THE LOCAL NEWS..... OF THE .....CITY AND COUNTY

From Wednesday's Daily.

Arizona weather is asserting itself once more.

Mrs. H. P. Anewalt came up from Phenix today.

E. E. Ellinwood returned from Phenix this morning.

F. Rayder arrived in Prescott from Salt Lake City last night.

Paul A. Johns came up from the south on today's passenger.

T. C. Job went to Phenix last evening on professional business.

Fred H. Potter returned to Williams today after a stay of several weeks in Prescott.

The local lodge of Workmen is arranging to give a grand ball some time during the month of March.

Mrs. J. L. Fisher returned home today after a few days' visit with her daughter, Mrs. Harry Tritle, in Phenix.

Chas. F. Whittlesey, partner in the firm of Whittlesey & Elliott, architects, of this city, has returned to his home in Albuquerque.

B. L. Jones, general manager of the Red Rock mine is in town on a business visit and circulating among his numerous friends here.

Sidney L. Beach left today for Los Angeles, where he expects to reside in the future, although his lumber business will bring him to Prescott quite often.

W. T. Brown, Prescott's well known hardware merchant, returned today from a trip to Kirkland where he had been called to inspect some mining machinery.

Samples of Modern and Bisbee-Arizona ore can be seen at office of J. S. Acker & Co. and when you see it you will have to have some of the Bisbee-Arizona stock, if you act wisely.

Supt. Howard Legge came in from the White Horse mine this morning and was accompanied back to the property by President Monroe, who returned from New York a day or two ago.

Jean Dunn, who was arrested in Prescott Monday charged with robbing Martin Lund, at Poland, of $150, had her hearing before Justice Crawford, at Providence, yesterday, and was bound over under $700.

The railroad employes on the P. and E. road will give a ball at Joe Mayer's Friday night of this week. Harry E. Houston, one of the finest piano players in the territory, will furnish the music and a jolly good time is assured.

F. A. Swan, who has been engaged in mining in New Mexico for the past two years, and who came to this section a few weeks ago to examine some mining claims for eastern parties, left for Kansas City today where he will make his future home.

There is more talk about the Modern and the Bisbee-Arizona Gold and Copper Mining company than any other companies in Arizona. Why? Because they are adjoining properties and have the greatest futures of any companies in Arizona.

W. M. Claypool left on this morning's train for the Serchlight section, Nevada. Mr. Claypool's health has been quite poor for some time and he goes on this trip both for the benefit of his health and on business. He expects to be gone several weeks.

The Bisbee-Arizona Gold and Copper Mining company have sold 25,000 shares in Prescott and now offer another block of the same amount at 15 cents and their agents predict that it will be bringing from 25 to 50 cents in a few months. Do you hear?

Mrs. G. A. Bray and daughter, Mrs. Phillips, left for an extended visit east this morning. Poor Gorman looks the picture of despair already, and has laid in a large supply of dyspepsia tablets with which to digest boarding house grub.

As soon as the weather gets settled enough to begin operations for the work of running the permanent survey for the wagon road to the Fossil creek power plant sites, and as soon as the survey is completed work of building the road will commence.

The board of supervisors is advertising for proposals for supplying the county with stationery. The bids presented at a former letting of contracts were all rejected, and new bids are now asked for. Bids will be opened March 2 and contract will run to February 15, 1904.

A coal car on this morning's train for Mayer jumped the track near Dewey, and broke about thirty ties into kindling wood besides bending up the rails pretty badly, causing a delay of a couple of hours to the incoming train. No one was hurt, luckily.

Did you read that article about the Bisbee-Arizona Gold and Copper Mining company in yesterday's Journal-Miner? Hadn't you better investigate and invest in it while the company is offering such inducements prior to putting it on the market in the east at a much higher price?

Harvey Helm and family decided yesterday to go to Mexico by way of Albuquerque instead of going south by way of Phenix, and consequently left on this morning's train for their new home. A large number of friends were at the depot to bid them good bye and wish them happiness and success.

The local lodge of Red Men are enjoying one of their old time seasons of prosperity. They are now working under a special dispensation and are taking back a number of their old time members who had dropped out of the lodge for various reasons, and are also initiating a number of pale faces.

Supervisor Geo. H. Sherman returned from Phenix today. Mr. Sherman had been in the capital city representing Yavapai county at the meeting of the supervisors of the territory, to urge needed legislation along certain lines and also to advise the lawmakers against passing certain obnoxious measures.

C. P. Steele, head clerk in the O. K. store, received the sad intelligence this morning that his father, Thos. Steele, had passed away at his old home in Bartlett, Iowa, after a long illness. He was a man about 69 years of age. Mr. Steele has the sympathy of a large number of friends in Prescott on account of his bereavement.

The firm of Martindell & Horne will move into the Wilson building about the first of March. The new office will be much more commodious than their present place of business. The volume of business transacted by the firm has grown to such an extent that they have been compelled to secure larger office rooms, hence this move.

Pete Clark, the brakeman who was shot by the Mexican hobo at Agua Fria tank yesterday, was taken back to Phenix on the freight last evening and is at the hospital. His wound, while painful, is not a serious one, and he will be around in a few days again. It is not likely that he will take any chances again soon with hobos who have guns.

A large number of men seem to be "getting it in the eye" in Jerome lately. Last week, N. H. Nihill, the lumber and timesmith had his eye badly injured while disconnecting pipes in the shop of the Jerome Meat company, and Electrician Smith caught a piece of hot metal in one of his eyes while at work around the smelter. Both gentlemen are now able to attend to business.—Jerome News.

The I. O. O. F. lodge has at last received the elegant new chairs for their lodge room. There are eight of them in all, for the principal stations of the hall. They are handsomely carved, leather upholstered, and almost give a fellow spring fever to sit in them, as they are so easy. The Odd Fellows have spared nothing in the way of expense or trouble that would tend to make their hall one of the finest in the southwest.

Gussie Cartmell, the courteous and obliging messenger of the Western Union Telegraph office, is ambitious to learn every branch of the telegraph business. Yesterday and today he was experimenting with climbing poles, with the sharp pointed climbers used by line men for that work. He failed to achieve success however in this line in any marked degree as he fell yesterday spraining an ankle, and in a fall received today sustained painful injuries to his left arm, though, luckily no bones were broken.

The sheriff's office has been notified of the finding of the body of a man a short distance from the railroad track in Crazy Basin. From all appearances the body had lain there for a couple of days. Justice Crawford, of Providence, went to the scene of the tragedy today to hold an inquest but at the time of going to press no further word had been received in Prescott as to the cause of death or who the man was. The dead man's head showed evidences of having been badly bruised with some blunt instrument, probably a rock or club.

Hon. M. G. Burns returned from Phenix yesterday. While in Phenix he circulated among legislators and comes back fully convinced that the democrats will carry out their platform pledges to the letter. He referred especially to Yavapai's representatives and said they would return with a record which would make every man who voted for them glad to shake hands with them.—Courier. Some of the Yavapai representatives will have to change their course of action very materially to receive the "well done" plaudit from constituents.

The family of J. M. Cook, of Yager canyon, who have been going through a small pox siege, are getting along in splendid shape. The members of the family who have had it were not even confined to their beds and have nearly fully recovered. The only other case which has developed in that neighborhood is that of a little nephew of Dan Weaver, who also had a very light attack. It is hoped to get the school in that district opened again before long.

Thursday last while Pat McLaughlin was assisting Johnny Sullivan to remove fixtures from the Stermer building to the next door south, he in some way misstepped and fell down the stairs in the first named place, breaking one of his arms in two places. He was taken to the hospital where he died shortly after. Deceased was between 40 and 50 years of age, and for some time has been employed as a laborer on the streets of Jerome.—Jerome News.

Mrs. Wilmot Pentland, who has been confined at the Mercy hospital for some time on account of an operation, has so far recovered as to be able to leave the hospital today and be taken home. Mr. Pentland has secured the cottage just south of R. D. French's home on South Pleasant street, and during Mrs. Pentland's illness has had it put in nice shape for house keeping, so it will be all ready to occupy as soon as she is able to be about again, which will be within a very short time.

Passenger and freight traffic on the Santa Fe has grown so heavy that the management of that line has found it necessary to lay a second track in several sections where trains are most numerous. It is expected that during 1903 double tracking of the Emporia cut off will be nearly completed from Holliday to Emporia. The main line from Chicago to Joliet may be similarly improved. When these additions have all been made the Santa Fe will have approximately 135 miles of double track.

There is a very worthy contest on, or rather promises to be on, between the two A. O. U. W. grand lodge jurisdictions of Colorado and Arizona and New Mexico. The latter jurisdiction has challenged the former to a contest for new members, on the following terms: "That the jurisdiction making the greatest percentage of gain in membership between now and June 1, 1903, be entitled to a $50 silk flag at the expense of the jurisdiction losing." The contest promises to warm the membership up to a high pitch of rustling for new members for this excellent order.

The Prescott Athletic club is making splendid progress with the work of getting things in running order. The lease for the Dougherty hall has been signed, contracts for the plumbing let, apparatus for the gymnasium ordered and in fact most of the preliminary work completed. All that remains now to be done is to get things in place when they arrive and complete the details. The institution will be one of the prides of the city and if you are not already a member, "you had better hurry."

The city street committee is reported to be on a tour of examination, to ascertain where improvements are needed. Lest they might overlook it their attention is earnestly directed to the need of a sidewalk on Gurley street between Marina street and the alley running alongside the Congregational church. They will receive the blessing of every man, woman and child in East Prescott, who have occasion to travel on the north side of Gurley street if they will only "fix" that mud hold in some way, and make it possible to get along that side of the street in muddy weather.

From Thursday's Daily.

H. I. Andrews is visiting Phenix.

Jake Marks returned from Jerome last evening.

District Attorney E. S. Clark is in Congress on business.

J. S. Cook came up from Hot Springs this morning.

W. D. Berry came in on this morning's train from the south.

A lodge of the Rathbone sisters will be instituted in Phenix shortly.

Edgar Sharp arrived in Prescott last evening from Oxnard, California.

E. E. Ellinwood, left on this morning's train for a professional visit to Flagstaff.

A. J. Pickerell came in from his mining camp in the Senator district last night.

Walter C. Miller returned to Jerome this morning after a brief visit in Prescott.

J. H. Hise has returned to the Placeritas section to look after his mining interests.

A car load of wool passes through Prescott daily, from Phenix to the eastern market.

Tickets bought for the Doll Shop should be exchanged for reserved seats at Brisley's.

J. R. Monnette returned from a business trip through the northern part of the territory.

Sam Dunlap, who is connected with the De Moss Lumber company, came up from Phenix this morning.

E. J. Babbitt of Flagstaff, was a passenger on this morning's train returning from Phenix to his home.

M. Hoveck, superintendent at the El Capitan mine for the Douglas, Lacey company, is in Prescott today.

C. E. Rickert and R. R. Penney arrived in Prescott last night from Salt Lake City and are guests at Hotel Congress.

Sixteen cars of sheep are billed for shipment tomorrow from Peoria to Los Angeles, by the Cudahy Packing company.

Ben. Blanchard, general manager of the Iron King mine left on this morning's train for a brief business trip to Kansas City.

Geo. P. Harrington left this morning for Crowned King accompanied by a party of New York capitalists who arrived on last night's train.

Mrs. S. S. Walstrum and son have returned from a stay of several weeks at the Castle Creek Hot Springs, greatly benefitted in health.

Coke is arriving in large quantities now for the United Verde company. Thirty four car loads were received on Monday's train at Jerome Junction.

C. P. Wingfield was in town yesterday transacting business returning this morning to his home at Huron. He has entirely recovered from his recent illnses.

Brakeman Pete Clark, and the Mexican Juan Zapeda, who got mixed up in a shooting scrape at Agua Fria tank the other morning have each been held under $300 bonds.

Mr. Brown, who has been in the employ of Brown Bros. for about a year, left with his wife this morning for Los Angeles where they expect to reside. They came here from Cripple Creek.

Reserved seats are being secured largely at Brisley's already for the Doll Shop and "The Way to Win Him," the rectory benefit performance at the opera house Monday evening next.

A telephone message was received in town this morning announcing that Mrs. Alfred De Kuhn, who has been sick for some time had become worse and that but little hopes were entertained for her recovery. Her sister, Miss Stone, who received the message left immediately for her bedside at the Cash mine.

Barry Goldwater, who has been devoting the past three weeks to the interests of the mercantile firm of M. Goldwater & Bro., in this city, during which time they have conducted a most successful rummage sales, clearing out their broken stock and put the store in readiness for the new stock of goods, returned to Phenix last night.

At the annual meeting of the Sonora Milling and Mining company, in Phenix, the following officers chosen were elected. Con O'Keefe, president and general manager; J. H. Smith, vice president; Robt. McKinnon, secretary; John Dessart, treasurer. These gentlemen and E. B. Gage, of Tombstone, form the directors of the company. W. E. Defty was retained as consulting engineer. The work of developing will now be rapidly pushed.

H. A. Jewell, of the firm of Jewell & Co., commission mercants, of Los Angeles, arrived in Prescott last evening and is looking over the prospects of engaging in the commission business in Prescott. He informed the Journal-Miner that he was most favorably impressed with the city and felt little doubt but that he would decide to open a commission house here, handling fruits, vegetables, poultry, eggs, butter, etc.

The Journal-Miner is in receipt of a neat little pocket diary from C. A. Snow & Co., Washington. Besides being a diary it contains blank space for memoranda and contains a whole lot of valuable information which one has occasion frequently to refer to, being a small encyclopedia in this respect. It would be cheap at 25 cents, and yet all that it costs to receive one of them is to send a two cent postage stamp to cover the actual cost of postage, to C. A. Snow & Co., 523 Ninth street, Washington, D. C., and they will send it free.

Matt Loring left this morning for Washington, D. C., where he will be assigned a place in the postoffice department. He is a boy that this town is proud of. He was successful in school and he has been successful ever since. He entered the postal service here and was afterward transferred to Prescott. He was connected with the office there for four years as chief clerk and he performed his duties so well that when a chance came for some Arizona boy to receive a promotion his selection was natural.—Republican. Mr. Loring arrived in Prescott this morning and will remain a day or two before proceeding to Washington. Prescott joins with Phenix in feeling proud of Matt and wishing him friends, happiness, and prosperity in his new home.

From Friday's Daily.

A. F. Hunt is down from Ash Fork.

Don Tomlinson is wrestling with a case of mumps.

Judge E. M. Sanford returned from the south today.

Auction sale tomorrow morning at 223 W. Gurley street, at 10 o'clock.

Hon. R. H. Burmister returned home this morning from a trip to Walnut Grove.

Under Sheriff C. W. Platt has been about laid up for several days with an attack of grip.

Deputy Sheriff Nobles came down from Ash Fork last night returning home this morning.

Miss Marguerite McCoy is very ill at her home at the corner of Alarcon and Goodwin streets.

T. E. Irvine of the H. H. McNeill firm, Phenix, came up to the Pine city this morning on a brief business trip.

T. G. Norris returned from Phenix today. Its pretty hard to tell, lately, whether Mr Norris lives in Prescott or Phenix.

Harry Brown came up from Phenix this morning for a visit with his brother, Z. O. Brown and to shake hands with his numerous friends.

Mr. Georges and wife, who have been canvassing this section in the interest of a Riverside, California, piano firm, will leave tomorrow for San Jacinto, California.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Hemingway and Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Clark have taken the residence of Judge and Mrs. J. J. Hawkins as the latter will remain in California during the summer.

Barry Goldwater returned today from a brief visit to Phenix. He will remain in charge of the Prescott store during Morris Goldwater's trip east purchasing goods for the Prescott and Phenix stores.

E. W. French, in the employment department for Grant Bros., left on this morning's train for Chicago to secure more men to work on the contracts for railroad grading now under way by the above firm.

Rev. Taft returned from Buckeye today, where he had been attending the ordination of Rev. Lee I. Thayer, the Baptist minister at that place. Rev. Taft and Rev. Thayer were college chums in their school days.

Mrs. E. A. Rogers, wife of Editor Rogers, of the Courier, returned to Prescott last night after a stay of several months in San Diego. She was accompanied by her son. Mrs. Rogers has greatly improved in health since she left last fall.

Dr. J. B. McNally received a telegram from Ash Fork today that Earl Burt, brother of Mrs. Wilmot Pentland, was very critically ill with an attack of tonsillitis, and might not live till he reached Ash Fork. The doctor boarded the 11 o'clock train for that place.

A Chinaman named Low Yem presented himself to officials yesterday in a very badly battered condition claiming that he had been beaten the night before by two men and robbed of $20. The hold up occurred in the alley between Montezuma and Granite streets, back of the old Plaza stables.

H. C. Kruger, general manager of the Prudential Mining company which has been operating some properties in the Black Hills section, contemplates taking a trip of several months to Washington or Oregon. Mr. Kruger's health has been poor for some time and he hopes that this trip will make him feel young again.

The work of filling up the draw that crosses South Pleasant street just off of Gurley street, was begun today. The walk in front of H. C. Burmister's and Major Watts' residences has been torn out, the old fence razed to the ground and stakes set indicating the level to which the street is to be filled. This will add much to the beauty of that part of the street.

The Prescott orchestra is now composed of eleven pieces and they have been doing some good practicing of late. It is said by those who have heard them that they will have one of the finest musical organizations Prescott has ever produced. Their first public appearance since the orchestra has been enlarged, will be at the entertainment to be given by Mrs. Kantz and daughters at the opera house Monday night.

Ben Spitz, an old time friend of Frank R. Stewart, is in Prescott representing a Kansas City firm. He did not know that Mr. Stewart resided in Prescott, and the two old friends held a real jollification meeting, and lived over again the days when they were boys back in the good old state where Mark Hanna now holds forth. Mr. Spitz is in this country partly for the benefit of his health, which he says is fast improving, and is consequently much in love with this section.

The company of Prescott young folk who went to Congress yesterday to play "The Happy Pair" and "A Box of Monkies" returned home today and report that they had a splendid trip and were received splendidly by the good people of that camp. They played to a good house and netted a snug little sum, besides having more fun than "A box of monkies." The play seemed to be greatly appreciated by the audience as the applause was very generous during the entire evening.

Mrs. Alfred De Kuhn, nee Miss Jennie Stone, died at Maxton this morning about 2 o'clock after an illness of several weeks. Notice of the death was sent to P. Mohn & Co., who brought the body in and prepared it for burial. Deceased was a most estimable woman, a devout Christian and beloved by all who knew her. Her only relative in this section, besides her husband, is a sister, Miss Nellie Stone, who is nearly prostrated with grief over her death. The funeral took place this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock from the undertaking parlors of P. Mohn & Co.

A gentleman by the name of Barney Johnson arrived in Prescott yesterday from San Francisco, having come here on the advice of his physician, in hopes of regaining his strength, which has been somewhat broken for the past four or five months. He is desirous of securing some light employment until he can regain his former strength. Mr. Johnson is a prominent Red Man of San Francisco and has splendid references from his former employer.

The local lodge of Workmen have decided to give their grand ball on Easter Monday night, and are now busy making arrangements for the occasion and promise to give one of the most enjoyable balls of the entire season. As this ball will be the first event of the kind after Lent it is expected that it will be largely attended by those who will have been denying themselves the pleasures of the ball room for some time, and will be ready to enter into the sport of the evening with all their might. The Workmen are always good entertainers and will not spare any pains to sustain their reputation on this occasion.

Ben Williams, special officer for the Santa Fe, has returned from Winslow, where he went a few days ago to capture a Santa Fe brakeman supposed to be an accomplice with safe craker Hailey, now in durance vile at El Paso. Officer Williams got his man and by so doing prevented a big robbery plan which was to have been committed at Winslow. Williams got wind through an El Paso detective that there was a bad man, to be at large, at Winslow. He also learned that a plan was being formulated to rob a saloon safe at that place. He had little trouble getting his man and placing him in jail at Winslow.—Albuquerque Democrat.

Under the new law, a corporation organized under the laws of any state in the United States may, upon registering its by-laws in the federal district of Mexico, become a subject of the federal jurisdiction and thus escape the annoyance of inferior courts. Capitalization which in the cases of American corporations was formerly subject to the rate of exchange existing at the time of the filing of the articles, is now less burdensome to stockholders. Instead of reducing the money represented in the capitalization to its Mexican equivalent and assessing the stock accordingly, the assessment is made on the number of dollars, gold. In other words the stock is taxed at the number of dollars represented in the United States currency.—City of Mexico Sister Republics.

The man who was found dead near the railroad track in Crazy Basin Tuesday has proven to be Fred Budsoe, who was for some time driver of the Scopel 'bus. Budsoe went to work at the railroad camp in the Bradshaws the latter part of January, as steel sharpener. When last seen alive he was in the company of a number of Italians and Mexicans and all were drinking. Since the discovery of Budsoe's body it was noticed that two of the Mexicans with whom he was last seen have been missing and the circumstances point strongly to the belief that he was killed by them during a drunken fight and that the Mexicans became frightened and left the place.

LYNX CREEK.

The work done to date on the property of the Gold Tunnel company on Lynx Creek shows results exceeding the original expectations for the property. There are numerous heavy ledges on this property, separated only by narrow dykes of diorite, trachyte and porphyry covering most of the width of four claims and extending through 6000 feet in length. Numerous openings demonstrate the thorough mineralization of the entire ledge matter. The values, even on the surface, are entirely satisfactory, running from $4 to $60, the oxide ores horning well in gold.

The workings consist of two 27 foot shafts and numerous shafts, cuts and tunnels, all in excellent ore and with the most promising indications. The vein matter is decomposed and almost entirely transformed.

Experts have examined the property and declare it an exceedingly promising group, waiting extensive development, the installation of a large reduction plant and operations on an extensive scale.

It is distant only six miles south east from Prescott, on Lynx creek, with ample water and timber. Every part of the property is accessible by excellent wagon roads.

Much attention has been attracted to this neighborhood by recent developments and a number of good looking locations have been made on all sides. It is believed that a great deal will be "doing" there this year.

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BIG BLAZE AT WILLIAMS

Fire of Incendiary Origin Destroys a Large Portion of Saloon Row.

Absence of Wind Probably Saves Destruction of the Entire Place—Considerable Insurance.

Williams, Ariz., Feb. 18. (Special to Joudrnal-Miner.)—A fire which was undoubtedly of incendiary origin broke out last night about 11:30 o'clock in the rear of Alex Chisholm's saloon on front street. The people were quickly awakened by pistol shots and the tooting of railroad engine whistles and every effort was made to stop the mad rush of flames, which was rapidly enveloping the adjoining buildings and over which mastery was only gained when the blaze reached the two story brick building belonging to A. Tetselaff. In all six saloons, one restaurant and several small shacks were consumed as follows:

John R. Loosley, building, value $1200, occupied by Joe Burke's saloon; no insurance.

Jas. Kennedy, building, value $1200, insurance $500, and occupied by Samora Bros., who had no insurance.

Andrew Johnson, wholesale liquor house, value $1200, insurance, $700.

Jas. Taber, building, value $1000, insurance $600; occupied by M. Briant's saloon with no insurance.

T. A. Fleming, building value $1000 and occupied by Alex Chisholm's and Ed Potter's saloons, no insurance on either.

A. Tetselaff, building, value $1200; insurance $850; occupied by the New York Kitchen restaurant with no insurance.

The majority of the fixtures in all the places were saved. The loss was rather severe but the result will be beneficial as a better class of buildings will be erected. No wind was blowing at the time, and this fact alone saved the balance of the town.

THAWING DYNAMITE.

Two Men Killed and Others Injured in the Operation.

On Saturday morning on the outside of the Buckeye mine in Graham county several men were thawing out sticks of dynamite in warm water. Suddenly a terrific noise occurred and the air was full of flying objects. After the confusion died away, two men were found blown to pieces, several were knocked down and two were severely injured. It is supposed that the men had not changed as frequently as they should have done, the warm water in which the dynamite was being thawed and the nitro-glycerine accumulating in the bottom of the vessel became warmed sufficiently to cause the explosion. Fifteen or twenty had walked away a short distance before the disaster occurred.

Patrick O'Donnell and William Steele were killed and William Gravelle and Ezra Madison injured.

ARIZONAS' LEGISLATURE.

The Mohave Miner, a staunch democratic paper, sizes up the present legislature as follows:

The legislature is getting down to business at last and is doing just what everyone predicted—violating every pledge made prior to the last election.

Col. J. Frank Wilson, who was accidentally elected to congress, is in Phenix for the purpose, it is said, of instructing the legislators how they can get around passing measures they were pledged by Mr. Wilson's platform to make into laws. The union label bill, the anti-blacklist bill and the eight hour law have been put to sleep, and so will all the other measures that served the purposes of the democrats in the last campaign. We are pleased to note that a number of the democratic members are staying with their pledges, no matter how obnoxious they may be. Of course, we do not think an eight hour law would be the right thing at this time, but the anti blacklist and union label bills are measures that should appeal to every right thinking man in the legislature. The session is half expired, yet there is not one law up to the governor for his approval or rejection. There are about fifty clerks and attaches of the legislature drawing from four to six dollars per day and appropriations of several thousand dollars for new territorial buildings that the taxpayers of the territory will have to pay when this aggregatoin of ignorance and stupidity adjourns next month.

MAP OF BISBEE DISTRICT.

The United States geological survey has recently issued a special topographic map of the Bisbee copper mining district, Ariz., from surveys which were completed in 1902. The map is drawn on a scale of 1 to 12,000, or about 5 1-2 inches to the mile. The regions south and southeast of the mining town are represented, together with the locations of all the leading mines and even the small prospects.

The topography is indicted with great clearness and detail by contour lines drawn at intervals of 20 feet, which show not only the heights of all parts of the region, but also the steepness of slopes and the shapes of hills and valleys. The map should be of considerable value to those interested in the development of the region.

MAJOR MILSAPS

Returns to Prescott After Seven Years' Absence.

Major Milsaps, who arrived last night in Prescott from Ash Fork, visited our city about seven years ago. He is agreeably surprised at the change in the appearance of the city. Prescott cannot now be designated a "shack town," many of the new buildings erected since his last visit would be a credit to any city in the United States.

During the intervening years the Major has had a wide and checkered career, having traveled extensively in the United States as National Spiritual Special attached to the Salvation Army headquarters at New York City, and in the Philippines, China and Japan, in the Philippines as the Salvation Army representative to the army and navy. Many Salvationists served as soldiers in the Eighth army corps, likewise in Dewey's fleet, taking part in the memorable naval battle May 1, 1898, when Montojo's fleet was destroyed and the Spanish marine power crushed in the Orient. In subsequent land battles they also bore their share of the fighting. Major Milsaps was an eye witness of many stirring scenes connected with the capture of Manila by the American forces, and later in the Filipino insurrection.

Friday, 8 p. m., a soul saving service is on the programme. Saturday 8 p. m., lecture on "Scenes and Experiences in the Philippines." Sunday, 11 o'clock a. m., the Major's theme will be "Holy Men of Old;" 3 p. m., "Salvation Jollification." Service 8 p. m., "The Power of the Christian Life." As the above will be the only meetings held in connection with Major Milsaps' visit to Prescott, the public should not miss the opportunity of hearing him. All meetings will be held in the Salvation Army hall.

FRANK MORGAN'S FUNERAL.

Universal Sorrow Expressed Over His Early Demise at His Home.

The late Frank C. Morgan of Jackson, Ohio, was a member of several secret orders and during his recent visit to Prescott he visited lodges here and made very many friends among the members. The following notice of his funeral from the Jackson, Ohio Herald will be read with interest by his frinds here:

Not in recent years has any death caused more universal pity than that of the late Frank C. Morgan and the esteem in which he was held was shown by the large attendance at the funeral obsequies held from the Presbyterian church Sunday afternoon at which the several lodges of which he was an honored member turned out in great numbers to do honor to his memory. The funeral services according to his wish expressed prior to his death, was conducted by Jackson Commandery, K. T. and was most impressive throughout.

Before the time announced for the funeral service, the various orders marched to his late home to escort the remains to the church. First came the order of Foresters, followed by the B. P. O. Elks, they in turn by the Knights of Pythias while the Masons brought up the rear, the double line reaching almost from the house to the church. The streets were lined with people who were unable to gain admittance to the church, but who braved the inclement weather in order to show their appreciation of the virtues of the dead. Within the church 50 seats had been reserved for each order but the great majority were forced to remain outside.

Within every foot of space was occupied and the hush which fell upon the great throng when the service was opened by Rev. D. H. Jones, his pastor, again demonstrated that the people had not gathered out of idle curiosity but to appropriately show the last tribute of respect to the dead. The funeral oration by the pastor was an eloquent tribute, sincere, and true to the ideals of him in whose memory the service was held. The music was in charge of the Masonic Male chorus directed by Dr. Joseph Jones.

The floral tributes were many and most beautiful, there being a wealth of floral beauty and many exquisite designs.

After the service at the church the orders led the way to Fairmount where the body was quietly laid to rest by loving hands.

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CAMP VERDE NEWS

Cattlemen and Ranchers Happy at the Bright Outlook Caused By Copious Rains.

Literary, Social and Personal Notes From the Verde Valley.

Camp Verde, Feb. 17. (Regular correspondence.)—With the ground more thoroughly saturated with moisture than it has been before for several years and a fine body of snow on the surrounding hills, the Verde ranches and cattlemen feel assured of a productive year. The beacon light of the United Verde smelters slag pots flashing up in the night gives promise to them of a prospective market in one direction, while the Fossil Creek Power Plant project in the other, speaks of an ever broadening market for the various products of our toil. A touch of prosperity will be welcomed by all as we have had enough of the reverse.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. John Bristow has been as near to the door of death during the past two weeks as mortals usually come and return, but is now on the way to recovery. Whooping cough which developed into pneumonia was the cause. Inasmuch as statistics show that in our large cities 100 per cent of children under two years of age die under such circumstances, we almost feel that our new physician, Dr. Palmer, with the help of good nurses, has almost worked a miracle. Dr. Palmer, though rather young, has had the benefit of large experience in the Chicago general hospital, from which he comes, and being blessed with unusual good sense will make us a valuable citizen as well as physician and surgeon.

W. S. Head is again at "Sunnyside" after an absence of about nine months. We are glad to see him back again. We feel that he is quite a part of us.

The Literary Society still continues to be quite a feature of our social life. Everybody is united in an effort to contribute something to its success, which will make a thing successful if it has any merit back of it. The interesting feature of the last program was the debate on the question, resolved,

"That the Press is More Beneficial to Mankind Than the Platform." Rev. Wright and Frank Wingfield on the affirmative, L. B. Bell and G. H. Bishop negative. The argument on both sides was well supported and while two of the judges decided in favor of the affirmative and only one for the negative, it is still a debatable question. Mighty as the press is as a distributing medium and in shaping the thoughts and actions of men, still the great thoughts which have shaped the destinies of nations through all the ages have first been thundered from pulpit and platform. There is verily "nothing new under the sun." Tennyson expresses it thus:

"Yet I doubt not this the ages one
increasing purpose runs,
And the thoughts of men are widened with the process of the sun."

The work of the society promises to leave a substantial monument to itself in the new public library a fine selection of new books have been ordered and many donated. Prominent among the donations has been the library of Dudley Brookes containing some very fine books. Yet there is room for more and contributions are solicited. C. V. R.

A DEAD LOCK.

Mayor and City Council Lock Horns on Appointments.

A meeting of the city council was held yesterday afternoon at which all the officials were present. It did not take long to demonstrate that the proceedings would be attended with considerable friction.

The new mayor and members of the council were very unfortunate in making a wrong start. The appointment of city officials is vested in the mayor and the prerogative of confirming appointees rests with the council.

The usual custom has been for the mayor to consult with the councilmen prior to making appointments and when appointments are then made they are confirmed without a hitch and harmony reigns.

When Mr. Burke took the position of mayor he dispensed with the formality of consulting with the councilmen and obtaining their views on the subject of appointees, but standing on his right to appoint, selected men of his own choice, regardless of the wishes of the individual members of the council. The latter would not stand for this and refused to confirm the appointees and the matter stands in that shape at present.

At yesterday's meeting the bill before the legislature for a manual training school for Prescott was up for consideration and the four members of the council were appointed a committee to confer with the school trustees on the subject.

When the council refused to confirm the appointees of the mayor, the latter reappointed them and refused to entertain a motion by Mulvenon that the city employees be paid what is due them and intimated that a motion to adjourn was in order and an adjournment was accordingly taken until the first Monday in March.

SURPRISED PASTOR.

Members of Church and Congregation Possess the Methodist Parsonage.

Rev. and Mrs. A. M. Gibbons of the Methodist church were taken somewhat by surprise last night when the members of the church and congregaiton commenced to file into the parsonage and in a short time had complete possession of it. The invasion was by no means a hostile one and had been planned by the Woman's Home Missionery society with its president, Mrs. M. A. Bowen, at the head of the invading forces.

Following a time honored custom on occasions of this kind the visitors brought good cheer to the preacher and his excellent wife in the shape of good things to eat or money donations with which they can be purchased, the offerings of this kind being quite liberal, one donation being a box of choice oranges.

An interesting programme had been arranged and was rendered as follows:

Vocal solo—Mrs. Nathan Levy.

Vocal solo—Miss Maude Hanna.

Bumble Bee song—Master Harry Ling.

Recitation—Miss Carrie Stepan.

Violin solo—Dr. W. S. Smith.

Reading—Judge R. M. Ling.

Vocal solo—Mrs. Dan Gilles.

Recitation—Mrs. Lilian Smith.

Recitation (by request) Master Harry Ling.

Mrs. R. M. Ling presided at the organ as accompanist to the vocal numbers. Judge Ling's selection was "the result of woman suffrage in Wyoming" by Bill Nye, and was convulsively humorous.

Rev. Gibbons delivered a brief address expressing the felicitation of himself and wife at the manifestaion of good will shown by the gathering, prefacing it by a humorous reading from Mark Twain.

The evening was one of genuine enjoyment to all who were present.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE.

An Attempt to Prevent its Practice in This Territory.

A bill has been introduced in the legislature of this territory entitled "An Act to Regulate the Practice of Medicine," but which contains a clause which is intended to prevent the practice of Christian Science.

An attempt was recently made in New Hampshire to pass a bill to prevent the practice of Christian Science, but it met with a prompt and