

Gov. Brodie is in Flagstaff this week, looking into the Navajo Indian reservation in Coconino county, which has created considerable comment during the past few months. The cattlemen complain of the increase in the reserved land and want the government to cut down the area in order that they may have a better show. Gov. Brodie was accompanied by Chairman Cornish of the board of supervisors of Coconino county, and after making an investigation, the matter will be taken up with the commissioner of Indian affairs. —Gazette.

On February 1st Governor Taft took the oath of office of Secretary of War and took possession of the room which his father, Alphonso Taft, occupied in 1876 when he was General Grant's Secretary of War. This is not unique, for the Camerons, father and son, were Secretaries of War under Lincoln and Grant respectively, and the Grangers, father and son, were both members of the Cabinet.

There is a little matter to which the SNIPS-HERALD begs to call the attention of some of its subscribers. We really hate to speak of it; but some have seemingly allowed it to slip their minds. To us this is a very important issue; in fact it's necessary in our business. We won't speak further on the subject. Perhaps you have already guessed the drift of our remarks.

The Spanish treasury has a surplus of \$60,000,000 this year the largest ever known since King Philip. This is explained by the fact that during the last five years Spain has lost her most valuable possessions!

The school children of Connecticut are visiting the State

prison in squads as an object lesson. They will probably be given front seats at the executions. Is this for the good of the rising generation.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of Antonio Jose Ortega, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, Administrator of the Estate of Antonio Jose Ortega, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said creditors at St. Johns the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate, in said County of Apache, Arizona.

LEANDRO ORTEGA,
Administrator of Antonio Jose Ortega, deceased.

Dated St. Johns, Arizona, this 29th day of January 1904. 5-8

Summons.

In the District Court of the Fourth Judicial District, Territory of Arizona, in and for Apache County.

Anna Lund Baird, Plaintiff vs. Peter Baird, Defendant.

Action brought in the District Court of the Fourth Judicial District of the Territory of Arizona, in and for the County of Apache in the office of the Clerk of said District Court.

In the Name of the Territory of Arizona, to Peter Baird Defendant Greeting:

You are hereby Summoned and required to appear in an action brought against you by the above named plaintiff in the District Court of the Fourth Judicial District of the Territory of Arizona, in and for Apache County, and answer the Complaint therein filed with the Clerk of this said Court, at St. Johns in

said County, within twenty days after the service upon you of this Summons, if served in this said County, or in all other cases within thirty days thereafter, the times above mentioned being exclusive of the day of service, or judgment by default will be taken against you.

Given under my hand and the seal of the District Court of the Fourth Judicial District, Territory of Arizona, in and for the County of Apache this 21st day of January 1904.

(Seal) JOHN T. HOGUE,
4-7 Clerk of said District Court.

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