

THE WEATHER

Table with 4 columns: Date, Max. Tem., Min. Tem., Hum. Rows for dates 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24.

WATER IN THE RIVER.

Mean Daily Gage Heights and Discharges of the Colorado River at Yuma, Arizona, for the week ending Saturday, June 19, 1909.

Table with 3 columns: Date, gage height, discharge. Rows for dates June 13 through June 19.

FRANCIS L BELLEV, Project Engineer.

VITAL RECORD

Born—June 18, to Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Griswold, of El Centro, at Banning, a son.

Born—June 21, to Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert S. Helms, at El Centro, a daughter.

Born—June 20, to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Thing, at Calexico, a daughter.

Died—June 13, Fred Lynn, at Monrovia. Mr. Lynn had been a rancher located near El Centro, but was sent to his relatives at Monrovia when his illness was deemed certain to result fatally.

CITY AND VALLEY

WILL RETURN TO EL CENTRO

J. N. Cherniss, formerly a business man of El Centro, was a visitor here the first of the week. He may locate here again in the fall.

BUYS FROM STATE.

The State of California has issued to William Baldwin Stewart a certificate of purchase for the entire section 36, township 15 south, range 11 east.

McCABE CHURCH SOCIAL

The Woman's Aid Society of McCabe church will give an ice cream social on Friday evening, July 2, at the home of Mr. F. B. Ferris, a mile and a half southwest of the church on the Eucalyptus canal.

CHINESE ARE CAPTURED

The Chinese Inspector at Yuma last Saturday captured seven Chinamen who were stowed away in a freight car of rice bound from the South to California. The men were taken out and placed in the Yuma County Jail.

ASKS FOR REINSTATEMENT

Emil Englecke, well known in Imperial Valley, who several months ago was removed from the immigration service for alleged connection with the contraband incoming of Chinese at Tia Juana, has asked for reinstatement in the service.

COURT HOUSE VENTILATORS

Contractor J. L. Travers this week has placed in the roof of the Court House twelve galvanized iron ventilators. They are fourteen inches in diameter, with screened tops, and add much to the comfort of occupants of the building.

BOARD OF EQUALIZATION

The Board of Supervisors will sit as a Board of Equalization on the second Monday in July. It is probable the members of the board will adopt a schedule whereby three of them at a time will sit during the days it is necessary to have continuous session.

MORE CEMENT WORK

Sand and cement are on the ground for the construction of cement sidewalks and curbs on the east side of Sixth street from Main street to Broadway. The sidewalk along the north side of Main street from Fifth to Sixth street has been completed and is now in use.

PLACED ON PROBATION

Judge Franklin J. Cole on Monday placed on two years' probation Albert Mauer, the lad who recently broke out of the Calexico jail while intoxicated. Mauer expressed his penitence and his desire to go to work. He will be employed on a ranch near El Centro.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

Ramon Ramero, native of Mexico, aged 26, and Carman Demara, native of Mexico, aged 19, both residents of Calexico.

HOG SHIPMENTS

Hogs are commencing to move. Yesterday seven cars went out; 3 from Holtville, 2 from El Centro and 2 from Imperial.

PACK HORSE IN DESERT

A report has reached George L. Campbell, at Silsbee, that a horse with a pack has been seen wandering about in the Carriso Creek district, and it is believed that the animal may have belonged to the unknown man whose body was found on the desert in that region last week.

ESCALANTE MURDER TRIAL

The two Indians accused of the murder of Indian Policeman Charles Escalante at the Yuma Reservation, Imperial County, about three weeks ago, are on trial this week before the Federal Court in Los Angeles. A large number of Yuma and Reservation people have been called to Los Angeles as witnesses.

RATES TO EXPOSITION

Station Agent W. H. Mann has received notification that a round trip rate of \$54.60 from El Centro to Seattle is in force, on account of the Alaska-Yukon Exposition. These tickets allow stopovers at any point either coming or going, and are good for sixty days from date of sale. This rate will be open until September 30.

BUSY RAILROAD MEN

El Centro now ranks second only to Los Angeles in the Southern Pacific's southern territory for the number of men employed at stations. Seven men are engaged in the work here, and all of them are kept hustling. Mr. Vinard is a new man here, who has come to serve as ticket agent, and Mr. Poole has come to take the position of billing clerk.

IMPERIAL SCHOOL BONDS

The issue of \$50,000 bonds for the Imperial Valley Union High School district was signed in El Centro this week by the chairman of the Board of Supervisors, the County Clerk and the County Auditor, and are now ready to deliver to the purchasers, N. W. Halsey and Company. This concern paid a premium of \$5,575 on this bond issue.

ATKINS-VAN HORN

The marriage of William G. Atkins and Miss Susie L. Van Horn was solemnized by Elder Platt, of the Dunkard Church, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Van Horn, two and a half miles east of El Centro, at 9:30 o'clock on Tuesday evening. Fifty guests witnessed the ceremony. Mr. Atkins has leased the ranch of his father-in-law and will make his home there.

PERSONALS

G. R. Freeman came in from Corona, Sunday.

T. E. Pyle has gone to Long Beach to visit relatives.

Mrs. J. N. Hart, of San Diego, is spending the week in El Centro.

Miss Alma Gilbert left Saturday night for her home in San Luis Obispo.

Lester Rand, of Holtville, left the Valley Tuesday night for Wilcox, Arizona.

W. M. Harvey, of Phoenix, Arizona, has been spending several days in El Centro.

C. P. Kim came down from Pasadena, Wednesday, and will remain here several days.

Mrs. F. S. Webster left Saturday night for the coast, where she will spend the summer.

W. R. Wright, of Jasper Missouri, has been spending the week in El Centro and vicinity.

Mrs. F. W. Peterson has gone to her former home in Chicago for a visit of several months.

H. G. Messinger, of Holtville, left last night for Phoenix, Ariz., where he will attend the funeral of his mother-in-law, Mrs. C. W. Maxon, who died in Los Angeles yesterday.

Mrs. M. A. Wilkinson, of San Diego, is in the city today looking after her property interests and attending to other business. Mrs. Wilkinson owns

the two lots on the corner of Main and Fifth streets, opposite the Valley State Bank. She will come to El Centro to reside in the fall.

Dwight Mills has come from Los Angeles to take charge of a chair in the Downing barber shop.

Mrs. S. F. Willes and daughter were down from Los Angeles for a stay of several days the past week.

W. F. Holt, and family are in Yosemite Valley, where they will remain probably a week or ten days.

Miss Garnet Davis left Sunday night for Los Angeles, where she will attend the Summer Art School.

J. S. Meyers and wife departed for their home in Sacramento Monday. Mr. Meyers has a claim in No. 6.

Mrs. Albert Nance and son Victor left on Tuesday for Los Angeles, where they will spend the summer.

Mrs. F. B. Fuller has gone to Forest Home, in the San Bernardino Mountains, for a summer's vacation.

M. W. Conkling, City Attorney, left Monday for San Francisco and other northern points to be absent for a week.

C. Soderstrom and W. Blackman, of San Diego, came to El Centro Wednesday, to spend several days in the valley.

Samuel Marks, formerly of the County Clerk's Office, has been in the valley several days looking up land matters.

Amos Osborn, of Culver Indiana, has been visiting El Centro this week and has been inspecting ranch lands in this vicinity.

Dr. H. C. Atwood, who owns a fine ranch near Heber, has been down from Riverside the past week, looking after his interests here.

Samuel Jones and nieces, Misses Lillian and Lena Jones, went from El Centro to Los Angeles Saturday, to remain until next fall.

B. G. Balcom, the Fullerton banker, who has been visiting his son Ray and family, for a few days, returned to his home last night.

Joseph R. Loftus, of the American Nile Cotton Company, was down from Los Angeles the first of this week, looking after his interests at the Meloland ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Meyers, of Sacramento, came to El Centro last Saturday, to spend several days in the Valley. They have land in Water District No. 6.

A. W. Trask, who has been in charge of the Berger blacksmith shop for several months, left El Centro on Wednesday for a summer's vacation in Des Moines, Iowa.

J. E. Porter, of Long Beach, who is interested in sheep raising in Arizona, is in El Centro today. Mr. Porter is looking over the valley with a view to locating.

A. Panek, who owns a ranch southwest of El Centro was in the city Monday from San Diego. Mr. Panek came over to settle a road easement case with the county authorities.

W. A. Willingham will leave on Wednesday morning for San Diego, where he will remain a month or more. He will be accompanied by his family and will make the trip in his auto.

Martin Etchaudy was operated on at the Imperial Hospital the first of this week for appendicitis, and is making a good recovery. His parents have come from Los Angeles to be with him during his illness.

Mrs. H. B. Pearson, Jr., accompanied by her niece, Miss Hallie Parsons, departed at noon Monday for a visit to Mrs. Pearson's former home at Beverly, West Virginia. Mrs. Pearson will not return until fall.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Cooper, who have been in charge of the Hotel Franklin for the past year, departed on Tuesday for their home at East San Gabriel. Mr. Cooper has leased the hotel property to Mrs. May.

J. J. Richardson, of the Richardson Construction Company, which is opening up a large tract of land in the Yaqui Valley, in Mexico, came to El Centro, Wednesday, to spend several days here and at various valley towns.

D. D. Pellet returned Tuesday from San Jacinto, where he left Mrs. Pellet with relatives. Mrs. Pellet will remain at San Jacinto until the middle of July, when Mr. Pellet will join her and they will probably go to the coast for the remainder of the summer.

SPECIAL SALE

Starting Saturday, June 19, and lasting all next week on the following articles:

Ladies' Muslin Underwear value, sale price... 75c Slipover Gowns, regular \$1.25 Ladies' Muslin Skirts, regular \$3.50 value, sale price... \$2.00 Ladies' Muslin Short Skirts, regular \$1.00 value, sale price... 65c

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TO LEASE: For corn, 80 acres of land in good shape, hog fenced. W. E. Wilsie. 8-tf

WANTED

WANTED: Cook for two on a ranch; an easy job. 3 miles east of Heber. Harry Cross. 11-tf WANTED: 100 tons barley hay; 100 tons wheat hay and 100 tons alfalfa, all baled. State lowest price and quality, delivered to railroad. Address Charles Hendricks, 1344 Penn avenue, Los Angeles, Cal. 11-4t WANTED: New alfalfa hay, well cured. Fred Fuller, Assessor's office. 5-tf WANTED: Colts and yearlings. Address R. W. Campbell, El Centro, one mile west, quarter mile south of city. 5-8t* WANTED: Man and wife, man for hay baling, woman for cook. Address Chas. Hammond, El Centro. 5-tf WANTED: Woman to assist in house work. Call at the Press office. 4-tf WANTED: Barley or Alfalfa hay to cut and bale on shares. Call on or address Chas. Hammond, 1 mile north of El Centro, Perkins ranch. 50-tf

MISCELLANEOUS LINERS.

EL CENTRO EMPLOYMENT AGENCY—Help wanted or furnished. Office, Main street, between Rumsey's and Crawford & Davis' stores. F. Valley, El Centro. Phone Main 10. 11-tf TAKEN UP—One black sow. Owner can have same by identifying and paying costs. W. E. Beale, Holtville, Calif. 10-4t* PUBLIC STENOGRAPHER—N. Black at Hotel El Centro is prepared to execute promptly and at satisfactory prices any orders for stenograph or typewriting work. 3-tf BRUCE C. HARRINGTON, Land Grader—assessment work in all parts of the valley a specialty. Imperial. 52-tf PROOF AND APPLICATION PAPERS for Government land prepared. Samuel Marks, 442 Chamber of Commerce Bldg., Los Angeles, Cal., formerly with County Clerk Hider and late of the U. S. Land Office. 60-1t BEN. SHERWOOD—3 yrs. old. Race record 2:28 1/2. Only stallion in valley with record, and the honor of winning five straight races as a three-year-old. El Centro Stables, Saturdays; Imperial, Wednesdays; at ranch, 1 mile south of Imperial, on Dahlia, every forenoon. B. L. Elliott, owner. 5-tf

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