

BRILLIANT ADDRESS DELIVERED BY O. A. LARRAZOLO IN MEMORY OF LATE GOVERNOR E. C. DE BACA

At the memorial services in honor of the late Governor de Baca held in Santa Fe Saturday night, the following address was delivered by Hon. O. A. Larrazo:

"The first civilized man to set foot on the desert lands of New Mexico, in 1536, was Alvar Nunez Cabeza de Baca—and the first native-born governor elected by the people of New Mexico, nearly 200 years later, was Esquivel Cabeza de Baca. It sounds like a coincidence, yet it is a fact. Providence is just in all her doings.

"The first descendant of that adventurous and gallant race who first trod the soil, and pointed out the way for the building of an empire in this part of the new world, whom the verdict of the free people called to rule as chief executive in the land of his fathers, Esquivel Cabeza de Baca combined in his own short life a great deal of romance of the pathos, and of the tragedy that has marked the history of that race through the progress of the centuries.

"Ever true and loyal to his friends, he had a host of them, as many of you who attended his funeral had opportunity to see; his sound judgment and well balanced mind made him the confident and adviser of many who sought his counsel and guidance in private and public affairs; the descendant of ancient and distinguished ancestry he took pride in maintaining pure and unadorned the family escheon; his word was his bond, and a promise deliberately made by him was sure to be redeemed if within his power to do so; his sense of duty, in private as in public life, was of the type that knew no compromise or middle ground; to him that meant the discharge of the whole duty and nothing less, and all efforts to induce him to depart from it or to compromise were absolutely useless; indeed, when Governor de Baca had ascertained where the path of duty lay, and had taken his deliberate stand on and question, he could have said with a cavalier of old, 'his rock will stay from its firm base as long as I live.'

"At his time, perhaps in his whole life, did he exhibit this trait of character more strikingly and forcefully than during the last political campaign. When he was called upon by his political friends to head the Democratic ticket, he knew that he was not physically equal to the task; but he knew more than that; he knew that the undertaking would cost him his life; but he knew, also, that his party needed and wanted him as a leader; he believed that it was his duty to answer his party's call, and true to himself and to his family traditions, like Caesar standing on the banks of Rubicon said: 'Die id est, vivit, and he jumped into the fray.

"While, my friends, at the very recollection that his own people gave him on his return from the convention that had nominated him in this city, I could see, we all could see, that, yes, then, Death was sitting on his lap.

"It was on an early day last October that, at the request of the Republican central committee, I had gone to Española to address the Republican county convention of Rio Arriba county that met there on that day; it was raining and the weather was chilly and disagreeable; at about noon of that day, Governor de Baca and his party drove in an automobile to the hotel where I was stopping; the governor was wrapped up in a heavy overcoat, his step was slow and measured, his face was pale and plainly showed signs of fatigue; it was pathetic to look at him; I grasped his hand and said to him: 'Compadre, I believe that you are very, very fatigued; his answer was, 'It is probably so, but it has to be done. Those few words fully explain the kind of a man he was.

"Such a ladies and gentlemen was the man whom the will of a free people raised to the high station of chief executive of our state; he had in him the elements of greatness; nor was he exempt from the trials and tribulations that usually attend the lives of great men. He had many enemies; they, however, vie with his friends in scattering flowers on his grave in acknowledgment for the many things they helped to set along the path of his Via Dolorosa in his pilgrimage on earth. Like unto most great men, he

was poor. And, last, but not least, he was doomed to see his life end in tragedy. Like the great law giver of Israel, he led his people to the shores of the promised land, but unlike unto the great patriarch he was not permitted to share in its enjoyment. Sick unto death he took the oath of office in an invalid's chamber in this city, that room he never left in life, but there fought a valiant and courageous fight against the grim destroyer, disputing to him every inch of ground; finally, however, the angel of death sounded the bugle call and he, like the withering flower that bends its beautiful head wrapping the drapery of his couch about him, laid down to pleasant dreams, and left forever more the scenes of his struggles and of his brilliant triumphs, a martyr to his people in the discharge of public duty; and to add pathos to tragedy in the final staging of this drama planned and consummated by the hand of Providence, as the silent and respectful cortege accompanying the body of the dead governor came in sight of the executive mansion, the governor's young child (Adeine), whose repeated inquiries for her papa had been answered with the assurance that he had gone on a long journey, upon seeing the cortege draw near, clasping her little hands, in her sweet and happy innocence, said: 'Good, good, papa is coming home.' 'God bless the innocent child.

"In the death of Governor de Baca his family and the state have sustained a great loss, a loss made doubly and because of the circumstances under which it came; that merciful Providence, however, that eternally watches over the destinies of men, and which obtains all things for the best, had previously secured the state and its many interests against that law, by providing as the successor of the dead governor, a man whose wisdom and patriotism we can all safely and confidently rely. And while that same providence will not for one instant lose sight of the desolate and bereft children left behind to mourn the loss of a kind husband and loving father, it is gratifying to know that the worthy representatives of the state, now in session in this city, have taken the necessary measures to protect that bereft family against want, that is well and most appropriately done. The state of New Mexico is too great, too proud to see the widow and the infant children of any one of its governors suffer want and privations.

"In conclusion, my friends, as the state of New Mexico is an great and as proud as any other state, let it also be equally grateful to its great people; Sparta raised a monument at Thermopylae to Leonidas and his brave few, who held at bay Xerxes and his legions, and on that monument a grateful people wrote this inscription: 'Go traveler and tell Sparta that we all died here in obedience to her sacred laws; so upon the humble slab that marks the resting place of the late Governor de Baca, let an equally grateful people write this epitaph: 'Go traveler and tell the world that I died here, upon the altar of duty to my country.'

MAINTAINING GUARD UNITS IS ENCOURAGED BY WAR DEPARTMENT

Washington, March 7.—To encourage small towns and villages to maintain national guard units the war department, in a circular today has authorized the establishment of detached platoons. Two or more of these platoons, coming from nearby towns or settlements would form a company in a regiment organized in that part of the state.

The minimum strength for detached platoons is fixed at 24 men one officer, first or second lieutenant, one sergeant, four corporals, nine privates, first class, and nineteen privates. The plan would supply a four squad formation which could be drilled in company maneuvers as to take its place with the other platoons of the company on mobilization.

Need Help? Try a Want Ad.

With the State Press

Same Here, Brother. No, William we have never killed a man. But Lord that doesn't mean that we never felt like it, with delinquent subscribers enacting themselves while we stagger under the price of print paper—Wagon Mound Fantagraph.

The Intelligent (?) Stenographer. She was a vision of loveliness, being both fair of face and tastily gowned. A score of years would easily have measured the seasons she had seen. Nothing in her appearance or language indicated that Noah Webster's strong suit might be her weakness, so she was employed by the head editor mostly on looks, he it said. Helelo is a true transcript of the fair typist's version of what the editor said about the withdrawal of the American troops from the Mexican border.

Those Scent Hoams.—The pour at Washington have decided to recall their staid trunks from the Mexican border and replace them with our standard army. General Pershing, in command of the punitive expedition, has been ordered to Pat roll the boarder. He will establish headquarters at L. Passo. The divisions will be sent home as soon as transcripts can be secured. It is reported that General Sully Carr, the Mexican leader under Pancho Villa, is occupying the posts established by the punitive expedition as fast as they are vacated by our boys in blue. Senior Carr (Rancid) has star-rantede prochochun two all far runners after the Marechal trunks with drawers.—Roswell News.

We Second the Motion. Representative Pieper of Wisconsin has introduced a resolution in the legislature of his state congratulating the women on having aided economy by making skirts shorter. Most men are strong for economy. In fact we are willing the ladies should become almost miserly.—Maxwell Mail.

Here's Our Old Friend, Bill.

Our dear reader, Coal Oil Bill, is with us again. For the sake of providing jobs as deputy inspectors for a number of politicians, oil and gasoline coming into the state is to be taxed half a cent a gallon inspection fee which, of course, must be paid by the consumer. This is only one of the measures fostered by the Republican leaders for the purpose of strengthening their party. Such measures, however, cannot strengthen any party, and if the bill gets by the legislature, we are very sure Governor Landsey will not be responsible for placing an unnecessary burden on the people of his state for the purpose of feathering his own or any other political nest.—Las Vegas Journal.

Newspapers in Particular.

Truth is a jewel, but if we tell too much of it we are liable to get our block knocked off.—The Baton Reporter.

The Unimportant Groom.

A paper near Lordsburg, in an account of a marriage, forgot to mention the name of the bridegroom. He was dressed in the conventional black and evidently was mistaken for the undertaker.—Western Liberal.

A Bouquet for the Hen.

The hen is doing her part now toward cutting down the high cost of living. God bless her feathered being.—Colfax County Stockman.

Every Community Has 'Em.

Every community has its Abe Martin, its Everett True, Pest Killer, its Jiggs and Maggie. The characters come home to us daily in the fertile sketches of our noted cartoonists. Nothing in modern newspaperdom is of as distinct technique as our comics. Sandwiched in between the news items of the day, the cartoons come to us as a relief from the sordid march of scandal, and the triteness of war news. Abe Martin, Everett True, Jiggs and Maggie, are all distinctly American characters. They live in our midst, and in the cartoons we find a satisfying depiction of things that we have often wanted to say but have not had the power of so doing. The American cartoonist should be interposed in the pages of art along with the greatest of the exponents of brush and canvas. Current events and the little eccentricities of life come to us more concretely and forcefully through our cartoons than any other medium.—Louis Journal.

TRY IT! SUBSTITUTE FOR NASTY CALOMEL

Starts your liver without making you sick and can not salivate.

Every druggist in town—your druggist and every one's druggist—has noticed a great falling-off in the sale of calomel. They all give the same reason, Dodson's Liver Tonic is taking its place.

"Calomel is dangerous and people know it, while Dodson's Liver Tonic is perfectly safe and gives better results," said a prominent local druggist. Dodson's Liver Tonic is personally guaranteed by every druggist who sells it. A large bottle costs 50 cents, and if it fails to give easy relief in every case of liver sluggishness and constipation, you have only to ask for your money back.

Dodson's Liver Tonic is a pleasant-tasting, purely vegetable remedy, harmless to both children and adults. Take a spoonful at night and wake up feeling fine; no biliousness, sick headaches, acid stomach or constipated bowels. It doesn't grip or cause inconvenience all the next day like violent calomel. Take a dose of calomel today and tomorrow you will feel weak, sick and nauseated. Don't lose a day's work! Take Dodson's Liver Tonic and feel fine!

Henry hauls baggage and all other things. He comes at your calling as bats on their wings. His motto is promptness; his service is fine! Whenever you want him just phone NINE-THREE-NINE.

IF BACK HURTS BEGIN ON SALTS

Flush the Kidneys at Once When Backache or Bladder Bothers—Meat Forms Uric Acid.

No man or woman who eats meat regularly can make a mistake by flushing the kidneys occasionally, says a well known authority. Meat forms uric acid which clogs the kidney pores so they sluggishly filter or strain only part of the waste and poisons from the blood, then you get sick. Nearly all rheumatism, headaches, liver trouble, nervousness, constipation, dizziness, sleeplessness, bladder disorders come from sluggish kidneys.

The moment you feel a dull ache in the kidneys or your back hurts, or if the urine is cloudy, offensive or attended by a sensation of scalding, get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any reliable pharmacy and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia and has been used for generations to flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to activity, also to neutralize the acids in urine so it no longer causes irritation, thus ending bladder disorders.

Jad Salts is inexpensive and cannot injure; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which all regular meat eaters should take now and then to keep the kidneys clean and the blood pure, thereby avoiding serious kidney complications.

NORWEGIAN-AMERICAN LINER BERGENSFJORD ARRIVES AT HALIFAX

New York, March 7.—The Norwegian-American liner steamship Bergensfjord, which left Bergen, Norway, February 24 in ballast, arrived at Halifax Sunday morning, according to advices received here today by agents of the line. The Bergensfjord is the first westbound steamer to call at the Canadian port for examination. The Swedish-American liner Stockholm, which left here February 14 with cargo and passengers for Gothenburg, is still at Halifax.

TOMORROW!!! COMING HERE! The Celebrated 20 Mule Borax Team with its Famous Driver BORAX BILL 'THE KING OF MULE DRIVERS' Direct from the Borax mines of Death Valley, California, on tour from Coast to Coast. This extraordinary cavalcade will show you how they transported things in the desert before the time of railroads. After the lecture on the most interesting mineral mined--BORAX--packages of 20 Mule Team Borax and 20 Mule Team Borax Soap Chips will be given away. FREE!!! Be Sure to See This Thrilling Parade

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