

## MOVED TO SOLOMONVILLE

### William Baldwin the Negro Has Been Indicted and Change of Venue Taken

From Globe Silver Belt of the 19th: The grand jury made two partial reports yesterday, the last one made late in the afternoon containing two indictments for murder against William Baldwin, the negro confined in the Tucson jail for safe keeping. Immediately after the indictments were returned Judge Nave formerly appointed counsel to defend the negro, consisting of Attorneys George R. Hill, C. L. Rawlins and F. C. Jacobs.

Judge Nave also announced that upon informal application, made by the accused negro, the case will be tried in Graham county, and the court will be moved to Solomonville, probably a week from next Monday, for trial. Baldwin will not be brought to Globe, except for execution, providing that the jury finds him guilty of murder in the first degree.

LATER—There was a brief session of the district court yesterday, at which George R. Hill, C. L. Rawlins and F. C. Jacobs, who have been appointed as counsel for William Baldwin, made application for a change of venue for their client who is now confined in the Pima county jail.

Judge Nave granted the application and trial was set at Solomonville for Tuesday, March 5th. The trial order was made and order sent to Solomonville for the drawing of the jury—Silver Belt.

### Largest Building in the World

Foundations are being laid for what will be the largest and most costly office building in the world—a thirty-two story skyscraper, providing twelve acres of office space. It is being erected by the City Investing company at the corner of Broadway and Cortlandt street, New York, and will be ready for occupancy in 1908. Site and structure will represent an outlay of \$10,000,000.

Massive in size and imposing in design, the new building will be a possible departure from the usual style of skyscraper. The architectural treatment leaves a deep recess in the face of the building, thus separating it in two wings, each of which rises to a height of twenty-five stories. The main structure, thirty-two stories high, with its ornate gables, will be a picturesque ornament to the sky line.

The feature of the interior will be an arcade extending 304 feet through the entire length of the building. The arcade will be thirty-two feet wide and forty feet high, with a vaulted ceiling elaborately designed in fresco. At each end will be arched passages leading to the twenty-one elevators required to handle the 10,000 tenants who can be accommodated in the building.

More than 18,000 tons of steel are to be used for the support of this structure. The total weight of the building will be 86,000 tons, and some of the steel columns and girders will weigh more than 200,000 pounds each. Every inch of steel will be encased in hollow tile bricks to protect it from corrosion or fire. Floors and partitions will be of porous terra cotta, so that in case fire ever breaks out the thoroughly fireproof qualities of the building will save it from damage. The combination of steel and hollow tile enable the big sky scrapers of San Francisco to pass successfully through the greatest of modern conflagrations.

That American architects and builders look upon fire as the greatest menace to the safety of the big structures they put up is shown by their precautions against the "red plague." In the City Investing company building more than 2,500,000 square feet of hol-

low tile will be used to make it absolutely fireproof. It is believed that because of this provision the world's biggest office building will be a striking example of that type of modern skyscraper construction which engineers declare is practically indestructible.

### Remedy for Loco

A Kit Carson county stockman named George Rose did more in ten days in solving the loco problem than the government has accomplished in ten years with all its vast expenditure of time and money, says the Denver Field and Farm. In writing about a cure which he discovered, Mr. Rose says: "I had a bad case of loco poisoning in a two year old steer. In the fall of 1904 when I brought him in off the range he was so bad that he could not get up without help. There was nothing on his bones but the hide as I went after him with my remedy. I took two table-spoonfuls of pulverized copperas and pulled out his tongue as far as possible and put in the copperas and then I gave four spoonfuls of turpentine. The second day I repeated the dose and the third day after that I gave another. This was all I did. After that I could not catch him without a horse and rope. This was about the first of October. After I gave the first dose I turned the steer into an alfalfa field. In about one month I was shipping some cattle so I put this steer in and sent him on. The sign of loco had almost entirely disappeared. I believe that three doses are enough."

Willie wailed and Winnie wheezed, while wintry winds whined weirdly. Willie wriggled while Winnie wheezed wretchedly. Wisdom whispers, winter winds work wheezes. Wherefore we write, "Use Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup." Nothing else so good. Sold by Safford Druggists; Thatcher Drug Store, Thatcher; Frank Cluff, Pima.

### Bounty on Jack Rabbits

We have had several inquiries as to whether it is necessary to produce only the scalp or the entire hide to procure the bounty on jack rabbits.

Under the law it is necessary to produce the hide of the rabbit to the board of supervisors before they are authorized to pay the bounty.

### Safford Gets Main Office

It is understood from authoritative sources that the Gila Valley Telephone company will move its central office from Solomonville to Safford and make the latter town its headquarters.

It is the plan of the company to thoroughly overhaul the main line as well as the many branches, and put the long distance wires on the telegraph poles, in fact the entire network of the whole system will be new wires and put up in substantial order.

This will be quite an addition to our phone service. The GUARDIAN takes off its hat in recognition of Safford's good luck.

It has been given out that Jerry Millay will resign as superintendent of the penitentiary on March 1.

All headaches go When you grow wiser And learn to use An "Early Riser." DeWitt's Little Early Risers, safe sure pills. Sold by Safford Druggists; Thatcher Drug Store, Thatcher; Frank Cluff, Pima.

Do You Want to Buy a Home How Would This Suit You Twenty acres with one share of San Jose canal stock. Situated two miles east of Solomonville on main road to Clifton. Good, new three room box house, fine well, young orchard of 100 trees. Five acres in alfalfa, 16 in grain. Land runs up to main San Jose canal. Terms: 1-2 cash, balance at 8% interest.

H. W. BISHOP, Real Estate, 47 41 Solomonville, Ariz.

## THE BREAK CLOSED

### The Colorado Once More Back in its Old Channel—Done by the Southern Pacific

The Colorado river, which broke through the California Development Company's levees a few weeks ago and went rushing into Salton sea, is again back in its old channel, flowing peacefully into the Gulf of California. Edgar F. Howe, writing of the closing of the break, from Imperial, says in the Los Angeles Examiner: "The Southern Pacific by some of the quickest work on record has sealed the yawning gap in the river's side and all danger is, for the present at least, averted."

Work is not to stop now that the tide of the river has been once again turned into the channel nature cut out for it. Instead the levees are to be continued ten miles below the point of the present break and are to be ripped and made safe enough for utilization as a railroad grade.

The task of closing the break was a stupendous one, yet it was completed in fourteen days. A crevasse 1025 feet in length and something like 37 feet in depth has been filled to above the river's level with two stone embankments.

To accomplish this, two trestles were built across the gap. From these trestles after trainload of rock was dumped night and day. Below and at the sides 1000 men and as many mules were kept busy in a double shift dragging in the silt with which the interstices between the rocks were filled. Over all many trainloads of gravel have been thrown.—Yuma Sentinel.

### Railroads to be Sued

Washington, Feb. 14.—The department of justice is about to proceed against a number of railroads for a violation of the law relative to the shipment of cattle. The law provides that cattle shipped in interstate commerce shall not be confined in cars longer than twenty-eight hours without being unloaded for feed, rest and water except in cases where the request is previously made. In many cases it is alleged that cattle have been confined fifty hours, in some cases sixty. There is a purpose to insist upon the full maximum penalty of \$500. The railroads to be prosecuted are as follows: The New York, Chicago and St. Louis; the Santa Fe in Colorado; the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy; the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul; the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific; the Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chicago and St. Louis; the Southern Pacific in California; the Union Pacific in San Francisco; the Lake Shore Michigan Southern; the Northern Pacific at St. Paul.

### Tries to Escape

From the Silver Belt of the 15th: Phil Rapier, the young man who was brought here from the Yuma prison to testify in behalf of the Lemons couple in the United States court, made an attempt to escape from the county jail night before last, which was all but successful. That he is not at large now is not Rapier's fault, because he did his best to saw his way out of the jail, but he made the mistake of cutting the hole in his cell too small to allow his body to pass through, and before he could increase the size of the hole his attempt was nipped in the bud. The cell in which Rapier is con-

finied during his visit in Globe is in the main room of the jail and is known as the "cage." When Sheriff Thompson received information through Jailor Henderson of the attempted escape shortly before 10 o'clock Wednesday night, he immediately visited the jail. Rapier was apparently asleep in the cage, but the square hole at the bottom of the steel slats showed that he had been very industrious a short time previous. Another guard was placed at the jail until yesterday morning, when an investigation was made.

Rapier lost a leg several years ago and wears a wooden substitute. Sheriff Thompson ordered him to take the leg off yesterday morning and in the cavity of the limb was found a fine tooth steel saw, such as are used in sawing steel or iron. The prisoner stated to the sheriff that he had brought the saw from Yuma, but it is very improbable that he ever got possession of any such implement at the territorial prison. It is believed that the saw was provided by some Globe friend, who passed it through the bars of the jail window to one of the prisoners in the front corridor. Rapier's leg is now in the sheriff's office and will remain there until the prisoner is again taken to Yuma by Marshal Daniels, which will probably be this morning.

At the time Rapier's attempted escape was discovered there were only two prisoners in that part of the jail, Mr. and Mrs. Lemons, who were convicted this week of having been confederates of Rapier. The latter has been sentenced to serve seven years in the territorial prison and his "time" has already begun.

### Two Canals Consolidate

Tuesday afternoon the directors of the Union and Central canals met in Safford and effected a consolidation between the two canals, the Union absorbing the rights and privileges of the Central with a consideration that the Central pays the Union \$6000.00 and the Union put on the market three hundred shares of reserved stock subject to the disposal of the old Central shareholders.

This consolidation makes the Union rank with one of the best waterways of the valley, and it is their intention to enlarge the canal and otherwise make many improvements. They now have fifty-three men at work.

### Notice

After April 1, 1907, our banks will close at 1 o'clock on each Saturday. Our patrons will please take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

BANK OF SAFFORD, GRAHAM COUNTY STATE BANK, GILA VALLEY BANK & TRUST CO. 52-61

### A SACRIFICE SALE For Cash

One hundred and sixty acres 3 miles east of Ft. Thomas, watered by the Ft. Thomas Consolidated Canal; 70 acres in cultivation, 20 in alfalfa, 25 in barley and wheat, nice young orchard, good box house, 14x28, porch in front; fine well of water, ranch well fenced. Five head of good work horses, 2 yearling colts, one 5 months colt, 3 good milk cows, poultry, farm machinery, mower, rake, derriek, hay fork, buckrake, sulky plow, barrow, good wagon, two sets double harness.

Everything in good shape; title perfect; all for \$2000. Cash. Must be sold soon. Ill health reason for selling. Over \$1000 of barley and hay sold off of ranch in 1906. Address: H. W. BISHOP, Real Estate Agent, 51 1/2 Solomonville, A. T.

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## A GRAND BARGAIN

180 acres of land adjoining Safford on the north, watered by the Sun Flower Canal, 1-3 interest in canal, good 6 room adobe house, corrals, etc., ranch well fenced, orchard of 350 bearing prune trees, 110 acres in alfalfa 30 acres in grain. Good reasons for selling—Terms easy. Deferred payments at 7 per cent interest. Price \$18,000. This is one of the best bargains ever offered in the valley.

### H. W. BISHOP

Gila Valley Real Estate

BOX 24. SOLOMONVILLE, ARIZ.

## AL SIEBER DEAD

### Veteran of Civil War and Most Noted of All Indian Scouts in Arizona

From the Globe Belt:

Al Sieber, Civil war veteran and noted Indian scout, was instantly killed Tuesday morning at Roosevelt by being crushed to death by a huge boulder. The news reached Globe shortly after the accident and much regret was expressed among the old timers, especially that this hero of many battles should have finally met his death in such a manner. Sieber, who was in charge of a gang of Indians, had set them to undermining a big rock which weighed several tons, on the Tonto road above the government dam, called the "high line." The rock became loosened and started rolling down hill. The Indians made their escape, but Sieber, who was crippled, could not get out of the path of the boulder in time, and was caught by the big rock and his life was crushed out.

Mr Sieber came west in 1870 and went into the government service as scout and guide July 1, 1871, and was employed continuously in the government service until the fall of 1891, as guide, Indian interpreter and chief of scouts.

At the San Carlos agency on June 1, 1887, Mr. Sieber in an attempt to disarm recalcitrant Indian scouts at the order of Captain F. E. Pierce, the acting Indian agent, was badly wounded. The scouts had left without permission to attend the funeral of an Indian who had died and the agent had ordered their arrest. Sieber, who was chief of scouts, and a posse attempted to arrest the scouts, when they opened fire. Sieber was the only one wounded, being shot through the right leg. The bone was badly shattered and four inches of it was subsequently removed. As a consequence he was permanently crippled and incapacitated for further service of a strenuous nature.

Among the Indian scouts who rebelled that day was one who later became known as the Apache Kid, a notorious Indian outlaw.

IN MANY CAMPAIGNS Mr. Sieber served in many of the famous Indian campaigns under Generals Crook, Miles, Willcox, McCook and Grierson and participated in some of the fiercest battles with the Indians who were arrayed under Geronimo, Natchez, Jhu, the Kid and other hostile Apache leaders. He was a man of great bravery and physical endurance; he spoke the language of the several Apache tribes and gained the reputation of being the best chief of scouts who ever served in Arizona.

One of the prettiest marriages which has taken place in this city was that Saturday evening of Miss Lena Lister to Mr. Harry Dial.

The well appointed residence of Mr. and Mrs. H. Dial was prettily and simply decorated for the occasion and was thronged with the friends who had been invited to witness the pleasing event.

In the parlor, in which the ceremony took place, a bower had been improvised with flowers and palms and here the impressive service of the Methodist Episcopal church was said by Rev. Hawley.

The bride was gowned in a Princess of soft white silk and her veil of filmy tulle was caught by snowy blossoms symbolical of the purity and innocence of her character. Her bouquet was of fragrant white lily-cynthias with a shower of violets which lent a pleasing touch of color. The groom was attired in the conventional black.

Immediately after the ceremony a reception followed and for several hours the rooms presented a brilliant scene of festivity and unalloyed happiness.

During the evening refreshments of cream and cake were served. Later the guests were ushered into the prettily decorated dining room where an interesting feature of the occasion took place, the cutting of the wedding cake.

During her sojourn in the city, the bride has won many friends and Safford is indeed fortunate in gaining her.

The groom is one of our most promising business young men and a member of one of our oldest families.

Handsome presents of cut glass, silver, china and linen were showered upon the happy pair.

Some people are so innocent they have an idea gamblers shoot craps with a gun.

## The Avenge Man

Is not a man of wealth. He has an income, while he retains strength of mind and body, upon which he and his family are able to live with comfort. It is to the average man that the advantages of a bank account deal with the greatest force. The time to save money is early in life—the earlier the better. A bank account helps a man save money and gives him a safe place for his money.

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## LOCAL NEWS OF THE WEEK.

### Items of Local Interest Gathered by Reporters on their Rounds.

### Breezy Little Notes of General Interest Picked up Here and There.

### DOINGS IN AND ABOUT TOWN

This paper is kept on file at E. C. Baker's advertising Agency, Woodman Bldg., 22-12 St., Oakland, Calif., where contracts for advertising can be made for it.

Mrs. Kate Jennings is quite sick this week.

Don't overlook the GUARDIAN'S accident insurance offer.

Frank McCoom of Globe, is in the city visiting home folks.

188 proof alcohol at the Palace saloon. 15-t

J. M. Foster made a business trip to Globe this week.

J. J. Travers, representing Bradstreet's, spent yesterday in Safford.

Phone the Palace if you want anything to drink. 52-2t

Dr. S. J. Rogers, superintendent of the Methodist churches for Arizona, arrived in Safford yesterday.

Z. C. Prina returned Friday from Clifton and has since been confined to his room with an attack of the grip.

At the Methodist church next Sunday morning the subject will be: "The Burning Bush." The theme chosen for the evening is "Religion's Control." I hope to see you present, A. L. Hawley, Pastor.

Eli Herndon of Globe, spent the week in Safford visiting home folks. He has four mining claims near Globe that are showing up good stuff, and he, with his brother Dan, are making preparations to do the assessment work in a short time.

Y. Hudson left this morning for Pima, where he has accepted a position with W. T. Webb in the merchandise business. Mr. Hudson is an old timer in this line of work, having had several years experience as a merchant. He moves his family to Pima also, and will become a citizen of that thriving little city.

George Olney, who came down here last week from Graham county, primarily to attend the convention of supervisors, left for home last evening. Mr. Olney is engaged largely in the stock business and during his visit he took pains to look over the herds of the valley both for beef cattle and dairy stock. He made no investment but probably will do so a little later, through his local representatives.—Phoenix Republican

The GUARDIAN force is pushing work on the special edition and making preparations to issue the most elaborate illustrated edition ever put out by any paper in Graham county. It is the intention of the management to give Graham county a clean, clear-out, unvarnished writeup that will place her resources and advantages before the outside world in their proper light. Several thousand copies will be printed; and it will be some time to come before the county and individual interests will have a like opportunity of profitable advertising again.

### For results, advertise.

The Guardian has the news. Fred Kirkpatrick is confined to his room with a severe attack of rheumatism.

Grandma Richards is reported very low. She is in her seventy-sixth year.

Billy Robertson has some of the finest whiskey in the valley, so they say. 50-tf

Tom Bishop of Morenci, is in Safford visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Richards.

Ralph Chavez and Francisca Salinas were united in marriage at Thatcher, Judge Ponda officiating.

Francisco Mungia was accidentally caught in a baler, Wednesday, and sustained a badly broken leg just above the knee.

"Parson" Thomas Cunningham of Aravaipa, who has been spending the winter at Soldiers Home, California, writes us he is much improved in health.

Forest Supervisor Marshall is confined to his room this week on account of a sprained ankle sustained while up in the mountains Sunday.

The masquerade ball given by Safford young people last Thursday, was quite an enjoyable affair and well attended.

A. A. Whitney of Los Angeles, arrived in Safford, Wednesday afternoon. Whitney always finds a welcome here.

Miss Eva Platt entertained a party of friends St. Valentine evening. Refreshments were served and all report a nice time.

John H. Grider, of Waco, Texas, and a brother to Mary, arrived in Safford, Wednesday. He will very likely go into some business in Safford.

James Dunsath of Tucson, formerly connected with the Leader, has been in camp for several days this week circulating with old friends. Mr. Dunsath has held the position of deputy clerk of the district court at Tucson since his departure from Morenci, but expects soon to resign and accept a position with F. H. Hereford, one of the leading attorneys of the territory.—Morenci Leader.

Rising from the Grave A prominent manufacturer, Wm. A. Fertwell, of Lucaua, N. C., relates a most remarkable experience. He says: "After taking less than three bottles of Electric Bitters, I feel like one rising from the grave. My trouble is Bright's disease, the Diabetes stage. I fully believe Electric Bitters will cure me permanently, for it has already stopped the liver and bladder complications which have troubled me for years." Guaranteed at all druggists. Price only 50c.

A prominent Arizona newspaper man was making the round of the insane asylum at Phoenix the other day in the capacity of an official inspector, when one of the inmates mistook him for a recent arrival.

"What made you go crazy?" "I was trying to make money out of the newspaper business," replied the editor, to humor the demented one.

"Rats! you're not crazy; you are just a plain darn fool," was the lunatic's comment.

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## A BUSINESS LUXURY

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It is not required that a person should have a large bulk of business in order to open an account. Professional men, farmers, and even many women, are running checking-accounts. If you have never done business in this way, and are not familiar with the plan, come to us and we will get you started.

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