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Organizing the Bureau of Immigration.

The new members of the Immigration Bureau met at Santa Fe last week and organized by electing J. Bible, president; C. E. Mason, vice president; John A. Haley, treasurer; H. B. Hening, secretary. They then voted to remove the headquarters of the Bureau to Albuquerque. D. A. Macpherson, one of the members and editor of the Albuquerque Journal offered the Bureau an office room free of rent, heretofore, it cost the territory fifteen dollars per month for rent. Next month the Bureau will hold a session at Albuquerque and June they will hold a session at Roswell.

Milwaukee young ladies have organized a "Lemon Club", but as no gentlemen are admitted to membership, it is not clear how the lemons are to be squeezed.

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Copper, 24 3/4c.

The \$5,000,000 fund story which was claimed to have been subscribed by Hearst, Harriman and Rockefeller to defeat the policies advocated by President Roosevelt, may have been started as a joke but nevertheless that crowd needs watching.

There is a rumor that seems to have a good foundation that the Denver & Rio Grande railroad company would build a standard gauge into Santa Fe this year, running on this side of the Rio Grande river. The road is expected to leave the La Veta line east of Fort Garland near where once stood the City of Garland and will pass through San Luis, Colo., Costilla, Questa, Rio Hondo and Taos.

The New Mexican kicks against W. C. Reid as Attorney General as he is a railroad attorney. Is it not a wonder that some one had not thought of that before as a number of our Attorney Generals in the past while holding that office were railroads or corporation attorneys. As a general rule it would be far better for the public for not only our attorney generals to act in no way as an attorney for a railroad or corporation while holding that office but the same rule should apply to the district attorneys of the territory. It is hoped that the New Mexican will always be found advocating that theory.

As Mr. Reid has resigned to resume his large law practice at Roswell as to his being a railroad attorney is now immaterial to the public.

A law was passed by the late legislature making it compulsory that all births and deaths are to be recorded in the county recorder's office.

Prof. James E. Clark, Superintendent of Instruction of New Mexico, is doing some good work. His Circular Letters to the County Superintendents and others shows that he understands the needs of the public schools of New Mexico. In other words he is a school man and is in the right position.

The better element of the people of the United States are surely sorry to hear that the Thaw jury disagreed. Must the public again be retold this story of midnight debauchery and its sequel? If the parties connected with this affair had been poor people the daily papers would have had but little to publish. Pity they were not poor.

Gambling is becoming very unpopular as a number of the states and territories have passed strong laws against gambling. Arizona, New Mexico, Montana and Texas are among the number. The mayor of Boston, in an interview stated that the stock gamblers of Wall were no better than the card gamblers. It would surely need a microscope with the best of lenses to see any difference as both are taking money without earning it.

STANDARD OIL MUST GO TO TRIAL.

Chicago, April 12.—Final motions to quash the indictments of a whole against the Standard Oil Company were overruled today. Judge Landis stated that he had concluded that 439 of the counts were bad and these were ruled out, leaving 1,463 that will go to the jury.

New Laws in New Mexico.

The following bills are a few of the 123 bills that passed both branches of the thirty-seventh legislative assembly were signed by the governor and are now law. From time to time we will publish the title of the bills that became laws.

Limiting the sale, without licence, of native liquors upon the premises where manufactured, and to amend section 4137 of the compiled laws of 1897.

Relative to the Marzano grant in the territory of New Mexico.

To repeal chapter 6 of the session laws of the thirty-sixth legislative assembly, for other purposes, relative to street crossings.

In relation to property rights of husband and wife.

To amend section 2 of chapter 2 of the thirty-fifth legislative assembly, relative to patients in miner's hospital at Baton.

To regulate logging and prescribing the rights to the use of streams for floating logs, poles, timber and lumber thereon, and for other purposes.

Fixing the time for the holding of the terms of the district court for the first judicial district of New Mexico.

To regulate the classification of counties and fixing the salaries of county officers.

Providing for the printing of the rules of the supreme court and making an appropriation.

Gleaned From Our Exchanges.

Governor H. J. Bageinman left last week for Washington, and will be gone about two weeks.

The Belen cut-off of the Santa Fe railroad system, will be ready for through trains about September.

H. A. Hanson editor of the Spanish American, a weekly paper published at Roy, Mora county, died April 11, at the age of 28 of tuberculosis.

Work on the branch of the St. Louis, Rocky Mountain & Pacific Railroad known as the Cimarron & Northwestern, a distance of 344 miles, is being pushed to completion as rapidly as possible.

John A. Keble, general manager of the Colorado Fuel & Iron company, was a victim of ptomaine poisoning, dying suddenly on the morning of the 12th at Trinidad where he had been on a tour of inspection of his company's property. The cause of the poison was eating can salmon.

Prof. William E. Garrison, late president of Butler College of Indianapolis, Indiana, has been elected president of the New Mexico Normal University which is located at East Las Vegas. He will succeed Edmond J. Vert who lately resigned. Prof. Garrison is in New Mexico on account of his health.

The United States Supreme Court has confirmed the lower court in the contempt case against Ex-Senator T. M. Patterson. He will be obliged to pay the \$1,000 fine.

Santa Rita Mining Company of Grant county, was last Saturday evening found guilty of conspiracy in restraint of trade. The company tried to intimidate the workman and make them trade at the company's store. The case was tried in the United States Court at Las Cruces, this territory. Turner and Company bought the suit under the Sherman anti-trust law \$50,000 damages and the court awarded them \$25,000. The Santa Rita company has asked for a new trial.

Trying to Cremate His Own Wife.

A negro at Terico, Colorado, tried a week ago Sunday to cremate his wife. He came home in a bad temper, fastened his wife to a large pile of household furniture, saturated it with kerosene oil, and set the oil soaked work on fire. As the flames, aided by the wind and oil started a huge bonfire, the woman broke away from the top of the pile and fled screaming to a neighbor's house. The negro was arrested and taken to Trinidad. It is thought he was insane at the time.

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