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Yesterday was the longest day in the year.

Mrs. Chas. Goodin and son Joe were in Phoenix this week.

W. Y. Price went to Tucson Wednesday and returned yesterday.

Mrs. F. M. Doan and her son Frank will go to Phoenix to-morrow.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Truman expect to go to Casa Grande Monday for a few days' visit.

Smith Turner was bound over to await the action of the grand jury, and is now in the Tombstone jail.

Miss Annis Keating returned last Saturday from Tucson, where she has been attending the Slaters' school.

The wife and daughters and daughter-in-law of Colonel W. H. Griffin left Wednesday for their old home in Dallas, Texas.

Shields & Price commenced threshing Tuesday. Their machine is working well, and the grain is turning out splendidly.

MARRIED—In Ventura, Cal., June 19, 1901, by Rev. C. B. Rogers, Mr. John H. Peppy and Miss Sarah A. Kelsey, all of Ventura.

Supt. D. D. McArthur, of the Sacaton Indian School, has been transferred at his own request to the bonded school at Siletz, Oregon.

Frank W. Doan returned Thursday from San Jose, Cal. He will be in Phoenix next Tuesday to fulfill an important engagement.

Miss Edna Martini, of Phoenix, who has been visiting her relatives, the Angulos, for the past three weeks, returned home Tuesday.

Simon Angulo returned to Casa Grande Thursday from California, and came home yesterday. The trip improved his health considerably.

Claude and Natalie Michea will leave by next Thursday's S. P. excursion for the coast, and it is probable Miss Mary Sweeney will accompany them.

County Treasurer A. F. Barker returned Wednesday from San Francisco, where he was suddenly called on account of the death of his mother.

George B. Chittenden left last Monday for Red Rock, where he will superintend the transportation of the reduction machinery to his Saddle Mountain mines.

A force of fifteen men with half a dozen teams is repairing the dam of the Casa Grande Valley canal, getting ready for the rise in the river which is near at hand.

Charles von Erleben, the Tucson civil and mining engineer, was in town this week from the Kelvin country. He expresses himself as much pleased with that section.

Mr. H. Bashman, who has some excellent copper prospects adjoining Tom Hall's claims, near Kelvin, was in town Thursday and made a pleasant call at the Tribune office.

Next week Mr. W. B. Reid of Casa Grande will commence shipping his Thompson's seedless grapes to St. Louis and Chicago, where they will doubtless be the first in the market and bring a handsome price. They are unusually fine this year.

Friends of John McCarthy in this county are much alarmed over his disappearance, an account of which is given in this issue. His young wife, who is living with her grandfather, Peter Cosgray, near Hunton, has the sympathy of everyone.

The young men of Florence will give a grand ball next Monday evening, June 24th, at Keating's Hall, in honor of Misses Georgia Colton, Annis Keating and Nellie Spinas, who have just returned from school. The affair promises to be most successful.

Alejandro Gay got "gray" Thursday evening, assaulted his wife and adopted sister and was placed behind the bars by Under Sheriff George E. Truman. At his trial yesterday afternoon Judge Hickey sent him to jail for ten days without any monetary consideration.

James R. Meskimmons has been appointed superintendent of the Pima agency school at Sacaton and will take charge the first of July. Meskimmons is well known in Phoenix, having formerly been a member of the high school faculty and later in charge of a department of the Indian school.

Last Tuesday night the jewelry store of Juan Solis, opposite the Tribune office, was burglarized, and six watches stolen. Three of the watches belonged to Cornelio Angulo, Juan Aguilar and Juan Luna, and had been left with Solis for repair. Entrance was effected by cutting a back screen door. No trace of the burglar has been discovered.

A Good Suggestion.

EDITOR TRIBUNE: The Southern Pacific Railroad has had a well bored artesian well at Casa Grande for the purpose of obtaining a supply of pure water for their engines, and now a second is being sunk near it for the same purpose. It is also stated that the first well was 750 feet deep, and that the last 450 feet was in sandstone, though the drill did not go through it, and that when the drill was pulled out the water rose to within 40 feet of the surface, and the railroad company decided that it would be better for them to use this supply of water by pumping, rather than continue through the sandstone and risk getting a flow of salt water. It is probable that if the work had been continued through the sandstone a flowing well would have been the result, and if of pure water the question of irrigation would have been solved for Pinal county. We are all interested in its solution, but we are too poor to undertake it alone.

There is, however, no reason why the Board of Supervisors should not make a contract with these parties for a well in the Court House yard to supply the Court House with water, and no reason why it should not be carried to a depth that would give a flowing stream, if they believe it would be for the interest of the county to do so.

I merely offer this as a suggestion that the Board of Supervisors could act on at the July session if they saw proper to do so, and while the contractors are still near enough to be consulted.

I have the honor to be,
Very truly,
J. H.

The young men of the town have taken in hand the matter of a Fourth of July celebration. A meeting was held Thursday evening, and it was determined to have fire works, horse-racing, foot-racing, steer-tying, and a base ball match with the Sacaton team if it can be arranged. The programme has not been fully perfected, but enough is known to warrant the announcement that Florence will have a first-class celebration, so all who come from abroad on that day will not be disappointed.

Maldonado, Greitzer & Co. is the name of a firm recently established at Teller City, Alaska. The senior member is Fernando B. Maldonado, of our county, who, in addition to performing well his duties as traveling representative of H. Levi & Co., of San Francisco, is largely interested in mercantile houses in Florence, Casa Grande and the one first mentioned. Fernando is a living example of the fact that the climate of Southern Arizona has no disastrous effect on a man's energy.

Mrs. C. D. Peppy gave a souvenir luncheon Monday afternoon to a number of her young lady friends, who seemed to enjoy the occasion very much. Those present were Misses Fannie, Hogle and Mary Bartleson, Misses Myrtle and Pearl Griffin, Miss Georgia Colton, Miss Rosa Lewis, Miss Bettie Sears and Miss Beulah Herr. In the evening a number of others dropped in and had a good time.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union will hold its last meeting for the summer next Thursday at 4 p. m. at the residence of the president, Mrs. W. J. Bley. Reports of the treasurer and others will be given, the year's work summed up, and the society adjourned subject to the call of the president. All members interested in the work should be present at this meeting and help on the plans for the future.

Two prominent citizens indulged in a street fight Tuesday evening, but were parted after each had drawn blood. By the way, did you know that a "prominent citizen" is one who escapes arrest and succeeds in keeping his name out of the newspapers when he gets into trouble. If you didn't know it, you know it now.

James Morse and his sister, Mrs. J. M. Ochoa, with her daughters Mary and Edna, came over from Tucson last Saturday. Mrs. Gabriel E. Angulo (daughter of Mrs. Ochoa) with her children, joined them at Casa Grande, and all are now domiciled at the Angulo residence.

First Submarine Cable, Which was made from an ordinary wire, insulated with gutta percha, was laid across the English Channel about fifty years ago. It was also about the same time that Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, the world renowned dyspepsia cure, was first introduced to the public; and its success as a family medicine during those years almost eclipses that of the submarine cable, while today it stands alone as the one reliable remedy for dyspepsia, indigestion, flatulency, constipation, biliousness, nervousness or insomnia. If you are a sufferer from these diseases, it is because you have never tried the Bitters. Try it at once, if you would be well. It will strengthen your entire system, and produce sound sleep, and good health must naturally follow.

John P. Clum in Alaska.

The Seattle Times of May 29th notes the arrival there of John P. Clum, chief post office inspector, on his way to Alaska to attend to some pressing postal matters that require his immediate attention. Mr. Clum came direct from Washington and will proceed north immediately, going first to Dawson, by way of the lakes and the river, and thence to Nome. He expects that it will be necessary to establish many new postoffices and postal routes in and to the new diggings that are being opened up from time to time. Mr. Clum has been north twice before, once to Dawson in the first stampede, where he superintended the arrangements for bringing in the mail from the outside, and later to Nome, where he established the first postoffice. The Times says Mr. Clum deserves the credit for the excellent and efficient postal service that Alaska now enjoys.

Clum is a good man in any position you put him. As sergeant in the signal service at Santa Fe, N. M., back in the 70's; afterwards agent for the Apache Indians at San Carlos, where he brought the renegades Victoria and Geronimo on the reservation without the aid of the military, he proved to be the right man in the right place. Coming to Florence in 1878, he owned and edited the Arizona Citizen and afterwards moved the plant to Tucson, where the paper is still being published. Disposing of the Citizen, he, in company with T. R. Sorin and C. D. Peppy, established the Tombstone Epitaph, the first issue being in May, 1880. John P. Clum was Mayor of Tombstone and also postmaster in the liveliest days of that once lively camp. As his partner for a number of years the writer desires to pay tribute to John P. as an able, upright man, honest and true to his friends and not vindictive to his enemies—quite different in the latter respect from his "wicked partner."

The Passing of Tom Burns.

Tom Burns, who became notorious on the San Pedro in more ways than one, was shot and killed on Friday of last week near Dudleyville, by a Texas cowboy named Miller Wallace, a quiet and inoffensive young man. Burns had abused Wallace and threatened to kill him, and the result was what might have been expected. The coroner's jury at once exonerated Wallace.

The Tucson Citizen says: Burns came here fifteen years ago and has been working on the ranges of late years. For a time he was employed as Well-Fargo's shot-gun messenger, and it is said that he has thirteen notches upon his six-shooter which record the end of so many lives at his hand. He was a member of the force which pursued and captured the Southern Pacific train robbers, Sontag and Evans, who held up the train at Fresno, California, about seven years ago. In the capture Sontag's eye was shot out and the robber died from the wound. Burns claims to have fired this shot. In the division of the reward money Burns and a man named Wittig quarreled. Both men opened fire at the same time. Each thinking that he had killed the other made good his escape from the pursuing officers.

Burns has been in many gun scrapes in Arizona, and seemed to like to be known as a gun-fighter.

Last Tuesday night about 7 o'clock a fire broke out in some hay stored in a house adjoining the parochial residence, on the plaza, and but for the prompt assistance of citizens with Stempel fire extinguishers might have resulted disastrously. As it was, the loss was trifling. Father Bezemart wishes through the TRIBUNE to thank those who assisted in subduing the flames. The ubiquitous small boy with his cigarette is probably responsible for the fire.

Money for Irrigation.

The creation of an arid land reclamation fund, from the proceeds through the sale of western public lands, to be used in the construction of irrigation works, is a proposition which will commend itself to every interest. The people of the west should, of course, support it to a man, while there can certainly be no opposition from Eastern Congressmen.

Excursions to the Coast.

Summer excursion rates to Santa Monica, Long Beach, San Pedro, San Buenaventura, Santa Barbara and Avalon will commence on Thursday, May 19th, and run every Thursday, leaving Casa Grande at 8:35 p. m. Rate, \$24.40 for the round trip, except Avalon, \$25 extra. Tickets good for 90 days. Final excursion leaves on August 29th next.

J. MOORES, Agent.

Religious Notice

Beginning with November, preaching services at the Florence Presbyterian Church on the second and fourth Sabbaths of the month. Preaching services Sunday, 11 a. m. and 7:15 p. m.; Sunday school every Sunday at 10 a. m.; Christian Endeavor every Sunday at 6:30 p. m.; prayer meeting every Wednesday at 7 p. m. All are cordially invited to these services. H. B. MAYO, Pastor.

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Rescinding instructions received the day before from the department of justice, a telegram came yesterday to United States Marshal McCord from Attorney-General Knox informing him that he must at once assume charge of his office. Marshal McCord has accordingly made arrangements to attend the session of the United States Court to be held at Prescott. He has appointed Francis Reno of Tucson a deputy marshal on the recommendation of prominent and responsible residents of Tucson. There are yet another and a chief deputy to be appointed.—[Republican.]

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Summons.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE Second Judicial District, in the Territory of Arizona, in and for the County of Pinal.

John H. Wellington, plaintiff, vs. S. L. Young, defendant.

The Territory of Arizona sends greeting to S. L. Young, defendant. 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 Second Judicial District in and for the County of Pinal, in the Territory of Arizona, and answer the complaint filed with the Clerk of this Court, at Florence, in said County, within thirty days, (exclusive of the day of service) after the service upon you of this Summons.

This action is brought to remove a cloud from the plaintiff's title to the Copper Glacier Mine or Mining claim, situate in the Riverside Mining District, County of Pinal, Territory of Arizona, and to establish and quiet his title to said mining claim, as in said complaint more fully set forth. And you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer the complaint as above required, judgment by default will be taken against you, and the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief prayed for in his complaint.

Given under my hand and the seal of said District Court at Florence, this 22nd day of May, A. D. 1901.

(SEAL) DANIEL C. STEVENS, CLERK. By ALBERT T. COLTON, DEPUTY CLERK. First publication May 22, 1901.

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