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### A STAGE HELD UP.

#### Two Bold Highwaymen Hold up the Alamo Stage.

The Ensenada and Alamo stage ex-  
perienced its second "hold up" last  
(Thursday) evening. The first one  
occurred at a place on the road near  
Alamo a couple of years ago and was  
attended to by one man, who was as  
green in the business as it was possi-  
ble for him to be. He got a few  
Mexican dollars and succeeded in get-  
ting away. The hold-up last night  
took place near the Las Cruces spring,  
about twelve miles out on the road,  
at 5:30 o'clock. Howard Douglas  
was driving the four horses, and on  
the seat with him sat Mrs. Machada,  
a Mexican lady, while in the stage  
were Mrs. Rawlins and John Storch,  
of Ensenada, and Capt. J. B. Blethen  
of Escondido. As Mr. Douglas was  
paying particular attention to the  
horses in ascending a grade near the  
spring, he was startled by a shout  
from a man standing on the left side  
of the road a few feet ahead of the  
leaders, who with an oath ordered him  
to stop. A glance disclosed the fact  
that there were two highwaymen, one  
on each side of the road and both  
partially disguised by masks formed by  
using the linings of their hats to cover  
the upper part of their faces. Each  
was armed with two revolvers and a  
knife, and while one flourished a mag-  
azine shot-gun the other held a  
ride.

As soon as Mr. Douglas realized the  
situation he pulled up his horses and  
inquired what was wanted. "Get down  
from your seat and hold up your  
hands," shouted one of the robbers,  
"and everybody in the stage—get out,  
quick!" The man was evidently sur-  
prised to find a lady in the stage, for  
he exclaimed, "What! ladies in here?  
Well, get out and hold up your hands!"  
Mrs. Rawlins, who has experienced  
some thrilling adventures in Arizona,  
ventured the remark that in that part  
of the country when a stage was held  
up the ladies were not molested, but  
robber answered that as a thorough  
search was intended she had better  
step out, and she gracefully complied  
with the request. "Come, get out,  
quick!" the man said to John Storch,  
putting a revolver to his face, and  
John stepped nimbly out and stood  
beside Capt. Blethen. The man held  
a revolver in his right hand and with  
his left began a search of the pockets  
of the victims. Captain Blethen gen-  
erously assisted them by going down  
into his pockets and fishing out \$22  
which he handed over to them. It  
was all he had, but they were  
welcome to it. John Storch con-  
tributed \$8 to the entertainment. When  
the robber was searching the latter be-  
noticed Storch carried a watch, and  
he requested the loan of it for an in-  
definite period, and of course John  
granted the request. It was a gold  
watch and quite valuable, but they  
could have it. The ladies were not  
searched. Mrs. Rawlins had a revolver  
in her valise which the bold high-  
waymen appropriated, but at the lady's  
request they extracted the cartridges  
and returned the revolver. The  
road agents evidently expected to find  
a bar or two of bullion in fact they  
asked Douglas if he had any on board,  
but fortunately the stage carried none  
this trip. The stage was subjected to  
a thorough search, the cushions being  
overturned and every nook and corner  
examined. A small sack containing  
\$10, belonging to Mr. Douglas was  
overlooked. When the robbers had  
finished their search they politely in-  
formed the driver that he was at  
liberty to proceed, and he mounted  
the box, the passengers resumed their  
seats, and with a silent farewell the  
stage rolled on and the disciples of  
Black Bart disappeared into the  
brush.

As soon as he arrived in town  
Howard Douglas informed the author-  
ities, and as soon as possible six ru-  
rales were sent out after the outlaws.  
Two of the rurales went up the road  
toward San Diego, two struck off to-  
wards La Grulla and the others went  
towards San Rafael valley. It is  
almost impossible for the robbers to  
escape, and they may be brought in  
before twenty-four hours from the time  
of the robbery. Howard Douglas is  
also out looking for them.

The robbers are strangers in this  
country, but Mr. Douglas recognized  
one of them as a short, stout man  
wearing a cap who has been stopping  
at the Pacheco Hotel since arriving  
from San Francisco on the last trip of  
the Newbern.—Ensenada Lower Cali-  
fornian.

### Mexican Matters.

#### The wife of Sleeping Car Porter Fuller gave birth to a fine girl baby while coming up from Guaymas on the Sonora train the other night.

One day this week Conductor Organ put off a Mexican from his train on the Sonora railroad who was trying to ride on another man's pass and the next day the fellow almost wrecked Conductor Fauld's train by placing rocks on the track near Zamora and in consequence a reward of \$500. was offered for the fellows arrest and conviction.

Another large vessel loaded with Oregon lumber has arrived at Guaymas and lumber trains again will be started on the Sonora railroad.

Gov. Luis E. Torres, of Sonora, pass-

ed through Nogales, Arizona, Friday afternoon en route to Hermosillo. On the arrival of the train at Nogales he was greeted with cheers and the firing of bombs. A committee of prominent Sonora people met him here.

The Sonora road has all the freight it can handle.

The Nogales Herald says: "Mr. L. Ephraim is in from his big mines at Promontorio. He brought with him a large sample of ore from the water level—550 feet—which contains large quantities of horn and native silver. At that depth the vein is four feet wide. During the past week he struck another rich vein which widens as it goes down. He has now forty men at work in the mine and will put forty of fifty more at work as soon as he can get them.

The Plancha company, of Sonora, is having a topographical survey of its mines made by Lieut. H. O. Flipper.

The entire day of yesterday, says the Laredo Times of the 23d instant, was consumed by the examining trial of the two Mexicans arrested for conspiring to kill Governor Reyes, of the state of Nuevo Leon, Mexico. The evidence introduced shows plainly a set purpose on the part of the Mexicans arrested to enter into a contract to kill the governor whether or not it was their intention to consummate the plot arranged. It is the general impression that there is something behind all this and the officers will use every effort to ferret it out. The Mexican hailing from Monterey, Clemente Arevalo, was the bearer of a letter of introduction recommending him as an honest, trustworthy individual, but his appearance would certainly not commend him to one's confidence. After his arrest he stated that he made the proposition to General Sandoval simply to get money to return to Monterey and that he, Clemente Arevalo, had no intention of ever carrying out the proposed assassination. His own evidence in the examining trial was very strong against himself and it is conclusively evident that his visit to Laredo was for no good purpose. The examining trial will be concluded to-day.

The same name and a striking resemblance came very near causing a Mexican some serious trouble in Laredo the other day. Detective R. L. Bolton of that city was struck forcibly by the appearance of a Mexican, inasmuch as he corresponded exactly with a party indicted for the murder of General Martinez in that city last February. The resemblance was so great that the officer concluded to keep an eye on him and wait for developments. Shortly after Mr. Bolton was joined by some of his friends, one of whom became engaged in conversation with the Mexican under surveillance and in course of the conversation asked his name. Jose Maria Hernandez was the reply, and that being the name of the party wanted, the officer at once arrested Jose. The next day investigation failed to identify him with the crime and though he bore the same name and a striking resemblance to the murderer he was not the man wanted and an order was signed for his release. Jose stated that he was a cousin to the man wanted and that it was his belief that the other Hernandez was guilty of the crime charged.

The Miner of Mexico of the 25th prints the following mining notes:

#### CHIHUAHUA.

The mines of the Ojo Caliente district were discovered over a year ago. They lie between two mountains from five to eight miles to the northwest of the Ojo Caliente station on the Mexican Central R. R. The principal mine is owned by a Chicago man named H. V. Reed. The output of ore thus far has paid all expenses of development and produced a small profit. A shaft is being sunk on a very strong iron lead over ten feet wide. At the top of the shaft the ore runs in chlorides and horn silver as high as \$1,500.00 per ton and mill runs have been made on the ore, by the ton, averaging about \$400.00 per ton. In addition to the above, Elfstrom Brothers own a mine on the north and Braxton and Lafor own the extension on the south. Each of these mines are producing some very high grade mineral at the present time. The indications now are that the district will soon come to the front as one of the best ore producing localities in northern Mexico, it being only 95 miles from El Paso, and as the ore carries no lead it pays no duties. The ores are all shipped to the smelting works in the city of El Paso. The Willis mine will ship a number of tons of ore the present week, and from now on it will evidently be a continuous producer.

#### GUANAJUATO.

We hear that the Huilota mining district, situated at three kilometers from the La Luz, is likely to assume considerable importance very soon. It is stated to contain a multitude of veins rich in silver and gold besides some mercury deposits and mines of lead silver ores. The Providencia mine which is located in the Huilota ranch, commenced to yield rich ore from the very beginning. In the prospect hole that was opened some ore was found that gave an assay of 1,600 ounces of silver per ton and about \$5 worth of gold. The

Dolores is another mine that seems destined to a brilliant future. It has in the prospect shaft and a small drift some ores with a silver content of 40 to 48 ounces per ton with some gold, and it is thought that richer ore will soon be met with as the vein is wide and well formed. The California del Gigante mine is an old property situated between the Escobetero and Jordan mines. It is said that this mine was abandoned many years ago on account of a cave in and that a good deal of ore was then in sight in several veins under exploitation. Besides the above the silver lead ores seem to promise a good return to the enterprising miners that are now engaged in the development of these deposits. It will be seen that the greater part of these deposits are entirely new and yet we must remind our foreign readers that the Huilota district is only about seven miles away from the great mining town of Guanajuato which is one of the very oldest mining centers in this Republic. What may we not expect from a full exploration of the practically untried mountains that cover a large part of the extent of this favored land?

We are pleased to hear that the mines of the San Anton company, which we have mentioned on several former occasions, were greatly admired by the members of the Mining Deputation of Guanajuato who visited that district on the occasion of giving possession on Thursday last. The La Mora tunnel shows a vein about six feet wide, of solid and splendid ore, according to the reports that have reached us. This is the center of the vein and the richest part of all is thought to be on the hanging wall side which the crosscut has not yet reached. The country rock of the vein is a soft blue limestone almost like hardened clay. In about twenty meters more of advance the tunnel will probably be into the Maria Segunda vein of which great hopes are entertained. On the north side of the property are the Trinidad workings which are also said to be looking remarkably well.

#### TAMAULIPAS.

We have private advices of a reliable character from Victoria, the capital of the State, which state that new and valuable discoveries of quicksilver have been made in the foot hills of the Sierra Madre Mountains, about twenty-five miles southwest from La Panocha station on the Monterrey and Mexican and Gulf railroad. Ex-President Manuel Gonzalez, who owns a magnificent tract of land in that vicinity, was the first person to file locations in the new mineral district. Gov. Prieto, of Victoria, has started for the mines, and will file locations. In the Canyon of Flowers mining district, twenty miles to the south, quicksilver was discovered in paying quantities last year, and a Bangor, Me., syndicate recently shipped in a smelter which will soon be in operation. A large number of Americans are prospecting in that vicinity.

### Death of Blake Rowland.

Last Wednesday morning the residents of the Indio rancho found a man sleeping heavily in a wagon near the rancho. A horse with the Votaw brand, that had evidently been ridden without a saddle, was near by, loose. Unable to awaken the man, they took him into the house and sent a messenger to this city for the coroner. The messenger arrived here late and at 8 p. m. Judge Watkins was off for the Indio, where he arrived about 8 o'clock next morning. He found that, despite the efforts to revive him, the man had died at 4 p. m. No one on the rancho recognized the deceased. On a paper in this pocket was found almost illegibly written, the name, "B. H. Rowland." The ranchmen then recognized deceased as Blake Rowland, a native of Uvalde, but lately a fugitive from justice in Mexico. The boots and hat brought to this city were also recognized as the property of Blake Rowland. An examination of the body revealed no wound, but a bottle of morphine indicated the cause of death. Rowland recently sold a mule in Uvalde that was the property of Sr. Salinas of C. Porfirio Diaz. When the mule was sold by the United States authorities here as contraband, the owner learned its fate and got on Rowland's trail. It is believed that he came to this side, crossing near Laredo, to escape prison in Mexico, and knowing that Inspector Dove and Sheriff Cooke had papers for him, was hurrying through the country when an overdose of morphine, taken either to quiet his nerves or with suicidal intent, killed him.—Eagle Pass Guide, June 20.

### Fixed the Estate.

In Yuba County, Cal., some years ago the Coroner found the body of a dead man in the river, and on examination found \$75 in one of the pockets and a pistol in another. Those who were with him at the time said the Coroner figured out how he would dispose of the money and save the trouble of sending it to his friends in the East. Said he: "My fees are only \$25, under the law, but there is a provision in the statutes against carrying concealed weapons, and I will fine him just \$50 for violating the statute, and that will fix the estate, so the lawyers will not get a cent."