

**THE FLORENCE TRIBUNE**  
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FLORENCE, ARIZONA, JULY 6, 1899.

J. S. Sniffen returned from Globe Monday.

Sheriff Truman went to Casa Grande Sunday to look after his fences.

Miss Anna M. R. Reid took Monday morning's train for Los Angeles.

Constable R. George Morse, of Casa Grande, spent the 4th in Florence.

A. F. Bellamy and family, of Tempe, were visiting the Bartlesons this week.

Chas. Smith, the cattle man, was in town this week looking for a game of solo.

Harry Whitford's foreman, Frank Ennis, was down from Silver King Wednesday.

N. B. Dodge and S. Heineken, traveling north from Tucson, came in on yesterday's stage.

H. D. Parkinson, the shirt and clothing man, is displaying his samples at the Florence Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. M. Foreman returned Wednesday from Tempe, where they spent the 4th.

Willie Benson was down with the measles, but is up again all right. It is hard to keep Willie down.

Miss Veda Bullock, of Mesa, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Thos. G. Peyton. She expects to go home today.

Ed. Devise has been appointed Librarian of the Parmelee Library, which is now open to members at the drug store.

District Attorney W. R. Stone and family left Thursday for Stockton, Cal., where they will spend the heated term.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Eley returned last Saturday from the San Pedro, and their many friends welcome them home again.

Miss Nellie Bartleson took yesterday's excursion for Los Angeles, where she will visit friends for several weeks.

A number of young men from the U. S. Geological Survey spent the 4th in Florence, and all seemed to have a good time.

Judge Herr granted a marriage license on July 3rd to Albert Hayes and Mattie List on a telegraphic request from Casa Grande.

Sad news was received this week of the death of Adolf Goldschmidt, of the Eagle Flour mills, Tucson, which occurred in San Francisco.

Captain John G. Keating has had his residence surrounded by a handsome iron cresting, and it now presents a much improved appearance.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Darham came down from Hinton Wednesday, and went home yesterday. Miss Anna Griffin returned with them.

Mrs. Borena Whitlow and children expect to leave today or tomorrow for Mesa where they will visit the family of Mr. Allen Whitlow.

Jesse McKenzie's boy, who was bitten by a snake last week, has recovered from the effects of the poison, and is now all right. He had a close call.

Chas. Hardy and family have moved into Mrs. Lannigan's house, on Main street. Tom Feyten and wife have gone to the Sylvester place, in the east end of town.

Last Sunday night at Camp Verde, Yavapai county, E. M. Rodgers and Clinton D. Wingfield, store-keepers, were foully murdered by an unknown man who is now at large.

Sheriff Truman will act as cicerone for a party of ladies who start Monday for Jack Fraser's Bloomerville ranch. Since Colonel Bob Williams left there is no one else to undertake these delicate functions.

Mrs. P. E. Brady and children will leave Monday for the Catalina mountains for an outing. Her son Henry, with his family, will accompany them. Mr. Brady, Sr., will join them about the 1st of August.

The 4th of July was appropriately celebrated in Florence with races, fireworks and a dance. There were no mishaps except a premature pyrotechnic display, and a jolly time was had by all who participated.

George F. Cook came down from the San Pedro Sunday to attend the meeting of the Board of Supervisors. Jesse Mayhew was up from Casa Grande on the same mission. Chairman Kersey was on hand, of course.

DIRT—In Florence, July 3, 1899, Sarah Morrison Brady, aged 6 years. Deceased was the only daughter of County Treasurer P. R. Brady, Jr., and was a beautiful little girl. In her untimely death the family sustains a great loss, and they have the sincere sympathy of the entire community.

BORN—In Florence, July 3, 1899, to the wife of J. D. Thomas, a son. Mother and child doing well.

BORN—In Florence, July 5, 1899, to the wife of Jose R. Lopez, a son.

Mrs. H. V. Jackson, of Detroit, Mich., arrived Tuesday. She is the mother of Harry Jackson, who was formerly District attorney of this county, and has considerable property interests here, which she has come to look after.

Mrs. H. V. Day, of St. Louis, who has been visiting her brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Reppy, for several months past, will leave next week to spend the remainder of the summer in California. She will first go to Ventura.

Miss Fannie Bartleson, Miss Mary Bartleson and Miss Lillian Reid will leave Monday for J. J. Fraser's ranch, in the Pinal mountains, where they will be met by Mrs. J. A. Marshall (Mr. Fraser's sister) and other ladies from Phoenix. The ranch is one of the most delightful spots in Arizona, situated as it is among the pines, with an abundance of clear cold running water. It was formerly the home of the Hermit Hermit.

Colton's surveying party will start out tomorrow morning for the Superstition mountains and will run a base line east to the neighborhood of Globe, where a township will be surveyed. The party consists of A. T. Colton, Allen Whitlow, Charley Whitlow, A. J. O'Goador, Walter Bailey, Phil Welles, John Brady, Fred Merritt, Harvey Elliott and Juan Gay. They will have a "packing" outfit of ten animals, and expect to be gone two or three months.

**The Sagacious Rat.**

[From the Boston Journal.]  
One day a well fed and sagacious rat, whose sole occupation seemed to be to take care of a liberal piece of cheese. Having had several years' experience with mice and their machinations, the rat looked the ground over with great care, and he was still engaged in this occupation when a mouse appeared and wanted to know what was up.

"Why, the fact is," replied the rat, "I have more cheese here than I can possibly eat at one meal, and as these quickly spoils in this climate it was waiting for some one to come along and accept a portion."  
"You are generous," said the mouse.

"Don't mention it. Just step aside and pass the cheese out, will you?"  
"The mouse had no sooner nibbled at the bait than there was a crash, and he found himself trapped.  
"Ah, that's the way it works, is it?" queried the rat. "I couldn't just make it out. Um! See. Spring there somewhere. Good idea."  
"But I'm caught," exclaimed the mouse in great agitation.

"And what's to be done?"  
"Well, I leave that for you to decide. I let you in on the ground floor, and my responsibility ceased there. Fine day. Hope we shall have a good harvest."

Moral.—Experience acquired at the expense of others is soothing as well as valuable.

**How to Kill Ants.**

[From the Phoenix Republician.]  
Mr. T. M. Bowers was interested the other day in reading of a way to get rid of ants, now employed on the sawmill grounds, by sinking an empty tomato can into the ground, the top level with the surface of the earth. The ants fall into the can and cannot get out. Mr. Bowers says this method is successful only as to the ants that get in but the number is so small in comparison with the whole number of the pests that the method is practically useless. Besides, it doesn't interfere with the propagation of another set of ants. Mr. Bowers was once employed at the asylum as an attendant when the ant question was under consideration. The shortcomings of the tomato can process had been discovered and Mr. Bowers was about to employ another plan, when a sudden change of administration occurred and thousands of ants were spared. He has since depopulated many an ant hole by means of it. He bores a small hole with a crowbar on each side of the ant hole and puts in a table spoonful of bisulphide of carbon. He covers this with dirt thoroughly tamped. The fumes of the destroying drug thus permeate the earth in the vicinity of the nest and all the insects as well as eggs are destroyed.

**An American Railroad in China.**

Moneyed men from the United States have secured a franchise for building a railroad from Hong Kong to Han Kow, China, a distance of nearly 700 miles. While railroads are necessary to a nation's prosperity, health is still more necessary. A sick man can't make money if there are a thousands railroads. One of the reasons why America is so progressive is the fact that in every drug store is sold Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, that celebrated tonic for the weak, appetizer for the dyspeptic and sedative for the nervous. It is taken with great success by thousands of men and women who are run down, pale and weak. It increases the weight, and the gain is permanent and substantial.

**Elopers Brought Back.**

[From the Phoenix Republician.]  
Deputy Sheriff Shankard returned Tuesday morning from Casa Grande, accompanied by A. J. Hayes of New York, and Miss Bettie List of Glendale, the couple that eloped last Saturday while the parents of Miss List were attending the installation of officers of the Rebels at Phoenix. They were met at the depot by the parents and brother of the young lady who took her in charge. The meeting of mother and daughter was quite touching. Hayes was not royally received, yet it was noticed that Mr. List did not express anger toward him as was anticipated. Hayes was escorted to the jail and placed in the bridal chamber.

Hayes stated the reason of the elopement was that they were afraid the father would object to the marriage and then the chance for elopement would not be so good. They are both 19 years of age. The marriage at Casa Grande, Hayes saying they went before a justice of the peace who telegraphed to the probate judge of Florence, asking for the issuance of the marriage license. An answer was received to the effect that it had been issued and would be forwarded by the next mail. The justice then went on with the usual wedding proceedings. Even though the license had been issued, it would not be legal without the consent of the girl's parents, as she is not yet of age. There is a rare possibility of the truthfulness of this tale, although it is extraordinary and unreasonable, for Arizona justices of the peace have been known to do queer things.

It was stated by the local press that Mr. List had objected to the attention shown his daughter by Hayes. This is denied by him, as Hayes had worked at Glendale several months and was looked upon as a nice young man. The girl is only seventeen years old, and although strange, Hayes committed three offences when they eloped, i. e. horse stealing, fraudulent possession of money and abduction.

A masked man entered the O. K. saloon, kept by Tommy Smith, in Prescott, a little before midnight last Saturday night, and presented a revolver at Smith's head, with the usual, "Throw up your hands." Instead of complying with the request, Smith grabbed the gun, wrestling in from the would-be robber's grasp, and clubbed the latter into unconsciousness with it. Then he called an officer, who placed the man in jail. The man is a stranger here. Smith had between \$300 and \$400 in the saloon at the time.

MARRIED—In Toronto, Canada, July 1, 1899, Hon. T. G. Norris, of Prescott, and Miss Laura W. Sharpe, Miss Sharpe has occupied positions as teacher, both in the Arizona normal school and in the Prescott public schools, and is very highly spoken of by all who know her. Mr. Norris is a leading member of the Prescott bar who needs no introduction to anybody in Arizona.—[Prescott Courier.]

The odor of sweet peas is very objectionable to flies, and when placed in a sick room they will keep it free from these tiresome pests.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly falling to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address, F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

**Excursion Rates.**

On account of the annual meeting of the National Educational Association at Los Angeles, July 11th to 14th inclusive, the Southern Pacific will place on sale June 27th to July 10th inclusive, round trip tickets to Los Angeles at one fare plus two dollars. The return limit will be September 4th. Reduced rates will be made to all points of interest from Los Angeles. The first excursion leaves Casa Grande Friday, May 26th, at 5 a. m., and the same time every Friday during the season to the following points: Santa Monica, Long Beach, San Pedro, San Buenaventura and Santa Barbara. Rates from Casa Grande will be \$24.40 for the round trip, good for ninety days from date of sale. Stop-over privileges will be allowed only at Colton and points west thereof. Rates to Avalon, Santa Catalina Island, will be \$2.25. J. Moonz, Agent, Casa Grande, Arizona.

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**HE FOUND A DEEP LEAD.**

Theoretical Prospecting Meets with Success in Mineral Creek.

[From the Phoenix Republician.]

Word comes from the Mineral Creek mining district that James O. Colquhoun, superintendent of the Arizona Copper company, has opened up one of the most interesting copper prospects to be found in that rich section of the territory or any other mining district in Arizona. Mr. Colquhoun entered upon the development of his prospect to satisfy a theory which came of careful geological deductions in regard to the presence of a deep lead which did not come to the surface in the usual outcroppings to show its trend. A shaft was sunk, and at a depth of forty feet the vein was encountered. Ore was taken out for a depth of seventy feet on the vertical sinking of this ledge, proving the presence of the deep lead at the point where sinking was begun. The fact that seventy feet of ore was met with shows that the shaft was sunk, striking the vein square and following it as long as the pitch of the vein did not get away from the vertical line of the shaft. The ore found is talcous, is white as lime and the copper values run very high.

The success of Mr. Colquhoun in this unusual departure in prospecting will no doubt attract the attention of mining men throughout the country. It at least proves that there are deep leads contained in the secondary formation of mineral regions, and another possibility is added to mining which makes it all the more alluring.

**Concerning the Fight.**

[From the Chicago Times-Herald.]  
At great expense and after much trouble we have succeeded in obtaining the following opinions:

George Dewey—Jeffries won without losing a man, but I still claim that I am the only one who ever refused \$5,000 for a magazine article.

W. S. Schley—I have nothing to say concerning the name of the person who actually did it. There ought to be glory enough for all who didn't bet on Fitz.

F. Funston—They say Fitz fairly swam in blood. I notice that none of the state fair associations are trying to get him to do it again for a purse.

W. R. Shafter—I would like to know the name of the man who rubbed Jim's head.

Albert Edward—Fitz was monarch of the ring for a long time, but everyone's reign must come to an end sooner or later. It is this thought that enables me to contemplate the defeat of my countryman with complacency.

R. P. Hobson—Fitz went down, but I did it first. Now perhaps he will be able to realize that republics are magnificent.

Joseph Wheeler—Oh, I don't know, Jeffries is not so numerous. They haven't got him engaged to any great man's widow, as yet.

Russell Sage—If I had only known. Hoch der Kaiser—They say Jeffries is the greatest man on earth. But I have not appeared in the ring already.

**An Epidemic Diarrhoea.**

Mr. A. Saunders, writing from Coconut Grove, Fla., says there has been quite an epidemic of diarrhoea there. He had a severe attack and was cured by four doses of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. He says he also recommended it to others and they say it is the best medicine they ever used. For sale by Brockway's Pharmacy.

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By authority vested in me by the Board of Supervisors of Pinal county I hereby offer a reward of \$250 for the arrest and conviction of the person or persons who murdered one James Lee at Shultz, Pinal county, Arizona, on or about September 14th, 1898.  
W. C. TRUMAN,  
Sheriff.

**Jose R. Lopez.**

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