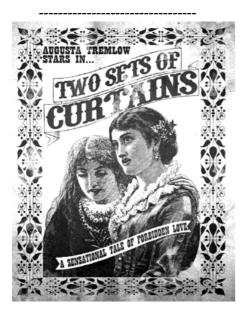


REDHAWK DEFEATED!! CITIZENS CELEBRATE

The fearsome war leader Redhawk the scourge of Arkansas is DEAD. This reporter upon awakening in the town of Deadwood was himself able to witness the victorious regulators entering the town, led by Agamemnon "The General" Pepper who personally defeated the warrior in single combat. The general is quoted as saving.

"It's been a long time coming, but the monster Redhawk has finally been put in the ground. I pray that all his victims, from settlers to the townsfolk of Deadwood to the men of the 2nd Cavalry, can now rest in peace."

With this action the final hurdle to the railroads continuation towards the Western Coast has been removed. Significant investment in the Western Union Railroad has been noted in the wake of this news and it is expected that a grand announcement from the president of the railroad is imminent.



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Redhawk lies dead at the hands of General Pepper

BANDIT AND OUTLAW ACTIVITY ON THE SOUTH WESTERN FRONTIER AT ALL-TIME LOW.

The marshal's office of Little Rock Arkansas reports an all-time low in the number of hangings and incarcerations in the State of Arkansas and the non-unified regions. This is attributed to the army's presence and heavy recruitment in the State. The regulators office also claims that the presence of its agents in the region has also had a significant effect on this statistic as does the Office of Indian Affairs.

Albert Edward Brumley owner of the newly formed 'Brumley and Sons Oxen haulage Co' has also reported a significant reduction in lost shipments and missing cargo. "It's good news for me and my customers six weeks ago I couldn't hire men for \$10 a trip now I'm beating them off with a stick" Said Mr Brumley brandishing a well-worn club. 'We are even sending shipments through to the new Indian Territory all the way west past the frontier.

Rural Marshals in the Southern and Western regions have however noticed an increase in drunkenness and brawling. This has been attributed to the sudden influx of cheap tequila into the region, a type of liquor unknown to most settlers from the old world.

NEW LANDS TO THE WEST

The Land Registry of the United States in conjunction with the Western Union Railroad company and the Paxton Aluminum Trading Company are pleased to announce that upon completion of the railhead at the border of Western Arkansas and the Non-Unified Territories the Land Registry will be accepting claims from all registered persons. To register your intent to make a claim you must be at the railhead upon completion and have registered your claim with the nearest land registry office currently located in the Town of Deadwood,

The WUR Co. Have reported that the relevant section of the railroad could be completed as quickly as six months from now if the coming winter is not too harsh and also noted that workers are always needed and it guaranties that you will be present for the completion of the railhead. No spokesperson was available from the Paxton Aluminum Trading Company at this time.

MINERS NEEDED! HIGH WAGES PAID! TRANSPORT PROVIDED

The Paxton Aluminum Trading Company is looking for miners, labourers and men of experience in iron working and lumber work to report south of the town of Deadwood Arkansas for new employment opportunities.

CATTLE SHORTAGE IN ARKANSAS "WHERE'S THE BEEF?" ASK CITIZENS.

It seems that a combination of a mysterious disease sweeping through cattle in the north of the State and the disappearance of the free grazers fro

m the south there is a significant lack of good red meat to be found anywhere in the state. While supplies can bought in by steam engine to the major towns along the railroad route many more rural communities have started to revolt. "We need our meat to keep us strong for the winter" is a cry heard in many town halls, while other are questioning people the disappearance of the free grazers who have historically supplied the frontier.

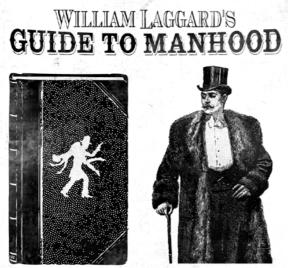
"Where did they go?" is another question being asked. This reporter could find no evidence of any cattle men or cattle throughout his journey along the frontier to the new Indian Nation. Prices of beef in the state capitol have almost trebled in the last month and a new joke has arisen among the more liberal elements with reference to the missing senator Watkins, men in their cups are noted to cry 'Where's the beef?' while all chorus the reply 'With Watkins.' Followed by the crude noises of animals rutting.



ARMY SUCCESS MEXICANS DRIVEN OUT OF ARKANSAS AND THE UNITED STATES

The Army liaison for this newspaper was happy to report that the last of the Mexican Army holding out along the border of the state have finally been dislodged and the army is now in a general state of retreat and is being pursued through the desert.

And though when pressed the liaison officer admitted that communication with the smaller groups acting in pursuit has been less than frequent he assures that this was expected. This reporter has noticed than the number of troops being dispatched to the front has dwindled and many of the temporary recruitment offices have been closed down. It seems victory is at hand. In response to this questions have been asked at a very high level whether now is the time to finally occupy and incorporate the region of land referred to by both sides as Texas as a new state.



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SENATOR ALIVE AND WELL.

After exhausting research and many interviews this reporter believes he has unearthed evidence that the Missing Senator from the State of Arkansas is in fact alive and well. He is located in a mysterious boarding house somewhere between the Town of Deadwood and the State capitol which apparently carries a very poor reputation.

While this reporter presented his evidence to the Pinkerton Detective agency it seems that they will not be satisfied until the Senator is returned to duty in the Senate. In fact the Pinkerton's report that they believe two of their detectives in the Deadwood area have been murdered and are offering a **\$100 REWARD** for information that would bring their murderers to justice.

The mayor's office of Deadwood has also released a statement in response to this reporter's enquiry. "After the Arkansas River Boat Company confirmed that the senator had not left Deadwood by river an exhaustive search of the area failed to show any sign of the missing Mr Watkins.

Following a discussion with his advisors the mayor has ordered the town work crew to dredge the river in case the Senator had fallen in following an evening's overindulgence in the saloon. This will hopefully lay to rest any connection between this town and the senator's disappearance"

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