

NEWS FROM NEIGHBORING CITIES.

The Church Services Today at Pasadena.

The Real Estate Market at Santa Ana Very Active.

Pasadena Capitalists at Ferris-Terminal Island-Blato Notes.

PASADENA, Feb. 25.—Among the many good things for which Pasadena is noted her churches stand foremost, as attested both by their size and number as well as their large membership.

Rev. Dr. Chamberlain will occupy the pulpit of the First Presbyterian church, in the absence of Rev. Fife.

Bishop Goodsell has consented to preach the morning sermon at the Methodist tabernacle, and will doubtless be greeted by a large audience.

At the Universalist church Rev. Dr. Conger will officiate, assisted by Rev. Florence Kollock.

Rev. C. E. Harris, at the First Baptist, will take the foreign missionary question as his subject in the morning, and a special contribution for this cause will be taken up.

Rev. Ruth Ridger will deliver her farewell sermon at the Friends' church tomorrow morning. She resigns on account of poor health.

Dr. B. C. Atterbury will address the meeting of the Y. M. C. A. at 3 o'clock in the afternoon in Strong's hall. All young men invited.

OUR ITALY.

Rev. H. G. Spaulding will deliver a lecture at the Universalist church Thursday evening, March 24, upon Our Italy. The lecture will be illustrated with a fine lot of stereopticon views portraying the many and varied beauties of the golden state in the most charming manner.

The lecture will be given under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid society of the Universalist church and will doubtless prove a most profitable and entertaining evening to those fortunate enough to be present.

A MISSIONARY RECEPTION.

The reception tendered to the returned missionaries by the ladies of the Presbyterian church, yesterday afternoon, was well attended, and proved a very pleasant occasion.

The missionaries in whose honor the assembly was called were Dr. and Mrs. Hepburn, Dr. and Mrs. Atterbury and Mrs. Lowery, all long and faithful laborers in the mission field. A Christian Chinese woman from Los Angeles was present and responded to an invitation to speak.

NOTES.

The Hutchins displayed an exceptionally handsome show window today. The children's home at 79 East Colorado street has a healthy two-week-old baby boy waiting adoption by a respectable family.

Some of the property-owners on West Colorado street are objecting to having the hill near Orange Grove avenue cut down. Just what objection there is does not appear very plainly. The present grade is certainly entirely too steep for comfortable driving.

Mr. C. E. Langford has purchased a cottage on South Los Robles avenue belonging to Dr. T. J. Rigg; price, \$1200 cash.

An inauguration ball and entertainment will be given at the Green on the evening of March 4th.

Walter Richardson and Langdon Smith have returned from a trip to Barley Flats in search of big game.

Mr. J. H. Shunk, the proprietor of the John Dillon, Ole Olson and Calhoun Opera companies, was in Pasadena Friday, looking after the interests of his attractions. Mr. Dillon will be here March 1st, and the Calhoun company later.

The body of Mr. Thomas Foster, the gentleman who died so suddenly at the Raymond, will be sent east tomorrow. Messrs. Lippencott, Larrey & Eaton have charge of the embalming.

It is suggested that the proposed art exhibition, which was to have been given under the auspices of the Charity Organization society, be given in connection with several church societies, as the Charity Organization is not in need of any considerable addition to its treasury at present.

Ed. K. Bradley & Co., the popular wholesale and retail fruit men, have opened a first-class cycle house in connection with their establishment, at 29 South Raymond avenue. A full line of Eagle and Western Wheel works machines are constantly kept in stock, all sizes, at prices ranging from \$20 to \$150.

Pasadena Briefs.

Pasadena office of the HERALD, No. 16 West Colorado street. Advertisements and subscriptions received.

ST. NICHOLAS, half block from terminals of the Los Angeles, Pasadena and Glendale railway. Rates \$5 to \$7 per week. Miss L. McLaughlin, proprietor.

MORGAN'S LIVERY AND BOARDING STABLE, rear of postoffice. Safe and stylish turns out at reasonable prices. Telephone 56.

COOK & EKOZA, general blacksmithing, No. 15 Union street.

G. S. MAYHEW, real estate broker, 20 1/2 West Colorado street. Loans and investments.

M'DONALD, BROOKS & CO., real estate, loans and houses for rent. Bargains in houses and ranches. 7 East Colorado street.

ARTHUR H. PALMER, D. S. Dental rooms, Edridge building, Pasadena.

HOTEL GREEN—Electric lights, steam heated, hot and cold water, elevator, and all modern improvements.

THE PAINTER HOTEL, Fair Oaks and Washington; first-class family hotel.

SANTA ANA.

No Exhibit at Colton—Real Estate Deals—Notes.

SANTA ANA, Feb. 25.—It is to be regretted that Orange county will not be represented at the citrus fair at Colton this season. Orange county would make an exhibit that would be a lasting advertisement of her resources, but will not, unless some energetic person takes the initiative.

THE HERALD IN SANTA ANA. The Los Angeles HERALD, alive to the interests of Southern California, is taking great pleasure in forwarding the best interests of every portion of it.

The HERALD has always been friendly to this county, and whenever occasion presented has done all that could be done to further its cause.

AN IMPORTANT SALE.

Yesterday another important real estate transfer was made in this city. Dr. Kimball, through his agent, Adam Foster, sold his fine two story brick block, at 124 West Fourth street, to Dr. M. A. Menges of this city.

The land company are to put in a watering trough in the center of town for horses and cattle. The waste water will run down the east side of Riverside avenue, furnishing permanent irrigation to the trees on that side of the avenue.

There will be an improvement bee held at an early date to which all streets are called out for work on the streets and walks, including with the rest an "arbor day."

The trustees of the Congregational church have sold the five-acre lot donated them by the land company and commenced renewed work on their church edifice with the proceeds, which were \$750.

Rev. J. H. Jenkins has tendered his resignation as pastor of the Congregational church, to take effect the 1st of April. They will probably secure Rev. E. R. Brainard of the Bloomington church to succeed him.

Rev. E. S. Chase of San Diego M. E. circuit is a visitor to old friends here this week. He is a great favorite in this place and a jolly good fellow.

Resolved, That the Orange County World's Fair association will use every available means it has to exhibit at Chicago during the opening of the Columbian exposition all photographs and sketches of Orange county scenery, improvements, buildings, etc., donated by individuals and residents of the county, and that the work of Fred Schlang, submitted to the directors this day meets with the approval of the directors of such association.

Several bills were allowed, after which the meeting adjourned.

WELL ATTENDED.

The meeting of the Orange County Building and Loan association, held in Mosbaugh's hall last night, was well attended, and the reports of the various committees were all of the most encouraging character.

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NOTES.

All the churches will hold services tomorrow, and some very interesting subjects are to be preached upon.

The person that writes editorials for the Orange County Herald occupies a column and a half of the space of that journal in a tirade of abuse of the HERALD correspondent in this city because he said the bills of Turner's English girls were indecent, and by so doing had drawn upon himself the ridicule of all sensible people in this community.

A large number of Santa Anans went over to Anaheim tonight to witness the fight between Griffin and Kennedy.

Miss Nettie Johnston, one of Santa Ana's popular teachers, is visiting in Los Angeles.

Mr. Burgess, formerly proprietor of the Press, is in town.

Mr. Olderman of Nebraska has purchased the Ferris place near Tustin.

The opera The Red Riding Hood was presented in Spurgeon's opera house last night by local talent to a crowded house.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Couch were made happy yesterday by the arrival of a baby daughter.

Santa Ana has been crowded all day with country folks.

The tramps have nearly all left us, and only three arrests are reported for the past week.

Matters were very quiet in the court house today and but very little business was transacted.

RIALTO.

Many Improvements Being Made—Local Happenings.

RIALTO, Feb. 25.—The grounds of the Semi-Tropic hotel are being graded and put out to flowers and ornamental shrubbery, that with the fountain, now in running order, will add very much to the attractiveness of that part of the town.

There will be a general turnout of all hands at an early date for improving the streets and walks and setting out flowers and shrubbery.

The following was one day's sales of real estate this week: J. W. Anderson of San Bernardino, 20 acres; Arthur Reed, San Bernardino, 10 acres; Alex. Greigg of San Bernardino, 10 acres; John Clark, Redlands, 20 acres. They all improve and build on their lots this spring.

The Bugle blew a prohibition blast this week for the first time, but will keep it up monthly as long as the friends of the move will rally to its help.

There was a large attendance from Rialto to hear the apostle of prohibition, St. John, speak at San Bernardino Thursday night.

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The entertainment for the benefit of the Ladies' Aid society of the M. E. church, last Friday night, given by Mrs. W. H. Clark, George Skinner and Mr. Charles Gahr, was a great success, both from an artistic and financial standpoint.

J. E. Mack is putting out on his 32-acre ranch this spring 500 apricot, 500 olive, 500 prunes and 800 almond trees. His new house is nearly finished and he will soon move here with his family.

D. C. Manuel has sold out his shoe store to John Kane and taken his family on a visit to Azusa.

James Sibby is putting in 400 acres of fruit trees on the Weston ranch this spring and still finds time to erect for himself a fine residence.

Wallace Miner, who came recently from Texas and bought the T. B. Sibby ranch, had a boy-baby addition to his family last Sunday.

The prayer meetings of both churches were omitted this week to allow everybody to get and hear St. John, the apostle of prohibition. A large party went over to the county seat to listen to his talk.

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S. S. Bartlett writes the postmaster for the address of an honest real estate agent, and received in reply the complete list to list. He is a Boston man and contemplating coming to Rialto soon.

Mr. Winder of Pasadena is putting out 10 acres to oranges of Rialto land as, after a careful examination of all the localities, he concluded that Rialto was the most favorable of them all for orange culture, being frostless, and of a warm, strong soil for citrus fruits.

The breeze of the boom is beginning to blow gently, and the calls for real estate are coming so numerous that those in charge are kept busy showing land to purchasers. Everything points to a lively market at that line this spring.

PERRIS.

Pasadena Capitalists Enjoy Themselves.

PERRIS, Feb. 24.—A party of capitalists and sight seers, under the guidance of Col. G. G. Green, and traveling in his special palace car, consisting of Colonel Green of Altadena, E. Z. Webster of Pasadena, Andrew McNally of Chicago, J. D. Lincoln and L. P. Hanson of Pasadena, A. R. Metcalf and A. W. Armstrong of Altadena, J. M. Wilde of Illinois, C. Q. Pierce of Boston, Dr. W. L. McAllister and W. S. Gilmore of Pasadena, arrived here yesterday afternoon and indulged in a quail shoot and rabbit chase at Webster's ranch, north of town. Much sport was had and some good records were made by the party in quail shooting. In the evening an impromptu banquet was arranged by Colonel Green, which was attended by the visitors and many prominent citizens of Perris. Then wit and song were the special orders for the occasion, and a rare good time was had. The party left for Pasadena this morning, much pleased with their visit, and expressed their impressions of the valley in glowing terms. Much good is anticipated as a result of their visit.

John Bush, a resident of Olive, while out quail shooting this afternoon west of town, had his right hand badly injured while by the bursting of his gun. He was brought to town for medical treatment. His hand is badly shattered and amputation may be necessary.

Work on the irrigation district is progressing rapidly and soon the entire system will be completed.

The Good Hope Mining company this morning shipped a bar of bullion valued at \$2500, the result of a several days' run. The sale of the mines is still in abeyance, but it is probable a sale will take place within the next 30 days.

The Indian school has received a new installment of Indians and the rolls now number something over 100 scholars. The children are principally from the San Carlos reservation, Arizona, and the missions schools of San Diego county.

Dr. W. F. Perry, whose mysterious disappearance was noted in San Francisco papers a few days ago, has returned to Perris, and as a result of his absence, which was to seek legal advice, a number of traducers and maligners will be brought to the judgment seat.

A perfect cure! Mr. Edward E. Broughton, 140 West Nineteenth street, New York City, N. Y., writes: "I have used several bottles of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup in my family, and find it a perfect cure. I cheerfully recommend it."

POMONA.

A Pleasant Reception—Local News Material.

POMONA, Feb. 25.—A brilliant reception was given by Mrs. W. A. Bell in honor of Mrs. J. N. Paul of St. Paul, Nebraska, wife of the distinguished gentleman of whom that far distant city is a namesake, yesterday afternoon. During those hours Attorney and Mrs. Bell's handsome apartments in the Phillips block were crowded with charming ladies and courtly gentlemen. Mrs. Paul is visiting our city for the first time and will remain in California several months. Mrs. Bell was assisted in entertaining by Miss Elliott.

Through the instrumentality of Manager J. W. Lorber of the opera house and under the auspices of the Epworth League of the First M. E. church, Pomona had the pleasure of listening to a quartette of the Lowell club. Those who heard the Lowell club expressed themselves as well pleased with the quartette of charming rosbuds.

The three numbers of Pomona's best talent at last night's concert were a recitation by Miss Mammie Taylor, daughter of our newly acquired townsman, Mr. Taylor, who recently removed here from Oregon; a baritone solo by Rev. E. C. Cory, pastor of the First M. E. church, and the talented accompanist, Clarence P. Thompson, master of music. The names of the Los Angeles participants, including Miss Bertha Penning and her corps of assistants were noted in this morning's HERALD.

Subjects at the Universalist church on Sunday morning: The doctrine of annihilation in the light of the scriptures. In the evening: Why have we come, and where are we going? At 7 o'clock evening prayer. Subject of sermon: Our Lord's message to the church in Pergamos, or sins of omitted duty. During each week in Lent there will be daily service in the afternoon at 4 o'clock on Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, and on Fridays at 7:30 p. m. All persons are cordially invited to the services. Strangers to the city particularly welcomed.

Miss Mammie Taylor, daughter of our townsman, Mr. Taylor, who recently removed here from Oregon, took part in the programme that was rendered at the Methodist church last evening.

Miss Nettie Leonard, who has been here on a visit to Mrs. J. Lane McComas for a week or two past, left for her home in Los Angeles today. Miss Leonard was a former Pomona girl.

Mrs. Dr. A. C. Bryan is visiting relatives in Downey.

That bright and new paper, the Pomona Weekly Times, in its issue of today, displayed a good deal of enterprise in sending out an extra slip, pasted upon the face, giving late information regarding the treatment of the San Antonio and other proposed county measures.

LA VERNE ITEMS. La Verne occupies a commanding view, and is surrounded by scenery of more than passing interest.

Almost a part of San Dimas townsite, a continuation of home places linking it to Lodi, the City of Darkers, can almost now be called a favored section in more ways than one. The fault to be found lies in the fact that it does not possess the advantages of life found in places the size of our city of Pomona.

La Verne has quite an acquisition in the number of former Pomona girls living there. The family of Dunderer's occupying the most pretentious house in the neighborhood—the old Bixby place—an elegant two-story dwelling, a beautiful home.

Mr. M. L. Sparks and family, well-known here, are erecting a cottage upon a choice piece of land.

Rev. Knott, the former pastor of the M. E. church, south, this city, is also a dweller.

Passing through the ideal home place of J. A. Packard, directly north of the Lodi college, the HERALD man first struck the home owned by Mr. Gulpeiser, an industrious rancher. Following the road west a half mile or so and turning north is the cluster of places referred to, Mr. Dunderer, Sparks, W. S. Youngs, Mr. Ernest Mart, and still further west is another pretty home, Mr. Oakley Young's residence. In a few moments' time one is opposite a two or three room affair being erected by Mr. Ernest Mart for occupancy upon some land previous to his departure for a sight of the world's fair. Across the street is the home of a well-to-do farmer from back east. He loves that country.

Some two or three blocks further we met a very pleasant lady, a Mrs. Meredith, at her home. Mr. Meredith was found in the fields. Their house is upon a hill quite near the La Verne occupied hotel building.

The last house visited was a Mr. Douglas's, a pleasant, home-like place, situated upon a commanding elevation.

REDLANDS.

News Notes from the Infant Wonder City.

REDLANDS, Feb. 25.—Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Beem of Ottawa, Ill., with Mrs. Beem's sister, Mrs. Bishop of Riverside, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel J. Hayes.

Dr. Dwight D. Johnson is arranging to open an office in this city.

The Domestic Water company's rates were the subject of a lively discussion before the board of trustees Thursday evening. The rates were fixed at very much the same figures as last year. Irrigation rates were not decided upon and will be discussed at a special meeting Monday evening. It is claimed that the new meter rate, increased to 20 cents per 100 cubic feet, for running motors, is on a basis of \$50 per month, and is prohibitive. It is ten times as high as irrigation and four times as high as required in San Bernardino.

L. M. Woodbridge, Ph. D., will deliver a lecture at Y. M. C. A. hall on agricultural chemistry on March 2d.

Seventy-Five Convulsions. A THRILLING EXPERIENCE.—There is no one but at some period in life has an experience that may be termed "beyond all others," such as the case of John B. Collins of Rome, Mich., who says: "From September to January, being using Nervine, had at least 75 convulsions. After three or four months I have been more or less cured. I have used Nervine also for memory, dizziness, sleeplessness, neuralgia, etc., and build up the body. Mrs. J. R. Miller writes: 'I have used Nervine for several years, and each gained 20 pounds of flesh by taking it. Sold by C. H. Hance, 177 North Spring, is a guarantee. Get the doctor's book, it is a perfect cure.'

REDONDO.

Shipping Arrivals and Departures—Local Affairs.

REDONDO BEACH, Feb. 25.—The good ship Highland Home, berthed alongside Redondo wharf last evening, and early this morning the wharf was the theater of great activity, as the discharge of 1500 tons from the hold of a ship must necessarily mean a matter of heavy business.

On the lumber side of the wharf the schooner Jessie Miner is turning out redwood lumber.

The steamer Eureka, Captain Leland, will arrive from San Pedro at 5 p. m. today, and will take out from Redondo for the north a heavy freight and good passenger list.

The steamer Santa Rosa, Captain Alexander, is due to arrive tonight, as per advice by wire to Superintendent Perry, with 120 tons of merchandise and a full passenger list for Redondo.

The Riverside brass band, so popular last season at this resort, will furnish music morning and afternoon at the Redondo casino tomorrow. A considerable delegation from Riverside and vicinity will be of the party.

The steam tug Pelican, Captain Smith, absent at San Pedro for three weeks, where she has been undergoing thorough and extensive repairs, arrived home at 4 o'clock p. m. today.

Mrs. John Collins and Miss Collins of Los Angeles arrived this morning and are domiciled at Martin Villa.

The Misses Feld of Los Angeles are at Martin Villa, at Redondo, in connection with the banquet.

The largest school of porpoises ever seen off this port by the oldest inhabitant passed up from the south today but a short distance from the outer end of the wharf. The porpoises were followed closely by a number of big black fish, some apparently 30 feet in length. Much interest was manifested by the guests at the Redondo while witnessing the passage of the monsters of the deep.

The arrivals at Hotel Redondo are large today, as follows: Mrs. H. F. Gillenson and child, Miss Gillenson, Portland; Rev. J. Osborn and wife, Toronto; Mrs. W. T. Moya, Lodi; J. Downing and wife, A. E. Patson, Mrs. E. Patson, Miss M. Patson, Mrs. A. Patson, Denver; H. L. Whittier, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Cline and maid, Miss Palmer, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Judson, Harvey E. Judson, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Cox, Mrs. J. E. Aull, H. W. Latham, Los Angeles; Alfred Jones, San Francisco; Mrs. R. Robinson, Canada; Mrs. Palmer, Santa Ana; Mrs. W. W. Cooley, Aspen; Mr. and Mrs. E. Wiman, Jacob Cram, New York; Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Walsh, Mrs. J. B. Wenoman, North Fork, N. D.

Arrivals at Ocean View house: A. C. Abbott, H. Schwannicke, San Pedro; Hans Adolph, John Gillig, Los Angeles; T. Williams, Anaheim; Oliver Tupper, Riverside.

COVINA.

News Matters—Notes of Improvements. Personal Mention.

COVINA, Feb. 25.—I. N. Bartley and Maggie Morris were married last night. The Azusa dance Tuesday evening was slimly attended by Covina people.

J. D. Reed and John Stephenson have sold their interest in the drug store to J. Madden.

Nurserymen say they will sell all their stock early this year, and could sell more if they had it.

J. R. Hodges, who was wanted for debt by the football club's hall, has returned from Fresno.

Land is evidently coming here, several sales being made every week from \$200 to \$900 per acre.

L. H. Souther is laid up on account of a piece of hammer flying off and entering his finger while blacksmithing.

A Martha Washington social was held in the M. E. church Friday night. Supper was served by ladies representing Martha Washington; net proceeds, \$33.

A farewell party was tendered Mr. Scott of Portland, Ore., Tuesday evening, by Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Eckler, whose guest he has been for some weeks past.

Nearly twenty of the young friends of Miss Grace Graves surprised her Tuesday evening by calling in a body, and a merry evening was spent.

The famous orange crop is being rapidly disposed of at good prices. The wind which touched us some time ago did them almost no damage.

Geo. W. Taylor, who represents a fruit drying company, has ordered material for houses, trays, etc., and will probably locate midway from Covina and Azusa.

Nearly 30 fruit growers met in Amos's store Tuesday evening to complete a fruit packers' union. Four acres of land will probably be bought for a cannery, packing house and dryer.

A number of the friends of Misses Laura Kinley and Laura Foley surprised them and their friend Rose McCoy of Pomona last Tuesday evening. Games and fortune telling furnished amusement until lunch had a short time after.

TERMINAL ISLAND.

Improvements Going On at This Shipping Point.

TERMINAL ISLAND, Feb. 25.—This island commands the entrance from the grandest and fairest of all bodies of waters—"the good old Pacific"—to the fairest portion of our own delightful wonderland, Los Angeles. Lying as it does to the east and under the hills of the Palos Verdes, in a situation completely sheltered from the harsh southwesterly winds that play havoc with the resorts on the west side of the hills, it is one of the most desirable places on the continent for health seekers, or as a health and pleasure resort combined its advantages are so conspicuous that a resort to argument is unnecessary.

A hundred or so of small sailing craft suitable for sailing parties to visit the islands Catalina and San Clemente, or any point of interest on the bay their fancy would lead them, are already here and will be always ready for service.

The island will be the headquarters for the steamers on the San Diego route that will connect with the Terminal train, besides the daily steamer through the season to Catalina island, will touch at the Terminal wharf and make connections with the cars.

ARIZONA.

News Notes from the Sun-Kissed Territory.

[Tombstone Prospector, Feb. 21st.] A sham battle will be fought at Temp on Washington's birthday between 70 Maricopa and Pima Indians, for 10,000 pounds of flour donated by the citizens of Tempe. The members of the legion will attend.

The lessees of the Ross mine are preparing to place a cyanide plant on the ground. The work will begin on screen ing. In the meantime a rock crusher will be placed on the ground which will have the power at hand will make a complete plant ready for work with slight expense.

G. D. Dickenson was one of yesterday's arrivals from Southern California. He is one of the kind of men who would make most desirable Phoenicians, an indeed has an idea of remaining among us for a time. He is a brother of the well known Don M. Dickenson.

Henry Zenner, an old Tombstone man, has struck a rich gold ledge 2 miles west of the Vulture mine, where he and Billy Pump, another Tombstone man, have sunk two shafts more than 10 feet, the bottom of which shows a streak of ore 18 inches wide which goes \$80 to the ton. Henry is now in the city after provisions.

[Tucson Star, February 22.] The land court convened yesterday a 10 o'clock. Rochester Ford appears for Aimes et al., and Colonel Herring for the Cameron brothers. To the answer filed by Ford, Attorney Matt G. Raynolds of Missouri introduced and urged a demurrer in behalf of the government. A motion was made for a rule on the part of defendants to file the original grant papers with the clerk of the court which they confessed. The court adjourned until Thursday morning.

An ex-soldier named Albert Price who had been in the army for eight years, killed himself at Wilcox last week by shooting himself in the head. The cause was supposed to be despondency, as he had been associating with disreputable women for some time, and had lost his money in this way.

[Yuma Times, Feb. 22d.] At a meeting of the California state board of health, last week, it was decided to establish permanent quarantine stations at El Rio, six miles west of Yuma. The quarantine apparatus for last year will be used and enlarged. The station will occupy some of the old buildings at El Rio and be under the charge of Dr. Cotter.

The big engine at the water works was tried yesterday and today, and given promise of working satisfactorily.

The railroad work train and crew are now tearing up the old track through the river bottom this side of El Rio. The material is being stored in the yard here and will be used as occasion demands along the road.

[Phoenix Gazette, Feb. 22.] John S. Jones is in from Chapparal gulch mill and mines. He reports that the recent rains did not reach his camp; says he has developed a water supply in springs about 2000 feet from the mill and in a tunnel to procure pipe to run same to the mill. That there is enough water for all purposes when this pipe line is completed.

It seems that the defense in the Kibbey trial at Tucson is setting up a plea of insanity. The following is from the testimony of Mrs. Kibbey: "Mr. Porter came into my room and said: 'Mrs. Kibbey, you know I think too much of you.' I told him he should not talk that way, as I should be a good woman, on account of my husband's love, if for no other reason. He laughed, and said: 'You think he loves you? Well, I can tell you some about him.' He then related several instances of Frank's intimacies with Mexican girls, one in particular, who had been doing housework for me, and added: 'You know I am stronger than you, Mrs. Kibbey, and that when I make up my mind to a thing it must