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## THE LOCAL FIELD....

*Items of Interest Picked Up By ARGUS Reporters in Holbrook and Vicinity.*

Chinaware at Wooster's. Something pretty; not expensive.

Mr. J. L. Clark, came in last Sunday from the Forest Reserve, for a few days visit with his family.

Jesse DeWitt, while riding a horse Sunday, had the horse fall on his foot sprainsng it quite badly, but do not think it will prove serious.

The most effective little liver pills made are DeWitts Little Early Risers. They never gripe. F. J. Wattron.

Col. M. H. McCord, manager of the Phoenix Gazette, was thrown from a horse Wednesday morning at his ranch near Phoenix and had his left arm broken. He will be out attending to business in a few days, however.

A more than usually large audience greeted Rev. Ashmun of Jerome, at the schoolhouse last Sunday evening. Rev. Ashmun is Superintendent of Congregational mission work in Arizona, and is a very interesting and agreeable speaker.

When you need a soothing and healing anti-septic applicatiou for any purpose, use the original DeWitts Witch Hazel Salve, a well known cure for piles and skin diseases. It heals sores without leaving a scar. Beware of counterfeits. F. J. Wattron.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Porter, came in from Show Low on Saturday and left Sunday morning for the west. Mr. Porter accompanied his family as far as Flagstaff on their way to Long Beach, Cal., where they will spend the next six months.

The O. R. T. strike is still on and President Dolphin seems to think success is certain, while the railroad company are equally as certain of their defeat. Last night's Citizen says there is a rumor afloat that trainmen on the Santa Fe have agreed to join the strikers, in which case the telegraphers will undoubtedly have the best of it.

When the stomach is tired out it must have a rest, but we can't live without food, Kodol Dyspepsia Cure "digests what you eat" so that you can eat all the good food you want while it is restoring the digestive organs to health. It is the only preparation that digests all kinds of food. F. J. Wattron.

The Belgian hare, when grain fed, is as nice table meat as man ever flapped his lip over, but it does not pay to sell them for table use in this market. A few in the back yard, like chickens, afford a cheap delicacy for the table. With a few hares and a few chickens, nothing goes to waste, as vegetable tops and peelings and all waste from the table is cleared up completely. The hare fad with its ridiculous prices is a thing of the past; but the hare has come to stay as a domestic food producer on a small scale, like poultry.—Mesa Free Press.

The Pan-American Exposition, to be held at Buffalo, for the six months commencing May 1st, 1901, appeals to every American, because it is all American; all-American in inception, all-American in scope, all American in purpose, all-American in enterprise, all-American in support, all-American in organization, all-American in management, all American in power, all-American in design, all-American in spirit, all American in construction, all-American in exhibits, all American in agriculture, all-American in machinery, all-American in art, all American in illumination, all American in amusement—a magnificent American, big beautiful and beneficent enterprise, of which every American may be proud, and which every American man, woman and child should see.

As a cure for rheumatism Chamberlain's Pain Balm is gaining a wide reputation. D. F. Johnston of Richmond, Ind., has been troubled with that ailment since 1862. In speaking of it he says: "I never found anything that would relieve me until I used Chamberlain's Pain Balm. It acts like magic with me. My foot was swollen and paining me very much, but one good application of Pain Balm relieved me. For Sale by F. J. Wattron, Druggist.

Don't use any of the counterfeits of DeWitts Witch Hazel salve. Most of them are worthless or liable to cause injury. The original DeWitts Witch Hazel Salve is a certain cure for piles, eczema, cuts, scalds, burns, sores and skin diseases. F. J. Wattron.

G. E. Andrews, who has held the position of day operator for several years, and A. B. Jones, the night operator, have resigned their positions and expect to leave tomorrow. Mr. James has accepted a position at Taylor and Mr. Andrews will accompany him that far. Both of the boys leave a host of friends who will regret to learn of their departure.

The Phoenix Republican, although a splendid daily at all times, has shown a decided improvement under its new proprietors, Dr. Vickers and S. M. McCowan. It is an honor to its owners and a credit to the territory. The general impression that it was no longer friendly to the Murphys or else was completely in their hands is effectually removed by the following editorial clipping from its latest issue: "The Republican dared to say a good word for the Murphys, and immediately all the Liliputian editors of the territory pulled their stilettos and commenced to hack. They say the Republican is owned by the brothers, Frank and the Governor. As a plain statement of the fact The Republican was purchased from C. C. Randolph by the present management, consisting of Dr. Vickers and S. M. McCowan. These two men own every dollar's worth of stock in the concern, and neither the Governor or Frank own a single share of the stock. The Republican flatters itself that it possesses the friendship of both men. And, strange as it may seem, we are proud of it. We hope they will always be friendly to this paper, and hope too, that nothing will ever transpire to alienate the Republican and the Murphys. At the same time neither has a word to say regarding the policies of the paper. The present management is responsible for any and all policies it champions.

### The Prospector.

"It is snowing hard and the prospectors are coming in," says a letter from a northwestern mountain town. In California the prospector in many localities can keep on through the fall and winter but in many of the mountainous regions of the metal mining states his movements are governed by the snow. When it begins to disappear from the foothill in the spring he is off with his outfit and horse or burro, and through the summer is busy. When he starts he has mostly food supplies, cooking outfit, and a few simple mining tools; when he returns he has mostly samples of ore and the local assayer is kept busy. He works through the winter, grubstakes himself or gets some one to put up for him and starts off again; he always sees riches ahead, and though these riches do not always materialize, who shall say that he does not get as much enjoyment from their prospect as the weary-eyed, over worked city man who ofttimes has the money without being able to stop long enough to enjoy a little of it. The prospector is the best friend of the miner, and of the man who makes mining machinery. He creates the domain that they enter and enjoy. Upon his failure or success depends the prosperity of many people. He is the pioneer in all mining operation and is the faithful and efficient ally of everything connected therewith. Mining and Scientific Press.

Dressed Turkeys, Fresh Oysters and Celery for Christmas, at Wooster's.

### Notice.

Application will be made to Hon. Gov. Murphy within thirty days from date of this notice for the pardon of J. M. Childers now serving sentence in Yuma penitentiary.

Holbrook, Dec. 15, 1900.

Now is the time when croup and lung troubles prove rapidly fatal. The only harmless remedy that produces immediate reults is One Minute Cough Cure. It is vsry pleasant to take and can be relied upon to quickly cure coughs, colds and all lung diseases. It will prevent consumption. F. J. Wattron.

## NEIGHBORING NEWS

### Taylor.

J. B. Fruett was down from Snowflake Monday and took in the dance.

George Bryan went to Pinedale Tuesday and returned Wednesday.

Mrs. Clara Mooney is home again from Snowflake, where she has been for some time.

A dance was given at the hall Monday evening. Those present seemed to enjoy themselves.

Leonard Jensen is home from Pinetop, where he has been working at C. L. Stratton's saw mill for some time.

Elmer Kay returned home Wednesday from Fruitland, New Mex. and surrounding country, where he has been for some months past.

Mr. and Mrs. Fay Gardner, left for Winslow Wednesday where they expect to make their home this winter. We wish them success and a happy voyage through life.

Mr. Lee came in from Tennessee Wednesday; he expects to teach school here this winter. We all hope he will make a good teacher as our children are very badly in need of a good teacher.

A great many of our townspeople attended the Conference held at Snowflake Saturday, Sunday and Monday. Tuesday the family reunion of President Jesse N. Smith's sixty second birthday was held at Bishop Decker's hall. President Joseph F. Smith, Apostle Owen Woodruff and President Seymour B. Young were present and gave some very good remarks in behalf of President Smith.

My son has been troubled for years with chronic diarrhoea. Sometime ago I persuaded him to take some of Chamberlain,s Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. After using two bottles of the 25 cent size he was cured. I give this testimonial, hoping some one similarly afflicted may read it and be benefited.—Thomas C. Bower, Glencoe, O. For sale by F. J. Wattron, Druggist.

### Snowflake.

Mr. and Mrs. Berry have been over from St. Johns lately.

John Ramsey and George Hunt have gone to the Salt Lakes after salt.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bucklar are living in part of Moggie Kartchner's house.

Mr. and Mrs Hyrum B. Smith are rejoicing over the advent of a fine baby girl.

Joseph Rencher and wife are over from Springerville visiting relatives and friends.

George Gale and wife are up from the Gila visiting Mrs. Gale's mother, Mrs. Kartchner.

D. Brinkerhoff and son and daughter were here from Tuba City to attend Conference.

Mrs. Pearl McLaws and Mrs. Cora Richards, of St. Joseph, are here visiting relatives.

Mrs. Nephi Lewis of Woodland has been here a few days with her mother, Mrs. Hall.

The carpenters are busy putting the roof on the new Academy building. Walter Smith house is progressing nicely, while O. D. Flake's is nearing completion, which all adds to the beauty of our town.

Conference of the Snowflake stake has just closed, with an extra large attendance both from this place and surrounding settlements. There was also present from Salt Lake City Pres. Joseph F. Smith, Apostle Woodruff and Pres. Seymour B. Young who greatly encouraged those present by their timely advice and counsel.

### Pinetop.

Mr. Moe was in town Sunday.

Miss Susie Penrod was up home Sunday on a visit.

D. L. Penrod went to Fort Apache with a load of chickens.

Mrs. R. L. Hall went to Whiteriver Tuesday on a visit.

Messers Eph. and Ole Penrod and Nephi Packer and families, started for the Gila to spend the winter.

Mrs. Jane Penrod went to Woodland Sunday to bid her mother good by before starting for the Gila Tuesday.

### Woodruff.

Mrs. L. Russell has had a severe sick spell but we are happy to learn is improving.

Our freighters are busy hauling for Uncle Sam.

J. McLaws and wife were in town on their way to Conference.

A social party was given at Lucy Eagers Thanksgiving evening.

Fay Gardner and wife are in town. They will spend the winter at Winslow.

No school was held here Thanksgiving week as our teachers were at Snowflake.

Nov. 30th the children themselves in a party under the direction of Bishop L. M. Savage.

Lucy Ellsworth left on the 8th inst. for Fruitland, New Mexico, to visit friends and relatives.

Calvin Stratton's family have moved here expecting to make this their home. We feel glad to extend them a welcome.

Bert Hatch and Frank Campbell are baling hay at present in our little town. We hope they will find plenty of employment in this line.

### World's Champion.

"I tried many remedies to cure piles," writes W. R. Smith, of Latham, Ill, "but found no relief till I used Bucklen's Arnica Salve. I have not been troubled with piles since." It's the only champion pile cure on earth and the best salve in the world. 25c per box, guaranteed by F. J. Wattron and A. C. M. I.

## SCHOOL COLUMN.

Items under this heading are furnished by the scholars of the Holbrook school.

Israel Putnam expects to visit at his home in Pleasant Valley during the holidays.

Five new scholars were this week entered in the primary department.

Richard Schuster's absence from school the first of the week may well be accounted for. It was as the result of an unexpected burning in an unexpected place.

Mece McKelvey has been absent from school the last few days, due to the sickness of her mother.

Lee Rhodes is for the present assisting in the depot.

Baseball has become a thing of the past with the boys. The exercise which seems to take the place of baseball is an openair gymnasium between John Connor's and the schoolhouse. Out there the boys meet and perform feats of swinging, contortion, precaution and exhaustion—mostlyexhaustion.

The tardiness in school is increasing to a considerable degree just at present. Promptness is one of the most requisites of success, and the parents may render the teacher much service in urging the pupils to be prompt.

Among the callers last week were Mrs. Della F. Smith of Snowflake, Miss Carrie M. Bowen of Pinetop, and Professor Johnson of Wisconsin. Visitors are always most cordially welcome into our workshop. There may be days when our saws are dull and timber tough but we saw wood just the same.


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