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FOR PROMOTING BLACK

Topeka Board of Trade Thanks the Santa Fe.

The board of trade of Topeka, Kansas, has adopted the following resolution, a copy of which has been forwarded to Paul Morton, third vice president of the Santa Fe company:

"Resolved, That the thanks of the board of trade are hereby tendered to Mr. Paul Morton, third vice president, and to the board of directors of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe railroad company, for their recent action in promoting our fellow townsman, Mr. W. J. Black, to the position of general passenger and ticket agent, and for restoring the general office of that department of the road to this city."

A letter written to Mr. Morton also contains the following:

"We desire also to assure you that the people of Topeka are deeply interested in the welfare of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe railroad company, and realize the great advantage it has been and still is to this city and that they are ever ready to cooperate with the management of the Santa Fe in any manner that may be mutually advantageous."

A SON'S INHUMANITY

He Places His Poor Crazy Mother in a Hole Near San Marcial.

Frank Harris, a popular employe of the Santa Fe railway, who was here yesterday, told THE CITIZEN a dreadful story of cruelty of a son to an aged mother. Said:

"I was down in the San Marcial vicinity last Saturday on the lookout for ties stolen from the Santa Fe railway, and with Night Watchman Al. Hammer took a walk along the railroad track north of that town. About five miles out our attention was attracted by peculiar noises—shouting, hallooing and moaning. We saw some boys off at a distance and supposed the noise came from them, but the closer we approached a small adobe house our suspicions were otherwise diverted. On reaching the place the moaning was very distinct and about fifteen yards away in front of the house or rather at the side of the house, I discovered a hole in the ground about five feet square and in depth, which was walled on top. I asked a decrepit old lady and from her piteous wailing and moaning.

"'It is a pitiful scene,' continued Mr. Harris. 'For I knew at first sight that the woman was demented and that some relative to her in connection, had put her in that place. While we were in the house, from which she had frightened her, a man came in and in answer to my question he stated that his name was Trujillo and that the woman in the hole was his mother and that she was 82 years old. He (Trujillo) stated that his mother was crazy and in order to prevent her from disturbing himself and children he thought it best to confine her in a hole and put her where she could hear time day and night. I asked Trujillo how long his mother had been in the hole and he remarked 'a long time.'

"The poor old woman was scantily clad and was shivering. I immediately proceeded to San Marcial, where I reported the facts to Dr. Cruikshank and F. C. Fox. They were surprised that such barbarism should exist within almost a stone's throw of San Marcial. They agreed to investigate the next day."

Library Association

The more or less esteemed morning editor, with its accustomed genius for stepping into error, stated in its Sunday morning edition that the ladies of the library association, for some reason unknown, had failed to hold their meeting on Saturday morning in accordance with their announcement.

The prominent members of the association called at THE CITIZEN office this morning and informed this paper that a meeting was held saturday morning at which business of importance was transacted. The only item, however, of any special public interest was the decision to give a society play in the near future. The date for the play has not yet set, but it will be some time hence. Neither are the ladies willing to announce details, but the public may be assured that what the ladies of the library association undertake will be not half done, and the proposed play will be worthy of attention.

The association is adding constantly to the value and efficiency of the library, which is already second to none in the southwest.

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Special car 501, of the Chicago & Eastern Illinois railroad, containing H. H. Porter, president of the company, and the following guests: Hon. Robert Lincoln, Mr. Merritt, Marshall Field, N. K. Fairbanks and C. P. Brody, secretary of President Porter, was a part of Conductor Carpenter's No. 1 passenger train to this city this morning. The distinguished gentlemen continued west over the Atchison & Pacific, and as they are interested in mining near Prescott, they will make a one day's stop and then move on to Los Angeles.

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THE LEGISLATURE!

Senator Duncan's Exemption Bill Passes the Council.

Senator Chavez Introduces a Bill to Purchase War Archives.

Both Branches of the Legislature Adjourn Until Monday Next.

FULL REPORT OF PROCEEDINGS

Special to The Citizen.

Santa Fe, Jan. 24.—The council passed Duncan's bill, exempting new railroads from taxation for a certain number of years.

Chavez introduced a bill to purchase certain war archives.

Both houses adjourned till Monday at 10 o'clock.

COUNCIL—FRIDAY MORNING.

The council met pursuant to adjournment at 10 o'clock, with the president in the chair.

There being six members present, upon motion of Mr. Curry, of Chavez county, the sergeant at arms was directed to bring in the absent members.

The absent members being brought in, the roll was called and all members responded to their names.

There being a quorum present the chaplain offered prayer.

The journal of Jan. 21 was read in English and, upon motion of Mr. Miera, of Union county, the reading of the journal in Spanish was dispensed with.

There being no objection, the journal was approved as read.

The president laid before the council, for its consideration, a communication from Amado Chavez, secretary of the board of education. It was as follows:

"Santa Fe, N. M., Jan. 21, 1897.

"Hon. Antonio Joseph, President of the Legislative Council, Santa Fe, N. M.:

"Dear Sir—I have the honor to enclose herewith a copy of a resolution passed by the territorial board of education at its meeting of the 20th instant, with the request that it be referred to the committee on education of the honorable council.

"Very respectfully your obedient servant,

AMADO CHAVEZ,
Secretary of the Territorial Board of Education."

"Resolved, by the territorial board of education, that it is the sense of the board that no fund now applicable to the payment of teachers' salaries or other school expenses should in any way be diverted from such use, and that these funds should be increased if possible, and that the legislature be memorialized to that effect."

"I hereby certify that the above is a true and correct copy of the resolution passed by the territorial board of education at its meeting held in the city of Santa Fe on the 20th day of January, 1897.

AMADO CHAVEZ, Secretary."

Upon motion of Mr. Hughes, of Bernalillo county the communication was received and referred to the committee on education.

Under the order of introduction of bills Mr. Archuleta, of Rio Arriba county, introduced council bill No. 19, "An act amending section 1 of chapter 63 of the laws of 1889."

The bill was read the first time by title.

Upon motion of Mr. Finical, of Bernalillo county, the rules were suspended and the bill was read the second time in full.

Upon motion of Mr. Chavez, of Valencia county, the rules were suspended and the bill ordered translated, printed and referred to the committee on territorial affairs.

A message from the house of representatives was received, announcing the concurrence of that body in council joint resolution No. 2, providing for a joint session of the two houses for the purpose of electing a public printer; also in council joint resolution No. 1, a resolution of sympathy with the Cuban independents.

By unanimous consent Mr. Duncan, of San Miguel county, chairman of the committee on enrolled and engrossed bills, made the following report:

SANTA FE, N. M., Jan. 21, 1897.

Mr. President: Your committee on enrolled and engrossed bills, to whom was referred Council Joint Memorial No. 1, have had the same under consideration, and I am directed to report the said memorial to the council with the recommendation that it be signed, same having been compared and found to be correct.

J. S. DUNCAN, Chairman.

Mr. Hughes, of Bernalillo county, introduced council bill No. 20, "An Act Amending the Laws Relating to Exemption."

The bill was read the first time by title.

Upon motion of Mr. Miera, of Union county, the rules were suspended and the bill read the second time in full.

Upon motion of Mr. Finical, of Bernalillo county, the bill was then ordered translated, printed and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Finical, of Bernalillo county, introduced council bill No. 21, "An Act relative to the issuance of execution and the sale of property thereunder and for other purposes."

The bill was read the first time by title.

Upon motion of Mr. Chaves, of Valencia county, the rules were suspended and the bill was then ordered translated, printed and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Archuleta, of Rio Arriba county, moved that in future all bills introduced be read the first time in full.

Mr. Fall, of Dona Ana county, suggested that the motion made should be put in the form of a resolution and be referred to the committee on rules, inasmuch as it called for the amendment of the standing rules of the council.

Thereupon Mr. Archuleta, of Rio Arriba county, withdrew his motion.

Upon motion of Mr. Chaves, of Valencia county, recess was taken until 3 o'clock p. m.

COUNCIL—FRIDAY AFTERNOON.

Council met, pursuant to recess, with the president in the chair.

The president placed before the council for its consideration a communication from the governor of New Mexico, which was as follows:

SANTA FE, N. M., Jan. 22, 1897.

Honorable President of the Council, Thirty-second Legislative Assembly of the Territory of New Mexico:

I have the honor to inform you that I shall be ready to deliver my message to the legislative assembly at 3 p. m., January 22, 1897. Respectfully,

W. T. THORNTON, Governor.

Upon motion of Mr. Chavez, of Valencia county, it was ordered that the communication be received and that the council act upon and in concurrence with the message contained therein.

The president announced that the house was ready to meet in joint session with the council for the purpose of hearing the governor's message.

Upon motion of Mr. Chavez, of Valencia county, the council arose and proceeded to the house of representatives.

JOINT SESSION.

The council and house of representatives of the thirty-second legislative assembly of the territory of New Mexico, in joint session at the hall of the house of representatives, at 3 o'clock p. m., with the Hon. Antonio Joseph, president of the council, in the chair.

The joint session having been called to order, Mr. Curry, of Chavez county, of the council, moved that a committee of three be appointed by the president to escort the governor of the territory to the platform, which motion prevailed.

The president thereupon named as members of such committee, Mr. Curry, of Chaves county, and Mr. Chavez, of Valencia county, of the council, and Mr. Jaramillo, of Rio Arriba county, of the house.

The committee thereupon retired and escorted the governor into the hall, who upon being introduced by the president of the joint assembly proceeded to deliver the message.

The reading of the message in English having been concluded, upon motion of Mr. Martinez, of Taos county, the reading of the same in Spanish was dispensed with.

Upon motion of Mr. Curry, of Chaves county, it was ordered that the thanks of the joint assembly be, by the president of the same, extended to the governor for his able message.

Thereupon the committee heretofore appointed escorted the governor from the hall.

Mr. Reed, of Santa Fe county, of the house, thereupon moved that the message of the governor be ordered translated and that five hundred copies each be printed in English and Spanish.

Mr. Fall, of Dona Ana county, of the council, arose to a point of order, same being that the motion carried an appropriation and could not be made in that form.

Thereupon Mr. Reed, of Santa Fe county, withdrew his motion.

Mr. Spiess, of Santa Fe county, moved that the joint assembly do now arise and that the council proceed to its chamber, which motion prevailed, and the members of the council thereupon retired.

AFTERNOON SESSION RESUMED.

Council met pursuant to recess at 4 20 p. m. with the president in the chair, all members being present.

Upon motion of Mr. Finical, of Bernalillo county, the council adjourned until Saturday morning, Jan. 23d, 1897, at 10 o'clock.

HOUSE—THURSDAY AFTERNOON.

The house met at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon with Speaker Llewellyn in the chair and all members present.

Council joint resolution No. 1, offered by Senator Chavez and unanimously adopted by the council, expressing the sympathy of the people of New Mexico with the Cuban patriots in their noble struggle for liberty, was duly submitted to the house.

After some discussion the resolution was adopted by the votes of all the members of the house, except Mr. Luna, who said that he heartily sympathized with the struggling Cubans, but voted in the negative.

Council joint resolution No. 2, providing for the election of a public printer, was submitted and unanimously adopted.

Mr. Sena, from the committee appointed to prepare resolutions expressive of the thanks of the house for the admirable arrangements made for the accommodation of the thirty-second legislative assembly, reported a suitable resolution of thanks and was discharged.

The house then adjourned until 10 a. m.

HOUSE—FRIDAY MORNING.

The house resumed work this morning at 10 o'clock with Speaker Llewellyn in the chair and all members present.

Chaplain Gilbertson opened the session with prayer.

The journal of the previous day was read and approved.

Under the order of introduction of bills, house bill No. 11, introduced by Mr. Read, entitled, "An act providing for the protection of shade and ornamental trees," was read first and second time by title and ordered translated and printed and referred to the committee on agriculture.

House bill No. 12, introduced by Malaquias Martinez, entitled, "An act repealing chapter 65, of the laws of New Mexico, entitled, 'An act concerning estray bovine and equine animals in the territory of New Mexico,'" which became a law by limitation Feb. 16, 1889. Also chapter 55 of the laws of New Mexico, entitled, "An act providing for the recovery of damages done by animals." Approved Feb. 25, 1885, and to invalidate sections 86 and 103, inclusively, in compiled laws of New Mexico, 1884.

Read first and second time by title and ordered translated and printed and referred to committee on live stock.

House bill No. 13, introduced by Mr. Morrow, entitled "An act to amend section 661, of the compiled laws of New Mexico," as compiled in 1884, relating to marriage.

Read first and second time by title and referred to committee on judiciary.

Upon motion of Mr. Read, the rules were suspended to go back to the presentation of petitions, and house petition No. 1, presented by Mr. Morrow was read.

Joint memorial No. 1, introduced by Mr. Speaker, read first time in full, to be taken up by the house in regular order.

Upon motion of Mr. Read unanimous consent of the house was given, and the following bills were taken up:

House bill No. 4, read second time by title and ordered translated and printed and referred to the committee on judiciary.

House bill No. 6, read second time by title, ordered translated and printed and referred to the committee on education.

House bill No. 8, read second time by title, ordered translated and printed and referred to the committee on mines and mining.

House bill No. 9, read second time by title, ordered translated and printed and referred to the committee on judiciary.

House bill No. 10, read second time by title, ordered translated and printed and referred to the committee on education.

Upon motion of Mr. Luna, the committee that had been appointed to notify the governor that the house was duly organized was also empowered to invite the council to assemble in the hall of the lower house of the thirty-second legislative assembly, this day, Friday, Jan. 22, 1897, at 3 p. m., for the purpose of hearing read the message from his excellency, the governor of the territory of New Mexico.

Upon motion of Mr. Jaramillo, the house adjourned until 3 p. m.

HOUSE—FRIDAY AFTERNOON.

The house was called to order at 3 p. m., with the speaker in the chair.

Mr. Luna moved that the committee that had been appointed to wait upon the governor and inform him that the house was duly organized, proceed to inform the council in regard to receiving the message from the governor.

Mr. Smith, chairman of the above committee, reported that the council had already adjourned, and was ready to come in a body to attend the joint session for the purpose of hearing the governor's message read.

Mr. Luna announced the council ready to join the house in joint session, and the above committee was ordered to escort the councilmen to the chairs within the bar.

Whereupon the speaker announced that the president of the council would act as chairman of the joint session, and the governor's message was then read.

After the joint session of the council and the house had adjourned, the house, upon motion of Mr. Luna, adjourned at 4 p. m.

Persons who are troubled with indigestion will be interested in the experience of Wm. H. Penn, chief clerk in the railway mail service at Des Moines, Iowa, who writes: "It gives me pleasure to testify to the merits of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. For two years I have suffered from indigestion, and am subject to frequent severe attacks of pain in the stomach and bowels. One or two doses of this remedy never fails to give perfect relief. Price 25 and 50 cents, sold by W. A. Maxwell Drug Co.

Conductor Wells had a good train of passengers from the south last night, among them being Col. J. P. Meinrotty, and Editor W. R. Walton, of Deming; H. M. Dougherty, district attorney at Socorro; J. A. Ancheta, attorney of Silver City. Rev. Thos. Harwood, the Spanish missionary of the Methodist Episcopal church, and Rev. James Menaul, synodical missionary of the Presbyterian, were also on the train, they returning from Socorro and getting off here, while the others continued north to Santa Fe.

THE LEGISLATURE!

The Council Busy With Bills on First and Second Reading.

House Bill on Removal of County Seats Special Order.

Summit County Bill Introduced in House by Mulholland.

YESTERDAY'S BUSINESS

Special to The Citizen.

Santa Fe, N. M., Jan. 23.—The council worked on bills on the first and second reading at the morning session. In the afternoon the house bill relating to the removal of county seats was the special order and the bill was finally ordered to the committee on counties. In the house Mulholland introduced his Summit county bill.

COUNCIL—MONDAY MORNING.

Council met pursuant to adjournment at 10 o'clock with the president in the chair.

Upon call of the roll all members responded to their names.

Prayer was offered by the chaplain.

The journal of the previous day's session was read and there being no objection the same was approved.

Mr. Fall, of Dona Ana county, arose to a question of privilege and asked unanimous consent that the journal for the Saturday afternoon session of Jan. 23 be corrected so as to fix the date for holding joint session to elect a public printer to read "Monday, Jan. 25th, at noon p. m." instead of "Monday, Jan. 25." There being no objection it was so ordered.

Under order of reports of standing committees, Mr. Spiess, of Santa Fe county, made report upon council bill No. 4, as follows:

SANTA FE, N. M., Jan. 23, 1897.

"Mr. President: Your committee on judiciary, to whom was referred council bill No. 4, have had the same under consideration and I am directed to report said bill to the council with the recommendation that it be passed without amendment.

OTTO A. SNYDER, Chairman."

Also report upon council bill No. 5, as follows:

SANTA FE, N. M., Jan. 23, 1897.

"Mr. President: Your committee on judiciary, to whom was referred council bill No. 5, have had the same under consideration and I am directed to report said bill to the council with the recommendation that it be passed without amendment.

OTTO A. SNYDER, Chairman."

Also report upon council bill No. 6, as follows:

SANTA FE, N. M., Jan. 23, 1897.

"Mr. President: Your committee on judiciary, to whom was referred council bill No. 6, have had the same under consideration and I am directed to report said bill to the council with the recommendation that it be passed without amendment.

OTTO A. SNYDER, Chairman."

Also report upon council bill No. 7, as follows:

SANTA FE, N. M., Jan. 23, 1897.

"Mr. President: Your committee on judiciary, to whom was referred council bill No. 7, have had the same under consideration and I am directed to report said bill to the council with the recommendation that it be passed with the following amendments:

"And if such lunatic is adjudged insane by the district court, and ordered to be or is with or without such order committed in the insane asylum of the territory of New Mexico, the committee, guardian or trustee of such lunatic may apply such proceeds, or so much thereof, as shall be necessary to the maintenance of said lunatic and the territory of no account thereof shall be charged with the maintenance of lunatics who have property which can be so applied." And that so amended it do pass. Said reports were laid upon the table to await regular order.

Under the order of introduction of bills, Mr. Spiess, of Santa Fe county, introduced council bill No. 24, "An act to encourage and aid the construction and building of factories for the manufacture of sugar in the territory of New Mexico."

The bill was read the first time in full.

On motion of Mr. Curry, of Chavez county, the rules were suspended and the bill read the second time by title.

Upon motion of Mr. Chavez, of Valencia county, the bill was then ordered translated, printed and referred to the committee on agriculture and manufacture.

Mr. Martin, of Socorro county, introduced council bill No. 25, "An act in relation to sleeping and palace car companies."

The bill was read the first time by title.

Upon motion of Mr. Martin, of Socorro county, the rules were suspended and the bill was read the second time in full.

Upon motion of Mr. Martin, of Socorro county, the bill was then ordered translated, printed and referred to the committee on railroads.

Message was received from the house of representatives announcing passage by the house of and asking concurrence of this body in the following: "House joint resolution No. 1, providing an appropriation of $10 for the rental of a safe in which to lodge the papers of the respective branches of this legislature.

House joint resolution No. 2, providing for the printing of 1,500 copies of the governor's message in English and a like number in Spanish.

House bill No. 7, "An act fixing the time of holding the courts in the Fourth judicial district, and for other purposes;" also the concurrence of the house of representatives in the amendment of council joint resolution No. 2, providing for joint session to elect a public printer.

Mr. Curry, of Chaves county, introduced council bill No. 26, "An act relative to the recognizance, stipulations, bonds and undertakings, and to allow certain corporations to be accepted as surety thereon."

The bill was read the first time by title.

On motion of Mr. Curry, of Chaves county, the rules were suspended and the bill was read the second time by title.

Upon motion of Mr. Curry, of Chavez county, the bill was then ordered translated, printed and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Fall, of Dona Ana county, called the attention of the chair to the fact that the amendment to council joint resolution No. 2 had been concurred in by the house of representatives and that the enrolled and engrossed copy thereof was ready for signature.

Whereupon the chair announced that he had signed said joint resolution, same being properly attested by the chief clerk of the council.

Mr. Hughes, of Bernalillo county, introduced council bill No. 27, "An Act relating to co-partnership."

The bill was read the first time by title.

Upon motion of Mr. Finical, of Bernalillo county, the rules were suspended and the bill read the second time in full.

Upon motion of Mr. Chavez, of Valencia county, the bill was then ordered translated, printed and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Finical, of Bernalillo county, moved that council bill No. 4 be now taken up for the third time preparatory to its passage.

Mr. Finical, of Bernalillo county, moved that council bill No. 4 do now pass, and the ayes and nays being called the vote resulted as follows:

Ayes—Archuleta, Chavez, Curry, Duncan, Fall, Finical, Hughes, Martin, Miera, Sandoval, Spiess, Mr. President—twelve.

Nays—none.

The vote being in the affirmative council bill No. 4 duly passed.

On motion of Mr. Spiess, of Santa Fe county, the report of the committee be adopted, which motion prevailed.

Upon motion of Mr. Chavez, of Valencia county, the bill together with amendment thereto was read the third time preparatory to its passage.

Mr. Finical moved that council bill No. 5 do pass, and the ayes and nays being called the vote resulted as follows:

Ayes—Archuleta, Chavez, Curry, Duncan, Fall, Finical, Hughes, Martin, Miera, Sandoval, Spiess, Mr. President—twelve.

Nays—none.

The vote being in the affirmative council bill No. 5 duly passed.

Upon motion of Mr. Spiess, of Santa Fe county, the report of the committee be adopted, which motion prevailed.

Upon motion of Mr. Chavez, of Valencia county, the bill together with amendment thereto was read the third time preparatory to its passage.

Mr. Finical moved that council bill No. 7 do pass, and the ayes and nays being called the vote resulted as follows:

Ayes—Archuleta, Chavez, Curry, Duncan, Fall, Finical, Hughes, Martin, Miera, Sandoval, Spiess, Mr. President—twelve.

Nays—none.

The vote being in the affirmative council bill No. 7 as amended, duly passed.

Whereupon the president laid before the house joint resolution No. 1, providing an appropriation of ten dollars for the rental of a safe in which to keep the valuable papers in the custody of the chief clerks of the respective houses.

A resolution was read the first time in full.

Upon motion of Mr. Chavez, of Valencia county, the rules were suspended and the resolution read the second time by title.

Mr. Fall of Dona Ana county, moved that said resolution be referred to a special committee of three with instructions to confer with a like committee from the house with reference to the expenditure provided for therein, as well as with reference to other pertinent expenses which may be incurred during the present session. Said motion prevailed and Messrs. Fall, Chavez and Spiess were appointed such committee.

Mr. Chavez, from the committee on enrolled and engrossed bills, reported that council joint resolution No. 1 was duly signed by the president of the council.

Upon motion of Mr. Spiess, of Santa Fe county, the rules were suspended and council joint resolution No. 1 was read the third time in full.

Upon motion of Mr. Spiess, of Santa Fe county, the resolution was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Archuleta, Chavez, Curry, Duncan, Fall, Finical, Hughes, Martin, Miera, Sandoval, Spiess, Mr. President—twelve.

Nays—none.

The president then announced that the purpose of the joint session was to elect a public printer for the territory of New Mexico, and stated that nominations were in order.

Mr. Hughes, of the council, in an elegant speech, placed in nomination for public printer James D. Hughes, of Santa Fe.

The nomination was seconded by Messrs. Fall, of Dona Ana county; Luna, Valencia county; Sena, of Santa Fe county; Chavez, of Valencia county, Reed, of Santa Fe county, and Smith, of Union county.

Mr. Sena, of Santa Fe county, then moved that the nominations be closed, which motion prevailed.

Upon motion of Mr. Curry, of Chavez county, James D. Hughes, of Santa Fe county was then declared the unanimous choice of the thirty-second legislative assembly of the territory of New Mexico for public printer.

Upon motion of Mr. Martin, of Socorro county, council then arose and proceeded to its chamber, after thanking the house of representatives for all its courtesies.

AFTERNOON SESSION RESUMED.

Council was then called to order pursuant to recess, Mr. President in the chair, all members being present.

A message was received from the house of representatives announcing the passage by that body of house bill No. 12, "An act in relation to the removal of county seats," requesting the concurrence of council in the same.

Under the order of business on the president laid before the council house joint resolution No. 2, providing for the printing of 1,500 copies each in English and Spanish of the governor's message.

The resolution was read the first time by title and upon motion of Mr. Chavez, of Valencia county, the rules were suspended and the resolution was read the second time in full, and ordered referred without other translation or printing to the committee on public printing.

The president also laid before the council house bill No. 7, "An act fixing the time for holding courts in the Fourth judicial district and for other purposes."

The bill was read the first time by title.

Upon motion of Mr. Curry, of Chavez county, the rules were suspended and the bill read a second time in full, and upon motion of Mr. Finical, of Bernalillo county, referred to the committee on judiciary.

The president also laid before the council house bill No. 12, "An act in relation to the removal of county seats."

The bill was read the first time by title.

Upon motion of Mr. Finical, of Bernalillo county, the rules were suspended and the bill read a second time by title.

Mr. Miera, of Union county, moved that the bill be ordered referred to the committee on county lines.

Mr. Spiess, of Santa Fe county, moved as a substitute to said motion that the council do now go into a committee of the whole for the consideration of said bill.

Mr. Martin, of Socorro county, raised a point of order that a motion to commit could not be amended.

Mr. Fall, of Dona Ana county, then stated that a motion to refer to a committee of the whole is a privileged question and takes precedence over a motion to refer to any other committee.

The president declared the motion of the gentleman from Santa Fe county to be in order, which motion prevailed, and it was ordered that the council resolve itself into a committee of the whole.

The president of the council reported that the committee of the whole, to which was referred house bill No. 12, "An act in relation to the removal of county seats," had had the same under consideration, and referred said bill back to the council with the recommendation that the same, together with the amendment attached thereto, be referred to a special committee composed of Mr. Martin, of Socorro county, Mr. Miera, of Union county, and the chairman of the committee of the whole, the president of the council, that said bill be made a special order for Tuesday afternoon, Jan. 26, at 2 o'clock, which report was adopted.

Mr. Duncan, of San Miguel county, by unanimous consent introduced council resolution No. 3, as follows:

Council resolution No. 3, by J. S. Duncan, of San Miguel.

Whereas, It has come to our knowledge that Hon. Lorenzo Lopez, a former member of this body, and an honored and respected citizen of our territory, has departed this life for that bourne from whence no traveler returneth, be it

Resolved, By the council of the legislative assembly of New Mexico, that when this council adjourns it shall so adjourn until Tuesday evening, 26th inst., at 2 o'clock p. m., and that no session of this body shall be held on the morning of said day, out of respect to the memory of Mr. Lopez, be it

Resolved, That the sympathy of this body be expressed to the family of the deceased in their affliction.

The resolution was read the first time in full.

Mr. Chavez, of Valencia county, moved that the resolution be taken up for consideration at 10 o'clock on Wednesday, Jan. 27th, 1897.

Mr. Fall, of Dona Ana county, moved as an amendment that the first section of the resolution be stricken out and that the remaining portion thereof be made a special order for Wednesday morning, Jan. 27th, at 10 o'clock, which amendment was accepted by the gentleman from San Miguel, and there being no objection it was so ordered.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Martin, of Socorro county, introduced council resolution No. 4, as follows:

Be it resolved, that the thanks of the council be extended to ex-Gov. Edmund G. Ross, of New Mexico, for having presented each member of the council with an complimentary copy of his work entitled "Impeachment of Andrew Johnson," and be it further

Resolved, That there be spread in the council proceedings a copy thereof, if mailed to ex-Gov. E. G. Ross.

Upon motion of Mr. Martin, of Socorro county, the resolution was adopted.

The council adjourned till Tuesday, Jan. 26, at 2 p. m.

HOUSE—MONDAY MORNING.

House met at 10 o'clock, Speaker in the chair. The roll being called the following gentlemen answered to their names: Archuleta, Chaves, Christmas, Garcia, Garcia Herrera, Hernandez, Jaquez, Jaramillo, Romero, Luna, Lucero, Martinez, Malaquias, Martinez, Marcos, Morrow, Mulholland, Ortiz, Reed, Reynolds, Sanchez, Sandoval y Sandoval, J. E., Sena, Smith, Mr. Speaker—twenty.

Quorum being present the house proceeded to business.

Prayer was offered by Chaplain Rev. Gilbertson.

Mr. Reed moved that the journal of yesterday be read and approved, and was so ordered, there being no objection.

Journal of Monday, Jan. 25, was read and approved.

Message from the council was received, stating that the council had passed house bill No. 4, "An act providing for the protection of shade and ornamental trees," without amendment.

Also, that the council had passed house bill No. 5, "An act relative to the recognizance, stipulations, bonds and undertakings, and to allow certain corporations to be accepted as surety thereon," without amendment.

Also, that the council had passed house bill No. 7, "An act fixing the time for holding courts in the Fourth judicial district and for other purposes," without amendment.

Also, that the council had passed house joint resolution No. 2, providing for the printing of 1,500 copies each in English and Spanish of the governor's message.

Also, that the council had passed house joint resolution No. 1, providing an appropriation of $10 for the rental of a safe in which to lodge the papers of the respective branches of this legislature, without amendment.

Also, that the council had passed house joint resolution No. 2, relative to the election of a public printer, without amendment.

Also, that the council had passed house bill No. 12, "An act providing for the protection of shade and ornamental trees," without amendment.

Also, that the council had passed house bill No. 13, "An act relative to the removal of county seats," with the following amendments:

"Strike out all after the enacting clause and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"That section 1 of chapter 63 of the laws of 1889 be amended so as to read as follows: Section 1. That the county seat of any county in this territory may be removed from the place where the county seat is located to any other place in the county upon the petition of a majority of the electors residing in the county, when such petition shall be presented to the board of county commissioners at any regular session thereof, or at any special session thereof called for the purpose of considering such petition, and when such petition shall be signed by a majority of the electors residing in the county, the board of county commissioners shall cause the petition to be published in some newspaper of general circulation in the county, if there be one, and if there be more than one, then in the one of the largest circulation in the county, for four consecutive weeks, and shall also cause a copy of said petition to be posted in three of the most public places in each precinct in the county, and shall also cause a copy of said petition to be published in the county seat of the county where the county seat is located, and shall also cause a copy of said petition to be published in the county seat of the county where the county seat is proposed to be located, for four consecutive weeks