

# Lincoln County Leader.

Saturday, December 15, 1883.

## LOCAL ROUNDUPS

Look sometimes make a name. But printers ink so black and so bold. Will give a more peculiar name. When put in this peculiar column.

CHRISTMAS is coming.

See the "Arkansas Traveler" and subscribe for it through the LEADER.

A. P. LACEY, in a friendly wrestle, Tuesday night, broke two ribs and is laid up in consequence.

JOEL FOWLER was convicted for the murder of Gale and will swing for it at Socorro, Jan., 4th.

SAM WILLIAMS returned home from Carthage on Tuesday. His family will arrive here next week or week after.

Now is the time to plant and irrigate Christmas Trees. With proper attention they will bear abundant fruit by the 24th inst.

SHERIFF FOR spent three days in camp this week collecting delinquent taxes. He reported that the delinquent list will be very small this year.

JAKE MILLER comes to the front this week with a new ad. People who drink should never risk sampling the liquor of men who do not advertise, for it will poison sure.

PROBABLY the biggest run of billiards ever made in the Territory, was made by Jack Weldon on last Wednesday night in this camp. In a three ball carom game he made a run of 97.

WEDNESDAY several blanket Indians paid our camp a visit. They should not be permitted to leave their reservations. Some of our people suggested shooting them, but as they are not good to eat the idea was abandoned.

THE first woman that located in this camp was Mrs. Frank H. Lea, which was in the Spring of 1880. The first birth in the camp was a child of John Hudgens, which event occurred in the summer of 1880. McVeigh was the first to die here—1881.

AND now our mineral cabinet sparkles with a beautiful specimen from the "Old Abe." Upon its every side protrudes golden nuggets which goes to establish the fact that the mine is a rich reservoir of the heaviest and most valuable of all metals.

LAST Sunday's issue of the Socorro Sun came to us with the name of "F. A. Blake, editor," flying at its mast head. We welcome the Colonel into the field of journalists and hope his new luminary, while shedding light upon the senses of its readers may pour dinero into his pockets.

KI HARRISON sent a team last week to Carthage for a load of goods. While there one of his animals broke her leg; how is a mystery, inasmuch as she was not hobbled or picketed. The driver hired a horse from a Mexican to complete the trip, but had scarcely got half way here before his other horse was seized with sickness, and had to be left, and a couple of other animals were sent to bring in the wagon. "Misfortune never comes singly."

At a meeting of the G. A. R. Kearney Post, No. 10, held at the office of comrade Ed. R. Bonnell, on the 8th inst., four recruits were mustered in. This being the first stated meeting in December, the annual election took place, which resulted in the re-election of all the old officers. Comrade Ed. R. Bonnell, (Adjutant,) was elected delegate to the Department Encampment, and comrade A. W. Kempton as alternate. The Post is in a flourishing condition, and the boys expect to soon be able to increase their membership to at least 60, which we think speaks well for a three year old frontier town.

The weather continues open and spring like.

ASSESSMENT work for the coming year is well nigh completed.

CABLE dispatches inform us that Queen Victoria walks with a cane. She must be putting on airs in her old age.

FATTY MILLER and Emmet Blood left yesterday on a trip to the San Andreas.

THOMAS and Jeremiah have located in camp for the winter. They are guests of Sam Williams.

"SWEET are the uses of adversity," Jas. A. Sweet has put in the past two weeks on assessment work.

They say that there is poison in red stockings. We saw a pair the other day that there was no poison in. She was a beauty and so were her stockings.

We have ordered a patent subscription book, on no page of which will be entered the name of a delinquent subscriber whose address is beyond the confines of Lincoln County.

A letter has been received from Tom Williams informing us that himself and wife had arrived safely in New York City on the 4th inst and would sail for Liverpool on the 8th inst—last Saturday. He met a friend in Gotham and was taking in the town when he wrote. He was 'ale and 'arty.

POLITICS is something women can't understand. For instance they can't get it through their back hair why the men had so much to say about electing a speaker of the House. There ain't a woman anywhere but what is speaker of the house. You can't stop a woman's mouth unless you fill it with kisses.

"SITTING BULL" has become a convert to Catholicism, and was about to be confirmed, when the priest discovered that the Bull had two cows, we mean wives, and he refused to take the assassin of Custer unless he would select one of the squaws and send adrift the other. Bull looked at the priest and then at his wives, and told the priest that he "would see him later," or words to that effect.

"OPDYKE," hearing Hadley's plaintive cry "pecoreti," being ambitious to distinguish himself, writes a diatribe for Hadley's snuff machine, the reading of which would make a Billingsgate fish-woman blush or a colored harlot turn pale. Were it not that he is a victim of early or youthful indiscretion he would not have taken up a gauntlet thrown at another. The Gazette to which he contributes, being a proper medium for such information, contains advertisements of several remedies guaranteeing cures for such distressing ailments as have sapped his brain and weakened his system, and we would advise him to try one or all of them—if they don't cure they may afford relief. We suggested for dude Hadley, horse hash. We would prescribe for (leather) Headly Radisille, cow hash.

Major Caffrey's paper at White Oaks, N. M., says "A lot of logs can be purchased cheap by applying at this office." Has it come to that? Do the subscribers bring in logs to pay for their paper and overstock the New Mexican editor from the Emerald Isle? Or is it a misprint—dogs, bogs, fogs, legs, kegs—it must be a misprint, for those bald mountains don't produce logs in any great quantities. True, the doughty editor is at loggerheads with the few scattered editors who are trying to evoke ideas from the sand hills and cliffs in bleak mountains of that barren land—he called a fellow knight of the quill, 300 miles off, a "dude" recently and immediately there was blood on the moon. Logs! We'll bet he has a bunch of old worn out pen holders to swap off for a broken bladed knife to scare that "dude" with who is harping thunderbolts at him from across the range from Las Vegas. —Wyandotté (Kan.) Gazette.

Proof of Labor blanks to be had fresh from the machine, at this office

## ABOLD SANTA FEAN.

Wants to Marry a Widow With Twenty-One Children.

From the Norristown, (Pa.) Herald. The "Herald" is in receipt of the following letters, which, for the benefit of all concerned, we have concluded to make public, viz:

Santa Fe, N. M., Nov. 20, '83.

To Editor Norristown Herald: Sir—You will confer a favor by addressing the enclosed letter to the widow in Nebraska with 21 children who advertises for a husband. Yours respectfully,

Charles O'Brien. The letter following contains the annexed paragraph, which was clipped from the Tallahassee (Fla.) "Economist," and credited to the "Herald":

"A Nebraska widow with twenty-one children is advertising for a husband." There is great virtue in printer's ink; it has brought fortunes to both men and women; but we don't believe a double column advertisement, inserted next to reading matter every day for six months would bring a husband to a widow with twenty-one children—unless the latter are kept in the background, or underground, or somewhere. We dislike to go back on advertising, but the line must be drawn somewhere.—Norristown Herald.

And here is the letter addressed to the widow, which we hope, may meet her eye at an early date, and—"Bless you, my children."

Santa Fe, N. M., Nov. 20, '83. To the widow in Nebraska, with 21 children:

Dear Madam—I have always been an ardent admirer of your sex, but never in the whole of my lifetime have I met or heard of a woman who has done her part so nobly and thoroughly as yourself. In the words of the wisest of men your "children shall rise up and call you blessed." Were you in England, the queen herself would call upon you, and not alone congratulate you, but present you with a substantial testimonial as a token of her appreciation of her meritorious labors, and true womanhood.

I consider the above "clipping," taken from a Florida paper, to be more in the nature of a slur than a compliment to you, and it would be a pleasure to give that paper "the lie" by marrying you.

The bible is my authority for believing you to be a good woman; hence I offer you herewith my hand and fortune, for weal or woe. My hand is a No. 7; the size of my fortune shall remain in the background until I hear from you; suffice it to say that my prospects are adequate for a wife and 21 children, if I am a bachelor!

I desire your address in full, and beg for your photograph. Awaiting your reply, I am with the profoundest respect, yours truly.

Charles O'Brien. Address Charles O'Brien, care Dr. Andrews, Santa Fe, N. M.

Dr. John Favill, while giving testimony in a court-room at Madison, Wis., was stricken with paralysis.

Notice of a reduction of wages in January has been given by three large ship-building firms on the Clyde.

Mrs. Mancel Talcott, of Chicago offers to give \$5,000 toward an industrial school for girls, if the board will raise a like amount.

A snow storm at Denver blocked railway communication for twenty-four hours, and carried down 300 telegraph poles laden with wires.

## NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office, Las Cruces, N. M., Dec. 7th, 1883. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Probate Clerk, Lincoln County at Lincoln, N. M., on January 15th, 1884. J. W. HOLLAND, on Declaratory Statement, No. 685, for the S. 1/4, S. 1/4, Sec. 22, Twp. 10 N., Range 26 E., and lots 1 and 2, sec. 5, Twp. 11 S., R. 26, east. He claims the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Geo. Russell, Barney Mason, Green Mackey, A. J. Bullard, all of Lincoln Co., N. M.

JOSE MONTANA Y SAIS, Comersiantes Pormenor LINCOLN, N. M.

Aviso—Nosotros los abajo firmados damos a Vd nuestros lectores que hemos mudado nuestro comercio a la tienda nueva para vender una gran variedad de mercancías puras, buenas, al menudeo y al por mayor, y tambien vendemos mals a un precio reducido pasando sen ganorde se ala Tienda de Jose Montana y Sais en Lincoln, N. M.

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LOWEST LIVING RATES

When KI. ain't at home Jake will cater.

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