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cumcari will witness any violations and became a law it is up to the of the gambling act as we have officials of New Mexico to see that the most law abiding class of sa- it is enforced, and the schools loon men of any hamlet, city or must depend on taxation tor maintown in the territory and many of tenance. In a new country where them are glad to see the gambling there is little patented lands and stopped, as it is to them a nuisance taxation is necessarily high and in many ways and an expensive the people struggling for a livelyluxury as well. The News was hood in the improvement and deamong a conservative class of velopment of the country it has journals that did not cry from the been the custom in many of the house tops for a legislative bill to new states and territories to license stop gambling in New Mexico, gambling, the funds going to the until we understood how the school support of a public school system, fund was to receive its revenues, but as settlement is had and the but since the bill was satisfactorial- country develops and revenues are ly arranged and met the approval available from order sources the

New Mexico we must now look to other sources for funds to run our public school system. Quay county has done nobly in the matter and in Tucumcari today we have a fifteen mill levy for school purposes, voted unanimously, but in other districts of the country the schools will necessarily be cut short unless large special levies are voted. We believe the people will, however, gladly carry the additional burden of taxation in order to suppress the evil of gambling.

The national convention for the nomination of republican candidates for president and vice-president is called to meet in Chicago on June 16th, 1908. Denver and Kansas City were the competitors for this honor.

NOTICE.

An act passed by the last legislative assembly prohibits all gambling in the territory of New Mexico on and after January 1, 1908, and all parties conducting any kind of a gambling game in Quay county are hereby notified that they had better find other employment as gambling must certainly stop. All paraphanalia in any gambling game if found in use will be confiscated and used as evidence against both owners and operators. Slot machines are considered gambling devices under the act prohibiting gambling and will also if found in use be confiscated and used as evidence against owners of the machines the same as other gambling devices.

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