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CITY AND COUNTY IN BRIEF.

Small Paragraphs of General Interest.

The News of a Day in Phoenix and Its Tributary Region Presented in a Nutshell—Doings of People and Other Matters.

Only one month to the meeting of the territorial legislature.

Judge Baker yesterday allowed the defendant \$99 in the suit of Burtis vs. Gray, assignee.

The city schools and the high school closed yesterday afternoon for a two weeks' vacation.

The funeral of Frances Greenwood took place yesterday morning from the Catholic church.

Tucson people are again talking of a \$100,000 hotel on the military plaza. There is plenty of room there for a hotel.

L. E. Brushaber of New York is in the city looking up favorable opportunities for investment for eastern capitalists.

The Prescott football team has accepted the proposition of the Phoenix team and will play a game in the latter city on Christmas.

Governor Franklin yesterday commissioned as notaries public S. K. Williams of Bisbee and Patrick J. Foley of Yavapai county.

Charles B. Eaman of Camp Verde arrived yesterday in advance of a large bunch of cattle which are coming to be placed on pasture in this valley.

Postmaster Thomas says that an enormous amount of mail matter is being distributed throughout the city just now and that the entire force is kept very busy.

The board of directors of the Santa Fe, Prescott & Phoenix Railroad company met at Chicago yesterday and re-elected the members of the present board for the ensuing year.

Nearly every livery vehicle in the city was in use yesterday and several private conveyances were contributed by citizens for the purpose of drawing the delegates around the valley.

The furniture for the legislative chambers is being taken from the warehouse and placed in the city hall. The walls of the council and assembly rooms have been papered and the halls of law now present an inviting appearance.

Frank Smith and Samuel Silverstein have been lodged in the county jail on the ostensible charge of vagrancy, but it is said a more serious charge will be made. Their trial will occur before Justice Johnstone this morning.

John McNaughton, the chalk plate artist, is now at El Paso, where he intends to open an engraving business. Several weeks ago Mr. McNaughton left Flagstaff with a stereopticon entertainment company which exhibited views of the Grand canyon and Arizona scenery.

The fire department has made an appropriation of \$5 for the purpose of buying Miss Annie Monihan a Christmas present in appreciation of her kindness in taking care of Homer, the town goat, and mascot of the fire department.

Over 100 carloads of Sonora oranges have been shipped at Nogales for the United States up to date this year. It is estimated that this season's shipments will aggregate 300 carloads and that there will be 500 carloads shipped next season.

The Bank hotel at Flagstaff is now under the management of L. H. Tolfree, who conducts the hotel at the Grand canyon, and Mr. Tolfree has remodeled and refurbished the building, so that there will be no complaint from tourists hereafter.

C. O. McCarroll arrived yesterday from the Colorado river, where he is in the employ of the Senator mine. He confirms the reports of general activity in the mines of that section and says that Stephen Dorsey expects to open the Picacho mines.

Only a few theatrical attractions have visited Phoenix so far this year. This is explained by the fact that in a presidential year show ventures are hazardous. Countless companies of more or less merit have already succumbed to bad business.

Hon. John E. Frost, land commissioner of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railroad company, who was here as a delegate to the irrigation congress, will leave in his private car this morning for Topeka. He will be accompa-

nied by a party of friends who were attending the congress.

Constable Porterle arrested a stranger yesterday on suspicion of being a person who is wanted for a murder committed in San Bernardino. He answers the description of the murderer. He says he arrived from Flagstaff, where he had lived for some time.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

At Bellis', 32 South Center street, is where fresh oysters par excellence, fresh fish and the finest celery, fruits, nuts, cottage cheese, cream, butter-milk, milk and butter can be had.

Professor O'Malley will give a social dance at Redewill hall tonight.

Photographs for Christmas—Rhodes.

For Sale—At a bargain, a splendid buffalo overcoat, new. Apply at Peoples & Ambler, 13 South First avenue.

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For Rent—Water rights in the Maricopa canal. Inquire of L. H. Chalmers, Fleming block.

Gunther's chocolate creams, etc., at Wakelin's pharmacy.

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Mrs. Wells-Bedell, clairvoyant, medium, 126 West Madison. Readings daily. Circle, Saturday evening.

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Oysters, oysters for all; Bellis'.

Drawn work just received. Mrs. A. M. Lee.

Try White's bakery when you want home made bread, pies and cakes. 234 East Washington street, Gardiner's block.

Patronize home industry and get one of Smith's \$25 suits. Elegant line of goods just arrived.

Business opportunity; "Tempe hotel," only hotel in Tempe; for sale or to rent at moderate figures. Inquire of W. J. Kingsbury. Owner in business in Tucson and cannot attend to it.

FOR SALE—CHEAP GAS PIPE.

A lot of new 3/4-inch iron pipe, both black and galvanized, which we will sell in any quantity at wholesale rates. S. D. LOUNT & SON.

All branches of photography—see Rhodes, 213 West Washington street.

For Arizona scenes—Rhodes.

\$100 new bicycles for \$40 at Depew's, No. 17 South First avenue.

The Montezuma restaurant, No. 36 East Adams street, has been newly fitted and furnished throughout and will be conducted as a first-class eating house. Special rates to families, and private rooms for ladies.

Gunther's fine candies at Wakelin's pharmacy.

Bulk oysters, any style, one-half dozen, 25 cents, at Coffee Al's lunch counter and ladies' dining room.

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GRAND HOLIDAY SALE, COMMENCING MONDAY, DEC. 21.

This week's sale will be the greatest, grandest and most money-saving sale in the history of our store. In connection with this sale for holiday week we shall give away, free, a large lot of beautiful presents which we have just received.

Dolls, holiday goods, gold watches and new silverware. Read a short list of our money-saving prices during this week's sale:

Black Brocaded Satins in handsome floral designs, newest patterns. Sale price, 95 cents.

Black Brocaded, Silician silk finish, beautiful patterns, silk effect. Sale price, 70 cents.

Two-toned in silk mixed, must be seen to be appreciated, for value. Sale price, 42 1/2 cents.

Largest stock of silk and dress goods to select from. All prices reduced for this week's sale.

Capes and jackets in this season's latest styles, all marked down to cost for this special sale.

Ladies' handkerchiefs, in hem-stitched, embroidered and scalloped edges. Sale price, 7 1/2 to 25 cents.

Gent's handkerchiefs, in silk and linen hem-stitched, and in fancy borders. See our new stock of neckwear.

Underwear, ladies' Jersey ribbed vests in all sizes, worth much more, for this week only. Sale price, 25 cents.

Ladies' silver gray pants and vests nicely finished, silk front, fleeced finish. Sale price, 45 cents.

Ladies' Onieta suits, Jersey ribbed, will be closed out this week at lowest prices ever offered. Sale price, 62 1/2 cents.

Men's Roman gray shirts and drawers, well finished, worth double the price asked. Sale price, 45 cents.

Men's fine all wool natural gray shirts and drawers will be offered this week. Sale price, \$1.00.

Children's Jersey ribbed natural gray shirts and pants in all sizes. Sale price, 30 cents.

Misses' combination suits, in natural gray Jersey ribbed, this week only. Sale price, 60 cents.

Special sales in table linens. See our soft finished cloths and napkins to match. Makes a most useful present.

Bureau sets in hem-stitched and embroidered. Just the thing for a nice Xmas gift. Largest stock of fancy towels.

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Indigestion or dyspepsia not only makes one feel gloomy and uncomfortable, but is often the advance signal of that dread disease, consumption. Dr. Swetnam's office No. 10 North Second avenue, is having remarkable success in the treatment of diseases of the stomach.

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