

**SPECIALTIES OFFERED TODAY:**

PINEAPPLES,  
NECTARINES,  
BLACKBERRIES,  
BARILEIT PEARS.

WAX AND LIMA BEANS,  
LOCAL ASPARAGUS,  
GREEN CHILI.

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**WEATHER REPORT.**

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE,  
WEATHER BUREAU,  
PHOENIX, AUGUST 13, 1896.

	A. M.	P. M.
Barom. pres. (red. to sea level) in.	29.857	29.735
Actual temperature	82.2	107.2
Sensible temperature		
Relative humidity	42	20
Direction of wind	W	NW
Velocity of wind	4	3
Rainfall (past 24 hours)	.	
State of weather	clear P.cdy	

Forecast for today, fair.  
ARTHUR L. WHITE, Observer.

**NEWS IN A NUTSHELL.**

**Happenings of Streets and Town.**

**Epitome of the City's Local Intelligence.**

**The Doings of a Day in Phoenix and its Tributary Region.**

Dr. Pratt will preach at the Methodist church north next Sunday morning.

Chas. Boum, a boy 16 years of age, living two miles north of the city, died Wednesday night of typhoid fever. The funeral occurred yesterday afternoon.

A couple of gentlemen of color from Phoenix arrived at Willcox a couple of days ago on wheels. They claimed that they were going to tour the world on a wheel.

The faculty of the Normal school has just issued a neat pamphlet giving the different branches of study taught in that school and the requirements necessary for admission.

A secret service detective is now at Prescott to investigate the robbery there. Three suspicious characters are being shadowed by local officers on suspicion of being the perpetrators.

Tempe News: Mr. and Mrs. Hauxhurst and two daughters and Miss Murray were here today from Phoenix looking for a house in which to move. The young ladies will enter the Normal the coming term.

Mrs. Robert Black of the Windsor yesterday evening gave a most enjoyable supper in honor of her birthday. The guests sat down to a most delectable repast, which consisted of viands most choice, calculated to tickle the palate of a pronounced gourmand.

The Los Angeles Express says that the Philharmonic band of Tucson, now playing at the seaside resorts, is the best musical organization of its kind either in Arizona or New Mexico. The Los Angeles Philharmonic band gave a banquet and ball in honor of the visitors from the ancient pueblo.

The man Forrest, who was arrested at Bisbee a few days ago by Sheriff Leatherwood on suspicion of being one of the Nogales bank robbers is now being held as a United States prisoner on a charge of having a hand in the robbery of the postoffice at Separ, New Mexico, several days ago.

Two Mexican custom house guards while riding near Lo Morita, Wednesday, accidentally came upon a party of four men at a watering place. When the men saw the guards they immediately began shooting, wounding one of the guards in the shoulder. It is thought they were the party of bandits who attempted to rob the Nogales bank.

Lady Sholto Douglas weary of mining life in Arizona, has returned to her mother's home in Oakland, leaving her lord alone to look for that big fortune he is after in a hole in the ground. Lady Sholto said in an interview that Lord Sholto has not struck the fortune, but he lives in hopes of making a big cleanup. She says she has left the stage forever at the urgent request of the Marquis of Queensberry.

Last night another excursion left over the M. & P. for California having on board the following named: Mrs. M. H. Hoover, L. Leavitt and wife, C. J. Ulmer, D. Leaman, Miss Patricia Hutchinson, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Murphy, W. S. Sutton, Chas. N. Kaylor, L. E. Hewins, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Pierce, Mrs. J. M. Crawford, J. H. Kibbey, H. M. Willis, Jack Gibson, Fred Heinlein and L. B. Cannon and wife of Wickenburg.

The territorial Sunday school convention will convene at Flagstaff this morning and will remain in session for three days. Prominent Sunday school workers from all parts of the territory will be present. Those who

will attend from Phoenix are: General A. J. Sampson, Methodist; W. H. Smith, Methodist south; Miss Lillie C. Irvine, Baptist; E. G. Randal, Ralph Murphy, Presbyterian; A. P. Walbridge, Christian. The delegates left for the north on yesterday evening's train.

Al Galpin was the possessor of a pet calf that he now mourns, for the pet has met with an untimely ending. Wednesday night Galpin heard a racket in his hen house. He supposed it was a coyote that he had heard yelping early in the evening. He called his friend, Fletcher Boomer, who is visiting with him, and the two armed themselves for the assault on the hen roost. Galpin had a shotgun and Boomer a pistol. Cautiously the lightly clad hunters crept towards the hen roost. "There he is," whispered Galpin pointing to the dark outlines of some animal that was reaching up to the roost with his head and grabbing chickens by the legs. "You take aim and fire when I do," he continued. "and between us both we will hit it." Simultaneously at the word two reports rang out followed almost immediately by a squawking of frightened hens and a blat that didn't sound much like the dying yelp of a coyote. Both rushed forward and there on the ground lay the dead calf and by its side the body of a chicken with its head shot off. Boomer missed the calf, but shot something.

**PERSONAL MENTION.**

**Jottings About Individuals and Their Actions.**

M. V. Warren left last night on a trip for the north.

C. F. Ainsworth has returned from his trip to the coast.

Mrs. Sam Berkley of Tucson is visiting friends in Phoenix.

Lee Gray has returned from a two months' trip to Buffalo.

Mrs. W. C. Budge is in Prescott the guest of Mrs. E. W. Wells.

Mrs. Lizzie Winters has returned from a visit to friends in Prescott.

R. C. McNary, a young mining man of Prescott, is in the city on business.

W. H. Smith left yesterday for Flagstaff where he will spend a few days.

John O. Dunbar left yesterday morning for Flagstaff where he will rejoin his family.

B. A. Fickas and daughter left over the Santa Fe yesterday for a trip to Cleveland, Ohio.

Charlie Pierce, mail carrier, left last night for California with his wife for a brief vacation.

George Cook, the Prescott jeweler, is in the city again to look after business interests in this place.

Architect Fred Heinlein has found life so attractive on the coast that he left for Los Angeles again last night.

Geo. W. Sargent and W. A. Drake of the S. F., P. & P. railroad came down yesterday afternoon from the north.

Hon. B. A. Fickas left yesterday morning for Cleveland, O., to attend the supreme lodge, Knights of Pythias of the World.

San Diego Sun: Mrs. Monihon, wife of T. G. Monihon of Phoenix, one of the wealthiest citizens of that place, is here for the summer.

Miss Patricia Hutchinson, the pleasing young stenographer of the M. & P. company, left last night for the coast to enjoy a well earned vacation.

H. M. Willis, the promising young attorney and aspirant for the office of district attorney, left last night for Los Angeles to be gone a week on business and pleasure.

Mrs. T. J. Wolfley was a passenger on last night's Santa Fe train. She will spend a few days in St. Joseph and then proceed to Montreal, Canada, where she goes for medical treatment.

W. H. Kennedy, New York; W. H. Lewis, Indianapolis; Mrs. E. M. Harris, Fort Worth, and Mrs. Wm. Meyers, Sioux City, were passengers on the northbound Santa Fe train yesterday morning.

Hon. J. D. Bethune came in yesterday from Tucson. The judge is looking in the best of health and his numerous Phoenix friends are pleased to note that he has suffered no ill effects from the fall he received in Phoenix during the last session of the supreme court. He left last night for Prescott.

**Chinese English.**

The Chinese take great pains to use the English language with accuracy, but sometimes they are more fluent than correct. Those pretty little seaweed flowers that unfold from seemingly dry sticks when dropped into a finger bowl with water are imported into this country in gray paper envelopes, sometimes labeled thus: "Water flowers for the amusement after dinner."

**The Soko Ape.**

Letters from the African traveler, Oscar Neumann, at Bukoba, says the London News, contains many interesting things that Neumann learnt from the Manyemas. One is that the Soko ape is very common and much feared in Manyamaland, between Nyangwe and the northern shore of the Tanganyika. Some time ago an Arab wanted to take a Soko which he had captured to the coast. He succeeded in reaching Ugojo with his prize. There he died, and his sons, who attributed the death of their father to the enchantments of the wicked, wood demon, hastened to retransport the supposed origin of their misfortune to its native place, and the interesting specimen was thus lost to science.

**"UP WITH YOUR FLUKES"**

**Command that Startled Will LeGrande.**

**He Saw a Man with a Gun and Wicked Eyes.**

**The Highwayman, for Such He Was, Takes Liberties with Le-Grande's Pockets.**

"Up with your flukes!" were the gruff words that caused Will LeGrande to stop his whistling and turn suddenly. What he saw was the gleaming barrel of a pistol and behind the gun was a man whose face was partially concealed by a handkerchief. Over the cloth flashed a pair of villainous eyes that showed determination. "Up with them paws before this gun goes off!" was the repeated demand. LeGrande looked at the mouth of the yawning cannon, then at the evil eyes leering into his face. He shivered—who wouldn't—then with alacrity up went the hands. "That's right, you show good sense," complacently said the owner of the gun, and glowing orbs. "Now let's see if the bird is worth plucking," he continued in a cheerful mood. He felt in one pocket of LeGrande's clothes and found a cigar. "Good," was the brief utterance. He then dived into his victim's pistol pocket and pulled out a handkerchief which he threw disdainfully on the ground. Further research into the pockets brought to light a \$20 greenback and \$8 in silver. In the inside pocket of the vest the polite highwayman fished up a few letters. "From your girl, eh?" he asked jocosely. "Well, I guess you can keep them; pretty dry reading for me," and he put them back.

"Now, young fellow," he said threateningly, "you stay just where you are without looking back for two minutes, or I will be compelled to cause your girl to wear mourning for you; good night," and the highwayman rapidly moved away.

LeGrande stayed, as he thought, the proscribed length of time, then made hasty tracks in search of a policeman. He is the chief operator in the Postal telegraph office here and last night at 9:30 o'clock, the usual hour, he closed the office and started for the Sixth Avenue hotel where he resides. He always crosses the lot in the rear of the Presbyterian church and it was there that he was robbed. He says that he was whistling while walking and heard a step behind him, but before he could turn he heard the words quoted above. He says he thought somebody was playing a joke on him at first, but when he saw "the road to eternity" and those wicked eyes he knew it was no joke. The robber, he says, was of medium height, wore a pair of overalls and vest, head was covered with a sombrero much the worse for wear. He could not see the lower part of his face on account of the handkerchief. The police are now looking for the rascal.

**SALVATION CAMPAIGN.**

Every Soldier Must Write and Send Three Letters.

CHICAGO, Aug. 13.—Every soldier of the Salvation Army in the United States will write at least three letters and address them to persons whom they know to be in need of spiritual encouragement. This is one of Booth-Tucker's latest ideas in connection with the work of redemption.

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**MISSING.**

CHICAGO, Aug. 11.—W. H. Scott, chief clerk of the Santa Fe road, has been missing for over a week and there is no clue to his whereabouts. It is thought that he has been fully dealt with.

**LOCAL BREVITIES.**

Ladies, for face treatments, see Mrs. Wallace, Ford hotel.

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The Atlantic & Pacific road will sell round trip tickets from all stations to Flagstaff at a one fare rate, for the territorial Sunday school convention on the 14th, 15th and 16th of this month. The S. F., P. & P. will sell round trip tickets at one fare rate, good for 30 days

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