

## IS LOOKING FOR SOME INFORMATION

The following letter from an old timer, who was in Yuma thirty-five years ago, reached L. W. Alexander, secretary of the Yuma County Commercial Club:

Tiburon, Marin Co., Calif.  
L. W. Alexander, Esq.,  
Secretary Commercial Club,  
Yuma, Arizona.

Dear Sir—  
I note the ad regarding Yuma county, in the Sunset magazine for February, 1913, and would be very much pleased if you would kindly send me such literature as you may have for public distribution.

It is about thirty-five years ago, when Yuma was the end of railroad transportation, that, with some others, I reached Yuma one sunny morning, bought a team, outfitted and started on the merry way to Mexico, via Tucson.

Some years ago, a booklet entitled "Yuma County" fell into my hands, and I was impressed with the progress Yuma had made especially in the way of growing oranges, dates, etc.

And I am satisfied that we would all have been better off if we had "aved in Yuma when we were there; but, of course, in those youthful days you could not have paid us to remain in Yuma, or anywhere else, for that matter, for the "wanderlust" possessed us.

Recently, some friends from the East were here and, upon my being questioned as to advantageous points for settlement, I asked: "Have you ever considered Yuma?"

"The last place on the map we would want to consider," they replied. "We saw it in passing through, the other day."

"No, you didn't," I said, "you passed through it like many others, and that is all they know about it. I know about the soldier and his blankets, and I know it gets rather warm there in the good, old summer time, but you are not obliged to stay there, and a trip to San Diego during the extreme hot weather is not such a serious problem at the present time. I have a little booklet there will tell you what is quietly going on down there."

And right there is where my trouble commenced. I am satisfied that the booklet is still in the house and safely put away, but it is so safely put away that it is impossible for me to put my hands on it. I do not remember how I obtained the booklet in the first place, but when your ad met my eye, I concluded to ask you if you could furnish me with another copy, and any other literature on the same subject—which you may have. It may not result in any practical benefit to Yuma county and yet it might be the means of calling the attention of the right party to the right place. At all events, I should highly appreciate the favor and, perhaps, given a few years longer, I may have the pleasure of dropping in on you some winter's morning and thanking you in person.

Sincerely yours,  
E. JUNGEMAN.

P. O. Box 53.

MASSACRE OF GOLIA  
Col. James W. Fannin, a native of Georgia, removed to Texas in 1834, and when the Texas war of independence broke out he raised a company, known as the Brazos volunteers, which formed part of General Austin's army. After the fall of the Alamo, on March 6, 1836, he received orders from General Houston to blow up the fort at Goliad and fall back to Victoria.

Fannin delayed his retreat for some time in order to collect the women and children of the neighborhood, and, finally, setting out 300 strong, was overtaken and attacked on March 19 on the banks of Colorado creek, by General Urrea and 1200 Mexican troops. Fannin made a desperate defense and fought the Mexicans off until nightfall. The battle was renewed the next day, and after the Mexicans had lost between 300 and 400 in killed and wounded, and the Texans about 70. Fannin surrendered on the condition that his troops would be paroled. Instead of being freed, they were taken back to Goliad, where, on March 27, in accordance with orders from Santa Anna, and in the absence of General Urrea, the Texans were all shot down in cold blood, with the exception of five women and children, two surgeons and a few men who escaped after being fired upon.

MORGAN'S WEALTH  
IS \$250,000,000

NEW YORK, April 7.—The Wall Street Journal estimates the personal estate of J. P. Morgan at \$250,000,000. His supremacy in finance, it is explained, was not due to his own great wealth, but to the enormous value of the banks, trust companies and other corporations controlled by the house of Morgan. Morgan spent tremendous sums on art treasures, charities and educational institutions.

INJUNCTION IS ISSUED TO HALT RECALL PETITION

An injunction was issued last night and served today on R. H. Stanton, J. A. Ketcherside and J. H. Westover, commanding them and all persons acting in their behalf, their agents, solicitors and attorneys to absolutely desist and refrain from circulating or causing to be circulated, filing or causing to be filed certain writing purporting to be a recall petition, and citing them to appear at the courtroom of the Yuma County Superior Court, at Yuma, Yuma County, State of Arizona, at 10 o'clock a. m., April 8.

It is understood that the Hon. W. P. Cooper of Pima county will preside at the hearing tomorrow. Subpoenas have been issued for the witnesses who testified in the preliminary examination of Westover and Ketcherside in Judge Jones' court some time back, with duces tecum for the transcript of record in that case and the famous letters which were withheld from the court in that case.

Superior Judge W. P. Cooper, of Pima County, is holding a session in the Hess injunction matter, in the Superior Court today.

The injunction was denied by Judge Cooper.

## COTTON WILL BOOM YUMA LAND VALUES

With good prospects for a large cotton gin within a year and the larger acreage that will be planted to cotton preceding it, the prospects for a substantial rise in Yuma land values are good. Said Mr. M. Z. Bates, who recently visited Yuma from Texas to arrange for the building of a gin, in speaking of the Yuma valley:

"Without exaggeration, it is the most beautiful valley I ever saw, and its possibilities seem boundless.

"Taking all conditions into consideration, I see no reason why the land values in the valley should not materially increase. I do not mean from the speculative standpoint, but on productive value of the soil. I look for the Egyptian cotton crop and sugar cane to become two of the staple crops, bringing big and ready profits to real farmers.

"In many respects, this is another Southern California. I do not see how the valley is to escape much the same experience as that country has enjoyed. The big need is real farmers, a cessation of the knocking and a realization of the value of getting to the bottom of the matter."

Expressions like that from a man who knows, ought to open the eyes of those who are yet unconscious of Yuma's great possibilities.

## SECRETS OF THE NEW SEASON ARE TOLD

The fascinating secrets of the new and budding season are out.

Page after page in the newspapers everywhere is given over to the new spring styles. None is forgotten; the whole family is remembered.

Women find profound satisfaction in poring over the descriptions of the new dresses, waists, wraps, and all else that relates to personal envelopment and adornment.

Man follows less animatedly, but with a strong inclination to be influenced, for he, too, seeks to wander forth to or from business also wearing "glad clothes."

The children, gambolling lamblike everywhere, must also be remembered. So you see everybody is interested in the advertising columns.

EXAMINER readers find much entertainment and profit in the advertisements that appear in its columns. No wise merchant need be told of the value of persistent and systematic appeal.

## WOMAN'S CLUB HAS ORDERED SIGNS FOR MARKING STREETS

At the Woman's Club meeting on Saturday it was stated that the signs for marking the names of the streets of Yuma had been ordered and the city had agreed to put them in place. The Club had raised \$75.00 at an entertainment to buy the signs. The Club will meet again on April 12, with Mrs. Hitchcock.

## PROSPECTS BRIGHT FOR THE FUTURE

its own—it is reaping that measure of happiness and prosperity so richly deserved by its energetic and progressive people, and which has made further prosperity possible for all who are wise enough to cast their lot with the most thoroughly wide-awake people that can be found on the whole American continent.

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## TURNED LOOSE ON THE RANGE TO ROAM AT THEIR WILL

BAND OF ELK, IMPORTED FROM WYOMING, WILL BE AFFORDED PROTECTION

PRESCOTT, April 7.—After being corralled and fed for the past month, the eighty-five head of elk brought to Arizona from Wyoming and unloaded at Winslow in February, were turned loose on Chevelon creek last Monday, roam at will and subsist on the open range.

But one died after being released, and all started out in a bunch, with the two old leaders ahead. They were watched by rangersmen, and appeared to be perfectly contented, and indifferent of the approach of the human. So pleased are cattle owners and cowboys over the unusual sight of these animals being introduced into that region, that a strong organization has been effected to protect them from hunters or others in the future. Every man who rides the range where they are feeding, is instructed to exercise vigilance in preserving them from harm or destruction, and any one who abuses the hunting right is to be summarily dealt with. The beauty of these animals has created very much admiration for the band and to protect them is the watchword of residents of Navajo county. All Indians that hunt in that region have been especially warned that this rule will apply to them, and they have agreed to acquiesce in the order made by the white man. With the exception of five head, all the elk are yearlings. Another shipment will be received from Wyoming later in the year, and placed on the range at a point to be designated later.

## WILL NEVER TREAT WITH GEN. HUERTA

Quite contrary to reports sent out from Mexico City, Governor Carranza of Chihuahua, in an interview on Saturday, said:

"I have not and will never treat for my surrender with General Huerta. I have faith in the justice and the triumph of our cause; but, if unfortunately the nation should not second us who are endeavoring to re-establish legal order that there may reign in the liberty to which all citizens have a right, and justice is the fundamental basis of peace, I will accept the consequences of the attitude which I have taken in the present political question."

"How do you characterize and judge the death of President Madero and Vice President Pino Suarez?" he was asked.

"The death of President Madero and Vice President Pino Suarez, in the form in which it occurred, has no precedent in our history. I think the future will throw light on this act and justice will be meted out to the authors of the crime."

"In your opinion, was the resignation of these officials authentic or was it a fraud?"

"Knowing the character of these gentlemen and, more especially that of President Madero, I do not think that they resigned, and for that reason died while exercising their respective functions."

## HAD \$10,000 FIRE AT MEXICALI

A Yumaite, returning from Baja California, brings word that fire last Tuesday night caused the destruction of E. Carrillo's cantina and grocery store in Mexicali, with an estimated loss of \$8,000 to \$10,000. The fire was discovered about 1:30 a. m. and, before assistance could be given, the establishment was in ruins. It was only by the hardest of work that the Sociedad office was saved from destruction along with the saloon and grocery.

Hose carts were taken over from Calexico and water was furnished from the Calexico pumping station by which the fire was extinguished and the danger to the Sociedad offices was eliminated. Senor Carrillo is said to have carried no insurance.

## OFFICERS OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT

The following shows the result of the election of officers of the Yuma volunteer fire department:

H. Wupperman, president; C. L. Myers, vice president; W. D. Riley, secretary and treasurer; N. S. Parks, chief; Theodore Brice, vice chief; Gus Livingston, patrol.

## TRAINMAN SAYS MAN INVITED PARTY TO LUNCH AND THEN LEFT THEM

CHICAGO, April 7.—Because he sticks to his original story, despite close and persistent questioning, J. F. Lundgren, who revealed the alleged kidnapping of 20 emigrant girls en route to Chicago from New York, at Newcastle, Pa., has practically convinced the police here that the girls were spirited from the train by white slavers.

"A youth in a brakeman's cap and uniform boarded the train at Newcastle and told the girls they could stop there for lunch," Lundgren said, Saturday. "He said nothing to the older women and men who accompanied the girls, and the girls then alighted and started for the lunch room. Then the train started and I pulled the signal cord. The train stopped several hundred feet from the depot, but, before the girls could catch up with it, it started again."

"I tried to get the conductor to wait. He wouldn't listen to me. The last I saw of the girls they were running after the train and screaming for it to wait for them. None of them appeared to have any money and none could speak English."

"I am sure the youth who told them the train stopped at Newcastle for lunch, is an imposter."

## MADERO LIVES IN HEARTS OF HIS COUNTRYMEN

Among the Mexican people there is just the same radical difference such as characterized the late political campaign in the United States—Huerta and Diaz in place of Taft, et al., versus Carranza and Madero in place of Roosevelt.

The latter, however, escaped the bullet of the assassin, as an act of Providence, and is still vigorously in the Progressive fight, while Madero lives only in the hearts of his patriotic countrymen, and speaks through Carranza now. Huerta as the military head of Mexico was, very likely, the real murderer of Madero, while in our country, of course, President Taft occupied no such position, and, as every true American believes, would readily have risked his own life to have prevented any attempt on the life of Roosevelt.

El Imparcial de Texas, a leading Spanish paper, published at San Antonio, Texas, in the current issue, runs the following six-column head on its front page: "Los Traidores Maytorena y Carranza," meaning that the governors of Sonora and Coahuila are traitors for having refused to sanction the murder of the legal rulers of Mexico and the success of a band of murderers.

The Diaz Tories of Mexico have since murdered, in cold blood, Governor Abraham Gonzalez, one of the best men of Mexico, and many others of less note, most of whom were patriots who sought to modernize Mexico—many of them having received their education in the colleges of the United States. Their impulse to benefit the Mexican people was strong, and for this they were sincerely hated by the Tories of our sister republic.

The seed sown by the patriots sacrificed to freedom's cause will live on in the hearts of the great masses of the Mexican people, just as the unselfish lives of Washington and Lincoln will furnish inspiration to the American people for all time.

## NEW BOARD OF GOVERNORS

The new board of governors of the Yuma County Water Users' Association met last evening and elected John Harmon of the Valley secretary and E. G. Caruthers treasurer. The vote of the board was a tie for secretary—three votes each were cast for Mr. Harmon and Mr. A. K. Belthoover, who held the position for two years past. President Donovan cast the deciding vote for Mr. Harmon.

Two hundred dollars was voted to ward the expenses of the Commercial Club's committee, which is soon to go to Washington to help hasten the completion of the Yuma project.

The new board of governors consists of six members, as follows: A. F. White, Joe Henry, Henry Hansberger, M. A. Gilmer, George Schutz and C. P. George.

Wonder how Sidney Draken felt to see everybody Love-Joy at the Elks' Bazaar.

Come to the Bazaar tonight, Wade in (Wadin) and have a good time.

## LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION  
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Arizona, March 14, 1913.

Notice is hereby given that Irvin S. Hovatter, of Wellton, Arizona, who, on February 19, 1908, made Homestead entry, No. 1365-04119, for S½NE¼, SE¼NW¼, NW¼SE¼, Section 33, Township 8 South, Range 18 West, G. & S. R. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make five-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before U. G. Wilder, U. S. Commissioner, at Yuma, Arizona, on the 22nd day of April, 1913.

Claimant names as witnesses: J. Ames Chappell, W. N. Proebstle, Robert Gail Emory I. Proebstle, all of Wellton, Arizona.

FRANK H. PARKER, Register.

## LEGAL NOTICE

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Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Arizona, March 14, 1913.

Notice is hereby given that Edward C. Cumming, of Somerton, Arizona, who, on May 8, 1906, made Homestead entry, No. 03431, for Lots 1 and 2, and E½NW¼, Section 18, Township 10 South, Range 24 West, G. & S. R. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make five-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before U. G. Wilder, U. S. Commissioner, at Yuma, Arizona, on the 22nd day of April, 1913.

Claimant names as witnesses: Johannes N. Johannsen, Robert H. Theilmann, Eggert Holling, Charles Barker, all of Somerton, Arizona.

FRANK H. PARKER, Register.

## LEGAL NOTICE

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Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Arizona, March 14, 1913.

Notice is hereby given that John H. Haynes, of Yuma, Arizona, who, on November 2, 1903, made Homestead entry, No. 4766-02947, for NW¼, Section 13, Township 9 South, Range 23 West, G. & S. R. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make five-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before U. G. Wilder, U. S. Land Commissioner, on the 24th day of April, 1913.

Claimant names as witnesses: Albert C. Byrnes, William H. Lyon, John Whitcher, Charles P. LaBatt, all of Yuma, Arizona.

FRANK H. PARKER, Register.

## LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION  
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Arizona, March 14, 1913.

Notice is hereby given that Miles McBroom, of Somerton, Arizona, who on March 5, 1908, made Homestead entry, No. 1417-04166, for SW¼, Section 8, Township 10 South, Range 24 West, G. & S. R. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before U. G. Wilder, U. S. Land Commissioner, Yuma, Arizona, on the 23rd day of April, 1913.

Claimant names as witnesses: J. A. Tschopen, J. N. Johannsen, W. A. Hevener, Jas. S. Garvin, all of Somerton, Arizona.

FRANK H. PARKER, Register.

## LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE FOR POSTING AND PUBLISHING SERIAL NO. 021549

Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, Phoenix, Arizona, March 6, 1913

Notice is hereby given that the Santa Fe Pacific Railroad Company, by Howell Jones, its Land Commissioner, has this day filed its application, Serial No. 021549, in this office to select under the provisions of the act of Congress, approved April 21, 1904, (33 Stats., 211.) the following described lands:

Gila and Salt River Meridian, Arizona

In Township 8 South, Range 13 West: S½NW¼, S½ Sec. 20; all Sec. 27, all Sec. 28, N½ Sec. 34. In Township 10 North, Range 25 East: E½ of Sec. 9.

In Township 28 North, Range 1 East: NW¼ of Sec. 26; S½NE¼, S½SW¼, SE¼, Sec. 34.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the lands described, or desiring to object because of the mineral character of the land, or for any other reason, to the disposal to applicant, should file their affidavits of protest in this office, on or before the 26th day of April, 1913.

FRANK H. PARKER, Register.

Sentinel: First publication March 13; last publication April 17—6 weeks.

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## LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION, NO. 09464, NOT COAL LANDS  
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Los Angeles, California, March 7, 1913

Notice is hereby given that Stuart Edgar, of Bard, Cal., who, on March 30, 1910, made homestead entry, No. 09464, for farm unit "D" (S½S½SE¼) Section 27, Township 15 South, Range 23 East, S. B. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before the register and receiver, United States Land Office, at Los Angeles, California, on the 19th day of April, 1913, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Claimant names as witnesses: Norella S. Heyser, Alfred G. Titsink, Laura Robinson, W. H. Heyser, all of Bard, California.

FRANK BUREN, Register.  
Inter Ocean, first publication March 14; last publication April 11—5 weeks.

## LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION  
Not Coal Lands—No. 012742  
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Los Angeles, California, March 18, 1913.

Notice is hereby given that James M. Reed, of Palo Verde, Cal., who, on June 1, 1912, made Homestead entry, No. 012742, for SE¼, Section 15, Township 9 South, Range 21 East, S. B. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before the register and receiver, United States Land Office, at Los Angeles, California, on the 29th day of April, 1913, at 10 o'clock, a. m.

Claimant names as witnesses: David E. Smith, of Los Angeles, Cal.; Clarence H. Lockwood, of Redlands, Cal.; Gordon W. Geiger, of Palo Verde, Cal.; and Justice Smith, of Palo Verde, Cal.

FRANK BUREN, Register.

## LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE FOR POSTING AND PUBLISHING, SERIAL NO. 021547

Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, Phoenix, Arizona, March 6, 1913

Notice is hereby given that the Santa Fe Pacific Railroad Company, by Howell Jones, its Land Commissioner, has this day filed its application, Serial No. 021547, in this office, to select, under the provisions of the act of Congress approved April 21, 1904, (33 Stats., 211.) the following described lands:

Gila and Salt River Meridian, Arizona

SE¼, Sec. 7; N½, SW¼, N½SE¼, Sec. 17; E½, E½W¼ and Lots 3, 4, of Sec. 18; N½NE¼, E½NW¼, Lots 1, 2, Sec. 19; Township 7 South, Range 14 West; S½SE¼, Sec. 12; SE¼, SW¼NE¼, N½N½, Sec. 13; S½, E½W¼, Sec. 23; all of Sec. 24; NW¼, N½NE¼, Sec. 26; N½, Sec. 27; Township 7 South, Range 15 West; Lots 3, 4, E½SW¼, Sec. 18; Lots 1, 2, E½NW¼, Sec. 19, Township 5 South, Range 10 West; S½, Sec. 27; Township 4 North, Range 1 East; S½ Sec. 9; S½ Sec. 10, Township 8 South, Range 16 West.

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FRANK H. PARKER, Register.

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