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## THE LOCAL FIELD....

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

Bud Howell was down from Navajo Sunday.

Light showers have fallen here the past two nights.

Chas Moss was a visitor at Winslow Monday.

Jeff Newman shipped five cars of lambs to the Cudahy Packing Co., at Los Angeles Tuesday.

Halloween has passed and no serious damage to property in Holbrook is reported.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Morgan are down from ShowLow. Mr. Morgan reports everything looking fine in that section.

Zeke Newman sold 2,500 head of lambs to Chas. Dunn, buyer for Cudahy's Los Angeles packing house, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Newman have been visiting here this week. Mrs. Newman went to Flagstaff this morning to pack her goods preparatory to moving here for the winter. The citizens of Holbrook join the Argus in welcoming Mr. and Mrs. Newman in our midst, and hope they may decide to reside here permanently.

J. B. Patterson of St. Johns, is here awaiting the arrival of a herd of 500 fat steers belonging to him and C. E. Cooley, which they are desirous of selling. We are glad to note Mr. Patterson has almost recovered from an attack of rheumatism, which had him down and out on his former visit here, he says, "A couple of months roughing it in the mountains was the medicine."

Joseph F. Smith, an engineer, who has been up the country to select dam sites for the Woodruff and St. John people, was here Monday on his way home to Salt Lake City. We were informed Mr. Smith has selected a new site for the St. Johns dam at a point some ten miles above the old one, and above the salt water spring. At Woodruff a pump was recommended until a dam could be built.

J. E. Porter, one of our most prominent sheepmen, has disposed of his entire belonging in this county, sheep, ranch and range, to Chas. E. Whittemore and Kenneth M. Jackson. We have not been informed of the amount paid Mr. Porter, but are safe in saying he got a good price. Mr. Porter has many friends who are sorry to see him leave and wish him success wherever he may lo-

cate.

Mr. Whittemore is a prominent citizen of Kansas, Mr. Jackson is a leading attorney of San Francisco, who gained notoriety in the celebrated suit in which Judge Noyes, of Alaska, was removed from office and imprisoned.

The Argus wishes them unlimited success in their new venture.

### The Hobgoblins Were Abroad Last Night

The young folks, dressed in sheet and pillow case, gathered at the Apache house last evening and had a very enjoyable time. After they had shed their ghostly garb they amused themselves at fortune telling and other interesting games; at 10:30 lunch was served, after which they chartered a hay rack and proceeded to take in the town, and they certainly let people know there was something doing until midnight, when they silently departed for their respective homes. Those who are able to be out today report having spent a very enjoyable evening, and vote that the Misses Udell's are royal entertainers.

## Night Marshal is Killed

By Pete Pemberton at Winslow Last Saturday Night

A shooting affray came off in the Parlor saloon at Winslow last Saturday night in which Geo. Giles, the night marshal was instantly killed by Pete Pemberton. Pete had been drinking heavily and was playing the roulette wheel; he and Walter Darling, the dealer, were quarreling over a bet. Pete threatened to shoot Darling and reached for his pistol. Giles stepped up and touched Pete saying, "Don't do that Pete, we are all friends," at the same time reaching for his gun, Pete turned and said, "May be you want some of this," and began shooting, hitting him four times. Giles shot four times but as he was mortally wounded his aim was bad and none of his shots hit Pete.

The coroner's jury rendered a verdict that the killing was done with murderous intent, Pete gave himself up and waived ex-

amination. He is in jail and will have to wait until next October for trial.

It is a very sad affair, Pete and Giles were the best of friends and had never had a word. Pete for many years was a cowboy in the employ of the Hash-knife outfit, he has always bore a good reputation and his many friends are sorry to see him in trouble.

### Government Engineer Here

Assistant Engineer H. S. Reed of the Reclamation service arrived here Monday. He is here to look over conditions generally along the Little Colorado and to gather information that will be used in giving consideration by the Reclamation service to storage possibilities along this stream.

He left her Thursday for Chevelon to place an automatic gauge on that stream. This gauge is a comparatively new thing in this section though it has been used extensively in the east. It will require the erection of a small house for its accommodation and the digging of a trench from the stream to the house where the gauge is located.

While here Mr. Reed will make other observations concerning water supply, etc., as that is the first thing to be considered in the storage question.

### THE TAYLOR FAIR

The citizens of Taylor had a very enjoyable time last Saturday in attending at a local fair, which was gotten up jointly by the Relief Society, The Young Ladies and the Primary Association, in behalf of a new meeting house, now under construction in that city. Each association had charge of a separate department, and had a board of appraisers to value the many articles donated to the cause, after which they were put under the hammer and sold off to the highest bidder by Prof. Rufus Leigh, who acted in the capacity of auctioneer.

There were all kinds of articles donated, from a fancy quilt to a doll's bonnet; each and every article brought a good price, one choice quilt bringing the sum of \$12.50.

As the crowd was returning it met a "knocker" who had not attended, but was on his way to purchase a couple of pumpkins and save the fair from being a failure, upon being informed that everything had been sold off at a high figure he returned home very much disappointed.

Ivan Frunsfeld, the well known

drummer, attended and liberally donated \$5.

The event was closed by an Equal Right dance in the evening which was well attended and thoroughly enjoyed by all.

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The Annual Reunion of the Old Folks will be held at Snowflake on Friday, Nov. 10th, 1905. All residents of Navajo County over 60 years of age are cordially invited to be in attendance.

### Western Awakening

In the last twenty years there has been an awakening to the opportunity that lies in the arid west for the homemaker, and a remarkable transformation has taken place in many parts of this region. Thousands of miles of canals, representing a vast expenditure of money and labor, carry water upon more than eight million acres, which once a worthless desert now produce each year crops worth a hundred million dollars.—E. T. Perkins in Sunset Magazine for Nov.

### The St. Lawrence Bridge

The noble bridge now under construction at Quebec across the St. Lawrence river will be one of the most notable bridges in the world. In one respect indeed it will rank as the greatest structure of its kind ever constructed; for its main span across the river will have a total length in the clear, between towers, of 1,800 feet, which is exactly 90 feet more than the length in the clear of each of the two cantilever spans of the bridge across the Forth, near Edinburgh, Scotland. It will also have two anchor spans of 500 feet each, and two shore spans of 214 feet, making a total length of 3,228 feet, the width of the bridge is 75 feet.

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