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Thomas Jefferson
Third President of the United States.

Budweiser

DIRECT into your home it comes—a square and honest product—foaming, sparkling and alive with the true re-creative energy and filled with the power of both sun and soil.

“Budweiser” flowing melodiously from the bottle is a wondrous, pleasant drink. How delightful—the penetrating odor of hop gardens—the subtle fragrance and charm of barley fields in harvest time.

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AMERICA has furnished to the world the most conspicuous Apostle of Personal Liberty that ever lived.

The Declaration of Independence (the creation of his genius) is an eternal monument to his fame—more enduring than statues of marble or bronze.

As a statesman in Congress he advocated the brewing industry as an aid to agriculture and rational temperance; and upon several occasions he bought and freighted rum, wine and whiskey to the brave soldiers of the Revolution. He himself declared that the juice of the malt was never absent from his board.

Thomas Jefferson was a splendid athlete, a crack shot; and in his prime at the old Raleigh tavern he delighted to enjoy his “cakes and ale” or dance half through the night with the fair maids of old Virginia.

At eighty-three he died, regretted by the nation he helped to create. His deeds and written thoughts absolutely and irrefutably prove that good malt beer is not injurious to mind or body.

“The Writings of Thomas Jefferson,” by Paul Lester Ford, Vol. 1, page 279; Vol. 3, page 441; Vol. 10, pages 112, 116, 121; Vol. 11, page 49; etc. Morse's Biography, pages 5 and 8. Shouler's History of U. S., Vol. 1, page 99. Encyclopedia Americana, Vol. 5—Jefferson.”

FINANCIAL CATASTROPHE IS NOT IMPENDING

Mayor Coggins Shows How a Deficit Would Be Avoided.

A circular issued by Mayor Coggins made its appearance yesterday. It was in reply to a financial statement made in relation to the closing of the saloons in which it was shown that the city would be deprived of about \$20,000 revenue in the event of the carrying of local option.

In the circular the mayor recalls the predictions of financial ruin in the event of the abolition of gambling and he takes the ground that the present fears of bankruptcy are as groundless as the fears then were. He says:

“I therefore address you, the business men and voters of Phoenix and vicinity, to refute the misleading statements now being circulated, that the city of Phoenix cannot run without the saloon license. Since our ‘dusty’ times of a year and a half ago, when the saloon license was raised to produce revenue, we have acquired a valuable asset in the form of municipal water works, from which we derive a sufficient revenue to offset the money received from saloon licenses. We can run the city on water, instead of whiskey, and while our citizens will pay no increase in your water rates, you will still be paying a half million dollars into the coffers of the saloon by voting to close them.”

“We can run this city the coming year without increasing indebtedness one cent; and without increasing your water rents one cent, all without the saloon or its license money.”

“There's no question about the country being vastly benefited financially by closing the saloons.”

“The question with me is not ‘to what extent have the saloons or liquor interests been able to violate the laws of the state of Maine or Kansas?’ but rather ‘Shall we close the saloons in Maricopa county, and see that the liquor interests obey the law which we shall adopt?’”

“Now, if this financial talk which the saloons are giving you is the same old bluff which has proven false before, and you believe we can run our city without their revenue, then I ask you, does the moral question enter into this election?”

“It certainly does. Mr. Voter, it is a question of right or wrong, not finance; don't be fooled into voting for what you know is wrong. You can vote to close the saloons and not be the loser one cent. The question and the only question before you is—Do you want the saloons closed or do you not? If you do, then vote to close them.”

WHITEWING SEASON IS SETTING IN EARLY

The Doves Are Already on the Desert in Large Numbers.

The boys who hunt, and have had their guns laid away for the past two months, since the quail season closed,

are now polishing them up and getting ready for the biggest summer season on doves and whitewings on record. Hunters who have been out the past week, and there have been a great many reports that they never seen so many doves as are here now, and nearly all the birds killed have been squabs; out of 85 birds two hunters got Thursday, there were two old doves, the balance being fat young squabs. They are feeding now on small black seed on the desert, and on wheat.

California only has a short open season on doves, with a limit of 25 birds per day per man, and that limit is seldom reached by the best shots on account of the scarcity of the birds. The writer saw more doves in one day this week on a five-acre wheat field within six miles of Phoenix than he saw in a dozen or more hunting trips for doves in California.

All the sports who have been out the past week have killed or seen a few whitewings close to town, which is very unusual for this time of year. South of Tempe, and along the Gila river, and Salt river near the junction, whitewings are quite plentiful; one hunter brought in eighteen a week ago.

Fish and Game Commissioner Pinney has recently been examining the sloughs along the Gila and Santa Cruz rivers southwest of town, taking temperature of water, depth, character of bottom, and samples of water for analysis, with the view of stocking some of the sloughs with a better grade of fish next fall.

Cinnamon teal and grey ducks are still in the country, and are in fine condition. Hunters who have been along the rivers and sloughs the past two weeks have brought in from six to a dozen ducks apiece. The middle of May usually sees their finish.

Young rabbits are now large enough to be fine eating, and cottontails are reported very numerous.

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Old Mission Carlo auction sale continues daily at 2:30 and 7:30 p. m. All goods to be sold regardless of cost.

HOMES WANTED FOR A BOY AND A GIRL

A Phoenix Mother Who Would Appreciate Kindly Help During Her Misfortune.

The Republican has received a letter from a woman residing in this city

Let no food impair the powers of the stomach. Eat

DR. PRICE'S WHEAT FLAKE CELERY FOOD

which is the most perfect food for the brain workers, clergymen, lawyers, merchants, growing children, and the muscle working classes.

who is in distressing circumstances, as shall be here set forth, and whose address will be furnished to any interested person who will apply at this office with a view of rendering her assistance.

She has three children and has received no assistance in their support from their father for the last five years. The mother is not now in good health and finds it impossible to provide for herself and all her little ones. She would like to place the two younger children, a girl of 11 and a boy of 6, in good homes where they will be kindly cared for until her health improves and she can get a little start in life, when she hopes to be able to pay for their board. The mother feels that she is now able to work, however, an can do so as soon as she can get her little ones provided for.

The case is referred to those charitably disposed persons who are in a position to offer homes for these children, and as mentioned above, the name and address can be secured at The Republican office.

AMUSEMENTS

ARIZONA SCHOOL OF MUSIC.

Mrs. Amalia Schmidt Gobble sang three beautiful numbers, her high, clear tones and perfect enunciation being noticeable with every note. “All Love, but a Day,” was followed by “A Madrigal” and “The Hills o' Sive.” The last two songs are by Victor Harris and enabled Mrs. Gobble to score a big hit. She responded to demands for an encore with the wonderful man love song, “Ich Liebe Dich,” and again held the audience responsive to the spell of her music.—Davenport Times.

Mrs. Gobble is to give her song recital here Tuesday evening, May 5, at the School of Music. She will be assisted by Mrs. May French Cooley. Tickets, 50 cents, are on sale at the Adams pharmacy. No reserved seats.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Bids will be received by the undersigned up to 2 P. M. Saturday, May 2nd, 1908, for the erection of a Y. M. C. A. building complete at Phoenix.

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In Tooth Brushes at BEARS'

See our prices and compare the Goods.

THE BEAR DRUG STORE

Opposite City Hall.

Arizona. Bids will also be received from sub-contractors for any portion of the work, which bids may be given for furnishing both labor and material and for furnishing the material without the labor, or the labor without the material.

Propositions will also be received from any person who may desire to submit a proposition to build said building as the agent of owner, superintendent of construction or construction engineer.

Propositions may also be submitted for building said building on any plan not herein suggested.

Complete plans may be examined by contractors at the office of J. W. Dorris and at the office of Frost & Creighton, Architects, Room 412 Flaming Block. All bids must be accompanied with a certified check of one and one-half per cent of the bid, or proposition, made payable to the Chairman of the Building Committee, as a guarantee that the bidder will furnish a satisfactory bond, if required, and enter into a contract to carry out his said bid.

The Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

J. W. DORRIS,
Chairman of Committee.

Silk Shirt Waists

Values in Silk Waists in \$5.00 and \$6.00; colors tan, brown, navy, black and white; plain and embroidered effects. To close out each

\$2.45

Economy Sale!

The following items will give you an idea of the economy to be realized by attending our week Sale, beginning Saturday, May 2nd and Ending Saturday, May 9th.

Everything will be as represented, besides numerous bargains not mentioned.

Ladies' Petticoats

Pres De Sole Petticoats for ladies in black, brown, tan, navy and white. Values \$2.00 and \$3.50. **1-5 OFF**

Muslin Underwear

Corset Covers, Muslin Drawers, Underskirts, Night Gowns, and Combination Garments. All qualities **1-5 OFF**

<p>EMBROIDERIES.</p> <p>New Edges, Insertion and Sets of Fine Cambrie Embroidery; values up to 20c; during sale, per yd. 10c</p>	<p>IMPORTED HOSIERY.</p> <p>Positively the best value in Ladies' Imported Hosiery. Hermsdorf Fast Black Eye, values 35c per pair; special 25c each or 5 pair \$1.00</p>	<p>DOMESTICS.</p> <p>Unbleached Muslin, staple brand L. L. 25 in. brown muslin in quantities heretofore sold for 8 1-2c and 19c per yard; sale price, yard 7 1-2c 14 yards for \$1.00</p>	<p>SILKS.</p> <p>25 inch Taffeta, yard wide Taffeta Silk in black, white and wine; values \$1.25 per yard; special price per yard \$1.00</p>	<p>DRESS GOODS.</p> <p>Mohair and Panama, all 75c grades of Woolen Dress Goods, Panamas and Mohairs, 36 and 40 inches wide; Special, yard 50c</p>	<p>HAND BAGS.</p> <p>Now and Novel Hand Bags in values 50c to \$4.00; colors black and brown; special 1-4 OFF</p>
<p>FLOUNCINGS.</p> <p>Wide Flouncings and Fine Corset Cover Embroidery in values up to \$1.50 per yard; all fine materials, at 1-4 OFF</p>	<p>BLEACHED MUSLIN.</p> <p>Best known brands of 12 1-2c Bleached Muslin such as Lonsdale and Fruit of the Loom; special per yard 11c Hope and other brands, special per yard 10c</p>	<p>HOSE, 3 PAIR 50c.</p> <p>Ladies' Fast Black Hose, in value well worth 25c; as an inducement we offer, per pair 20c or 3 pair for 50c</p>	<p>RAW SILK AND PONGEE.</p> <p>Copenhagen blue, reseda, brown, wine and blue shades of raw silk and natural color domestic pongee in embroidered dots; values \$1.00 per yard, 27 inches wide; special per yard 75c</p>	<p>\$1.00 VALUE OF WOOLENS.</p> <p>Widths up to 44 inches in all staple and novelty suitings of \$1.00 grades of Spring Dress Goods; special per yard 70c</p>	<p>KID BELTS.</p> <p>Assortment of Kid Belts in tan, brown, black, blue and red; value up to \$1.00. Special, each 50c</p>
<p>LACES, 5c PER YARD.</p> <p>English Tortions 1 inch to 3 inches wide, and French Vals, in Edges and Insertions; values up to 15c per yard; special, per yard, 5c</p>	<p>CHILDREN'S HOSE.</p> <p>Sizes 6 to 9 1/2 in Children's Ribbed Fast Black Hose in an extra value; per pair 12 1-2c</p>	<p>PERCALES AND GINGHAMS.</p> <p>Light and Dark Percales, staple colors in Gingham in 12 1/2c quantities; widths 27 and 32 inches; special per yard 10c</p>	<p>MULLS AND SUMMER SILKS.</p> <p>Fancy Spring designs and colors in light weight Silk in 6c and 7c values; 27 inches wide; special per yard 45c</p>	<p>CHALLIES AND PLAIDS.</p> <p>50c grades of Wool Challies in floral patterns and fancy plaids in new colors; special, yard 35c</p>	<p>VEILINGS.</p> <p>Fancy and Plain Veils and Veilings in all grades and colors; no limit as to quantity; special 1-4 OFF</p>
<p>REMNANTS.</p> <p>A saving of one-fourth to one-half can be realized on remnants of Wash Goods, Table Linen, Woolen Goods, etc.</p>	<p>LADIES' WHITE HOSE.</p> <p>Plain and Tan Hose for ladies in white; extra fine values; per pair 35c and 25c</p>	<p>CALICOES.</p> <p>All best grades of Calicoes such as Simpson's and Americans in blues, grays, etc.; special, yard 6 1-4c</p>	<p>JAP SILKS.</p> <p>Colors, pink, blue and red, black and white Jap Silk, 27 inches wide, in 50c quality; special, yard 38c</p>	<p>STRIPED LINENS.</p> <p>Natural color Linen with stripes of red, blue and green; value 35c yard, 27 inches wide; special price per yard 27 1-2c</p>	<p>LINEN COLORS.</p> <p>Fancy embroidered colors in tailored effects; values 35c each; sale price 25c</p>

LONG KID GLOVES.

16 button length, extra quality Kid Gloves in tan, brown, white and black; values \$2.50 and \$4.00; special per pair **\$2.95**

SHORT KID GLOVES.

\$1.50 values in Short Kid Gloves in tans, browns and modes; sizes complete and each pair guaranteed; special per pair **\$1.15**

SILK GLOVES.

Long Silk Gloves \$1.00 values of in brown, gray, black and white; values up to \$1.75; special per pair **\$1.45**

Short Silk Gloves in white, gray and black; sizes complete; special per pair **65c**

Japanese Fans in fancy, floral and oriental patterns; at **10c & 20c**

LISLE GLOVES.

Long Lisle Gloves in black, white, tan and brown; values \$1.50; special, pair **\$1.35**

Short Lisle Gloves in black and white; per pair **75c to 35c**

HOSIERY SPECIALS.

Extra value in Ladies' Black Hose, all sizes, 3 pair for **25c**

Fast Black Hose for ladies; a special lot, at 2 pair for **25c**

White Wash Belts, plain and embroidered, each at **75c to 10c**

LADIES' SKIRTS.

Woolen Skirts for Ladies in spring styles in values from \$3.50 to \$15.00; Special **1-4 OFF**

WASH SKIRTS.

White, tan and blue Wash Skirts for ladies; sizes complete. A special discount of **10 PER CENT**

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