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Victor

Es un placer entretener á los visitantes

cuando Ud. posee una Victor. No se experimenta ninguna dificultad para conseguir los artistas ó divertir á los visitantes con selecciones apropiadas al caso—y no hay ningún temor de que falten medios para deleitarse.

Vd. tiene á su disposición una extensa variedad de la música más selecta para atraer la atención de sus huéspedes—música cantada é interpretada por los más célebres cantantes, bandas y comediantes.

Sírvase entrar y oiga la última música Victor—no hay ninguna obligación á que efectúe una compra, pero si decide adquirir una Victor puede obtenerla mediante pagos á plazos. Victors desde Victor-Victrolas

The Sonora News Co., NOGALES, ARIZONA

TERRITORIAL NOTES.

Items of Interest Culled From Our Exchanges.

In Douglas a school census has just been taken and in the district there were found to be 2435 children of school age. This is expected to add about \$3000 to the school fund appropriated for that district.

Richard J. Schewpe of Tempe is now on his way from Los Angeles to Moosehead Lake, Maine, in an automobile, and the trip if accomplished as planned will be the longest tour ever taken directly across country.

Reductions for the small consumers of water are the demands in a petition circulated in Douglas following the annual report of the water commission which showed that municipal ownership was netting the city a neat profit.

Confirmation for the expenditure of \$48,500 for the construction of a pumping plant and ditches was received by Superintendent Lonergan of the Colorado River Indian Reservation Monday from the department of the interior.

Slicing beets began at Glendale Sugar factory Monday. The arrival of beets at the factory, will soon be at the rate of twenty carloads and about 300 wagon loads per day, which will be about the maximum of the daily run.—Phoenix Republican.

An effort is afoot in some parts of Arizona to establish a uniform time for the whole of the state to be. The movement originates from the Arizona development board composed of all of the business men's organizations and of which H. V. Fairor is president.

Sunday was a big day at Yuma in the icing business at the ice plant and the Southern Pacific Railway. Sixty-five cars of melons were iced during the day, thirty-five cars of oranges, an even 100 cars in all. On the cars of melons it took 4500 pounds of ice to each car. This is icing some.—Sun.

Although the rain and storm of Sunday did no damage in Bisbee, Jack Fredicks who runs a goat ranch below the grounds of the Warren Country Club, suffered considerable damage from the hail, which was very severe in that part of the district. More than 100 of his full grown goats were killed by the hail during the afternoon.

The Navajo Development company are making arrangements with the government to purchase five hundred million feet of pine timber on the Apache and Sitgreaves National forests south of Holbrook. The contract will be for ten years—\$2.50 per thousand feet for the first five years and \$3 per thousand for the second five years. A railroad to Holbrook will be built if the sale goes through.—Cocino Sun.

Two school teachers of Clifton, Miss Grier and Miss Agnew started on a horseback journey of 700 miles, first to the petrified forest, near Holbrook, thence to the ice caves of Mt. Baldy, near Flagstaff, and from there to the Grand Canyon of the Colorado. These intrepid ladies go by themselves without male escort, and are well armed to keep off bad men and other wild animals. They will return in time for the opening of school in September.—Copper Era.

W. H. Cox of Jerome has been appointed a member of the Live Stock Sanitary Board, succeeding J. M. Stewart of Prescott, who recently resigned. Both are Democrats, it being the policy of the administration to keep one member of that party on the board. Mr. Stewart resigned because of the press of private business and his duties as supervisor of Yavapai county. His successor is well known throughout the territory, having been engaged in the stock business the greater part of his life.

The Yuma Sun says that work at the Arizona siphon was resumed Monday after a shut down of three months. Fifteen men were put to work cleaning up the grounds and putting things in shape for the installing of the air plant most of which is now on the ground. The concrete foundations for the air machinery has been installed.—Arizona Democrat.

The Jerome News of June 3rd calls attention to the fact that the United Verde Copper company has recently purchased a lot of farming land in the Verde Valley, and then the News day dreams to the effect that the purchase means that the company will commence the erection of a large smelting plant in the valley east of Jerome, and that before the building of the smelter, a railroad will enter the valley from some point.

Drilling for oil, within two or three miles of Phoenix will be commenced in less than a week by the Northern Arizona Oil company, which recently absorbed the Salt River Oil company. A drilling machine is now being shipped to Phoenix and as soon as it arrives will be taken to some point recommended by A. P. Langston, an expert here from Dallas, Texas, as a suitable place to put down a well.—Arizona Democrat.

The board of trade has received a copy of the bill introduced in the house of representatives by Representative Rucker of Colorado, appropriating money for fighting the alfalfa insect pests. The bill calls for an appropriation of \$10,000 to pay for the expense of investigating methods of extermination of pests destructive of alfalfa, and \$25,000 to devise means to check the spread of these pests, by co-operation with common carriers and experiment stations.—Phoenix Republican.

Negotiations have been concluded between Ed. Block and an Eastern syndicate for taking over the Sink to Sink to Rise group of mines, in Copper Basin district, and in a short time a camp will be established and development on a large scale started. Announcement of the deal was made yesterday by Mr. Block, owner of the mines. The sale follows after several examinations made by different engineers, all of whom reported favorably. A reduction plant is to be placed on the ground, sufficient ore being available from past development. The Sink to Rise is one of mineralogical conundrums that has baffled local engineers since its discovery, a few years ago.—Kingman Miner.

PIMA COUNTY.

Arrangements for a bond issue of \$100,000 have been made by the Twin Buttes Mining Co., the funds to be used in meeting past indebtedness and in developing and operating in the mines.—Capt. J. D. Burgess, who recently took a working bond on the Grub Stake mines, has closed a deal with F. H. Herford for the Reef-Felix and Tucson mines belonging to L. Zeckendorf. The mines adjoin the Grub Stake group.—At the Cerro Colorado mines, 14 miles west of Arivaca Junction on the Tucson and Nogales railroad, fine surface ore was recently opened at two separate points.—The foundations for the new plant of machinery are now completed and work will soon be started in the erection of the machinery plant and new gallowes frame, preparatory to unwatering and sinking the shaft to the sulphide zone.—Fine reports relative to the Elephant Head mine are brought by Thomas M. Park, the manager of the property. Mr. Park states that there are now being worked three shifts at the property, development work is progressing rapidly and all of the workings are reported to be in ore, all of which he says is good shipping stuff.—Mining Science.

SAY SONORA WAS LOOTED.

Treasury Said to Be Short More Than a Million.

That the treasury of the State of Sonora has been looted consistently for years is an allegation now being made as the result of a partial investigation now being made by Provisional State Treasurer F. E. Randall, according to word received in the Douglas Dispatch.

This investigation is still under way and all the old clerks of the department together with the head, Victor Aguilar are being kept in government pay. They are assisting in the work, and it is alleged have been making confessions that implicate themselves and all the former officials of the state, including even former Governor Luis Torres.

It is alleged that the investigation has shown that Torres fled, when the federal's deserted Hermosillo, taking with him \$40,000 in cash. Upon his arrival at Nogales, provisional officials allege, he wired Municipal Treasurer Avelino Espinosa for \$20,000.00 more. Espinosa had fled taking this sum, which was the balance in the municipal treasury at that time, with him.

The investigations so far have revealed a deficit in the accounts of the state treasury of over \$1,000,000 Mex., and all the property of former Governor Luis Torres and of Ramon Corral as well as the other former government employees will be confiscated to make up this shortage.

It is claimed that Governor Torres who is now in Pasadena, California has a fortune of \$12,000,000.

While these charges are being freely made by the provisional officials, they declare they will make no attempt to extradite the former office holder. The confiscation of their estates will more than settle the accounts held against them, they say.—Star.

YUMA COUNTY MINES.

Two mines have been added to Yuma county's list of shippers. One carload from the Singleton claims, adjoining the famous King of Arizona, has just been sent to San Francisco. Shipments from these claims will continue regularly. Charles Sam has begun shipping from his Ironwood claims, in the same district. A carload left Dome for San Francisco Saturday, and a second car will go forward in a few days. Sam's ore runs from \$50 to \$200 in gold.

The big churn drill which will be used to prospect the Gashill & Gallagher claims in the old Picacha district has arrived at Yuma from Silverbell, where it was purchased from the Southern Arizona Smelting company. It was unloaded and immediately started for the mine on its own power.—Parker Post.

RAISED VALUES.

The taxable valuations of the Arizona Eastern lines were considerably increased at the recent meeting of the territorial board of equalization in Phoenix. The valuation of the Phoenix division was fixed at \$742,320, as against \$383,716.20 for 1910. The value of the Globe division was fixed at \$1,394,100. In 1910 it was \$1,338,336. The Cochise division is rated at \$110,187, as against \$104,940 for 1910.

The valuation of the Twin Buttes railroad is fixed at \$18,333.40. That of the Southern Pacific is \$6,868,750 a raise of nearly \$1,000,000 over last year's valuation.

The total valuation of all railroad properties in Arizona subject to tax this year is placed at \$16,933,681.15.—Tucson Citizen.

Marsh sells corrugated iron, both painted and galvanized. Write for prices. tf.

BRIGHT OUTLOOK ABOUT CANANEA.

The outlook about the camp seems to be brighter at present than for some time, although it never has appeared that things would be any worse than at present, conditions being very good at that. With the reopening of the Henrietta mines comes the necessity of employing additional labor, and this brings more money in circulation.

At the present time the Henrietta is working 80 men but this number will be gradually increased until about 125 or 150 are employed. The Henrietta is now furnishing the smelter with 70 tons of a good grade of ore daily and this will be increased.

The electric hoist which is to be installed at the mine will be ready for operation by the end of the coming week. The gallowes frame is now in place.

At the Sierra del Cobre additional ore is being opened up daily, all the work seeming to be done in the same body, which is proving very extensive. The principal work is being done on the 300 and 400 levels.—Cananea News.

PHOENIX.

No one who knows the wealth of the west, both agricultural and mineral, doubts its destiny, and no one who has followed the last quarter of a century, doubts that its progress hereafter will be greater than can be at this time forecasted. This, because of the empire lying fallow, and the strong hands, that are ready to grapple with its difficulties.

When Phoenix was first located, men came in on horseback. Later, by wagon, later, by stage. As time went on, the railroads ran their arms of steel down into the southwest, and through these arteries have run the stream of settlers who came out to give life to the plains, and reclaim the deserts. Since the first day of its location, Phoenix has grown steadily.

From a little desert town, men who came long ago, and who have since lived in Arizona, have seen Phoenix grow to a point from which, even though its ultimate size and prosperity have not been attained, it is possible to anticipate, with absolute certainty, the day when this city will be a great metropolis of the southwest, drawing on one of the richest valleys in the world for agricultural prosperity, and on mines of incalculable richness for its mineral wealth.—Republican.

SEND STOCK BACK.

With the return of peace upon the Mexican side of the border, the attention of the United States inspectors here and at other border points is being directed to compelling the return of unbonded animals, brought in from Mexico during the height of the insurrection, for safe keeping. To this end an order has been promulgated by the service that all unbonded stock not back upon the Mexican Territory by July 1, will be seized and sold to the highest bidder.

The first stock to be returned to the Mexican range, through this port, went through yesterday. Gabalondo Brothers, owning large ranch interests in Sonora, passed through about 100 head of horses which had been brought into Arizona to save them from confiscation by the provisional or federal troops.

As a result of the order the inspectors at the station are "spotting" animals, which will be seized, unless returned to Sonora before the expiration of this month.—Exchange.

Mrs. George B. Earnshaw is taking orders for a nice line of the Vegetable hose and high-grade underwear. She will either call on you or take your order at the Elite Millinery in the Postoffice Building. tf.

Banco de Sonora

Main Office: HERMOSILLO.

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SURPLUS..... \$ 1,000,000.00

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