bernalillo county, his deputy collector.

R. B. Myers, treasurer, presented his bond for \$80,000, with Joshua Reynolds and M. W. Flournoy his sureties. Frank McKee, of the First National bank, will act as deputy treasurer.

H. V. Harris, probate clerk, retains his old assistants, J. A. Summers and Tomas Werner.

Mistaken Identity. You might call it Dyspepsia, Liver trouble or nervousness, but we do not, as your trouble undoubtedly arises from the kidneys. Your salvation lies in Gregory's Kidney and Bladder Treatment, you to health, and a trial will convince you of this fact. A trial size package can be had at any drug store for 25 cents.

Colds, coughs, bronchitis, and all throat and lung diseases are effectively treated with Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. To neglect the use of proper remedies for these ailments, is to induce consumption, which is said to cause one-sixth of the mortality in all civilized countries.

Michael Harrold has, through his attorney, Judge F. Downs, filed a suit for \$40,000 against the Irrigation and Hydraulic Mining company at Golden, based on alleged breach of contract.

H. Heland, ex-cashier at the Harvey eating house, who was back on a visit to Leavenworth, Kas., has returned to the cashier's desk, and states that he will remain in this city.

James D. May, one of the successful miners of the Cochet mining district, is in the city. He will remain here for an indefinite period, being treated for rheumatism.

The Citizens learned this afternoon that the ladies of the Non-Sectarian Benevolent society would give an entertainment at the Armory hall on Jan. 25 and 26.

E. Leon Dubois, deputy sheriff of Valencia county, came up from Las Lunas last night, and is stopping at Sturges' European.

MARDI GRAS--MASQUERADE. A Fitting Finale to the Old Year of 1894. NEW YEAR OBSERVED IN. The members of the Scott Moore Hose Co., No. 1, and their numerous friends, with the firemen of the other companies, took it upon their shoulders to see that the last night of 1894 and the first morning of 1895 were appropriately celebrated, and the great task was accomplished in a grand and elaborate manner. It was the Mardi Gras parade and tenth annual (masquerade) ball of the Scott Moore Hose company, No. 1, and it seemed from the way the streets were lined with people, that everybody in central New Mexico, especially in the queen and liberal city of the Rio Grande valley, was out to do honor, or rather assist the company in making the occasion the greatest, the kind and most stupendous affair of the kind ever held in the metropolis, and such was the case.

As early as 7 o'clock p. m. maskers who had signified their intention to take part in the parade began to show up for the amusement of the people on the streets, and half an hour later King Nabob, on a strapping big white horse, put in his appearance, which was the signal for the approach of the Duke of Albuquerque and his attendants. The Duke, gorgeously and richly costumed, in a buggy decorated with flags of the Union and hunting, and driving a spirited bay horse, came west on Railroad avenue, and when he stopped in front of the Athletic club quarters generous and prolonged cheering greeted his appearance.

Col. Borsadale, to whom the privilege of getting the parade in proper line was given, moved along the merry maskers, and at 8:15, to the tramp of excellent music from the First Regiment band, the first Mardi Gras parade ever attempted in Albuquerque started, King Nabob leading, followed by Col. Borsadale, the band and maskers, each of whom carried a torch, the Duke of Albuquerque and his splendid and worthy attendants bringing up the rear. The march was west on Railroad avenue, thence south on Fourth street, thence east on Gold avenue, thence north on Second street, thence west on Copper avenue to Third street, from there south to Railroad avenue to First street, and thence south on that street to the Armory hall, where the parade disbanded, when a grand rush was made for the hall.

However, no one was admitted in a mask until inspected by a committee, and the crowd kept Messrs. Mandell, Bondorf, Walt rs, Dixon, Jacoby, Cundiff and other firemen, with the able assistance rendered by Policeman Harris, working like Trojans, to prevent any hitch in the contemplated smooth-sailing of the great affair. It was 10 o'clock before a hall in the coming of the people was noticed, and at that hour it was estimated that 1,000 people were inside of the big hall.

However, those that were not masked were sandwiched on the sides of the well-watched floor, and on space being made, at 10:20 the grand march commenced to music from Ruppe's orchestra.

Think of it! Two hundred and fifty couples, all masked, in the grand march, and nearly 800 unmasked people looking on. It was a great sight—a picture for any painter, and the like will probably never again be seen in Albuquerque, or for that matter anywhere else in New Mexico.

At 10:30 a committee to award prizes was selected as follows: W. W. McClellan, Alfred Grunsfeld and Capt. Jas. P. Walsh, a Chicago visitor. These gentlemen took their stand in the center of the hall, and while the maskers paraded around them made a fair and impartial conclusion, awarding a silk umbrella to Fred Manger, who was dressed as a Polish page, the costume being extremely handsome and costly; Miss Clara Banghars, who gorgeously and richly represented Luna, received a handsome embroidered glove case, the work of Mrs. M. Graham. Mrs. M. C. Taylor, who represented a winter or frosty scene—very appropriate for the east where blizzards and snow storms rage at this season of the year, and which proved a gentle reminder of that kind of climate, received a prize calling for a dozen Paris photographs. Chas. Zeiger, Jr., whose remarkable impersonation of an Irishman, was favorably mentioned by all, received a box of fine cigars. This completing the prize giving, dancing was resumed until 12, midnight, when an intermission was taken, and for an hour the restaurants did a grand business.

Dancing was then resumed, and when Capt. McWilliams tackled upon the wall the next dance—"Home, Sweet Home"—the watches in the pockets of Dr. Macbeth and Dixon gave the hour 4 a. m.

This Citizens thought several years ago, that the masquerade ball given by the company then was a grand affair; that the balls of 1892 and 1893 could not be surpassed, but they pale into small affairs compared to the tenth annual one, and this Citizens here tips its hat to the brave laddies of the No. 1 hose company and the other firemen, who helped the Scott Moore's to make the Mardi Gras parade and masquerade such a grand and brilliant success.

Foreman H. S. Knight was at Santa Fe, but he got home in time to see that the efforts of his company were liberally recognized and it made him smile when he gazed upon the big crowd in attendance.

The members of the Scott Moore hose company, No. 1, through Dr. Macbeth, who worked up the Mardi Gras and those who were active at the dance, desire The Citizen to thank the people of Albuquerque for their generous patronage, showing conclusively that the volunteer efforts of the firemen are not overlooked by the people of this city. They

wish to return thanks to the band, Col. Borsadale and other firemen. The Mardi Gras and masquerade ball will long carry the banner for being the biggest thing ever held in the territory.

WHAT DOES IT MEAN? Fact or Fiction About Two Great Fair Awards. A newspaper paragraph denounces as "false" the claim of a baking powder company to an award at the World's Fair. Whom can it mean?

Certainly not Dr. Price's. Why? Because, as the records show, Dr. Price's exhibited, competed and received the highest award, both at Chicago and the California Midwinter Fair. The award in California included Gold Medal. The official examiners pronounced it the strongest, the purest, the most wholesome and efficient of all the baking powders. Its title to confidence is unquestioned.

Can it be the manufacturers of a New York powder, fictitiously labelled "Absolutely pure" who are making "false" claims? That would be strange indeed, inasmuch as they were not even considered in the awards.

Was it Ammonia in the New York powder that prevented its makers from competing? If not what?

From Thursday's Daily. A. M. Berger and wife, of Las Lunas, are in the city.

Dan Murphy, a business gentleman of Needles, is in the city.

Chas. Smyth and wife, of Quebec, Canada, are at the San Felipe.

P. L. Timen, of Allerton, where he conducts business, is at the Armijo.

W. C. Weir, a machinist, of Winslow, is here having some dental work done.

George W. Patrick and wife, of Genoa, Neb., are late arrivals at the San Felipe.

Col. M. S. Hart, the coal oil inspector for the territory, was in the city yesterday.

Dr. R. C. Dryden, the Atlantic & Pacific physician at Winslow, is at the San Felipe.

Mrs. Oscar Gabel, wife of a Belen general merchant, is stopping at Sturges' European.

Judge S. B. Newcomb, of Las Cruces, came up from the south last night and will leave this evening for Santa Fe.

W. B. Sanders, general agent for the Equitable Life Assurance society, returned last night from a business trip to Kansas.

Dr. Geo. H. Sowers, an old time resident of Socorro and one of the best physicians and surgeons in the southwest, has opened an office in Silver City.

Sofre Alexander, who was at San Francisco, Cal., on legal business, has returned home and was interested in a civil case before Justice Burke yesterday afternoon.

J. J. Keegan, Tom Hinch and Judge W. A. Maxwell passed through the city from Gallup Tuesday night on their way to Santa Fe, to look after the interests of the proposed new county of Summit.

A. P. Reading, the stenographer at the law office of R. W. D. Bryan, is at Santa Fe, where he will remain for two months. While absent, Miss Pearl Strong, daughter of O. W. Strong, will fill his situation at the office of Lawyer Bryan.

Rev. Mandalaris, of the Church of Immaculate Conception, will leave this evening on a tour to the Catholic churches in the county, and will be absent until Saturday, January 12. Those desiring spiritual assistance can call on the Jesuit fathers of old town.

Callers at the Commercial club: J. Fried, of New York, introduced by Ernest Myers; John T. McWilliams, of Williams, Arizona, by John T. Denair; Edward Nockin, of Chicago, by H. E. Fox; J. J. Dickey, of Omaha, and B. Brooks, of Denver, by Andrew Smith; R. M. Barbour, of Monterey, Mexico, by M. W. Fournoy.

Isaac Jackson, the colored "gemmen" who "shines them up" at Col. McCorrison's and who failed to be elected river commissioner on the fusion ticket last November, has not received a telegram from J. Edward Priest, who is at present at Santa Fe, informing him that a situation in the legislature awaits his coming, and Isaac is now a little bit of the opinion that Edward's influence will not bear weight.

That was a good move on the part of the grocery merchants, E. L. Clouthier & Co., to the Williamson store room on Railroad avenue. The new quarters are more convenient and commodious, and Bookkeeper Fortin has plenty of excellent light by which to do his work. During the rush, incident to removing goods and the proper arrangement of the store, R. T. Short, a Missourian, is assisting the firm and the chief clerk, Col. Munson.

Randolph Kelly, of Cerrillos, who is suffering with his left hand, the result of accidentally shooting himself in the fleshy part of the left arm a few months ago, is here for treatment by Drs. Wroth and Kaeter. Mr. Kelly was at Santa Fe a few weeks under treatment, but received only temporary relief. He will have to suffer considerable more, but the Albuquerque physicians and surgeons expect to have him free from pain and well in a very short time.

R. W. Thomas, general manager Western Homestead and Irrigation company, accompanied by Messrs. Van Dorn, Anthony and Geo. Lewis, arrived from the Rio Puerco this morning. They report work going on very satisfactorily. The contractor has begun his work and he finds the soil more easily worked than expected, and the weather perfect for doing it. The camp, about two miles below Rock Ford, is quite a busy place. Commissary stores have been purchased and forwarded. Mr. Thomas and Geo. Lewis leave for Chicago to-night. The company will run an excursion on the 15th of this month. On account of the short time given them by the railroad they will not bring as many as at first expected, but they hope to have another excursion about the 15th of February, when they will have more.

One of the "stank talls" at Seiger's Cafe Washed. During the Mardi Gras parade Monday night and while the gambling tables at Seiger's Cafe were left by their attendants momentarily, a slick scoundrel and desperado, calling himself J. W. Adams, touched one of the bank rolls for \$40, a \$20 greenback and a \$20 gold piece. When the parade had passed and the interested sports had returned to the tables, the theft was at once discovered, and the man Adams, who was standing by as innocent as a baby, was suspected. He started to leave the premises, when John Cuneo persuaded him to remain at the point of a cocked revolver. A messenger was at once hastened after an officer, and Mr. Ryan, seeing merchant's police, responded. He took Adams off to jail, and just as he was about to open the jail door, the prisoner took leg-bait, the officer after him, and in their flight the latter sent two bullets after the fleeing prisoner, but they missed their intended mark. Officer Ryan was not to be outwitted, and two hours later he captured his man as he was leaving the Phoenix saloon on north Third street. When re-arrested Adams had a complete change of apparel, and in searching his clothing a 45-caliber revolver was found, but none of the stolen money. The \$40 was found fifteen minutes after the fellow was landed safely in jail hid on one of the window sills of the Cafe near the gambling department. The man was taken, heavily shackled, before Justice Lockhart this morning, and in default of \$500 bail was remanded to the county jail to await the action of the next grand jury of this county. His pal, who gives the name of J. M. Coy, and who was also arrested Monday night, will have a trial this afternoon.

Adams is a hard case, so crooked that there are kinks in his hair, and Acting Officer Ryan is to be commended for the clever piece of work he did in recapturing the slick scoundrel. The town is filling up with tough characters, and it would be a wise move on the part of our merchants to encourage the public and merchant's police in their efforts to rid the metropolis of undesirable people.

Change in Firm. Frank M. Rose, the junior member of the hardware firm of Solon K. Rose & Bro., has disposed of his interest to Mrs. Rose, and will leave this evening with his wife for a ten days' vacation in southern California. W. J. Wilson has been employed as book-keeper, and Mrs. Rose retains the old employees as follows: Wm. Hye, chief clerk; Capt. Gilman, commercial traveler; Louis Osborne, tinner, and Harry Johnson, driver of the delivery wagon. The Citizens wishes Mrs. Rose, who is the sole proprietor of the store, concern, a continuation of the excellent trade enjoyed by the old firm.

Mr. Rose and wife will return to this city after their vacation and remain here a few days, leaving then for Nashville, Tenn., where the parents of Mrs. Rose reside, and where he expects shortly to engage again in business. He has been identified with the business circles of the territorial metropolis for years, and will, therefore, be missed from the ranks. Success to him back in old Tennessee.

Big Robbery. The jewelry store of Hixox & Hixson, at El Paso, was entered by burglars on Tuesday night and watches, jewelry and cash to the amount of \$12,000 taken. The work of the robbers show that they are experts. The police of El Paso have no clue to the identity of the robbers.