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FLORENCE EXCHANGE.

Main.
11—Angulo, G. E., Florence Meat Market.
12—Barker, A. F., General Merchandise.
13—Broekway, G. M., Florence Pharmacy.
14—Broekway, G. M., Residence.
15—Canal Company, Office.
16—Clerk's office, Court House.
17—Sheriff's office, Court House.
18—Co. Treasurer, Court House.
19—Drain, L. K., Florence Hotel.
20—Keating, J. G., Tunnel Saloon.
21—Michea & Co., Florence Cash Store.
22—Powell, C. G., Residence.
23—Reppy, C. D., Residence.
24—Reppy, C. D., Tucson Office.
25—Shields & Price, General Merchandise.
26—Stevens, D. C., Montezuma Stables.
27—Thomas, J. D., Livery Stable.
28—Truman, W. C., Residence.
29—Hardy, C. W., Corner Saloon.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC TIME TABLE.

CASA GRANDE STATION.
No. 9, west-bound, daily at 8:30 p. m.
No. 10, east-bound, daily at 4:24 a. m.

County Treasurer Price was in Tucson the first of the week.

Johnny Loosley, member of the San Francisco liquor firm of Shroufe & Co., was in Florence yesterday.

Judge F. M. Doan and Court Reporter John F. Davenport returned from Solomonville Tuesday.

Henry Parry, Tom Rutledge, C. G. Harris and Henry Meeson were down from Mineral Creek yesterday.

Mr. F. E. Burgess will entertain his friends this evening at the Florence Hotel at a social dance and supper.

The nights are getting cooler, but they are not a circumstance to what the Republicans will experience next Tuesday evening.

Wm. Gould, of Casa Grande, was in town this week whooping it up for Judge Sniffen, independent candidate for district attorney.

W. A. Kimball, of Mesa, drove over from that village Thursday with Governor Murphy to take in the sights of Pinal's metropolis.

All-Hallow-E'en was appropriately celebrated in Florence Wednesday night by a general mixing up of signs, wagons and other movable articles. The boys must have their fun.

Simon Angulo & Co. are moving their extensive stock of merchandise into the Kittenhouse building, and have promised the TRIBUNE a nice "ad" as soon as they get the goods in shape.

Don't fail to attend the Mark Smith meeting at the Court House to-night. A. Orfila, Esq., one of the most gifted orators in the territory, will also address the citizens of Florence and vicinity.

C. G. Powell has purchased the Lile stock of merchandise and is offering it for sale at 50 cents on the dollar. The goods are displayed in the building formerly occupied by Jose Lopez, on Bailey street.

Ylario Delel, who was sentenced to serve a term of eight years in Yuma for killing Tadeo Herreras, was pardoned by Governor Murphy this week and returned to Florence yesterday, having served three years.

L. D. Copeland and wife came in from Phoenix Monday evening with an automobile, the first ever seen on our streets. They made the trip from Phoenix in seven hours and started for Mammoth the following day.

TAKING COMFORT.

The Way Some of the Candidates will Feel After Next Tuesday.

[From the Washington Star.]
"Yes," said the man who was sitting out in front of a log house, "there is some malaria around here."
"Do you suffer much from it?"
"I don't suffer as much as I useter. When I'm havin' a chill I think about how good an' warm I'll be when the fever comes, an' when I have the fever I think about how cool the chill will be, an' that way I manage to get right smart o' comfort."

Old-Fashioned Democrats.

[From the Public.]

One of the democratic obscurities whose names are mentioned in the list of McKinleyites is Rear Admiral Belknap, a retired naval official who declares, according to the press dispatches, that it is "an old-fashioned democrat" that he turns to McKinley. Admiral Belknap's perceptions are clear. Old-fashioned democrats were pro-slavery men. Old-fashioned democrats are Bourbons. They belong with McKinley. If more of them would go to him, more genuine democrats would come over from the republican party to Bryan. Admiral Belknap has found his right place in politics. The McKinley republican party, which he embraces, is to-day what the party of "old-fashioned democrats" was in Lincoln's time—a lover of power, an enslaver of men, and a hater of the declaration of independence.

The Murphy Meeting.

About an unfair presentation of the political issues before the people as could be made was that of U. S. Attorney Morrison at the Court House Thursday evening. He had heard of the ice trust, but no other. He called the democrats "anti-expansionists" when he knew very well that they are not, and his comparison of the Philippine question with the Louisiana purchase was the veriest rot. There was no forcible aggression and no one was killed in the acquisition of Louisiana, as Mr. Morrison should know, and hence there was no similarity in the two cases. His address left a poor impression.

On the other hand, Governor Murphy made a powerful speech, from an injured innocence stand point, and doubtless worked up considerable sympathy among those who are not posted as to the Governor and his record. If his performances equaled his promises he would be a great success as a delegate to Congress. The principal plea was for statehood, the insincerity of which was palpable, coming from Federal officials with full dinner pails in their hands, who are not anxious to give up their \$3000 a year jobs. The Governor's explanation of his connection with the funding of the Yavapai county bonds was all right, but not so as to the Pima county narrow-gauge bonds, which was far from satisfactory. The truth regarding these can be found in another column, and has been furnished the TRIBUNE by Hon. Rochester Ford, one of the attorneys in the case. The most remarkable feature in the Governor's speech was the manner in which he evaded a discussion of cession of arid lands, which has always been his pet hobby. This is a matter in which the people of this county are most vitally interested, and a policy to which they are bitterly opposed. In this respect the Governor's speech was a disappointment. He did promise, however, to assist in securing an appropriation from the government for building the San Carlos dam as a specially meritorious individual proposition, but failed to point out the utter impossibility of getting the appropriation when the vacant lands had all been ceded to the territory.

The meeting was large and not very enthusiastic, except for the singing of Miss Lorona and her brothers, who were encored. Prof. Olivas' orchestra and the Philharmonic band furnished instrumental music which was greatly appreciated. Hon. F. M. Doan, our district Judge, presided with dignity and grace, and altogether it was a perfect love feast for Federal officials, who had no complaints to make of hard times, but were loud in their praises of the prosperity that had befallen them.

New Southern Pacific Management.

New York, Oct. 30.—The Mail and Express says to-day:

"The appointment of Charles M. Hays to be president of the Southern Pacific will mark the beginning of many important changes in the western railroad system, as well as in the management of the Southern Pacific itself.
"In the first place, Mr. Huntington's aggressive and independent policy with reference to competitors will give way to a more friendly spirit, and it can be said that early steps will be taken to renew the old traffic alliance on a basis closely resembling a pool.
"In regard to the Southern Pacific itself, Mr. Hays will pursue much the same policy that he has on the Grand Trunk and Wabash. His constant aim has been to cut down operating expenses without injuring the road."

By an explosion in the wholesale drug house of Tarrant & Co., of New York, last Monday, the building was wrecked and it is estimated that over 100 lives were lost. The explosion occurred during the noon hour and many of the employees were eating their lunch in the building. There were 200 girls in the building at the time. A fire engine was destroyed by falling walls. Of 200 people eating lunch in an adjoining restaurant over twenty were killed.

Population of the United States.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—The population of the United States was announced to-day. It is 76,295,290. This is a gain of 15,225,464 over the last census; a gain of twenty-one per cent.

The End of the World in 1914.

A famous scientist predicts that the world will come to an end in 1914, basing his calculations on the revelations of the Bible. If this is so, it is well for us to get what pleasure we can out of the few years that remain for us to live. One of the surest ways to enjoy life is the possession of good health, and a well regulated stomach. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters will enable anyone to obtain this. It is the greatest medicine for the cure of ills that arise from a bad stomach. It cures dyspepsia, constipation fever and ague, malaria, rheumatism and insomnia. No other medicine can show a record equal to Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, the standard medicine of the American people for over fifty years.

The Argonaut's Argument Against Bryan.

[From the Saturday Post.]
An editorial in this interesting weekly consolidates its opposition to Bryan on the one possibility that he might as President of the United States, under present laws and in full harmony with the contract, pay all that part of the public debt incurred as a "gold" obligation in the lawful coin of the United States. The Argonaut's position is that the contract of the United States with those lending the government money gave the lawful option to pay the debt in either gold or silver at the lawful ratio of these metals. This is sixteen ounces of silver to one ounce of gold. That is what coin of the United States was when the debt was incurred. It is the lawful ratio now. This is what the Argonaut says:

"The bonded indebtedness of the United States amounts to \$1,046,000,000. All of this vast sum is represented by bonds in which (with the exception of \$200,000,000 of the war issue of 1898 refunded at lower interest during the last year) the money of redemption is denominated "gold," which may be either gold or silver at the option of the government. The option of the administration is the option of the government."

We should like to enquire why the government should not avail itself of its lawful option?

Is there any reason why the people should have the public debt increased by a nullification of the contract option to pay in coin of silver or of gold at the lawful and established ratio?

A private contract in which there was an obligation by a borrower to pay in grain and in which grain was defined to be either wheat or barley and in which the ratio of each to the other was defined and fixed with the option of payment in the borrower would be paid in the cheaper grain. Such exercise of the option would be honest. It would be valid in law. No court would nullify this contract option.

Why should the people of the United States not have the advantage of their clear contract option? The reason is that the government is controlled by the bond holders and not by the people.

In addition to the plain provision of the public debt contract that the debt was payable in coin, and that coin was silver or gold—16 to 1—is the additional strong fact that special bondholders' legislation has diminished the value of one of the coin metals—silver—and increased the value of the other—gold. Some of the legislation was secret and unavowed. The creditors' movement was widespread to exclude silver as a money measure of value and to throw the whole burden of this measure on gold. The result has been to increase the value of credits. It takes more to satisfy a debt incurred in coin with gold only as a measure of product to pay with than it would with an option of silver or gold. Fixed values such as real estate most clearly show this result. Other things being equal, real estate has shrunk in value all over the world. The effect of the widespread conspiracy to demonetize silver has affected all countries. In the literal fulfillment of the contract honesty and good faith are all on the side of the people. In the change of the contract or attempted change, dishonesty is all on the side of the creditor class.

The interpretation and fulfillment of the people's contract on the public debt has nothing necessarily to do with the present or future standard of value. A man may consider the sole gold standard best suited to present conditions. There is no reason on this account to repudiate the original public debt contract. The bondholders have sought to repudiate the contract to pay in coin. By a series of expost facto laws the agents of the bondholders seek to change the plain coin contract and to destroy the option of the people under that contract to pay silver or gold. The contract of the people with the bondholders is clear and specific. It is to pay in coin of the United States. Coin was defined in the statutes at the time. There was no uncertainty about any of the terms of the contract. A very large part of the debt obligations netted the government less than fifty cents in gold on the dollar. All of the war debt bonds were heavily discounted. In an average of years and prices the products and property of the unprivileged and great mass of the people have been more nearly of similar value at the time the debt was incurred, and since the principal has commenced to be met, measured by the silver unit than by the gold unit. The totally unexpected new discoveries and increased production of gold has diminished the difference and increase of money value due to the demonetization of silver. Had it not been for this increased production of gold the shrinkage of values, as in the case of real estate, would have been most disastrous. Real estate has indeed touched bottom. It is now on the mend. But the loss and suffering in that one class of property due to an unfair and dishonest change of the measure of value has been frightful.

Whether the future money standard measure of value is to be the gold unit, defined as to weight and fineness, just

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L. K. DRAIS,

Candidate for
SHERIFF OF PINAL COUNTY,
Regular Republican Nominee.

C. W. LEMON,

Republican Candidate for
RECORDER OF PINAL COUNTY.

If elected, will personally attend to the duties of the office.

JOSEPH J. PHEBY,

Republican Candidate for
MEMBER OF THE ASSEMBLY.

TO THE VOTERS OF PINAL COUNTY.

Having received the nomination for the Assembly, by the Republican party, I respectfully solicit your support.
F. M. POOL,
Candidate for the Assembly.

as silver is, or not, the debt contract should be strictly held to with its plain coin option.
The people should not be robbed. The government should not be cheated into abandoning its option.

TWO GIRLS TAKEN IN.

Lillian Lazeola and Emma Waters Arrested in Florence.

[From the Phoenix Republican.]
Thomas P. King, the step-father of Emma Waters, the 16-year-old girl, who was enticed away from home by Lillian Lazeola, both of whom were arrested in Florence last Monday, called at the Republican office to correct an error of statement concerning the detention of his step-daughter at the sheriff's office. It was said that she had at first stubbornly refused to go home and had used disgraceful language toward Mr. King and her mother. Mr. King denies that she used such language or refused to go home, but was ashamed to go with her blondined hair and in the "widow's weeds" with which the Lazeola woman had clothed her.

Mr. King is a respectable man, a resident of this territory for twenty years and is at present foreman of S. S. Campbell's mine at Johnson, in the Dragoons. He was called home by news of the disappearance of his step-daughter. He was much moved by the incident and said he was going to remain here until he has had some satisfaction at law, and if not by law, some other way. He says he is not particularly hopeful that the law will do anything for him. He has learned that notwithstanding the extremely flagrant crime of enticing a young girl away from home for immoral purposes the district attorney at first refused to authorize a warrant for the arrest of the Lazeola woman and did not do so until the matter was brought before Judge Street, who commanded him to cause the warrant to be issued. The next thing that discouraged Mr. King, he says, was the ridiculously low bail, \$100, on which the woman was released. He thinks if she is not as foolish as she is wicked she will not be present at her trial, and that if she should be there obstacles will be put in the way of her proper punishment.

Mr. King is engaged in looking for a young man named Berry, who, he says, is, with others, at the bottom of the matter, and the woman Lazeola is only a stool pigeon.

He related a discovery which had been made which must be alarming to mothers of young girls in the Phoenix schools. He says that for some time respectable young school girls have been receiving notes from disreputable men trying to arrange meetings. These notes have been delivered by boys and come from hangers-on about saloons, who suggest a meeting between the recipients of the notes and well known women of the Lazeola class. He hopes now to make an example of certain persons so that greater safety may be thrown about other school girls. When this matter has been disposed of Mr. King will take his family back to the mine with him.

Cramped.

"They say that the boys in camp are occupying cramped quarters."
"Yes; they are between a peach orchard and a watermelon field."—N. Y. World.

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W. H. BEARD,
Administrator of the Estate of I. C. Parkey, deceased.
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JUAN V. L.
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