

Methodist Episcopal Church.

One year ago last Sunday Rev. Thos. Harwood organized the M. E. church in this city. Thirteen members were all that could be found in the place.

Rev. D. W. Calfee was placed in charge by Bishop Merrill. He moved to this city on January 15th, 1880, into the parsonage built by the society.

Rev. Mr. Annu generally opened the doors of his church for their use until they could build.

Soon after the organization they began the erection of the neat and comfortable church in which they now worship on Zion's Hill.

Citizens, regardless of faith or creed or nationality gave liberally of their means to the good cause. On February 15th, 1880, Dr. Cranston of Denver, Colorado, dedicated the new church, since which time, however, about \$500 worth of improvements to the church, parsonage and grounds have been added.

Last Sunday there was four baptisms in the church, three taken into full connection with the church, and one accession by letter.

The membership of the church is now forty.

Average congregation of morning, 75. Evening, 210.

The secret of the success of the church is the harmony and vim with which the enterprises of the church are entered into by the pastor and all the members. They strive unselfishly to make the church homelike, pleasant and cheerful, and inviting for everybody. The singing is most excellent and improving all the time.

The sermons are short and pointed.

As a result when a stranger or any one else goes there once, they are made to feel so welcome and at home that they do not wait for a second invitation.

The Society Season.

The seasons round of gaily in Vegas is about to be initiated. We understand that an elegant tea party was given by Mrs. — to a dozen guests last evening, that Mr. and Mrs. — will entertain their friends to the number of about twenty at 4 o'clock dinner to-day, after which the party will go by their own private carriages on a drive up the cañon. To-morrow evening Miss Pauline Winfield, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Scott, will entertain about 200 of her friends at the lively suburban residence at Garfield, Miss Pauline makes her entrance into society and will receive the congratulations. The music will be furnished by Hancock's orchestra, and — the Pishon, Keen, Houghton outfit of midnight marauders in the rendering of harmony and discord. The holy Moses.

The Round Ups.

The merchants of the burnt block are now busily rounding up the scattered goods and cutting out their several brands. A half dozen or so different brands are often found in one heap. Clothing from different houses, and of all sizes, shapes and qualities are found together. Among other things a keg of butter, a case of cartridges, a box of soap or a sack of corn meal is not an uncommon find.

—Mr. M. Whiteman arrived yesterday from the White Oaks. He says that the young city of gold is flourishing. New houses are being built every day. He says that Las Vegas will necessarily be the point of supply for all that part of the country. He bases his opinion upon the fact that this city is as near as any other point that is accessible at all and that the road to this city is much better than the routes to other places. Mr. Whiteman spoke of three roads leading to Socorro from the White Oaks region, viz: One from Hoerardle's, called the upper road; one through the Malpais district called the middle road and one through the Nogal Cañon called the lower road. All three of these roads are almost impassable on account of the lack of water as also on account of their roughness. Besides there is nothing gained as to distance by going to Socorro. A petition for a mail line to the White Oaks, with coaches, was circulated a few weeks since and received 720 signatures. This indicates a considerable camp. The large stocks of goods taken to the White Oaks a few weeks since is being sold at good figures. Mr. Whiteman reports road agents somewhat troublesome on the road.

—Mr. Walthall one of the men who was employed on the depot, got his shoulder broke yesterday by a beam falling on him. Dr. Bayly set the bone and the patient was resting easy at last accounts.

GAZETILLA.

Personal and General, Gathered From Quarters of the City and Vicinity.

—Who's Postmaster?

—There is a great demand for mules.

—Buildings are in demand in new town.

—Furlong has begun to occupy his new building.

—Chas. Blanchard went south on yesterday's train.

—Collins Bros. did not have their benefit any too soon.

—The trains from the west was a half hour late yesterday.

—Hay is on sale at living rates; horses can afford to eat now.

—All the spare hands in Las Vegas have been engaged to make adobes.

—Van Slooten is going to New Orleans to buy a smelter and to see his —.

—Mr. Gleed spent several weeks in Las Vegas and was well pleased with our town.

—Mr. Herbert has traded for a new piece of equine meat, a gray and a good animal.

—Mr. Ladner has nearly completed a house for temporary purposes, on the burnt district.

—Mr. Whiteman returned from the Oaks yesterday to settle up and see who's who after the fire.

—Wm. Whitelaw, Esq., left on yesterday's train for a short business trip to Hutchinson, Ks.

—Mr. Taylor, the printer, thinks of returning to the Middle States in the spring with his family.

—O. L. Houghton's Hardware store passed through the intense heat of the conflagration unscathed.

—Gas stock is above par with those who know just how the fire might have been avoided or stopped.

—Small boys and homely ones should be seen and not heard at the tables of public dining halls.

—The fronts in the City Block, on Center street are being painted and new glass put in the windows.

—Old town merchants are feeling the effects of a transfer of trade from the other side for the time being.

—The New York Bakery is now in full blast in the blacksmith shop formerly occupied by Andy Norte.

—Mr. J. B. Allen inserts a card in another column. Call on him if you wish a good job of tailoring done.

—Robbins, the younger, is hunting for a location to open out a large stock of stationery that he has on the way.

—A fine bunch of fat cattle were brought into Las Vegas yesterday. They looked as if they had seen good pasture.

—The only adornment to the east side, the music stand, is gone. Suppose we lend 'em our pump to put in its place.

—The contract for building the new hotel at the Hot Springs will be let soon. Contractors are now preparing their bids.

Box.—Sept. 21st, 1880, at East Las Vegas, to the wife of Frederick I. Hooper, formerly of Worcestershire, England, a daughter.

—Las Vegas is the easiest place in the world to get in the way of taking two much liquor. Be careful boys, and hold the reins close.

—One or two of the sufferers have no other expectations than to make a margin on the fire—especially those who had some shaky buildings.

—To stay or not to stay, that is the question with Marwede and several other prospectors in our town. Stay of course. We will treat you white.

—The National Hotel on the plaza is a first class place to get a square meal. This hotel has not been in operation but a few weeks, yet it is steadily growing in favor with the public.

—The newly married; J. J. Kelly and his bride arrived at Albuquerque on last night's train from Las Vegas. Mr. Kelly and his accomplished wife met with an ovation from their many friends here.—Golden Gate.

A large leather trunk, weighing about 150 pounds, no marks, was taken from a thief on the night of the fire. The same can be had by calling on the Chief of Police, proving contents and paying for this advertisement.

—J. A. Lockhart & Co., are occupying the new sales room next to the Summer House to open out the Chicago made furniture that they have just received. Business is spreading from the old time center and we expect soon to see the merchants taking up both Douglas and Grand avenues.

—There is no foolishness in the minds of the east side citizens except that trace of it which permits them to put up a frame house here and there.

—The damaged fronts on Center street were, some of them, repaired yesterday at the expense of the insurance companies on Mills and Hadley's list.

—Chas. Rathbon has put up a tent to protect his large stock of boots and shoes until a store room can be erected. He intends to build forthwith.

—Hopper Bros., ware house built entirely of adobes, with dirt roof passed through the flames safely and saved a large amount of valuable property uninjured.

—Lots in the burnt district are commanding big figures now. Western people are full of energy and they will soon close up the breach made by the fire fiend.

—A gentleman on the west side complains of having lost two hats in three days, both new. He wore them to dinner and came away with worthless ones instead.

The insurance agents are now busily engaged preparing the reports of their losses. It will be but a few days until a large amount of money will be paid out by them.

—F. J. Weber, auctioneer inserts his "ad." in another column. Mr. Weber is a first class salesman and will always get the last cent, that any piece of property is worth.

—Attention is called to the advertisement, in another column of the large auction sale of building lots near the A., T. & S. F. depot at Santa Fe. This sale is to take place Saturday.

—Col. Lockhart has erected a temporary building on the diamond in front of Brownings real estate office, in which to store his furniture until his new store rooms are completed.

—Trading hats at dinner time is the one sided benefit some miserable galoot at the Exchange is perpetrating. If he gets caught he may get a black eye.

—S. S. Mendenhall started for Kansas City yesterday to purchase two car loads of horses and mules. He met with such good sales for the other car load that it has encouraged him to try it again.

—Mrs. Colton and little son left for the north yesterday. She will first go to Colorado Springs, but will finally settle at Animas City. She left orders for the GAZETTE to be sent to her address.

—Rev. H. Forrester went east yesterday. He will be gone three months before proceeding to attend the general conference of his church at New York.

—The sun stepped across the line into the southern hemisphere yesterday. Soon the storm king of the north will gather his forces and send the migratory wild birds to the sunny south, there to bask in the warm rays sent from beyond the Equator.

—The five cent lunch counter and bakery, carried on by Messrs. Huberty & Angell is in full blast again. The owners have put up a tent and are taking in as many nickles as if they were in the finest kind of a house. They will change the name of their bakery.

—While the east Las Vegas was yet in its infancy the GAZETTE called attention to the necessity of a fire company and pointed out the danger of not providing against such a calamity. How sadly has the truth of the predictions then made been verified.

—Mrs. Mendenhall, mother of our esteemed townsman, S. S. Mendenhall, left for Georgetown, Colorado, yesterday. She took with her a little daughter of Mrs. Kelso, who has been visiting in Las Vegas for several months, and likes the climate so well that she will stay another month.

High Ball and Faro Bank.

There has been just fitted up in the back room at the Exchange Saloon, a splendid Club room, where you can play high ball or faro. 2-t.

Stopping Over.

The Western Meat Market is full and running over with all kinds of good things to eat, Pork, Veal, Mutton, Beef and Bear meat, and Bell the clerk wears a broad grin. 48-2t.

—Herbert & Co., are showing a commendable energy in re-locating and prosecuting their business in East Las Vegas. 48-2t.

For Sale.

A Weber upright piano, nearly new. It will be sold for \$500, and is to be seen at Browne & Mantanzas. 146-1-w

J. H. Lucas of Manufacturer of Mexican Filigree Jewellery.

The manufacture of Filigree Jewellery by native workmen being a specialty in my business, and many persons having expressed a desire to witness the process, I hereby extend a cordial invitation to all who may visit this city to call (presenting this card) and give me the pleasure of conducting them through my Factory Santa Fe N. M. S. H. LUCAS.

I have on hand 150 barrels of apples which I will sell at bottom prices. These apples are all picked over. Call and get a barrel, at McKay's Restaurant. J. W. LOVE.

Also will have a car load of potatoes in to-day; hold your orders, for I will sell cheaper than any one. 441t

—Hopper Bros. have just received a large supply of fresh butter. Call and see their apples and other fresh fruits and learn their prices. They will sell cheaper for the next ten days than any other house in the city on all kinds of goods. They desire to build is the reason of this reduction in prices. 42-4t.

Good Opportunity.

A young man doing business many years in this territory, and has a large trade, wholesale and retail, will make arrangements with any person who wishes to start business [general merchandise] in a No. 1 town in this territory. Address, A. D., Albuquerque, 1-w.

Brick for sale in large or small quantities, at LOCKHART & Co's.

Fresh oysters at HILTY BROS.

Swiss cheese at HILTY BROS.

In our gents furnishing goods department which is a new feature, we keep as complete a stock as can be found in any city.

J. ROSENWALD & Co. 41-4t.

Gents, boys and childrens ready made clothing at J. ROSENWALD & Co. 41-4t.

All kinds of wolen goods just received and for sale at low figures, at J. ROSENWALD & Co. 41-4t.

—A large invoice of choice candies just received by A. J. CRAWFORD. 41-4t.

Two good carpenters wanted immediately by FRANK OGDEN. 41-4t.

Lost.

Between the residence of Mr. Heise and Herbert's drug store, a solitaire diamond ring. The finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving the same at the store of M. Heise. 1-w

I have 800 choice No. 1 chickens on hand yet. Call and get your pick of them. At the Panhandle Corral. Also good No. 1 creamery butter at McKay's Restaurant. J. W. LOVE.

Notice.

Any person desiring claims in the San Carlos District would do well to get Dan Morrow to locate them as he has located several for different parties which gave perfect satisfaction. He is perfectly familiar with the country and rocks. 36-tf.

A car load of apples just received at HOPPER BROS.

Mr. R. G. McDonald, while east, bought a large stock of fine whiskies and wines of first hands and is now prepared to offer splendid bargains, and to sell at a lower rate than any body. 36-1w

SITUATION WANTED.—In a dry goods, grocery, hardware or general store. Applicant has had fourteen years experience, speaks Spanish, English and French. The best of references. Address, A. C. Postoffice, Las Vegas. 37-1w

Holbrook's tobacco is the best.

Full clothing at C. E. Wesche's, old and new town. The latest styles, a fine selection at astonishing low figures. Before you purchase look at my stock in the old and new town. I sell summer clothing at cost. 35-tf C. E. WESCHE.

In the Rome building, opposite to Otero, Sellars & Co's warehouse, you will find the finest stock in town of dry goods, notions, Gents furnishing goods, boots and shoes, fresh groceries, and queensware. New stock! New goods. 35-tf.

Ladies work boxes, beautiful designs, just received by CHARLES ILEFELD.

Reliable Insurance

LIVERPOOL, LONDON, & GLOBE.

HOME, of New York. SPRINGFIELD, Fire and Marine, Mass.

C. R. BROWING, Agent.

Office in the new town.

Coffins, Caskets and Undertaking Goods of all kinds kept constantly on hand by FRANK OGDEN, Las Vegas, N. M. Orders promptly filled.

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—ON THE—

EUROPEAN PLAN.

WEST SIDE OF PLAZA.

LAS VEGAS, - NEW MEXICO.

Sample Room,

FOR COMMERCIAL TRAVELERS.

IN CONNECTION WITH THE HOTEL IS A NUMBER ONE RESTAURANT. THE TABLES SUPPLIED WITH ALL THE DELICACIES OF THE SEASON.

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STABLE.

Dealers in Horses and Mules, also Fine Buggies and Carriages for Sale Rigs for the Hot Springs and other Points of Interest. The Finest Livery Outfits in the Territory.

NATIONAL HOTEL,

Smith & Harrison, Prop'rs.

South side of the Plaza, - Las Vegas, N. M.

This House has been Newly Refitted and Refurnished and Affords the Best Accommodations to the Traveling Public.

GRAND AUCTION SALE

—OF—

BUILDING LOTS!

ADJOINING A. T. & S. F. R. R. DEPOT

At Santa Fe, N. M.

On Saturday September 25, 1880, at 10 o'clock p. m., on the Premises.

GREAT AUCTION SALE

ONE HUNDRED LOTS!

This valuable property situated immediately adjoining the railroad depot on the Main avenues and streets intersecting, is the most desirable property ever offered for sale in the Territory and will in a few months double in value. Now is the time to secure a business plot or sites for residences. The land is high and healthy and commands a splendid view of the surrounding country. The terms upon which this property will be offered are so liberal that every one can purchase one or more of these lots. In order to give all an equal opportunity to buy, no lots will be sold at private sale. But the entire number will be offered at public sale as above. Read the terms. 10 per cent. of the purchase money on dry of sale. 25 per cent in 30 days 65 per cent, balance, may remain on bond and mortgage for two years at 12 per cent interest. Title perfect. Come one, Come all! and don't miss this golden opportunity. Don't let a few capitalists monopolize the entire profits, but every man and woman should buy one, it will pay better than a silver mine. For maps and other information apply at the office of WM. M. BERGER, on the Plaza, Santa Fe, N. M.

A full assortment of Homeopathic remedies constantly kept on hand at the Central Drug Store. 313-tf.

Lockhart & Co. have the boss lumber yard in the territory. 249-1t

Found. By Blaz Ortega, of Plaza de Vijeles, near the Hot Springs, a large pocket book containing a large amount of papers. The owner will call at this office for further information.

Religious Literature. I would respectfully announce to the reading public, that I will soon have on hand some fine Bibles and other religious works for sale very cheap. Elegant Family Bibles illustrated, at the lowest possible rates. Your patronage is solicited. HOMER NEWBERRY, Missionary Colportem. 21-4t.

To RENT.—A good dwelling house with four rooms. Inquire at this office.

Graham's coconut oil soaps at the Central Drug Store. 1-tf.

I have just received a fine assortment of Gents underwear of all grades which I will sell at the lowest possible prices. C. E. WESCHE.

Lockhart & Co., have just received a car load of sash, doors, etc. 21-tf

O. L. Houghton has a regular arsenal of fire-arms, the largest stock in all the west. It is not only for a retail, but for a wholesale trade that he is prepared. His advantages for buying enables him to sell this class of goods as low as they can be got anywhere.

Wines and liquors of the best quality, and of the best brand at wholesale or retail at M. Heise's, south side of the plaza, Las Vegas, N. M. 553-tf

C. E. WESCHE'S NEW STORE, NEW GOODS! NEW TOWN!

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