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WEEKLY NEWS

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THE PHOENIX RISES AGAIN

Local Bandit continues to allude the Law

Despite several further attempts to accost the brigand known as the Phoenix there is still no end in sight to this villains ravaging of the surrounds of the town.

Though more masks decorate the front of the marshal's office and no one has yet been able to take the Phoenix alive and claim the bounty.

It is rumored that the Mayor is now willing to increase the bounty by a further \$25 for the apprehension of this miscreant. As always citizens are advised to avoid travelling the roads around the town unarmed or unaccompanied and any reported sightings of the Phoenix should be reported to the town marshal.



ENQUIRIES TO JEREMIAH JACOB JOHNSON BARBER/UNDERTAKER/SURGEON

REPORT TO TEMPLETOWN BARBER SHOP FOR INSTRUCTIONS

INSECT INFESTATION INTENSIFIES



The growing insect infestation around the town and its environs continues to plague local residents though the town itself still remains largely unaffected. Doctor Johnson would once again like to remind citizens to avoid leaving their residences at night and to avoid caves, mine workings and similar places.

For citizens that are bitten Doctor Johnson is providing treatments in town, family discounts available. The Mayor's office will be offering a reward for the extermination of this infestation to the right individuals please contact the Mayor's office in writing should you be able to deal with this particular problem.

The doctor would also like to note that he will be long longer accepting bodies with more than seven bullet holes and that limbs also need to be intact to be considered.

Peace with the SKELM at RISK

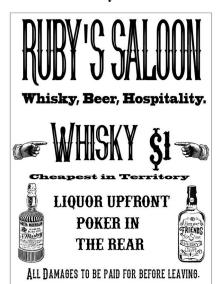
Once again there are been reports of hostile encounters and raids on outlying territories by the Skelm. The peace treaty long established between the Mayor and the leaders of the Skelm has left the town safe from their antagonisms. The Mayor wishes to assure citizens that they are still perfectly safe from any hostile action within the town and its surrounding areas but any infractions should be reported to the Mayor's office. He would also like to assure citizens that the treaty is still fully in place and he will be meeting with the leaders of the Skelm to discuss the actions of what is clearly a small rogue group within the larger nation.



SCIENTISTS, MINERS, LABORERS NEEDED

Mayor Temple has sent out a fresh appeal for anyone with skills in engineering, mining or the scientific arts to come to Templetown for interviewing and possible employment in the Mayor's ongoing enterprises. References, certificates and records of note will be required.

Laborers, trades people and general hands should report to Mr Murphy at the at the mining camp located south of town day labor rates of \$5

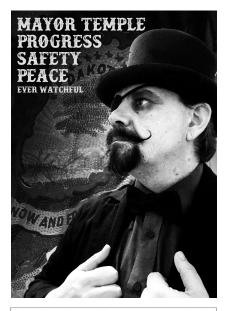


(cont) for work within the excavations lodgings on board provided. Hazard pay available for deep excavations.

VISITORS IN TOWN

For the first time in several years Templetown has been visited by a significant number of travelers from the Federated Territories. It is rumored these people were part of a much larger expedition however the exact stories surrounding their arrival are conflicted.

The Mayor wishes to assure the residents of Templetown and surrounding areas that that this is not an invasion nor is it a sign that the Dakota Territories are moving towards being incorporated into the United States. It is also rumored that these visitors have taken occupancy in the long abandoned, cursed and haunted Fort to the north of town and again the Mayor remind citizens to avoid the area.



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