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THIRTY-TWO DEFENDANTS APPEAR IN SUIT

The case of the A. T. & S. F. Ry. Co. against Leyba, Rubi and 32 other defendants of Winslow was tried in the Superior Court last Monday before Judge Sapp sitting without a jury. Paul Burks and F. J. Heide, Jr. appeared as counsel for the Railroad company and Isaac Barth, Esq., as attorney for the defendants.

From the pleadings it appears that a number of Mexican people have built homes on Santa Fe land at Winslow and the have occupied the same for a number of years. In the trial, the plaintiff company showed an unbroken chain of title to the lands in question and also that the tenants have never paid taxes on the land nor any evidence of ownership, except that they had been permitted to reside upon the land until the filing of this suit, which was commenced in 1911. After the presentment of the case by the plaintiff the defendants did not offer any testimony by the large number of the witnesses that they had present. After some argument by counsel, the plaintiff moved the Court for judgement, which was granted in favor of the plaintiff company.

In the case of A. E. Henning against the railroad company for the recovery of damages for certain cattle killed by trains, the demurrer of the defendant was sustained on the grounds of the period of limitation having run since the killing of certain cattle named in the complaint. Leave was given the plaintiff to amend his complaint. E. S. Clark appeared as attorney for the plaintiff. The case will come up for hearing at the coming term of Court convening July 13th.

Drawing of Jurors For Superior Court

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA, IN AND FOR NAVAJO COUNTY.

IN THE MATTER OF THE DRAWING OF JURORS FOR A JURY SESSION OF THE ABOVE ENTITLED COURT.

NOTICE.

In accordance with the law, Notice is hereby given that on Saturday, the 27th day of June, A. D., 1914, at 10 o'clock a. m. of that day, by virtue of an order duly made and entered in the above entitled Court, the Sheriff and County Recorder of the County of Navajo, State of Arizona, will meet in the Court Room of the above entitled Court in the Town of Holbrook for the purpose of witnessing the drawing in open Court of Trial Jurors to attend in and upon said Superior Court at a Jury Session thereof to convene Monday, the 13th day of July, 1914, and then and there to serve as such jurors until discharged by order of said Court. W. B. WOODS, Clerk of said Superior Court.

The Trampers

The trampers will find it always thus in the long run. Time, the avenger, will see every trampler down in turn from the highest to the simplest individual. It is an odd world, but the watch has its main springs after all.

T. H.

LOST.—1 yearling Jersey bull near ranch of L. D. Divilbess. Reward for its return to A. L. Rencher. je26-2t

Society

Hulet-Smith Nuptials

Jesse S. Hulet, of Holbrook, and Miss Bernice Smith, of Kingman, were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Anson H. Smith, on Wednesday evening, June the twenty-fourth, at eight o'clock. Rev. Father Vabre, of Flagstaff, performed the ceremony in the presence of a few friends of the family.

The young couple are well and favorably known in Holbrook, Mr. Hulet being the son of John R. Hulet, president of the Arizona Co-Operative Mercantile Institution, and in which the groom holds a responsible position. His bride is a charming and accomplished young lady, well known in Holbrook, where she taught in the public schools. Mr. and Mrs. Hulet arrived in Holbrook this morning, and are receiving the congratulations and best wishes of their friends, which comprise the entire population. The happy couple will be at home in their handsome new residence after August first.

Misses Susie and Elizabeth Pawley are spending a pleasant vacation at Fairview ranch with their cousins, Misses Annie and Susie Thomas. Their entertainment consists of long horse back rides over the adjacent country, which are highly enjoyed by the young ladies.

Miss Annie Thomas entertained Misses Susie and Elizabeth Pawley to a delicious dinner Sunday evening at six thirty.

Miss Ruth Wallace was hostess to the Friday club at the home of her sister, Mrs. George Hennessey, last week. A dainty dinner of iced fruit punch and creamed feathery cake was served. Those present were: Mesdames Henning, Clark, Woods, Crosby, Scorse and Miss May McClanahan.

Gasoline Tank Explodes Destroying Studebaker Car

Al C. Purdue, of Silver City, New Mexico, arrived in Holbrook Tuesday in his seven-passenger Studebaker touring car. He started out for the upper portion of the country and when in the vicinity of Hunt, near the steel bridge, while pulling in the sand, his engine became very hot, the gasoline tank was leaking and in some manner caught on fire. Mr. Purdue grabbed his grip and jumped out of the car, barely reaching safety when the gasoline tank exploded, enveloping the entire car in flames, practically destroying it. Mr. Purdue returned to Holbrook.

Mr. Tremaine Speaks

W. D. Tremaine, agent of the Maxwell car, has requested THE NEWS to announce that he is ready to accept the challenge of Walter McLaws, agent for the Ford car, for an auto race from Holbrook to Gallup and return, each to use a 5-passenger car of the respective makes, and the stakes to be \$500 each, the race to take place between the 20th and 25th of July. Mr. Tremaine says he is ready to put up a deposit in Dr. Bazell's hands at any time to bind the bargain.

LOST.—A lady's oblong pearl pin, about 1 1/2 inches long by 1/2 of an inch wide, set solid with pearls and diamond in center. Return to this office and receive reward. je19f

News of Holbrook and Vicinity

LOST.—A bunch of keys. Finder please return to this office.

John Flanigan is home again from a surveying trip in the Cibecue country.

W. G. Evans, of Flagstaff, spent a couple of days in Holbrook this week.

Sheriff Wood last week arrested at Leupp and lodged in jail here an Indian charged with rape.

Albert Warren, Holbrook's up-to-date and genial tailor, made a business trip to St. Joseph on Tuesday.

A divorce was granted Santos Nieto from Crestina Nieto by Judge Sapp in the Superior court on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Scorse and children left on Tuesday for a couple of weeks' outing in the White mountains.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jose Blea, died Thursday afternoon about 2 o'clock, and was buried today.

T. Younis, of the Concho Mercantile Co., came in his car Saturday to get a load of water melons, returning on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Haley and Miss Marguerite, spent Tuesday and Wednesday in the city from their ranch at Phoenix Park.

L. S. Heward, mine host at the Brunswick returned Wednesday from a trip to Springerville and St. Johns, making the trip in his new Maxwell car.

W. C. Wilson, superintendent of live stock in the Indian Service, spent a couple of days in Holbrook this week, returning to Keams Canyon Wednesday.

Mrs. Ida Eatough, mother of Harold Eatough, the popular druggist of the Holbrook Drug Co., arrived in the city Monday from Milford, Utah, to make her home here with her son.

A. R. Boling is in Holbrook from Williams, Arizona. Mr. Boling is in the moving picture business, having a traveling outfit, and expects soon to start out on the road, taking in all the principal towns in Navajo and Apache counties.

Jimmy Scorse returned Saturday from the mountains, where he went to look after business matters for his father in connection with the latter's sheep interests. He found things in splendid shape and the prospects for the present season bright.

At the drawing Sunday night at the Pastime theatre for the lot, No. 07124 won the prizes. The number was held by Miss Allie Cross. The lot is No. 23, blk 13, valued at \$100. Mr. Lathrop, enterprising proprietor of the Pastime has given Miss Cross a Warranty deed for the lot.

Mrs. Dolores Ayon died Wednesday night at about 11 o'clock and was buried Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Deceased was 24 years of age and has been a resident of Holbrook about two years. She was the wife of Dolores Ayon, a carpenter employed by Gardner & Bradley and was well known and liked by the Mexican residents of the community.

Sheriff Joe Woods returned Friday afternoon from Heber, where he took young Elmer Catchard for the purpose of recovering some rare coins which figured in the recent robbery of Mr. Hess' ranch home. The coins—two fifty-cent pieces and a ten-dollar gold piece—were restored to its owner. The trial of Catchard is scheduled to take place some time next week.

Ed Sherlock, the Denver cattle buyer, this week disposed of two car loads of graded Hereford bulls to local cattle men. The animals were distributed as follows: Lige Thomas, Pinedale; Gus Becker, Springerville; Z. Hayes, Mr. Young, Tonto; Frank Wallace and George Hennessey, Holbrook. Mr. Sherlock says he will deliver two more car loads about the 1st of August to P. T. Coleman and other stock men in the Cibecue country.

George Babbitt, of Flagstaff is a business visitor in Holbrook this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Woolford were visiting with friends here the first of the week.

Bud Jones, of Winslow, was a business visitor in Holbrook the fore part of the week.

Live Stock Inspector Mickey will go to Navajo tonight to look over a cattle shipment.

Dr. C. W. Mansfield, of Los Angeles, spent several days in the city, a guest at the Central hotel.

W. Warren, the blacksmith, has moved with his family into their new home on the north side of Railroad avenue.

George Wilbur was in town Wednesday from his ranch at Heber. He was on his way to Salt River valley to look after business interests.

Miss Ruth Wallace left Thursday evening on No. 10 for Denver. She will spend the summer visiting with friends in Denver, Crestone and Fort Collins.

H. H. Scorse returned the first of the week from Phoenix, where he went to look after business affairs. He reports the Capital quite warm and prosperous.

Hon. E. S. Clark, Prescott; Paul Burks, F. A. Heide, Los Angeles; Isaac Barth, Albuquerque were among the out-of-town lawyers who attended court here this week.

Mrs. E. L. Hopen made a hurried business trip to Holbrook on Wednesday. She was accompanied by her brother, Jack Young, who manipulates the steering wheel on the flap.

W. Whipple, Jr. was in Holbrook Tuesday and Wednesday from Showlow on business. He was accompanied back as far as Snowflake by Noble Rogers, who is returning home from Flagstaff.

John Nelson, the Heber sheep man was in town this week on business. He reports range conditions in the mountains in excellent shape. There has been good rains and all stock is looking fine.

The clerk of the Superior court today received the mandate from the Supreme Court of Arizona in the case of Will Wooster, appellant, vs. Wm. Scorse, appellee. The mandate dismisses the appeal and affirms the judgment of the lower court.

Rev. Cyp. Vabre and E. D. Babbitt, of Flagstaff, good roads boosters, and A. L. Westgard, vice-president and director of the National Highways association, were in Holbrook the first of the week. The gentlemen were taken on to Gallup by Walter McLaws on a road inspection trip.

W. G. Dorff, of Albuquerque, has been spending the week in Holbrook. Mr. Dorff represents the Occidental Life Insurance Co., one of the substantial financial institutions of the Southwest which invests its money in home enterprises. The company is composed of Arizona and New Mexico capitalists.

Dr. H. A. Hughes, who is visiting Northern Arizona, campaigning for the nomination for governor on the Democratic ticket, returned Thursday from a trip to St. Johns, Springerville and other interior points. He seemed much encouraged by the reception accorded him. He left for Snowflake Thursday, going over in the private car of Dr. Bazell, an old acquaintance and friend of the doctor's.

Wm. A. Smith and Miss Hedwig T. Dylka were married by Judge Sidney Sapp in the parlors of the Hotel Holbrook last Saturday morning in the presence of a few invited friends. Mr. and Mrs. John Paulsell were the witnesses. Mr. Smith is a prominent and well known stockman of this section and his bride is spoken of in the highest terms. THE NEWS joins their numerous friends in congratulations and best wishes.

Correspondence

PINEDALE

There was a Ward conference of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints held here Sunday June 1st. In the forenoon there were reports from the auxiliary organizations of the Ward, interspersed with short talks by the Presidency of the Stake, Samuel F. Smith, James M. Flake and Aloy Larson.

The afternoon session commenced at 2 o'clock, and, according to previous announcement, there was to be a new bishop installed. Accordingly, after the opening exercises, Pres. Samuel F. Smith arose and gave a short sketch of the labors of B. P. Thomas, the outgoing bishop, and his co-laborers, after which B. P. Thomas asked to report his labors as bishop; also his counselors, Jos. A. Brewer and Jas. Peterson. Then came the installing of the new regime. Joseph L. Petersen was selected and sustained as bishop, with Elijah Thomas, Jr. as first and John Lewis as second counselors. The business of the meeting was interspersed with vocal and instrumental music.

The outgoing regime has faithfully served the people for 12 years. The newly installed officers are young, energetic men, so we may expect quite a general awakening and greater progress in a moral, spiritual and intellectual way.

The Pinedale district covers an area of about 300 sections, thus giving ample room for expansion. While it would seem that the location of this city, being free from swamps, stagnant pools, with plenty of fresh air, pure mountain water, plenty of work, promoting perspiration, all of which is conducive to good health, yet, notwithstanding all these conditions, sickness has been raving and continues to rage, practically unabated. Within three months there has been three deaths, thus running the death rate far beyond our proportion. We hope that a change for the better is close at hand. It will be most welcome. We hail the day!

SNOWFLAKE

Frank McLaws, J. D. Childers, Owen Freeman and Charley Ballard made a trip up into the mountains on a prospecting trip Thursday. They claim to have found three different colors of paint.

C. A. Goodin, of Roswell, N. M., accompanied by J. T. Brown, of St. Johns, were in Snowflake this week. They had horses and mules for sale, but didn't meet with much success.

W. W. Freeman and Jas. Henderson returned last Monday from Winslow, where they had gone to move a bunch of steers.

Misses Nellie and Iris Flake have been on the sick list for a few days.

Arthur Childers is out at Clarence Owens' ranch helping Mr. Owens build a house.

Forest Supervisor Jennings and Lumberman A. A. Wynne made a trip to Paradise creek on Whiteriver Sunday in Mr. Jennings' roadster for the purpose of gathering additional information to be included in Mr. Wynne's report on the proposed timber sale area. They returned on Monday.

The Indian Service is improving the road from Pinetop to Cluff Cienega, and has a large force of men at work on a new road from Cluff Cienega to the Interior saw mill, where it will join the old Fort Apache road.

Up to date 23 fires have been reported on the Sitgreaves Forest this season. They have ranged in size from one tree to ten acres. The total area burned over has been only 21 acres, an average of less than one acre per fire.

ST. JOSEPH

Marion and Arthur Tanner and Frantz Westover made a trip to Holbrook Sunday.

Walter McLaws, the hustling Ford auto man, visited his folks here Sunday evening. Messrs.

GRAND CELEBRATION IN HOLBROOK TOWN

At a fairly well attended meeting in Wetzler's hall Wednesday night over which Chairman Lloyd C. Henning presided, after some discussion, it was decided to celebrate the nation's birthday in Holbrook in a manner befitting the occasion, and the following Executive Committee, with full power to act, was appointed by the chairman: Jos. F. Woods, Lee Rencher, R. S. Teeple, M. R. Smith and Jno. G. Tinker. The committee will meet immediately and formulate plans which be announced in circulars.

Hugh S. Carpenter, of Winslow, was visiting with friends here this week and attended the dance at the Pastime Tuesday night.

Rev. Jacob M. White, Episcopalian minister at Winslow, was calling on members of his church and other friends in Holbrook last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Donohue came in from their ranch last evening. They are visiting with Mrs. Donohue's mother, Mrs. Frank Wallace.

G. M. Purcell, sheep buyer for Cudahy & Co., of Los Angeles, passed through Holbrook Tuesday en route to Heber to visit his brother, F. C. Purcell.

Harry Lyons, of the firm of Spellmire & Lyons, woolgrowers, spent several days in Holbrook this week on business. Mr. Lyons' home is in Winslow.

Mrs. Wallace Newman writes friends in Holbrook that they are planning for a big celebration and a grand time at their home near Heber on the Fourth.

J. E. Walker and family, of Flagstaff, are in the city, guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Woods. Mr. Walker this week shipped six car loads of cattle to Santa Ana, California.

Prof. C. O. Case, state superintendent of public instruction, arrived in Holbrook Wednesday from St. Johns, where he had been on an official visit. He returned to Phoenix.

Harry Jamison, the cattle buyer, left Tuesday for his home in Denver. It is reported that Mr. Jamison has contracted for upwards of 3,500 head of cattle, to be delivered in the fall, by stockmen in Springerville and the county surrounding.

R. L. Grissom and Miss Lucretia Willis were united in marriage in Snowflake on Sunday. Mr. Grissom is one of the rising young business men of Snowflake, and the bride is the beautiful and accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Willis, old timers of Navajo county, who conduct the Arizona hotel at Snowflake. The newly weds have the best wishes of a large circle of friends among which is THE NEWS.

County Attorney George H. Crosby, of Graham county, and brother of County Attorney J. E. Crosby, of this county, accompanied by Mrs. Crosby and three children, Lucretia, Luella and Kent, arrived in Holbrook from St. Johns Saturday. On Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Crosby accompanied them as far as Snowflake, from where they journey on to their home in Safford, after covering several cities in Navajo and Apache counties in their Ford auto.

Merton Nelson and John G. Tinker were his guests.

L. M. Porter took a load of vegetables to Holbrook Wednesday.

Drop in at Fred Tanner's residence every Sunday and get a nice dish of ice cream.

The Shelly boys brought their steers down from Heber last Saturday to be shipped.

Robert Despain has been home for a few days. Robert is working for the Santa Fe railroad at Winslow.

Plans are being made to kalsomine and repaint the school building.