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LATE NEWS.

CONDENSED TELEGRAMS.

Heavy snows are reported on the Denver, Texas & Ft. Worth railroad, near the Colorado line, and trains on that road are blockaded. Last night a snowslide occurred near Leadville, in Empire Gulch and two men were killed. Their bodies have not yet been recovered, and their names are unknown.

A Topeka special says: The most sanguine applicant for senatorial honors this morning is Bishop W. Perkins, ex-congressman from the third district. Major E. N. Morrill seemingly leads the field, for the impression is growing more and more that no Topeka man will be honored. The governor will give no information except that he will make the appointment this week.

The news has just been received that General Lorenzo Garcia, in command of the troops in the field in the northern part of Mexico, with headquarters at Mier, had been murdered by his command and the entire forces, numbering several hundred men, under his immediate command had gone over to the side of the revolutionists, crossing over into Texas in a body at a point between Roma and Carrizo.

The great barrel works of the Standard Oil company are burned down and the loss is estimated at from \$1,000,000 to \$1,500,000. The fire started at 2:30 last night in the heading room of the barrel works. It is estimated that there were between 1,000,000 and 2,000,000 barrel heads in the building and from 10,000,000 to 15,000,000 barrel staves. The structure was about 350 feet long, 200 feet wide and three stories high.

The heaviest snow storm of the year is now raging in the southern and western portions of Colorado. At Durango the storm is the heaviest that has visited that section for several years at this time of the year, the snow being about twenty inches on a level and still coming down. At Rico the snow is three feet deep, while on Trout Lake range there is still more. The Rio Grande Southern train has been running daily up to date, although it is doubtful if they get through to-day.

Joseph McCoy, the alleged leader of the gang of Rio Grande express robbers, was arrested near Salt Lake City yesterday, and the United States Secret Service Agent Walker is now on his way to this city with the prisoner. Joseph McCoy was associated with his father in the murder of W. C. Arnold at Cotopaxi in 1887, and escaped from jail at Canon City two years ago. Since that time little has been heard of him.

The trouble between the Southern Pacific company and the Order of Railway Telegraph operators has been settled. Concessions were made on both sides, the result a victory for the telegraphers, who are permitted to join the order, while the company withdraws the objectionable affidavit and compromises the trouble with reference to the employment of student operators. Nearly all the men who remained out on the strike or were discharged for joining the order, are to be reinstated by the company.

QUESTIONS ASKED AFTER THE DANCE.

Did you see the lancers massacre?
Did you see a young lady powdering the boys?
Did the music in the cornet thaw out?
Did you join the first dance behind the scenes?
Did you see a young lady grabbing at nothing?
Did you see four young gentlemen claiming the same partner?
Did you hear the boys beseeching the girls for the first waltz?
Did you notice the many acts of courtesy and gallantry during the evening? We did.

PERSONAL.

Sol. Rosenthal is sick.
Happy Jack had a surprise.
Al Quinley is on the sick list.
Sol. was happy New Year's eve.
W. C. Madge left for Denver Friday.
M. S. Otero, of Bernalillo, is in the city.
Mr. Vaile arrived from the south this morning.
C. J. Boyd made us a pleasant call this afternoon.

Jose G. Tudesque has gone to Springer for a few days.

J. Berger came in on the special this afternoon from Cerrillos.

T. L. Kellar, and wife of Trinidad, are on their way to Old Mexico.

Miss L. Rife, who was the guest of Miss Nellie Snyder, left for Pueblo this morning.

W. N. Kurtry, left here yesterday for Trinidad. He hopes to be in Denver on Sunday.

I. O. O. F. meets every Monday night at 7:30. Visiting brethren cordially welcomed.

T. Crispell has so far recovered from the sick spell of Thursday as to be out again, though not any too well yet.

Mrs. C. A. Marsh, of Turon, Kan., will arrive here to-morrow night to visit her daughter, Mrs. J. H. Overhals.

Miss Herzog received an elegant oxidized silver card receiver yesterday from her pupils, which she appreciates very highly.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris superintended the cloak rooms at the Hose Co's ball and did it in such a perfect way that it pleased both one and all.

Senorita Aluvina Pontalio, of Madrid, Spain, made quite a number of friends at the Hose company ball. She was the belle of the evening.

Judge Hazledine, general solicitor for the A. & P. road, died last night from pneumonia at Albuquerque. We were unable to get fuller news.

Mr. F. W. Stevens has returned from Texas enjoying his usual good health. His smiling face assures all he comes in contact with that he is well satisfied with the climate of New Mexico.

T. B. Catron, the Santa Fe lawyer, who gets lots of free advertising, especially in the southern part of the territory, was in town to-day. He has just returned from a business trip to the City of Mexico.

Chas. A. Thayer will leave to-morrow for a trip to Chicago and Wisconsin. He will be gone about two weeks. Mr. McKinley, of Trinidad, comes down to look after their business during Mr. Thayer's absence.

Prize shooting at the shooting gallery this week. Try a shot.

THE DANCE AT LOPEZ HALL.

There was a well attended ball in the Old Town last night. The Lopez hall was a scene of gaiety and merriment from 8 o'clock in the evening to 2 o'clock in the morning. There were fifty couples on the floor and about the same number who kept their chairs.

The three brothers Juan and the two Franciscos supplied the music for the dancers, but the San Juan brass band played excellent selections during the evening, which showed their skill. The following gentlemen compose the band:

J. B. Guerin, L. Guerin, M. Guerin, A. Alire, H. Baca, B. Vijil, M. Jaramillo, G. Davis, F. D. Gonzales, B. Ulibarri and T. Mares.

The following are some of the ladies and gentlemen present: D. Hays and wife C. Ortiz and family, A. Romero and wife, B. Benavides and family, Mrs. Montoya, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Sens, Mr. and Mrs. Reinbert, the Misses Romero and the Misses Ulibarri. All enjoyed themselves, but the following were the best dancers: Mrs. Falch, Mrs. A. Romero, Josefin Trujillo and William Kirkpatrick.

RELIGIOUS.

METHODIST CHURCH.

Services will be held to-morrow as follows at the Methodist Episcopal church South: Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. Subject: "Individual Moral Influence." Text, Romans 14, 13. Preaching at 1:30 p. m. Subject: "Grieving the Holy Spirit." Text, Ephesians, 4, 30. All these services at the Seminary Chapel. B. J. Waugh, pastor.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.

Sunday school, 9:45; morning services at 11 a. m.; Young People's meeting 7 p. m., followed by regular services. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening, usual time. Choir practice Friday. Rev. A. A. Layton, pastor.

A. M. E. CHURCH.

Services at the A. M. E. church at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

FIRST M. E. CHURCH.

Services will be held as follows at the First M. E. church, January 3, (D. V.) Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Subject: "Christ in the Heart." Class meeting after the service. Services at 7:30 p. m. Subject: "The Iniquity of the Fathers upon the Children." All invited. A. Hoffman, pastor.

WEST SIDE CATHOLIC CHURCH.

Services for to-morrow: Low mass at 7 in the morning. High mass with sermon in Spanish at 10; vespers at 3 o'clock p. m. Week days, low mass at half past seven in the morning. Catechism on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday. Rev. Father Coudert, pastor; Rev. W. Braum, assistant.

EAST SIDE CATHOLIC CHURCH.

Low mass at 8 a. m.; high mass at 10 with sermon in English; Sunday school class from 3 to 4 in the afternoon; evening service at 7. Rev. M. A. D. Rivera.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Preaching at the First Presbyterian church in the morning by the pastor, Rev. F. S. Brush. In the evening there will be New Year choral service with the following program:

- CREATIVE GLORY
1 "The heavens declare the glory of God and the firmament showeth his handy work."
2 HYMN—"CREATION" No. 341 Presbyterian Hymnal
3 CHORUS and Congregation
4 "Consider the lilies of the field, how they grow; they toil not, neither do they spin, and yet I say unto you, that even Solomon in all his glory was not arrayed like one of these."
5 SOLO—"Consider the Lilies"
6 Mrs. Hugh Menzies
7 JOY TO THE WORLD—HYMN 78. Isaac Watts
Chorus and Congregation.

- THE ADVENT
1 "For unto you is born this day, in the city of David, a Saviour which is Christ the Lord."
2 HYMN 3
3 CHORUS and Congregation
4 NARARETH
5 Mrs. F. S. Hawken

- THE ATONEMENT
1 "Who his own self bare our sins in his own body on the tree."
2 HYMN 129—Olive's Brow
3 SOLO—Calvary
4 HYMN 126—There is a Fountain
5 CHORUS and Congregation

- LIFE'S PILGRIMAGE
1 "Come unto me, all ye that labor and are heavy laden and I will give you rest."
2 Duet—Seek ye the Lord
3 HYMN 204—"Rest for the weary"
4 SOLO—Come unto Me
5 "Be still and know that I am God."
6 SOLO—"I hold my heart so still."
7 OFFERTORY—"Truly ye have received, freely give."
8 HYMN 26—"Children of the Heavenly King, as ye Journey, sweetly sing."

- VICTORY
1 "But thanks be to God which giveth us the victory through Jesus Christ."
2 HYMN 317—"Awake, my Soul! stretch every nerve."
3 QUARTET—"Song of the Soldier, Jas. McGranahan"
4 "For now we see through a glass darkly but then face to face; now I know in part but then shall I know even as also I am known."
5 SOLO—"But is that all?"
6 TERTIO—"Protect us through the coming night!"
7 HYMN 22—"All hail the power of Jesus Name."

- CHORUS and Congregation.
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