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"It is apparent that something must be done to provide water for the Indians. In order to demonstrate our ability to govern new peoples we must show a better record for those now in our care."—(Prof. F. H. Newell, in a lecture in Washington, Dec. 27, 1908.)

ONE of the mysteries of Florence amentities is how some people who "wouldn't take the TRIBUNE for anything," can yet read it each week and then do more than their share of a abuse of its editor.

The very newest and most exclusive club in all cludom is an appendicitis club, having its birthplace in Cleveland, Ohio. Only people who have been operated upon for that disease are eligible for membership. Ohio may be the step mother of Presidents as it has been called, but there can be no doubt about the full relationship to cranks.

The only serious objection made to Mr. C. D. Towne as Vice President on the Democratic ticket is that he is too recent a Republican. But he may be recent and yet be as far away in principle from modern Republicanism as any Democrat who counts from Jefferson. The man who believe in and upholds the principles of the grand old party of Lincoln's administration, is very apt to be abused by a class found in both parties, be he named Democrat, or not.

The dispatches say briefly this week that ex-Senator Hall, of Colorado, died last Tuesday in Denver. He was 68 years old and left an estate of over a million dollars. To have been a U. S. Senator, to have over a million and to live so near the allotted three-score years and ten, seems good fortune for any man. But many an epitaph has been written over humble obscure lives and told by those who knew and loved them which gave a grander story and more glorious praise than this record of a Senatorship and a fortune. The things which last are the things to strive for.

For the last ten days rations of beans, wheat etc., have been issued to the Indians upon the Sacaton reservation, this being the first installment of the provisions provided by Congress in its appropriation of \$33,000 for these dependents upon the government, a dependency which should never have been forced upon them. The Indians are willing and able to support themselves if the water which should be as free as the air were supplied them by this generous government. The principle of giving a man a chance to work for a living is so much better than that of the mistaken charity which gives him a living gratuitously.

The California law that all divorced persons shall wait one whole year before they wed again is making profitable business for Reno, Nevada. Only about a dozen miles beyond the State line, the divorcees fee across this invisible barrier, and evade the law of their own state and return to live there under the comfortable feeling that they are really married. The Examiner's statistics show that over one thousand divorced Californians have thus laughed at the restriction of the state law within the past three years. Bishop Johnson's saying that California is a state practicing consecutive polygamy is well put indeed.

The Democrats of the Territory have met in convention, struggled resolutely and harmonized and out of it all have selected the following well-known Arizonians as delegates to the Kansas City convention: Dr. H. A. Hughes, Maricopa; T. G. Norris, Yavapai; J. M. Murphy, Mohave; Geo. A. Olney, Graham; B. A. Packard, Cochise, Geo. W. P. Hunt, Gila.

As alternates were chosen: J. W. Woolf, Maricopa; T. S. Buoch, Coconino; W. Y. Price, Pinal; Robt. Williams, Santa Cruz; Mulford Windsor, Yuma and T. C. Hill, Apache. J. B. Breathitt, of Pima county, was endorsed for national committee man; Wiley Jones, of Graham, presenting his name.

A resolution was passed unanimously recommending the holding of the next democratic territorial convention at Kingman, Mohave county.

The convention instructed the delegates to vote for W. J. Bryan for president and a vote of thanks was extended to Chairman Ellwood and Secretary Truman, whereupon the convention adjourned sine die.

PATRIOTIC democracy or democratic patriotism is priding itself upon the arrival in the country from Berlin, of a magnificent memorial monument to Thomas Jefferson. Moses Ezekiel an American is the sculptor. Jefferson is represented at the age of 32 bearing the declaration of independence in his hand and standing upon the liberty bell.

CAPITOL NEARLY FINISHED.  
Comparatively Little More Work on Territorial Building.

[From the Phoenix Republican.]  
Despite the hindrances in the way of its completion, the capitol is nearly finished, in fact several of the rooms, notably the executive office, are ready for use at once, had the \$130,000 building been formally accepted by the board of commissioners, and were the territorial officials in a hurry to get in their new home.

Practically all of the exterior work is completed. The roofing was finished last week, and all that remains is the placing on the top of the dome the zinc statue of Justice, which will arrive this week from Ohio.

The wood floors are all laid, and on the first floor the tiling in the rotunda is all down and partially so in the corridors. The kalsomining is all completed and the painting of the wood work is ended on the second. The moulding in the top of the rotunda is a difficult piece of work and will be finished in a few days.

The plastering, kalsomining and painting, throughout the building, is particularly good, and in fact all the work is noticeable for its excellence and the evidence of close attention to details. The wood is especially fine and was gathered from five states and territories, Texas, Oregon, Arkansas, Arizona and California. The oak is all quarter-sawed, and shows especially well in the ballustrades to be placed around the rotunda.

According to contractor Thomas Lovell, the greatest obstacle which he has had to overcome has been a scarcity of material, and of good mechanics, especially stone masons.

Since the beginning of the building, over a year ago, prices of all materials have in some instances almost doubled, in fact, the rise has been so great that the builders aver that they will make nothing on their contract. Mr. Lovell says that he will easily finish his work within five weeks, and as all the wires are in place, the 210 lights can be placed in a few hours, and all that will be necessary will be the laying of carpets and moving in the furniture.

LOST ON THE DESERT.  
Narrow Escape of C. W. Foster Form a Terrible Death.

[From the Phoenix Enterprise.]  
C. W. Foster, traveling agent of the Arizona Loan & Savings company has just had a narrow escape from death on the desert. Tuesday morning Foster hired a horse and buggy from Stevens' livery stable and stated that he wanted to drive around the city. As he was a regular patron of the stable no attention was paid to the fact when he did not show up that night or the next.

Late last evening a message was received from Florence, stating that Foster had been picked up in an almost demented condition on the desert about ten miles from the town suffering terribly from thirst and hunger, and had been brought to Florence where he was receiving care. The horse had died of thirst. No other particulars as to the length of time that he might have been lost or how he was lost have been received.

The distance from Mesa to Florence is forty-four miles. The only watering place between these points on the most commonly traveled road is Desert Wells, fifteen miles the other side of Mesa. Anyone who has traveled over the desert can easily understand how an inexperienced traveler may miss such an important place as Desert Wells. Still the twenty-eight miles distance between the Wells and Florence affords an ample stretch for man or beast to perish from want of water.

This is Sad.

[From the Williams News.]  
The carpenters and builders make so much racket in Williams these days that people are compelled to get beyond the town limits to be able to hear each other in conversation.

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[Special to the Florence Tribune.]  
There is really something peculiarly charming about Kelvin, Arizona's newest great mining town, especially in this beautiful fragrant month of May when the desert cacti is in full bloom and the birds and the bumble-bees are singing the praises of the wisdom of the great designer and creator of the universe.

Kevin is not really a tough place at all, we have lots of good people here who never forget to say their morning prayers or sing their matin lay, and who are really more kind and considerate and unselfish than many people who live in London, New York or Florence. Kelvin has of course a full quota of saloons as is customary in all new mining towns, but the brazen fellows behind the bars are generally about as good morally, geographically and perpendicularly as the average people who make greater pretensions to goodness.

The English gentlemen who are here are nice sweet cultured and refined and give great credit to Kelvin society. They are doing the nice kind sweet act toward everybody as best they can under the new pioneer drawbacks and difficulties that present themselves, they are earnest and honest in all their endeavors, and doing more good for Pinal county than has ever been done before. Messrs. Hill, Wise, Truman and Foley deserve special mention in that respect. Mrs. Hutelinius is also doing a nice Red Cross work all by herself among the lowly and discouraged and her name will be written for it on the book of gold in the sweet-by-and-by.

There is a great field to work in for missionary endeavor. The harvest is ripe but the laborers are few. We need a church and a Sabbath school, and if some one don't come soon who is conscientious and capable of conducting it all, I presume I will have to do it myself as I have learned to adopt myself to almost any emergency since I have been in the West except that of going on a spree in Kelvin, at that of course I draw the line.

Yours truly,  
JOE MULHATTON.

P. S.—It is not considered in good taste to write a post-script, yet in a great emergency I feel that I am somewhat excusable to add that Mr. T. J. Meehan and Bill Zent told me a few minutes ago that Mr. Hockett was going to run for Mayor, of Kelvin, and that the town is about to be incorporated.

News has just come in that it is now definitely known that a body of Sulphide in Kay mine over 400 feet wide is blocked out and that there is no question about it being a success in every sense of the word. A railroad is also assured between now and December, but the exact route is not to be made public for various reasons.

Truly yours,  
J. M.

Piling Up.

[From the Tucson Star.]  
The cyanide companies operating at Mammoth seem to be in a peck of trouble, judging by the numerous entries observable on the books in charge of Court Clerk Hoover and his assistant, Lewis Davis. It may truly be said that the attorneys are giving these officials lots of trouble, that is to say work, this spring and the last entry is an exemplification of this fact. These tailings have value, as the various suits entered would imply. Everybody is making money out of it, this series of law suits, so that it may be termed an ill wind blowing in the vicinity of Tucson thus early in 1909.

The latest is the filing of a suit assigned by the Mammoth-Collins Gold Mining & Milling Co., parties to the first part of the first contract made on that vast pile of tailings, waste as they were formerly designated. In early 1898 the St. Louis Gold Recovery company, parties of the second part, entered into an agreement to work the 150,000 tons of tailings in sight and pay the Mammoth-Collins M. & M. Co. a certain royalty out of the clean up.

It appears that there was an understanding that the parties of the second part were to get seventy-five per cent out of the tailings. It further appears from the complaint, that they did not get 50 per cent.

The M.-C. Co. do not go into court on this score but assign their suit to the Mammoth Cyaniding company, a distinct and separate corporation. The latter, a suit to recover, one of many now on file, placed there through their attorney.

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