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OF LOCAL INTEREST

TOWN PROPERTY SOLD—C. A. Chambers has sold through the agency of B. G. Pecka his house and lot at 708 South Third avenue to Mrs. Hattie Buckley, the price being \$350. Mr. Pecka also made two sales of property in the Kirkland subdivision of the Murphy addition. One was lot 15 in block 7, to K. Johnson, for \$250. The other sale was that of lots 6 and 7 in the same block to R. S. Davidson for \$625, a part of the bargain being that Mr. Pecka should throw in a portable house.

NOT CRAZY—A man was arrested by the police yesterday afternoon on a vagrancy charge, who was at first believed to be insane. But after he got to the jail he insisted that his strange conduct was physical and not mental, giving a very plausible theory for his belief. He said the vermin which inhabited his clothing had been digging into his hide so extensively that he sometimes felt if he did not get relief he would go crazy. He seemed to lack the ambition necessary for a general cleaning up, and the police will endeavor to place in operation measures

for his relief. It is suggested to readers of The Republican that they arrange to stay out of jail for a few days until there is some report of the campaign against the vermin.

TALK ON FOREIGN MISSIONS—The Women's Foreign Mission society of the First M. E. Church will hold a meeting this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the church. The meeting will be addressed by Mrs. Kuntz, who has traveled extensively in India, China, and Japan. Though not a missionary herself, she is deeply interested in mission work and has been a close observer of missionary methods and results. She will speak on the subject of missions from the standpoint of a tourist or a traveler.

RANCH AND TOWN PROPERTY—H. S. De Sollar, of Denver, has sold through the agency of Greene & Griffin to Miss Nellie C. Carey, of Peoria, Ill., an eighty acre ranch described as follows: The east half of the north-west quarter of section 33, township 3 north, range 1 east. Two other sales are reported from the same firm of Churchill addition property. Mrs. Hattie L. Bolton and mother decided to A. L. Higgins lot 12 in block 11, the consideration being \$640. The other transaction is the sale by L. H. Rhuart of lot 8 in block 6 to Ricardo Jerez for \$1. That is a cheap buy for Mr. Jerez, but it is suspected that only a part of the truth has been placed on the record.

INSPECTION OF B COMPANY—Major Bishop, detailed by the war department for that duty, last night inspected B company, N. G. A., at the

armory. Colonel McClintock was present with Major Lamson and Captain Grinstead, regimental adjutant. There was a very good attendance of the members of the company under Captain Parks' command, and a very satisfactory appearance was made. Major Bishop also inspected the equipment and company property generally. He will leave for the south side today to inspect the companies at Tempe and Mesa.

SALE OF A HOME—Harry Robinson yesterday sold a tract of ten acres near the Indian school to Dr. O. L. Mahoney. Mr. Robinson has bought the property of Dr. Mahoney and had made improvements on it, intending to make it his home. Lately, however, he determined to return east and sold it back to the original seller at an advance.

NEW SUITS—Suit was filed in district court yesterday by the Unitype company against S. H. Purcell for the collection of twelve notes of \$30 each. The notes were given in 1903 to be paid in regular order. On the first note \$19.50 had been paid and that was the first and last of the defendant's money that ever passed into the hands of the plaintiff. Suit was also begun by the Lyons and Raas company against Lee Brizze for the collection of a balance of an account amounting to \$213.75.

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FOR OVER SIXTY YEARS. Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for Diarrhoea. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

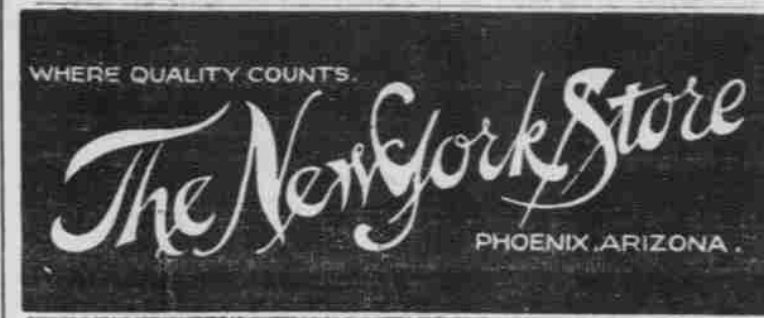
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THE CITY SUED—The Phoenix Enterprise yesterday began suit against the city of Phoenix for the collection of a printing bill of \$406, the price charged for the publication of the notice of the primary election. This bill was presented at the last regular meeting of the council and was rejected on the ground that it was exorbitant. The complaint rests upon two circumstances. One is that the council asked the plaintiff to print the notice and the other that the law fixes the price. It is not stated in the complaint who fixed the law.

See Our Increased List of Bargains in Saturday's Paper.



Shortage of paper at the Republican office does not permit of mentioning more today.

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25 SHORT LENGTHS OF FANCY MADRAS, from 10 to 20 yards in piece; brand new 36-inch wide Waist, Dress, and Shirt Material in stripes, dots, and figures, quoted as a bargain at 20c, reduced today to, yard 15c	50 PIECES OF FANCY BATISTE LAWNS—mostly light grounds with colored dots and figures, 28 inches wide, considered a remarkable bargain at 20c value. Today, yard 10c
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32-INCH NATURAL COLORED PONGEE—Domestic make, yet far and away ahead of the customary 65c quality. Special today, yard, 48c	2 PIECES OF 36-INCH, WHITE DRESS LINEN, an excellent 60c grade, much in demand for waists and shirt waist suits. Extra special today, yard 39c
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YARD-WIDE PURE SILK PONGEE—A chance to buy your spring costume for less—it's the regular \$1.00 grade going today at, yard 83c	BLACK TAFFETA SILK—36 inches wide, with superb, lustrous finish; a grand value at the low price of, yard 93c

SHE PAID HER FINE AND HAD MONEY LEFT

Mrs. E. Bean Wanted to Lay Ground-work for Another Complaint.

There was an interested audience in the court of Justice Burnett yesterday afternoon. The occasion was the preliminary hearing of Mrs. E. Bean who had been arrested on the complaint of Prosper Bordone, charging her with grand larceny. According to the story of the complainant a friend of the woman had given the complaining witness \$90 to be applied to the rent of a building in the vicinity belonging to Mr. Bordone. The latter had accepted the money, and, according to the woman's story, that a friend of hers, who was pretty well gone with strong drink, had given her a handful of money with which to rent the building about which she had been talking.

She said she took the money to the room of Bordone but without any intention of renting the house. In reply to his insistence that she should close up the deal then and pay her the money she said she would take the matter under advisement until the next morning. Then she put the money in the bank and her arrest followed.

This statement of the case was partially borne out by one of the employes of the place and at last the man who had contributed the money went on the stand. He knew very little about it. He said that there were several persons in the room when the financial transaction took place. Overcome by two nights and one day of unbroken pleasure he was trying to sleep when some demand was made upon him for a loan or a gift, he was not sure which. He believed that something was said about the rental of a house. But that did not concern him. He remembered that he had handed a handful of money to somebody, he was not sure to whom and he did not care. He supposed at the time that it was the purchase price of sleep and that whoever got the money would let him sleep. He had since learned that there was about \$120 in the handful.

The woman acted as her own attorney, the attorney whom she had retained refusing to appear. She made a very good job of it though, and cross examined the witnesses very skillfully. It was decided that the case was not a subject for grand jury deliberation and she was dismissed. This case was immediately followed by another in which the woman was the defendant and Mr. Bordone the complainant. After her arrest for grand larceny, and after she had given bail and returned to her room in the hotel of Bordone, she got out into a conspicuous place and told the proprietor what she thought of him. The names she called him were unprint-

able. When the accusation was read to her she said it was the truth, but not all of it. She had called Mr. Bordone all those things and more which she would be glad to repeat in court. The judge told her that that was unnecessary and fined her \$20, which she cheerfully produced. While she was producing the court turned aside to blush.

The woman laid a twenty dollar bill on the desk and then said: "Now I have another twenty I would like to pay into court for the privilege of licking Bordone right here." The indulgence was not granted.

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AVENUE LOTS SOLD—Carl Schulz has sold through the agency of J. Ernest Walker five lots on Grand avenue in the Grand Avenue addition. The consideration was \$350. The new owner expects to improve them.



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REGISTRATION—Up to last evening 240 citizens had placed their names on the great register for the coming election.



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results from plumbing installed by unscrupulous plumbers than from all other causes in toto. Some people are so anxious to save a dollar or two they don't care who does the plumbing so long as the price is low. Such people consider themselves very shrewd. What's the result? Leaky joints, trashy material, constant repairs, continual expense.

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