

CIMARRON

ITS MINING RESOURCES



JUST Above Cimarron in the high mountains, are the Cimarroncito, Urraca, Bonito, Ute Creek and Elizabethtown mining districts. In these districts untold wealth has tantalized the prospector from the time the Spanish government tied it up in the shape of an enormous land grant until March 15th, 1908, when mineral scrip covering the entire district was issued and placed on sale at Cimarron and elsewhere. Prospectors can now purchase scrip, locate claims, and exchange the scrip for patented title involving no obligation for development or assessment work on the property. This arrangement which is better for the miner and prospector than the terms offered by the United States Government on the Public Domain, is without parallel in the history of mining and is copyrighted.

By reason of this specially advantageous arrangement, which cannot be duplicated elsewhere, the mineral resources of Colfax county will experience a more rapid development than any other mining district known.

Cimarron lies between this district and the great Colfax county coal fields. The ore and the coke both come down hill to Cimarron and the haul is short, neither can go around and neither can be hauled by Cimarron without going up hill. At Cimarron then, will be the smelters, reduction works, assay offices and the headquarters of the mining companies.

There is gold enough to make it another Cripple Creek and iron enough to make it a Pueblo. No where nearer than the Lake Superior region is there so much iron, and no where else is so much iron adjacent to so much coke.



RISKS LIFE FOR OTHERS

Chicago Lawyer Runs Auto Over Bank Into Calumet River; No Thanks For Deed.

Chicago, July 20.—At the risk of the lives of his wife, baby and himself, William F. Propper, a Chicago lawyer, candidate for the Republican nomination for the board of assessors, ran his automobile down a thirty-foot embankment into the Calumet river at the Halsted street bridge to avoid crashing into a surry in which a woman and six children were riding.

Mrs. Propper was in the back seat of the automobile and the baby, Mabel, was sitting beside her father on the front seat. They all got out alive and unhurt, but it was a 100-to-1 chance that they would be killed or fatally hurt when they went over the bank at a speed of about fifteen miles an hour.

The woman in the surry, for who Mr. Propper risked his own life and the lives of his wife and child, drove

on calmly, without so much as turning her head to see what had become of the car and its three occupants.

If it had not been for the fact that Mabel's nimble bare toes had just pulled out the switch lock of the automobile, shutting off the power, the big touring car might have forced itself further out into the river and drowned the whole party.

As it was the car stopped about ten feet from the shore and one end floated there in seven feet of water until help arrived.

In the descent the wheels of the auto struck the ground twice before the final dive into the river, but the tonneau landed right side up and did not sink.

BROTHER OF SLAIN MEXICAN TAKES VENGEANCE OATH

Flagstaff, Ariz., July 20.—As the result of a gun fight at Williams yesterday a Mexican deputy sheriff, E. Dominges, was killed and two Mexican bystanders wounded. James Duncan, a colored bartender at the Harvey House, is under arrest for murder.

It is claimed Dominges attempted to arrest Duncan in a saloon for a previous disturbance. A mob of Mexicans gathered for the purpose of lynching Duncan, but he was brought to Flagstaff before the mob

could be organized. The two injured will recover. Duncan is an ex-soldier, who recently returned from the Philippines and has borne a good character. The brother of the dead man has washed his hands in his brother's blood and vowed vengeance on Duncan for his crime.

MISS ELKINS AND HER DUKE WED IN FALL

Rome, July 20.—The marriage of the Duke of the Abruzzi and Miss Katherine Elkins will take place early in October at Turin. A definite announcement regarding the arrangements for the royal wedding has been issued from semi-official sources in answer to the publication of a story in a Roman newspaper expressing doubt of the marriage taking place.

The note states that the duke will leave the battleship Regina Elena Sept. 30, and the marriage will be solemnized in the early days of October in Turin.

Immediately after the ceremony the duke and duchess will proceed to Raccanigi as the guests of the king and queen of Italy, and will subsequently go to Vienna. The duke, who will be promoted to flag rank, will obtain six months' leave for the honeymoon, part of which will be spent in the United States.

KILLS WIFE AND SELF

Cripple Creek, July 20.—Charles Wilhelm, aged 46, years of age, shot and killed Mary Wilhelm, his wife, aged 40, at their home here tonight and then killed himself by firing the weapon into his own brains. The double tragedy took place after a quarrel between the couple. In the presence of their fourteen-year-old son Frank, the father beat the woman over the head with the revolver and the wife fought back desperately. As the boy ran from the house in terror, three shots were fired. Two struck the woman, killing her instantly and Wilhelm fired the third at himself. Wilhelm was a furniture dealer. The couple came here in the early days and later lived in Colorado Springs, returning to Cripple Creek last February.

When an automobile and a trolley car attempt to occupy the same spot of road at the same time there is always trouble, but chauffeurs and motormen go on making the experiment.

A woman, it seems, was driving the automobile in Cleveland which dashed into the plate-glass front of a large dry goods store.

MEETING ARRANGED

Pueblo, July 20.—Arthur C. Jackson, president of the National Good Roads Congress today arranged with the Pueblo Business Men's Club a meeting for the purpose of enlisting the aid of this city and county in the effort that is being made to continue the work on the Colorado State Highway. Mr. Jackson left tonight for the north to make similar arrangements with other cities along the proposed route of the highway.

St. Louis women are said to know how to cook. This may explain why New York women regard Westerners as provincial.

WOODCHUCK BRINGS LUCK

Pontiac, Mich., July 18.—Chasing a woodchuck under a barn, a man on the farm of Judson Furmon, near Wixom, brought to light \$100 worth of burglars' plunder, jewelry and other articles.

The plunder is about half of that taken from general stores in Wixom and Milford in May. The farm hand started to dig in the hay in a barn about a half mile back on the Furmon place to uncover the woodchuck when he brought a satchel to light. He at once called in the county officers. The woodchuck got away.

RUSH FOR HAIL INSURANCE

Jamestown, N. D., July 20.—The continuation of favorable weather and strong indications of a big crop are booming the hail insurance business. Solicitors report that farmers who have hitherto balked on insurance are now anxious to insure to the limit. A local agency today wrote the policy which makes the year's business thus far over \$2,000,000, with the most favorable months for writing insurance yet to come.

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