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The Old Abe Co., have felt satisfied that other veins, besides the one which they have been working so successfully for a year, existed within the boundaries of the Old Abe claim; to demonstrate this fact they have been driving a tunnel or cross-cut west and north from their fourth level in the mine, commencing at a point twenty-five feet north of the main shaft. Having drifted to it fifty feet they came in contact with a body of ore six feet in thickness.

This ore like all other gold ore in this district is free milling and is being crushed now by the Old Abe company, and is running from \$25 to \$30 per ton. The ore has been followed, up to the present writing, for fifteen feet along the vein.

This is an entirely new strike and runs northwest and southeast instead of in the same direction as the old lead upon which the company have heretofore been running. It cannot be positively determined yet that this is a true fissure vein but everything so far indicates that to be the case and should it prove to be a true lead, it will favorably affect many of the other properties in Baxter gulch.

This strike is in keeping with the general belief of practical miners here, that White Oaks and other portions of Lincoln county, including the Jicarilla and Nogal districts, will be the greatest gold producers in the United States. The Old Abe mine is not for sale—none of any of the "Old Abes" ever were.

E. G. Hall, prospector and miner from Nevada, is one of the recent arrivals. He has gone to the Nogal district in the interest of the E. V. Packer properties.

S. B. Schrott, than whom no more thorough or experienced mill man exists, returned to White Oaks with his family, last week. Mr. Schrott has but recently returned from an extended trip to South America, in the interests of Frazer & Chalmers, the steam mill builders of Chicago. His prolonged stay here would indicate some important project on the tapis.

New Bridge at Socorro.
A bridge is to be built across the Rio Grande, east of Socorro, within the next ninety days. It is contracted to be of sufficient strength to bear railroad traffic, and its primary use is announced as means of communication for the new fire-clay company with their clay beds on the east side of the river, so as to enable them to readily transport their raw material to their extensive works in Socorro. However, a wagon road-way will be laid on this bridge and it is probable that this will afford us the most practicable mail route yet considered and may be the point from which the Santa Fe road may contemplate reaching White Oaks.

A. H. Bolinger, blacksmith, betrayed the confidence of Messrs. Ozanne & Co. and misappropriated some blankets. He was arrested east of Lincoln and has just been brought here by Capt. D. W. Roberts and tried before Justice Parker. Sentenced to thirty days in the county jail.

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LAS VEGAS, NEW MEX.

FOR THE BENEFIT OF ROSWELL.

The editor of the Old Abe Eagle was compelled by a special venire to serve on a jury, on or about March 7th, 1891, in a case of the state of Colorado against one Dr. J. W. Long charged with adultery committed in Las Animas county, Trinidad being the county seat where the trial was held before Judge W. G. Hines, county judge. Long was convicted and sentenced to jail for sixty days which term he served. The State Board of Medical Examiners, of Colorado, revoked his license and afterwards refused to re-issue license for him to practice.

The circumstances of the case as shown by the testimony were outrageous but as the jury could render verdict only upon that portion of the testimony which pertained to Las Animas county, Colorado, his sentence was wholly inadequate to his crime. This beast in human form left his own family, for whom the whole community at Russell, Kansas, have the deepest sympathy in their affliction, and deliberately seduced the respected wife of a citizen living near the same place, thus destroying the peace of two homes and two families of children. Eight months afterwards, according to the vile brute's own testimony in court at Trinidad, they were prevented from eloping together on account of the sudden violent illness of the lady, at which time she gave premature birth to a child. Since that time this worthy (?) family physician did elope with the lady taking her to various points in Kansas, Indian Territory and Colorado and the lady gave birth to another child which was living at the time of the trial above mentioned and was adopted by a family living near the Spanish Peaks in Las Animas county, Colorado, and the injured husband condoned the seduced wife's offense and took her back east with him at the conclusion of the trial. The lady swore that this last child was the child of the said Dr. J. W. Long, and the despicable cur not only did not deny it but conducted himself in the most unbecoming, disgusting, braggadocio manner during the trial.

There are two crimes for which there exists no adequate punishment and for which eternal punishment can never make reparation—one is rape and the other is seduction, and no community can feel safe with an animal loose among their homes who has been guilty of even the intent of either of these great crimes.

Our only apology for presenting this delicate matter for the consideration of the public, is the onerous duty of every man to aid in protecting the homes of his friends and neighbors, and while life lasts we will be found in that line and especially at the threshold of our own humble home.

LATER—We have just heard that this Dr. J. W. Long is at the bottom of a scheme to defraud J. L. Zimmerman out of a home by contesting his right to a piece of government land upon which Zimmerman had placed good improvements and cultivated a fair portion and performed all other requisites to comply with the law and that Long's testimony is the only vital evidence to substantiate the grounds for contest.

This being the case we feel further called upon to state that we would not believe Long under oath and in the cause of justice are willing to make affidavit to this fact and all other statements made in this article.

Further, there are more than a dozen people here in White Oaks who lived at Trinidad at the time of the trial and who remember the circumstances as published at the time, and if this Long is the same villain tried there, we can furnish other affidavits in Trinidad of the same import as our own.

The Japanese lie upon matting with a stiff uncomfortable wooden neckrest. The Chinese use low bedssteads, often elaborately carved, and supporting only mats or coverlets.

The largest animal known is the royal, which is 100 feet in length; the smallest is the twilight monarch, which is only the twelve-thousandth of an inch.

Pepper was known to the ancients. In the Middle Ages it was one of the most costly of spices, a pound of it being a royal present.

Post Mail For White Oaks.

The public when uninformed, are apt to complain without due cause. All will admit that they would be glad to secure more rapid mail facilities and that the most essential requisite to our commercial as well as social interests, second only in importance to railroad communication, is to have the time lessened in which we can send forward by mail our orders for supplies and receive answer concerning same. Few, however, thoroughly understand the actual situation, hence, ninety-nine per cent of the complaints against the parties who actually carry the mail would not be made if the facts were known.

Primarily, the greatest fault lies with the government system of letting mail contracts by which parties entirely alien to the territory in which the service is to be performed, are allowed to monopolize this service and secure the contract from the government at such figures as to give them a large revenue after sub-letting the contract, instead of giving all the appropriation to the party who actually does the work.

If the carrier of our mails could receive all of the money appropriated for that purpose, the service could not be far superior to the present service. The sub-contractor should receive all of this money, then, with the surplus difference between the amount appropriated and the amount now received, he could afford and should be required to give better service than he can now possibly render without personal loss.

His faithful services should be well paid and he should receive all legitimate profits. There should be no one between him and the government, or the people living in his district, who could receive perquisites.

It seems a little strange that our able Postmaster General, Wanamaker, who has planned a postal savings bank system and government telegraph service and given good results on the public letter carrier system and other improvements, has overlooked this important economic feature, as well as prime factor, for the benefit of the country mail service, over difficult routes to points where settlements and immigration are both injured, because the service is not paid all the government allows.

Our space does not allow complete review of this subject this week, but we shall, next week, propose a plan for making White Oaks a scheduled office, show facts as to increase of mail matter received here and propose to our people that a petition be circulated, asking the Postal Department to aid us and our contractor to improve our mail facilities.

Pocketbooks in Letter Boxes.

From time to time pocketbooks are found in the pillar boxes. Pickpockets have taken this way of returning to their owners whom they have robbed the valuable contents of pocketbooks, generally papers, which are of no use to any one but the owner. The thieves in this way get rid of articles which might lead to their conviction, and at the same time assuage the losses of the pocketbooks in some measure. They of course have no time to do up a package, but drop the articles into the most convenient boxes.—London Tit-Bits.

Railroad Humbug.

"Can you tell me," he asked, as he entered an office on Broad street the other day, "why the railroad should discriminate so heavily against dressed meat over live stock?"
"Certainly, sir. Dressed meat is dead, isn't it?"
"Of course."
"Well, anything that can't kick is always bulldozed by a railroad company."
—Texas Siftings.

A Tree That Produces Milk.

A growing wonder is the cow tree of South America, which is credited with yielding a lactical fluid which, in color, taste and nutritive property closely resembles the offerings of your milkman. It forms large forests in some districts of Venezuela and is much prized for its product.—Philadelphia Times.

A process has been discovered for making flour of bananas. Chemical experiments show that this flour contains more nutriment than rice, and that when eaten with beans, corn or sugar it forms a very palatable and nourishing diet.

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