

PUBLIC LIBRARY.

We believe every well regulated town should and will support a public library, and as a starter in this direction we suggest to our people the feasibility of such an undertaking.

THE SCHOOL TEACHER.

The schoolma'am is the guiding star of the republic. She takes the little bantling fresh from the home nest, full of his pouts, his pets and his passions, ungovernable in many cases, a rampant, riotous little wretch whose own mother often admits she sends him to school purposely to get rid of him.

MEXICO OBJECTS

A communication to the legislature was read from the assistant secretary of state at Washington concerning the annexation to the United States of the strip of land between Yuma and Mexico, now subject to irrigation under the Laguna dam.

NEWSPAPER SUPPORT.

A newspaper, if it has any brains, conscience and muscle back of it, must continually decide between doing its duty and ruffling its pocket. In any position but that of an editor the public is able to separate the individual from the collective citizen.

MARK'S SWAN SONG.

Mark Smith's last statehood speech was a masterpiece of eloquence, and that he was given an ovation in congress at its conclusion was not remarkable.

The only honorable and honest way to stop a newspaper is to step into the office and pay up all arrears, get a receipt and have your name off the list.

Strong Healthy Women

If a woman is strong and healthy in a womanly way, motherhood means to her but little suffering. The trouble lies in the fact that the many women suffer from weakness and disease of the distinctly feminine organism and are unfitted for motherhood. This can be remedied.

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription

Cures the weaknesses and disorders of women. It acts directly on the delicate and important organs concerned in motherhood, making them healthy, strong, vigorous, virile and elastic.

"Favorite Prescription" banishes the indispositions of the period of expectancy and makes baby's advent easy and almost painless. It quickens and vitalizes the feminine organs, and insures a healthy and robust baby.

Honest druggists do not offer substitutes, and urge them upon you as "just as good." Accept no secret nostrum in place of this non-secret remedy. It contains not a drop of alcohol and not a grain of habit-forming or injurious drug.



If nothing worse, it was bad taste for the ex-delegate to refer to his financial condition and the implication that it was due to his struggle for Arizona, even if it were true.

Mark may not retire with a big wad, but he has had a good time with a long run for his money and a minimum of work. He has enjoyed the relaxation and pleasures of yearly fishing trips, in company with agreeable companions, and recuperation visits at popular resorts.

Propos of Mark's last oratorical flight, his swan song, as it were, it is interesting to note that since its appearance in the Congressional Record, our greatly esteemed contemporary, it has been expurgated in at least one instance, that one being where in his speech he referred to 'my' people, which has since been changed by the Arizona papers to 'the' people.

Only recently President Roosevelt hastily appointed a commission to make a report looking to the reorganization of the navy department; but this, like many other of the Rooseveltian policies, has been bequeathed to the man who is expected to carry out the Roosevelt ideals.

The annual value of poultry and eggs sold is more than that of the silver, gold and pig iron produced. There is millions of money in poultry and eggs, and but small capital required.

The annual import of eggs in England approximates 100,000,000 dozen, and into the United States 17,000,000 dozen a year. Here is an industry in which the demand is greater than our home supply.

Conflict of Authorities at Globe

City and County Clash Over Enforcement of Anti-Gambling Law

At Globe the city marshal undertook to enforce the new anti-gambling law, but was stopped by the district attorney, who notified the marshal that the enforcement of this law was not incumbent upon him but was the duty of the sheriff of the county.

"This law does not concern the city, but is the law and must be enforced. I am told that there is some gambling going on, Mr. Shute. If it is necessary we will remove both of the justices of the peace; we will remove the sheriff; we will remove the district attorney, but we will enforce the law. Bring the cases before me and I will try them as a justice of the peace, if necessary. If you hear of anyone who knows of any gambling game going on, Mr. Shute, make them swear to a complaint."

A dispatch from Globe further explains the situation there. It says: "Under Sheriff Frank Haynes was disposed to await the return of Sheriff J. H. Thompson before taking any action, but late yesterday evening District Attorney Shute served each of the justices of the peace and the sheriff's office with copies of the Duffy act, and last night Deputy Sheriff Rawlings made a round of the saloons, cigar stands and other places in which card playing or slot machines had been in vogue and notified the proprietors that all forms of games for drinks or cigars would be followed by arrest and prosecution whenever detected."

Senator Teller of Colorado has served the longest term in the senate of any retiring senator—or since 1876. He resigned in 1882 to enter the cabinet of President Arthur, but was re-elected 1903 as a democrat, with which party he has since stood. Among conspicuous retiring senators is Platt of New York, who, it will be remembered, resigned with Roscoe Conkling in 1881, since which time "Ma Too" Platt has been incessantly used by his detractors. Senator Foraker, whose recent turbulent career is fresh in the minds of everyone, has served twelve years. Other senators who retired March 4th are Hemenway, McCreary, Aukeny, Fulton, Gary, Hansbrough, Kirtledge, Long and Milton.

Boys with hats on the back of their heads and long hair hanging down over their foreheads and cigarettes and very smutty stories in their foul mouths, are cheaper than old worn out work horses. Nobody wants them at any price. Men don't employ them and sensible girls won't marry them.

C. B. No. 128, by Mr. Hunt, providing for the gathering of historical data and creating the office of historian at \$2400 salary, and \$1800 traveling expenses per annum, was placed on final passage under suspension of the rules and passed by a unanimous vote.

OFFICIAL MINUTES

Of Proceedings of the Board of Supervisors of Yuma County, Arizona.

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Beginning at Station O, which equals Station 1242-34 2 of the traverse, from which point I commence measuring the deflections of all curves—

Thence S 35 degs 21 m E 2368 ft to station 29-69, beginning of a 2 d 00 m curve to the left, the length of which is 977.8 ft to sta 33-45.8, end of curve.

Thence S 54 degs 51 m E 377.2 ft to sta 43-23, beginning of a 1 deg 11 m curve to the right, the length of which is 731 ft to sta 50-54, end of curve.

Thence S 46 degs 09 m E 2869.6 ft to sta 74233.6, beginning of a 00 deg 20 m curve to the right, the length of which is 719.2 ft to sta 86-42.8, end of curve; 111.2 ft to sta 87-54, beginning of switch to the left, the length of which is 1018.8 ft to sta 97-72.8, end of switch; 1757 ft to sta 103-99.8, beginning of a 00 deg 20 m curve to the right, the length of which is 702.0 ft to sta 111-01.8, end of curve.

Thence S 41 deg 23 m E 2424.4 ft to sta 135-26.2, beginning of a 2 deg 33 m curve to the left, the length of which is 2176.5 ft to sta 157-02.7, end of curve.

Thence N 83 degs 06 m E 456.5 ft to sta 161-59.2, beginning of a 2 deg 20 m curve to the right, the length of which is 1500.5 ft to sta 176-59.7, end of curve.

Thence S 61 degs 50 m E 1504.4 ft to sta 191-64.1, beginning of a 1 deg 23 m curve to the left, the length of which is 2148.9 ft to sta 213-13, end of curve.

Thence N 88 degs 08 m E 2094.5 ft to sta 243-07.5, beginning of a 2 deg 13 m curve, to the right, the length of which is 1303.8 ft to sta 256-11.3, end of curve.

Thence S 61 degs 55 m E 1735.6 ft to sta 274-06.9, beginning of a 1 deg 00 m curve to the left, the length of which is 1591.0 ft to sta 289-97.6, end of curve.

Thence S 78 degs 16 m E 2419.2 ft to sta 314-17.1, beginning of a 00 deg 30 m curve to the right, the length of which is 1415.2 ft to sta 328-32.3, end of curve.

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Sixty Applications for Appointment On Ry. Commission

Sixty applications have been received by Governor Kibbey for three positions on the Arizona railway commission and the clerkship. The DeSouza bill went to the governor last week and the chief executive has until the 12th to consider the enactment.

Among the applicants is Joseph Hamill, one of the influential men of Globe, who was formerly the proprietor of the Silver Belt. He received the unsolicited endorsement of the Globe chamber of commerce.

It is reported that four thousand men have joined the Mine Workers' Union in Pennsylvania in the last week and prognosticators are predicting a strike. But there are only twenty-two thousand members of the union now, whereas there were thirty-nine thousand in 1901. Every effort is being made to get the men into the union, but a good many of them are reported to be too well satisfied with the present situation and are without enthusiasm for improvement.

Pension and Army Bills Passed.

The army appropriation bill, carrying \$102,000,000, and the pension bill, carrying \$162,000,000, passed the senate without opposition, and went to conference with little prospect of disagreement.

BLACK LEG advertisement for a vaccine against the disease, mentioning the Cutter Laboratory and a booklet for free.

HANDY MOTH PAPER

A moth destroyer and disinfectant. Poured under carpets or in the folds of furs and cloths, it drives away moths and worms. Twelve sheets in a packet, 50 cents. If druggist does not have it, write for it.

Madigan Powder Works, Selection 899 Clarksville, Iowa.

\$100 Reward \$100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity.

Address F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O. Sold by all druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Advertisement for 'Everything that is to be found in an up-to-date MEAT MARKET' with an illustration of a man and a woman.

TAKE A PEEP INTO OUR ICE BOX

and see what a splendid supply of fresh meat of every kind will greet your eyes. We do not exaggerate in the least when we say that we have at least as good meats, game and poultry as can be had anywhere in Arizona.

LITTLE LEGS OF LAMB

for roasting. They make a fine Sunday dinner. You'll lose nothing but gain much by coming here for your meats. Our aim is to supply the best meat obtainable at the lowest possible price, and judging by our ever-increasing patronage, we are succeeding fairly well.

F. and E. Hodges Yuma Meat Market Phone 23

The Seed House of the Great Southwest

Write for our 150-page Illustrated FREE Seed Catalog, in the English or Spanish Language. AGGELER & MUSSER SEED CO. 113-115 N. Main St., Los Angeles, Cal.

Notice for Publication.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Arizona, Jan. 23, 1909. Notice is hereby given that William Boyle, of Laguna, Yuma County, Arizona, who, on January 2, 1909, made Homestead Entry, (Serial No. 9237 for the S 1/2 Sec 23 and the S 1/2 Sec 24, township 27, south range 22 west G. and S. E. base and Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final five-year proof to establish claim to the land above described before Charles H. Dilling, Clerk of the District Court, at Yuma, Arizona, on the 10th day of March, 1909.

Notice for Bids For Care of Indigent Sick.

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the Board of Supervisors of Yuma County, Arizona, at their office until 10 o'clock a. m. April 1st, 1909, for the year ending March 31st, 1909. First: Care of indigent sick, including medical and surgical attendance, medicine, food, lodging and clothing, at a stated price per day each. Second: Examination of alleged insane persons and for attending coroner's inquests, at a stated price for each; medical and surgical attendances for outdoor relief of poor, to include prisoners confined in the county jail, at a stated price for each person for each day's attendance. Third: Care of dependent poor, where medical attendance is not required, including good and substantial food, lodging and clothing, at a stated price per day for each person. Bidders are requested to limit the total expenses for the year for medical and surgical attendances and medicines called for in subdivisions 1 and 2. All bids must be accompanied by a certified check for \$50.00 as a guaranty that the bidder will enter into a contract for the faithful performance of the service. The successful bidder will be required to give a good and sufficient bond, in such amount as the Board may direct or is fixed by law, for the faithful performance of said contract. The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids. All bids must be addressed to J. M. Polhamus, Clerk Board of Supervisors, Yuma County, Yuma, Arizona, and marked "County Proposals," and have a copy of this advertisement attached thereto. By order of the Board of Supervisors. J. M. POLHAMUS, Clerk. 3114

Large advertisement for W.L. Douglas \$3.50 Shoe for Men, featuring the text 'AT LAST! AT LAST!' and 'The people of Yuma have access to an acknowledged standard, world-wide advertised Shoe, at the price that it is sold at where it is Made.'

Advertisement for Yuma Theatre, listing various shows and performances, including 'Saturday night—Masquerade Ball' and 'Sunday night—Moving Pictures Change of Programme.'

Advertisement for The Yuma Title-Abstract Co., providing services for real estate loans, insurance, and general agents, with contact information for Yuma, Arizona.

Advertisement for Paul Savigny House, Sign and Decorative Painting, listing various services and contact information for Yuma, Arizona.

Advertisement for Baxter & Shanssey REAL ESTATE AND MINES, listing services and contact information for Yuma, Arizona.

Advertisement for Modern Dentistry, listing services and contact information for Yuma, Arizona.

Advertisement for Dr. J. F. Teufert, Surgeon Dentist, listing services and contact information for Yuma, Arizona.