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SATURDAY EVENING, MAR. 28, 1896.

Republican City Convention.

A delegate city convention of the republicans of the city of East Las Vegas will be held at the city hall, on Tuesday evening, March 31st, at 8 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of nominating candidates for the following offices for the election to be held on Tuesday, April 7th, 1896:

One mayor, to serve for the term of one year.

One clerk, to serve for the term of one year.

One treasurer, to serve for the term of one year.

Each ward will be entitled to ten delegates in the city convention.

Ward primaries will be held in the different wards on Monday evening, March 30th, at 8 p. m., for the purpose of electing delegates to the city convention, and also for the purpose of nominating one alderman and one member of the board of education, each to serve the period of two years. The primaries will be held at the following places: First ward, the public school building; second ward, at the office of H. S. Wooster; third ward, at John Hill's planing mill; fourth ward, at the seminary building.

JOHN S. CLARK,
Chairman Republican City Central Committee.
J. A. CARRUTH, Secretary.

IT promises, after all, to be quite a spirited city election, but with not the least doubt of the result.

THE Santa Fe *New Mexican* has become so vindictively personal and so outrageously unfair in its political utterances, of late, that very little attention is paid to them by the opposition press. The paper used to be fairer, even in political matters, than it is now. What has come over the spirit of its dreams, anyhow?

THE time for holding our city election is fast approaching, and our citizens should begin to devote some thought to the selection of good men for the various offices. Great care should be taken in the selection of a board of trustees, and none but experienced business men, who are interested in a wise and economical city government, and who will do all in their power to promote the welfare of the town, should be chosen for this office.

MORE towns die for want of confidence on the part of business men and lack of public spirit than from any other cause. When a man in search of a home or business location goes into a town and finds everything brim full of hope and enthusiasm over the prospects of the place, and all earnestly building it up, he soon becomes imbued with the same spirit, and as a result, he drives down his stakes and goes to work with the same interest. When, however, he goes to a town where everyone expresses doubt and apprehension for the future prospects of the place, moving about and indulging in mournful complaints, he naturally feels it is no place for him, and at once shakes the dust off his feet, while he pulls out with all possible speed for some other place. Consequently, try to make an enterprising town out of one in which you live. While you are working for your own town, you are accomplishing all the more for yourself.

OF no other class of people in Las Vegas more proud than of her school teachers. Their steady and constant aim is to lead the children out upon a broader stage, into more expanding scenes, and to induct them into new and stronger characters. They aim to light up the path of life with new splendor and new power. If this is their work and their aim, all their efforts should be supported and seconded by all right-thinking people. They are to be more and more the leaders, the personification and the ready agents of whatever appears necessary to be be thought, said or done to advance the masses and to banish the darkness of ignorance. They catch the spirit of dead forms, and embody it in a new and nobler shape. The power and influence of the masses, awakened by such efforts, transform society from ignorance and stupidity into a condition for growth, which can be depended upon, not only to sustain our present attainments, but to carry the torch of progress onward and upward. Under such circumstances, there can be no relapsing in this line of march, because there is in the masses, and their work, newer and higher life, stability and ultimate victory. Intelligence so arms, equips, and illuminates them that they come to realize their capacity and power. It is out of this which springs the marvelous daring, the lofty enthusiasm and the universal aspiration and enterprise of their real lives.

SUCCESS at any election ever depends upon a judicious selection of representative citizens as candidates. Where caucuses and conventions are manipulated by intriguing politicians for the advancement of unworthy aspirants, defeat is sure to follow in the wake of such unfair proceedings. The intelligence of the people in the governing powers at the polls, and when heelers and hitters attempt to gain control of a municipality or a state, public indignation centers upon such efforts and the protest of the people's sovereignty registered in overwhelming majorities against such palpable corruption. But when the masses meet in convention and dispassionably discuss the merits of their favorite sons and with the exercise of deliberate judgment select standard-bearers of moral and political worth, then their success in the canvass is assured, and good government vouchsafed. We take great pleasure in assuring our readers that the ticket placed in the field by the republican convention, next Tuesday evening, will be selected with care and with a view to having our commercial and business interests faithfully represented.

THIS paper stands ready and is quite willing to publish any and all open, manly, fair, well intended criticisms of the acts of the present city officials, some of whom will be candidates for re-election at the behests of their friends, but no communication born of envy, malice or prejudice, will find place in its columns. This, we know, will meet the hearty approbation of all good citizens, those who have the best interests of the town sincerely at heart and are interested in the election of good men and true to fill the several city offices.

CAPT. J. G. CLANCEY and republicans of his stamp must have been edified over the failure of the Territorial convention to speak out on so important a question as the tariff. It was a corked-up convention, sure enough.—*New Mexican.*

Particularly Capt. Clancey, who is about $7,000 out of pocket annually by democratic free-trade legislation on wool. At the proper time, as stated last evening, the republicans of New Mexico will be heard from on the tariff question in a manner that will make the democrats of New Mexico fairly tremble in their boots.

IT were better to nominate and elect a candidate for mayor on the strength of what he has already accomplished in office, than to nominate and try to elect a candidate on the strength of what he might accomplish.

ITCHING ECZEMA

An Editor's Little Son Suffers Terribly. Itching Intense. Face Raw and Bleeding from CONSTANT SCRATCHING

Every Known Remedy Tried. Thoroughly Alarmed He Tries CUTICURA REMEDIES

Noticeable Improvement Next Morning. Cure Speedy and Complete.

My little boy was afflicted with Eczema in acute form for nearly a year, during which time we tried without success, if not every known remedy, at least a sufficient number to become thoroughly alarmed. Remedies that proved efficacious for others had no apparent effect upon the child. The disorder appeared on the right cheek and was of a blistery and bloody form. His pillow, mornings, would bear the bloody imprint of the side of his face, while it was impossible to prevent the little fellow from scratching his face, owing to the intensity of the itching. Being advised to try CUTICURA, I purchased a box. The first application was made before putting the child to bed at night, and the statement may be doubted, but it is nevertheless a fact, that the appearance of the affected parts showed *a noticeable improvement the next morning.* Continued use of CUTICURA fully demonstrated its success, and as a result my child has as fair and smooth skin as can be found any where. We used every local application, bottle after bottle of blood medicines, all to no purpose. It was only when CUTICURA was used did he find relief. These facts can be verified by local druggists. Messrs. Baird Bros. W. S. NEEDHAM,
Editor and Pub. *Standard*, Pataskala, O.

SPEEDY CURE TREATMENT.—Warm baths, with CUTICURA SOAP, gentle applications of CUTICURA (ointment), and mild doses of CUTICURA RESOLVENT (blood purifier). POTTER DRUG AND CHEM. CORP., Sole Props., Boston, Mass.

CUTICURA PLASTERS CURE when others FAIL.

SOME WATROUS NOTES.

To the Editor of the Optic.

WATROUS, N. M., March 27th, '96.—Carpenters from Las Vegas have been at work upon Mr. Lang's residence, for two weeks. It promises to be the finest in town.

Messrs. S. E. Tipton and W. Thorp are protecting their property along the river by a breakwater of rocks and brushwood. So much of the bank has been washed away each spring that now the river is encroaching upon valuable property.

The little daughter of Alec. Winans has been very seriously ill, but is now convalescent. At one time matters were so serious that a consultation was held between Drs. Tipton and Rolls.

C. W. Wildenstein leaves, next week, for Deming, where he will visit his son and try to recuperate his health.

Mrs. Callan has returned from a month's visit at her sister's, in Albuquerque.

Photographers have been in town all week and many of our good citizens have put on their favorite smiles and paid them a visit.

L. Kroenig is the recipient of many hearty congratulations these days and also of many requests to "set em up," the occasion being the arrival at his house of a fine, bouncing baby boy.

Ex-Gov. Hadley is in Chicago. It is rumored that Mr. Hadley is trying to dispose of his property, with a view of moving to California.

On Wednesday night, Joseph Bodine, of Tiptonville, had a paralytic stroke, from which the doctor thinks he will not recover. The paralysis includes the left side of the face and the left arm and leg. The right side shows a slight loss of power.

JAY COB.

A man may dress as well as as his own good judgement and the assistance of an artistic tailor may elect. He may take his "tubs" but if his digestive organs are out of order, he will have an unwholesome appearance. His complexion and the white of his eyes will have a yellowish cast. His tongue will be coated, appetite poor, his teeth rusty, his breath abominable. He is one big, unmistakable sign of constipation.

The quickest, surest, easiest way is to take Doctor Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. They are made of refined, concentrated vegetable extracts. Nothing in the least harmful enters into their composition. They hunt down all impurities, and "make them move on." They are the product of many years' study and practice. Doctor Pierce cannot afford to put forth a worthless article. Send for a free sample.

Address with 21 cents in one-cent stamps to cover cost of mailing *only*, World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y., and get a free copy of the "People's Medical Adviser."

Alva M. West, of Hainesville, Ohio, is sight-seeing about Santa Fe.

None But Ayer's at the World's Fair.

Ayer's Sarsaparilla enjoys the extraordinary distinction of having been the only blood purifier allowed an exhibit at the World's fair, Chicago. Manufacturers of other Sarsaparillas sought by every means to obtain a showing of their goods, but they were all turned away under the application of the rule forbidding the entry of patent medicines and nostrums. The decision of the World's fair authorities in favor of Ayer's Sarsaparilla was in effect as follows: "Ayer's Sarsaparilla is not a patent medicine. It does not belong to the list of nostrums. It is here on its merits."

The U. S. Gov't Reports show Royal Baking Powder superior to all others.

United States Marshal E. L. Hall, of Santa Fe, is on a trip to Silver City.

Took a Shot at Him.

"Edward Orr, business manager of the Roswell *Register*," writes a friend of the Albuquerque *Citizen*, "came very near being killed the other evening. Mr. Orr was at his office, sitting at his desk reading a paper, when a knock was heard at the front door. Mr. Orr responded, and just as he opened the door a shot passed uncomfortably close to his body. He jumped back, and as he did so the would-be assassin was heard moving away. Mr. Orr then left his office and reported the attempt upon his life to the officers, but up to the hour of mailing the *Citizen* this information no clew to the shootist had been obtained.

To Health-Seekers.

The Blake Ranch, on the head of the Rio Sapello, is now prepared to receive a limited number of boarders. This ranch is located in the heart of the mountains, amid the most beautiful scenery in the world, where brook trout and wild game offer ample diversion for the nimrod or anyone seeking out-door sport. It is located only twenty-five miles from Las Vegas, and within eight miles of the Rio Pecos, and only three miles from the headwaters of the Rio Gallinas. Address,

Address Mrs. J. F. Blake, Rociada, or Inquire for conveyances and rates of W. E. Crites, East Las Vegas, N. M.

J. F. BLAKE,
Rociada, N. M.

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Urban Allan Myers
Windom, Kan.

Scrofula From Birth

Other Medicines Utterly Failed

But Hood's Sarsaparilla Cured.

"Some time since, our boy then four years old was in the hands of the family doctor for treatment for scrofula. He had been afflicted with this trouble from birth and we had been unable to give him

Only Temporary Relief.

We decided to give him Hood's Sarsaparilla and are glad to say 6 bottles of Hood's entirely cured him. Our oldest daughter has been taking Hood's Sarsaparilla for rheumatism with good results. We have used from first to last some $10 worth of the medicine and have received the equivalent of several hundred dollars' worth of doctor's treatment and good health to boot. We cannot speak too highly of Hood's Sarsaparilla as a blood purifier. It is all that is claimed for it." C. E. MYERS, Windom, Kansas.

Hood's Sarsaparilla Cures

Hood's Pills act harmoniously with Hood's Sarsaparilla. 25c.

WOMEN HESITATE TO TALK FOR PUBLICATION.

BUT IT IS NOT A DISGRACE TO BE SICK.

Yet Some Suffer in Silence and will not Open the Matter to their Physician even.

YOU CAN BE BRIGHT EYED AND HAPPY.

From the Nugget, Chehalis, Wash.

The neighbors called her a walking corpse. For fifteen years she had suffered from loss of blood and dropsy. She had not the strength to stand alone. She had spent thousands of dollars with the doctors and had been unable to find relief. Her case was considered hopeless.

That is the experience of Mrs. C. Reed, a well-known lady of this city.

A *Nugget* reporter called upon her at her home last Tuesday. She was willing to be interviewed, she said, if she could be the means of pointing out to other unfortunates the way to recovery and good health.

"It has been over fifteen years since the malady asserted itself," said Mrs. Reed. "Since then, until within the last few months, I never knew what it was to be well for a single day. I could not sleep. My appetite went away and I began to lose flesh. This continued for years. I became so weak I could not wait upon myself. I had to have the help of others to dress and undress, even to walk from one room to another. I lost all my strength. In addition, I had dropsy of the blood. My limbs were swollen, and nothing I could do seemed to afford me relief. The doctors said I must take iron to strengthen and invigorate my blood. I took iron—took it by the bottle and by the box; took it morning, noon and night. But it did no good, and I had finally lost all hope.

"At last I saw an account of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. I thought this fitted my case exactly and I tried to get some of the pills. They were not kept at the drugstores here, and I had to send to Olympia. They came finally, however. I began to take them and experienced relief immediately. I sent for two more boxes to the Dr. Williams' Company at Schenectady, N. Y., and by the time I had taken them I felt like a new woman. I have been taking them occasionally since then.

"It was two years ago that I began to use Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I was sixty years of age then, and had not been able to do my housework for many years. Now I am able to care for myself, to do my own work, and I can walk long distances without being especially fatigued.

"I think my cure is a marvelous one, and is due entirely to the Pink Pills for Pale People. Without them I fear I should have been dead before now.

"Since my cure has become known the druggists here have always kept the pills, and I do not have to send away for them any more. I have recommended them to several of my neighbors, and I know that they have done much good in more than one case similar to my own."

In order to confirm this statement beyond all doubt Mrs. Reed offered to make affidavit to its truth, and the affidavit is here presented:

STATE OF WASHINGTON, } ss.
COUNTY OF LEWIS. }

Mrs. Martha L. Reed, being first duly sworn on her oath, says that she has read the foregoing report of an interview with her, and that the same is as she gave it and is correct in every particular.

(Signed) MRS. MARTHA L. REED.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of May, 1895.

J. M. KEPNER, Notary Public.

A case of similar import and of much interest is here given also, the same having been originally published by the *Advance* of Ogdensburg, N. Y. While it is from the far east, the facts can nevertheless be easily substantiated by writing the patient direct.

Every female who is nearing the critical period of woman's life will be pleased to hear the story told by Mrs. Frank Murray, as follows:

Mrs. Frank Murray, who resides near Ogdensburg, N. Y., says: "I am 46 years of age, and for a number of years resided in Prescott, Ont. We moved over here some time ago and have worked this farm since. It is what is known as the Ferguson Farm and is about six miles out from the city. My husband is now working in Ogdensburg at his trade, that of a stone mason, while my children and myself carry on the farm.

"I have been a great sufferer from sick headache, which would generally come on about evening, and I would be completely prostrated, not even able to lift my hand or help myself in any way. These spells would last for about 24 hours, and would leave me in so weakened a condition that for a few days I could scarcely drag about the house. Periodically the spells would come on me. I have also had considerable spinal trouble, the sharp, darting tongues of pain being most severe, following along my spine and to the back of my head.

"Have doctored much, but without the desired result. I heard of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, and also later heard of the cures they had effected in a number of persons personally known to me, and it was their published stories that decided me to try them.

"I got some of the pills, and after I had taken the first box I had no more headaches for several months. Last fall the headaches returned, however, and I took another box of the pills and am happy to say have not since been bothered.

"This summer my head began to have a heavy feeling, and at times I was quite drowsy, but no pains accompanied it. I now have more pills and though I've taken only a few I feel well again.

"I don't think any person could stand it a great while to be troubled as I was and stand the amount of pain. I know that Pink Pills are a good medicine and fully what they are represented to be. I have recommended them to some of my friends with beneficial results. Oh, my, yes! They have done wonders for me. I do all my own housework on the farm. We have a dairy of twelve cows, and often when the boys are very busy getting in the crops I have milked all the cows alone."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People are an unfailing remedy for all diseases arising from a poor and watery condition of the blood, such as pale and sallow complexion, general muscular weakness, loss of appetite, depression of spirits, lack of ambition, anæmia, chlorosis or green sickness, palpitation of the heart, shortness of breath on slight exertion, coldness of hands or feet, swelling of the feet and limbs, pain in the back, nervous headache, dizziness, loss of memory, feebleness of will, ringing in the ears, early decay, all forms of female weakness, leucorrhœa, tardy or irregular periods, suppression of menses, hysteria, paralysis, locomotor ataxia, rheumatism, sciatica, all diseases depending on vitiated humors in the blood, causing scrofula, swelled glands, fever sores, rickety hip-joint diseases, hunchback, acquired deformities, decayed bones, chronic erysipelas, catarrh, consumption of the bowels and lungs, and also for invigorating the blood and system when broken down by overwork, worry, diseases, excesses and indiscretions of living, recovery from acute diseases, such as fevers, etc., loss of vital powers, spermatorrhœa, early decay, premature old age. They act directly on the blood, supplying to the blood its life-giving qualities by assisting it to absorb oxygen, that great supporter of all organic life. Pink Pills are sold by all dealers, or will be sent post paid on receipt of price, 50 cents a box or six boxes for $2.50, by addressing Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y.

A SNAP CONVENTION.

A Pretty Kettle of Fish that the Democratic Politicians are Trying to Fry.

To the Editor of the Optic.

EAST LAS VEGAS, N. M., March 28th, 1896.—The democrats are good on snap conventions. Four years ago, growing out of the conflict in New York, between Cleveland and Hill, the friends of the latter tried to take "snap judgment" against the ex-president and called a "snap convention," which raised a row in the democratic camp. But who would have supposed that New York methods would be introduced in Las Vegas? A few days ago, the veteran politician, Michael S. Hart, fresh and blooming from Santa Fe, appeared on our streets, and by some queer coincidence, J. H. Crist, the chairman of the democratic Territorial committee, and Mr. Wyllys, Judge Laughlin's court clerk, came at the same time. Whether these gentlemen were bearers of secret instructions from the governor or not your correspondent has not learned; however, a common attraction seemed to draw them to a common point. A meeting at the office of the ex-district attorney was hastily held, at which such noted local democratic politicians as W. E O'Leary, J. W. Zollars, Redmond MacDonagh, Col. Mike Hart, etc., etc., were present. While the pow-wow was in progress, your correspondent observed the Veeder brothers in old town whether from lack of interest or because they were not bidden to the feast, is not known. As several democratic politicians are anxious to send their party as delegates to Chicago, it is thought that this meeting had for its ulterior purpose, to set up a San Miguel delegation which would leave Don Felix and his followers out in the cold in the Territorial convention and secure a representation to put the "slate candidates" through, and to reach that end to resuscitate the remains of the democratic contingent in San Miguel, and gradually work it over to the support of those manipulating the democratic machine.

The defunct democratic club, which disorganized and died, two years ago, was resurrected and a simon-pure, "all-wool-and-a-yard-wide" democratic meeting called at the A. O. U. W. hall for Wednesday night, under the name of the club. What is queer about this call is that it entirely ignored the regular democratic city central committee! It was the evident purpose of this new move to get the bulge on the citizens' meeting held at Billy Bunker's office and to sit down on the democratic city central committee.

At the meeting of Wednesday afternoon, the citizens' committee appointed to confer with the democrats, was completely snubbed, but the valiant fellows believed they would fare better at the A. O. U. W. hall assemblage; but by the time O'Leary finished his catechism of Dr. Milligan, it was evident the managers expected the citizens to abandon their call and put on the democratic uniform. The members of the citizens' committee were plainly told they must muster as democrats, or they couldn't be in the procession.

Having thus "knocked out," in the second round, and completely squelched the citizens' movement, the next move on the board was to supersede the democratic city central committee, so the managers called a snap convention for Monday, the 30th, to nominate candidates for the various city offices, and primaries in the various wards, to elect delegates to this city convention.

There is an air of hot haste in these movements, following the visit of the distinguished democratic statesman from Santa Fe, who managed the late democratic defeat in the Territory, which smacks strongly of machine politics. It is the first move on the democratic checker board in San Miguel to control the delegates to the Territorial convention. Whether it is an anti-Childers or anti-Miller move, it is yet too early to determine. There is probably very little disinterested politics in it. Somebody, or probably several somebodies, have a political axe to grind, and they are getting the political grindstone ready. Our unsophisticated democratic brethren are, it would seem, to be used to pull somebody's political chestnuts out of the fire. Our genial friend, Col. Mike Hart, may be expecting to go as a delegate to Chicago.

A year ago, there was a democratic city convention at Judge Wooster's office. Its president was Dr. F. H Atkins and John L. Zimmerman was secretary. To keep up the regularity of democratic organization, Dr. Atkins, Col. Mike Hart, Judge E. V. Long, W. A. Givens and John L. Zimmerman were appointed a city democratic central committee to serve until April 1st, 1896. It looks as if some of the democratic potentates were afraid to trust this committee to call the city convention. At least, the committee is entirely ignored by the gentlemen who have been moving since the visit of the chairman of the late democratic defeat to this city. This writer is not on the inside of democratic political orders, but it looks as if the governor and his friends have at one lick put to sleep the citizens' movement, retired Dr. Milligan, laid the wires to ostracise Don Felix and given the democratic city central committee a slap in the face. As the head of that committee is an M. D., he may be able to bind up the wound.

"Behold how good it is for brethren to dwell together in unity."

AN OBSERVER.

"Baby" Elliott, of Rincon, who was ill for several days, again gladdens the hearts of her playfellows by being with them.

CHURCH DIRECTORY.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.
REV. NORMAN SKINNER, Pastor.

Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Society of Christian Endeavor at 6:45 p. m.
All people are cordially welcomed. Strangers and sojourners are invited to worship with us.

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A. A. LAYTON, Pastor.

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All are cordially invited to attend its services.

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HARMAN J. HOOVER, Pastor.

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m., followed by thirty minutes class meeting. Epworth League at 7:00 p. m. Evening service at 7:30 p. m.
The pastor and members extend, to all, the welcome of this church, and will be pleased to see you at its services.

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HENRY C. PARKMAN,
Minister in Charge.

Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 10:00 a. m.
Friday—Evening prayer, 4:30 p. m.
Everyone cordially invited to attend these services.

CHURCH OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION.
FATHER T. P. O'KEEFE, Pastor.

Masses will be said at 6:30 and 9:00 a. m. Sunday school at 3 p.m. Vespers and benediction of the Blessed Sacrament, at 7:30 p. m. Daily morning mass at 6:30 a. m. Sermon, at high mass, at 9:00 a. m.

CHURCH OF OUR LADY OF SORROWS.
VERY REV. JAS. H. DEFOURI, Pastor.
REV. MAURICE OLIER, Assistant.

First mass, for winter season, at 6:30 a. m. Second mass, for winter season, at 8 a. m. High mass for winter season, at 10:00 a. m. Sunday school at 3:00 p. m. Vespers and Benediction at 4:00 p. m.
The Fathers will preach both in English and Spanish.

MONTEFIORE CONGREGATION.
REV. L. SCHREIBER,
Pastor in Charge.

Services every Friday, 8 p. m.; Sunday morning, 11 a. m.; Sunday school, every Saturday morning, 9:30 to 12 o'clock, and Sunday mornings, from 10 to 11 o'clock.

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