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GIVEN PENSIONS: The late Silas M. Johnson, while serving as superintendent of the Maricopa Indian Agency, became interested in these old Indians upon hearing of their prowess as Union soldiers in the Civil War. None knew they were entitled to pensions. With the assistance of George W. P. Hunt, then governor, and Carl Hayden, senator, efforts were begun years ago which eventually bore fruit, and one or two survivors did get some compensation. Most of them had served as scouts, enlisting from what then was known as Maricopa Wells. Mrs. W. W. Priest of Phoenix, owner of this photo, recalls her father relating how the group, while in the state capitol office of the adjutant general, were asked to tell dates of certain events. With them was their tribal historian, whose only record was a notched stick. After a bit of serious concentration on the stick, he would tell the dates to an interpreter, and upon reference to records they were found to be exact. Pictured in rear, left to right, are Cheroquies, Moh Ush, Machie Gulack and Moll Daker; front row, Chaequets Am, Hamaware Quinreal and O Juan.

Capt. William Hancock, Noted Pioneer, Lies In Modest Grave

BY JAMES M. BARNEY

In the old burial grounds to the southwest of the city of Phoenix is an unpretentious grave marked only by a plain white marble slab furnished by the United States War Department. There lies all that is mortal of Capt. William A. Hancock, one of the most notable pioneers of Phoenix and the Salt River valley.

A soldier of his country, he lies apart from his comrades—in a quiet, restful spot—in that long-abandoned "city of the dead."

William A. Hancock, soldier, surveyor and lawyer, and often called the "Father of Phoenix," was a New Englander by birth, born on May 17, 1831, in the town of Barre, Mass. His father, Nathan, and his grandfather, Nathan S., also were both natives of Barre, the former passing his entire life there. His mother, Catherine W. (Lee) Hancock, was a daughter of Henry Lee and a niece of Gen. Samuel Lee, who took a prominent part in the War of 1812.

Managed Farm

Young Hancock was educated in the public school of his native town and in Leicester Academy and, when 16, took charge of his father's farm, which he continued to manage until 1853, when he decided to cross the plains to California.

With his brothers—John and Henry—he went to Iowa in the spring of 1853, bought livestock and, in general, made full preparations for the long and hard overland journey to the Pacific coast.

Traveling by way of Council Bluffs, the Platte and North Platte, the Sweetwater, South Pass and the Humboldt River valley, they arrived at Sacramento, Calif., and settled down upon a ranch some nine miles north of there. They succeeded in bringing safely across the plains some 275 head of livestock and for eight years carried on a thriving business raising cattle and horses for the western markets.

In 1856 Mr. Hancock returned East on a visit, going by way of the Isthmus of Panama. His father died the following year and, in 1858, Mr. Hancock returned to the Pacific coast by the same route he had taken East.

Joined Infantry

In September, 1864, he volunteered in the Seventh California Infantry and was mustered into service at the Presidio, near San Francisco. In February, 1865, he was sent to Fort Yuma, Calif., and during that same year was transferred to the Arizona troops, being mustered into Company C, First Arizona Volunteers, on September 1, 1865, with the rank of second lieutenant, and was ordered to Camp McDowell, Ariz. He was promoted to a first lieutenancy on June 20, 1866, and mustered out of the service on September 13, 1866.

ley, Captain Hancock started up a small store under the firm name of William A. Hancock and Company. The location of this establishment was near the center of the original Phoenix settlement, not far from the residence of Jack Swilling.

An advertisement announcing the opening of this business first appeared in the press of Yavapai county on September 17, 1870, and stated that "We have opened a store near J. W. Swilling's and intend to keep on hand all kinds of groceries, provisions, dry goods, clothing and a general assortment of merchandise."

Captain Hancock and associates did not operate this enterprise very long and, having received the appointment of postmaster of the settlement, he established the post office in Jim Murphy's country store, where his friend—George E. Mowry—assumed the duties of general clerk and attended all mail matters.

Murphy's store—the first established in the valley—was located on the Tempe road (Van Buren street) just east of Seventh street.

About this time the Salt River Valley settlers, having decided to lay out a town in the valley, organized a townsite company and located half a section of land for that purpose, this area now being the business center of Phoenix—bounded on the north by Van Buren street, on the east by Seventh street, on the south by Jackson street, and the west by Seventh avenue.

Captain Hancock, having learned something of surveying, was engaged to lay out the future city of Phoenix in the fall of 1870.

The survey of the townsite was completed in about a year, or in the autumn of 1871. In the meantime, Captain Hancock had built an adobe house—beginning that task in December, 1870—which,

"Before the separation of Maricopa county from Yavapai, and until the county courthouse had been built, it did duty as court room and justice's office, and the probate judge, treasurer, recorder, sheriff, and in fact, all the county as well as town officers, transacted their business here. Here assembled the first board of supervisors, and its narrow walls echoed to the sound of many a stormy debate."

First Meeting Held

The late Francis A. Shaw, who was a member of the first board of supervisors, gave the following information concerning this first meeting place:

"After the county bill was passed by the legislature and the county officers had been appointed by Governor Safford, we met at the rear of Hancock's Store for our first session and made it the regular meeting place. All the county officers had to find space in the building and we paid Captain Hancock \$10 a month for its use. We did not have much room but the business of the county was not heavy and somehow we were able to get along—some of the first county officers but seldom appearing in the office of the board. Our furniture at that time consisted of a few tables and chairs. Later the courthouse was moved to South First avenue where we had more convenient quarters."

Press Tells Of Store

Even as late as 1881 the local press published a brief article about Hancock's Store and, as proof that the construction of this building was always regarded as marking the very beginning of Phoenix, the newspaper remarks are quoted here:

"In December, 1870, Judge W. A. Hancock commenced the erection of the first house built within the limits of the half-section at present occupied by the town of Phoenix. This building was a one-story adobe and was completed early in the spring of the following year. It was first used as a storeroom but at present (July, 1881) the drugstore of Dr. B. L. Congers, on Washington street, occupied it."

"At the time that Captain Hancock commenced to build, the whole number of dwelling houses in the Salt River valley could not have exceeded a score."

But 'great oaks from little acorns grow,' and so it has been with Phoenix and the surrounding valley; the humble pioneer, one-story adobe building on Washington street has for company many buildings that would grace the business streets of many more pretentious cities than Phoenix."

Appointed Sheriff

On the formation of Maricopa county by the legislature, Captain

Wants and Business Locals.

WANTED.

WANTED—Old rags and cloths, either linen or cotton, for Phoenix Hospital. Parties who desire to donate may leave the same either at the hospital or at Wilson & Mealey's photograph gallery.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—10 dozen hens; good stock. J. S. Griffin.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Estate of Mary M. Estabrook, Deceased

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administrator of the estate of Mary M. Estabrook, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within ten months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator at the office of the clerk of the probate court at the court house in the city of Phoenix, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate, in said county of Maricopa.

L. L. PLANK, Administrator of the estate of Mary M. Estabrook, deceased. Dated at Phoenix, this 10th day of Feb 1902 2-12

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Estate of Joseph H. Estabrook, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administrator of the estate of Joe. H. Estabrook, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit the business of said estate, in the city of Phoenix, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate, in said county of Maricopa.

L. L. PLANK, Administrator of the estate of Jos. H. Estabrook, deceased. Dated at Phoenix, this 10th day of Feb. 1902 2-12

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Estate of William Church, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, E. J. Bennett, administrator of the estate of William Church, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within ten months after the first publication of this notice to the said E. J. Bennett, administrator at his office, No. 16 North Center street, Phoenix, Maricopa county, Arizona, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate in said county of Maricopa.

E. J. BENNETT, Administrator of the estate of William Church, Deceased. Dated at Phoenix, this 29th day of January, 1902. 1-29-02

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE

THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE TERRITORY OF ARIZONA, AND FOR THE COUNTY OF MARICOPA.

Hathaway, Soule & Harrington, Libby, Brackett & Co., Cutler, Lyons & Field, G. E. Keith Co., R. S. Reynolds P. Cox Shoe Manufacturing Co., F. S. Oliver, Assignee, G. W. Ludlow & Co., A. W. Rich Shoe Co., vs. Petitioners Joseph Campbell, Respondent

Whereas, upon reading and considering the petition of the above named petitioners and Certui que Trusts, on the 15th day of February, 1902, it satisfactorily appears that the respondent and trustee, Joseph Campbell, has permanently left the territory, to take residence elsewhere, and that the trust property, described in the petition of petitioners herein, requires that a trustee be appointed in the place and stead of said respondent and trustee, Joseph Campbell, and upon motion of Thos. J. Prescott, attorney for the petitioner and Certui que Trusts.

It is therefore now ordered, that the said Joseph Campbell, respondent and trustee herein, show cause at a regular term of the District Court to be held at the court house at Phoenix, in the county of Maricopa, Territory of Arizona, on, or before, the 1st day of May, 1902, what, if any reason there be, why Thos. J. Prescott should not be appointed trustee of the property described in said petition, in the place and stead of said respondent and trustee, Joseph Campbell, and why said petitioners should not have such other and further relief as may be just.

Further ordered, that a copy of this order be served upon the said respondent and trustee, Joseph Campbell, by publication in a newspaper published in the county of Maricopa, Territory once a week for four consecutive weeks. Enter: WEBSTER STREET. Judge.

FOR SALE.

Law library and office fixtures, consisting of first class line of text books and state reports, Pacific Reporters, and one cabinet letter file, two roller top desks, one safe, one long flat desk, one typewriter and other office fixtures such as chairs, maps etc. Inquire of F. E. Daggs, Rooms 1 and 3 Porter Building Phoenix.

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

Of the Clinton Consolidated Mining Co.

Know all men by these presents, that we, the undersigned, desiring to incorporate ourselves under the laws of the Territory of Arizona, and especially an act of the Legislative Assembly of the Territory of Arizona, in effect September 1st, 1901, for the purpose of engaging in the business hereinafter specified, do make, sign, and acknowledge according to law these articles of incorporation.

Article I. The names of the incorporators are: Geo. K. Brown, L. H. Flanders and W. C. Calhoun and the name of this incorporation by which it shall be known in all of its transactions is the "Clinton Consolidated Mining Co."

The offices and principal places of transacting its business is and shall be the City of Phoenix, Maricopa county, Arizona Territory, and at Denver, state of Colorado, or any other state or place that the board of directors hereafter may see fit to establish.

Article II. The purpose for which this corporation is formed, and the business in which it shall be privileged to engage is as follows, to wit:

Carrying on the business of prospecting and developing mines of gold and all other minerals; buying, selling, giving and taking leases and bonds and leases; sending prospectors to any and all parts of the United States and territories, also foreign countries; buying, selling or working mines of any kind or description; building and operating smelters and mills of all kinds; building wagon roads, railroads or switches or anything necessary for carrying on a general mining business; buying or otherwise acquiring lands for town sites or real estate of any description; plating or selling town lots or otherwise investing in real or personal property or any mercantile business, as the directors may deem to the benefit of the corporation, in the state of Colorado, Territory of Arizona, or in any other place in the United States or elsewhere; or do any other act or business any natural person might or could do as an individual; to deal in any and all classes or kinds of personal property whatsoever; to erect and

maintain any and all kinds of machinery, water power, steam power, electric power, telegraph, telephone, or telephone apparatus or lines, or any other matter, business, or property that the board of directors may see fit to buy or engage in that any natural person might or could do as an individual.

Dated Phoenix March 3rd 1902.
J. ELLIOTT WALKER,
Treasurer and Ex-Officio Tax Collector,
Maricopa Co., A. T.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Estate of William M. Riley, Deceased

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administrator of the estate of William M. Riley deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said administrator at the office of R. S. Goodrich situated over the Valley Bank, Phoenix, Arizona, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate in said county of Maricopa.

HARRY L. BIXBY,
Administrator of the estate of William
Riley, deceased.

Dated Phoenix, this third day of March 1902. 3-3

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Article VI. The officers of this corporation shall be a president, and may be first and second vice-president, secretary and treasurer, who shall be elected annually by the board of directors at such time as may be designated by the bylaws of this corporation, provided: That the president shall be elected from among the board of directors, and the vice presidents, secretary and treasurer may be elected from the stockholders or the board of directors.

Article VII. The directors of this corporation shall hold office for the term of one year after their election, and until their successors are duly elected and qualified.

Article VIII. The highest amount of indebtedness or liability to which this corporation is at any time to subject itself, direct or contingent, is the sum of seventy five thousand dollars (\$75,000.)

Article IX. The stockholders of this corporation, and their private property shall be exempt from the corporate debts of this corporation, and from any and all liability therefor.

Article X. The board of directors shall have power to establish bylaws, and to make all rules and regulations deemed expedient for the management of the corporate business and affairs.

In witness whereof, we, the undersigned, have caused these presents to be executed, and have signed and acknowledged the same this 8th day of March A. D. 1902.

GEO. K. BROWN,
L. H. FLANDERS
W. C. CALHOUN

State of Colorado
County of Arapahoe,

Before me, a notary public, in and for the aforesaid county and state, on this day personally appeared Geo. K. Brown L. H. Flanders and W. C. Calhoun, known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged to me that they executed the same for the purposes and considerations therein expressed.

Given under my hand and official seal this 8th day of March A. D. 1902.

GEO. D. NOBLE, Notary Public. My commission expires on the 19th day of May, 1904.

Filed and recorded in the office of the Secretary of Arizona this 18th day of March A. D. 1902, at 3:05 P. M.

ISAAC T. STODDARD,
Secretary of Arizona.

Recorder's Office,
Phoenix, Maricopa Co. A. T.

Filed and recorded at request of Western Investment Co. March 18, 1902 at 2:35 p. m. Book 9 Incorporations. Pages B. F. McFALL,
By A. S. Arthur, Deputy.

NOTICE OF TAX SALE.

In accordance with the Revised Statute of Arizona Territory of 1901, respecting the collection of delinquent taxes:

Notice is hereby given that unless the taxes delinquent together with the costs and percentage, are paid, the property as shown by the delinquent tax list of Maricopa county, of the year 1901, upon which taxes, costs and percentage are a lien, will be sold at public auction as required by law, and notice is hereby given that sale of property will be held at the front and north door of the court house of said Maricopa county, in the city of Phoenix, Arizona Territory, and will begin on the fifth Monday in March 1902 (March 31st) at the hour of ten o'clock

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JUDGE KENT'S ARRIVAL

The Hon. Edward Kent of Maine and Colorado, who has been designated by our paternal President as chief justice of the Supreme Court of Arizona, has assumed the duties of his office. Mr. Kent, it may be said, brought with him a good character. He has the reputation of being a sound lawyer and an honest man. If there were no sound lawyers and honest men in Arizona, capable of discharging the duties of chief justice, there would be no reason why Mr. Kent should not be cordially welcomed. Arizona has a welcome for every honest, industrious person who comes here to grow up with the country, but candidly objects to imported rulers, judicial or otherwise. When a stranger comes to Arizona bearing a commission from the President in his inside pocket, he is regarded somewhat in the light of a contract laborer—a generally obnoxious person against whom the Congress of the United States has legislated. He is also sometimes called a carpet-bagger.

We have no doubt that Judge Kent can eventually live down the unpleasant auspices under which he arrived, if he lives up to the character, and maintains the high qualities his friends now credit him with. To begin right is very important.

It has been noticed by the people of Arizona that the new chief justice was the guest of honor at a banquet given by Governor Murphy a few evenings ago. Ordinarily to eat and drink and be merry is not subjected to close scrutiny in Arizona, but there are reasons why the new official should be cautious in order to maintain the proprieties. Of course, we must assume that Judge Kent had had no opportunity to examine the docket of his court before he accepted Governor Murphy's invitation to the banquet. If he had known that Murphy would be a defendant in his court, accused of looting the public treasury, at a very early day, he no doubt would have pondered long before becoming his guest at the banquet board. As chief justice of a Supreme Court, too, Judge Kent would not be apt to accept hospitality from a man who bunched his admission to the bar of the Supreme Court of the United States.

Ignorance of these things is, no doubt, Judge Kent's excuse for accepting the much advertised hospitality of the governor, and this under the circumstances excusable ignorance, is one of the objections to imported officials of any kind in Arizona. But, Judge Kent will have opportunity to retrieve in time whatever mistake, or error of judgment he unconsciously fell into, and also to wear down the prejudice against his appointment as a non-resident of Arizona.

Courage, integrity, honor, and efficient discharge of duty never fail to command the respect and affection of the people of Arizona.

THE WORLD POWER SILLNESS

In spite of a widely prevalent belief to the contrary, The Enterprise ventures the suggestion that 1898 was not the year in which this republic entered the family of nations and became a world power, a power whose mandates as to this continent were obeyed and whose influence was felt in Europe, Asia, Africa and the isles of the oceans. It is becoming wearisome, this continued harping about 1898, and our victory over Spain, as the year and the event that ushered the United States into the recognition of European powers.

The San Francisco Post is "old enough and big enough and ought to know better"—indeed it does know, and ought to do better—than to encourage and propagate a delusion that, were it a fact, would be disgraceful to several generations of brave, patriotic and progressive Americans. The Post in a recent issue referring to the dispute among foreign powers as to which of them was our friend in 1898, says:

"How different it all was before that war with Spain! Then no haughty European nation considered itself so poor as to do us reverence. A nation of shopkeepers, forsooth, given up hopefully to the pursuit of the almighty

and collision between two freight trains at 7:30 this morning on the Pittsburgh, Youngstown and Ashtabula division, of the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago road, four men were killed and three injured.

Four Men Killed
By Trains Colliding

Youngstown, O. March 24.—In a head

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF ARIZONA

THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE TERRITORY OF ARIZONA, AND FOR THE COUNTY OF MARICOPA.

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Whereas, upon reading and considering the petition of the above named petitioners and Certui que Trusts, on the 15th day of February, 1902, it satisfactorily appears that the respondent and trustee, Joseph Campbell, has permanently left the territory, to take residence elsewhere, and that the trust property, described in the petition of petitioners herein, requires that a trustee be appointed in the place and stead of said respondent and trustee, Joseph Campbell, and upon motion of Thos. J. Prescott, attorney for the petitioner and Certui que Trusts.

It is therefore now ordered, that the said Joseph Campbell, respondent and trustee herein, show cause at a regular term of the District Court to be held at the court house at Phoenix, in the county of Maricopa, Territory of Arizona, on, or before, the 1st day of May, 1902, what, if any reason there be, why Thos. J. Prescott should not be appointed trustee of the property described in said petition, in the place and stead of said respondent and trustee, Joseph Campbell, and why said petitioners should not have such other and further relief as may be just.

Further ordered, that a copy of this order be served upon the said respondent and trustee, Joseph Campbell, by publication in a newspaper published in the county of Maricopa, Territory once a week for four consecutive weeks.

Enter: WEBSTER STREET.
Judge.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Estate of William Church, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, E. J. Bennett, administrator of the estate of William Church, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers within ten months after the first publication of this notice to the said E. J. Bennett administrator at his office, No. 16 North Center street, Phoenix, Maricopa county, Arizona, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate in said county of Maricopa.

E. J. BENNITT,
Administrator of the estate of William
Church, Deceased.
Dated at Phoenix, this 29th day of Jan-
uary, 1902. 1-29-12
C. M. ZANDER, Clerk.

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Law library and office fixtures, consisting of first class line of text books and state reports, Pacific Reporter, and one cabinet letter file, two roller top desks, one safe, one long flat desk, one typewriter and other office fixtures such as chairs, maps etc. Inquire of F. E. Daggs, Rooms 1 and 3 Porter Building Phoenix.



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DEATH OF W. A. HANCOCK

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HE SURVEYED PHOENIX

Was Prominent in the Early History
of This Valley—Leader in Irrigation
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Maricopa Sheriff

William A. Hancock died at an early hour this morning at his home on East Adams in this city in his seventy-first year. He was born in Barre, Mass., May, 17, 1831 of parents whose ancestors were foremost in the early settlement of the Bay state. His mother was a daughter of Henry Lee and a niece of Gen. Samuel Lee of war of 1812 fame, and a granddaughter of the hero of the Revolution. His parents were agriculturists and passed their entire life in Massachusetts. Here his life was also passed until 1853, when the desire to see the world at large and in particular the great west led him to leave home and in company with two of his brothers he went to Iowa. Here they bought live stock and prepared for the great journey across the plains, which once made found him in Sacramento, located on a ranch. The party had brought with them west about 275 head of cattle and for several years did a thriving cattle and stock raising business. In 1856 Judge Hancock returned east making the journey via the isthmus of Panama, called home by the death of his father. He later, however returned west and in 1864 enlisted in the Seventh California infantry. This regiment was sent to Fort Yuma and later transferred to the Arizona troops, an event which changed his whole life.

He was mustered into company C of the First Arizona Volunteers, which were stationed at Fort McDowell. In this regiment he served until 1866 when he was mustered out of service. He then became superintendent of the government farm at McDowell and the

following year became post trader at Camp Reno, remaining there until 1870. Having learned something of surveying he then commenced laying out the then future city of Phoenix. He had in the meantime built an adobe house, the first erected in Phoenix. In 1870 he became postmaster of Phoenix and served eight years. In 1871 he was appointed district attorney and held that office until 1875, when he was chosen as probate judge and entered upon the duties of that office. He has been a practitioner of law in this county since 1872. Upon the organization of Maricopa county he was appointed sheriff by the governor, thus enjoying the distinction of having been the first sheriff of this county. He was for several years superintendent of schools, the three districts being increased to four during his incumbency.

The deceased was one of the most honored members of the Pioneer Association of Arizona, of the territorial bar association, of the Odd Fellows and of Capt. Owen Post G. A. R. in which he was a post senior vice commander. In the organization and maintenance of the Republican party he was an important factor. In this city in 1873 he was married to Lilly B. Kellogg, a daughter of Benjamin Kellogg, the latter also being a pioneer in this locality.

No one has been more energetic in promoting the present system of irrigation than the deceased. He made the first survey of the present Grand Canal. At the time of his death he was secretary and has for years past been one of the principal promoters of the Agua Fria Water and Land Company. The great dam essential to the water storage part of the last project requires large outlay of capital and but recently has the same been interested.

Besides his widow there is left to mourn his loss two children, Harry L. Hancock, who is a prominent south-side rancher, and Miss Mabel Hancock, who for several years past has been allied with educational work in this city. "The father of Phoenix" as Capt. Hancock was frequently called, will also be missed, and his death mourned by his large circle of acquaintances as has any man in this valley.

The funeral arrangements have not as yet been made, the arrival of Mr. Harry Hancock, who is now in the Tonto Basin country, being awaited.

successful a season may have been, no sooner does it close than a strong effort is at once begun and kept up until the object is accomplished, viz: the gathering together of a lot of new material, songs, dances, novelty acts, specialties, etc., and the clothing of this new material in bright new dresses, so that the following season the show may be to all intents and purposes a new one. The management have never been satisfied to repeat from one season to another, no matter how good the material they put aside may be. The result naturally is that the old friends of Murray and Mack go to see them again and again, knowing that though the title of their comedy may be the same, in every essential feature the performance will be new.

Gus Pixley, the best "bum" actor on the stage today, is with the company this season. With Mr. and Mrs. Mack he is at the Adams. Pixley, who used to play the star part in "The Man From Mexico," is paying his first visit to Phoenix but was so favorably impressed with what he has seen that he said he was going to make this city if possible, every season. Those who know Gus Pixley, and it is also safe to say, everyone who sees his work tonight, will join heartily in wishing that he does visit Phoenix again. A good audience sale of seats has been made and a large audience assured.

Find Four Hundred Dollars in Money

For the past four years over \$400 has been on deposit in the county treasury, the property of an old estate, that of Robert Garside, the trace and record of which had however, been entirely lost sight of by the heirs.

Saturday it was discovered, and considerable of a contest has come up over who is the proper person to act as custodian of the same. Who ever secures the amount will have to sue the treasurer to recover it, for that official desires to have an order from the court, which will relieve him of all future responsibility.

In July 1890 Robert Garside died, leaving quite an estate in this county, which was administered upon by J. W. Evans. During the administration Jas. W. Allen laid claim to some of the lands of the estate and took possession of them. An action was commenced to eject him therefrom by the administrator and R. H. Woolf was appointed receiver of the land in dispute and its income pending litigations. In 1895 the lands were sold for taxes and bought in by Allen, who received his tax sale certificate, but on demanding his deed was restrained by injunction, and a suit was begun. Nearly four years after the tax sale Woolf paid into the treasury \$401.79 for the purpose of redeeming the property.

About a year ago Allen sold to C. J. Cornell as trustee for the Garside estate, and all his title to the property passed out. Later Woolf as receiver was discharged and the \$401.79 paid the treasurer, being the only funds he received, was all he had to account. Not long ago J. W. Evans bought the Garside brothers' interests and an order discharging him as administrator so far as these brothers were interested, was secured.

Later, Joseph Garside discovered that the money was in the hands of the treasurer still on deposit, and requested Evans to proceed and recover it for the estate. X. N. Steeves was employed as the Garside estate attorney, but when he requested Evans to proceed with the action, the latter said he could not see his way clear, and finally refused to do anything.

Allen has appeared with his attorneys and will make a claim for the money. As yet no suit has been begun but one will probably be filed tomorrow.

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Personal Mention

Mrs. P. A. St Johns of Prescott is visiting in Phoenix today.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Serrano of Prescott are visiting in Phoenix.

Tros. Armstrong and Frank Cox left last night for Yuma on legal business.

Dick Hall, editor of the Wickenburg News-Herald, spent yesterday in Phoenix.

F. B. Jacobs, a former government surveyor, is in Phoenix today on business.

Judge Kent and S. J. Dunlevy left last night for Yuma to be gone ten days.

Wm. Buckingham, representing Fairbanks, Morse Company, is in the city today.

Geo. R. Upton, one of the owners of the famous Oro Grande mine, spent yesterday in Phoenix.

Cris. H. Akers left this morning for Chicago, on a trip connected with his mining interests in this territory.

Auditor W. F. Nichols yesterday morning returned from a bank inspection tour of the eastern part of the territory.

Paul Brizzard and L. C. Masten last night accompanied departing friends as far south as Maricopa, returning this morning.

W. J. Murphy of Prescott, W. R. Gray and wife of Kirkland, and Miss T. H. Graham of Vineyard Tex., are today guests of the Ford.

E. J. Sanford, a Prescott attorney of prominence, arrived from the north yesterday morning and is in Phoenix today attending to legal matters.

W. R. Baumgardner, representing the James Lock Co., makers of a window lock, is a recent arrival in Phoenix, and will make this city his headquarters for the coming few weeks.

Mrs. and Mrs. H. D. Evans passed through Phoenix today, en route to Mesa City, their future home, from Castle Creek Hot Springs, the latter point being where their honeymoon was spent.

S. W. Highley, road master at the Prescott and Phoenix road, is in Phoenix, trying to rid himself of a severe attack of the grip. His many friends hope he will succeed in freeing himself from his illness.

John Hanlon returned to Phoenix this morning from Tucson, where he was by the illness of his friend, Pete. Mr. Hanlon will continue his journey north to the Crown Point mine, his home, in the morning.

Natives Are Served, Fried or Fricassee

Victoria, March 24.—The steamer Aorangi arrived today from Australia via Fiji and Honolulu, bringing a budget of news from the South Sea from Noumea. News was brought of a tribal war on Santa Maria Island. The recruiting ketch, Marie Henry, which reached a New Caledonian port from and reported two tribes on the island engaged in a fierce fight. A number of heads of unfortunate natives were taken back by the party that attacked the village. Some prisoners were killed, and it was understood they were eaten.

L. L. PLANK, Administrator of the estate of Jos. M. Estabrook, deceased.

Dated at Phoenix, this 10th day of Feb. 1902

underground, what Prof. Marconi has already accomplished in atmospheric waves.

Mr. Stubblefield, a native of Kentucky, has been engaged in experimenting with electrical inventions for a number of years. About four years ago he conceived the idea that sound waves might be transmitted by means of electrical waves in the earth without the use of wire or cable.

His experiments have progressed to the point where he is able to give a practical demonstration that messages may be transmitted under water without the use of electrical wires.

So successful were his private tests that he had no difficulty in enlisting financial support in various parts of the country.

Two Hundred Women Wanted to Marry Him

St Louis, Mo., March 24.—Two hundred women, old, middle aged and in their teens, were willing to wed George Werner, who, under different aliases, advertised that a wealthy mine owner of Denver wanted a wife.

Many of those are of St Louis, but the one that caused Werner's arrest by an inspector from the Post Office Department, is Miss Elizabeth Brodel of Leipsic, Germany. Werner became engaged to Miss Brodel last fall, but her family, suspecting that his claims of great wealth might be overdrawn, investigated. The result was the declaring off of the engagement. Werner then returned to America.

Post Office Inspector Dice worked several hours Saturday before he was able to get Werner to admit his identity and his connection with the matrimonial scheme. Inspector Thiele, one of Dice's men, arrested Werner. He was living under the name of G. F. Koerner.

When arrested Werner had in his possession 200 letters from women who were willing to become the wife of a mine owner. They had answered the pseudo capitalist's advertisements, and many of the answers will make interesting reading if Inspector Dice permits their publication.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Estate of Joseph H. Estabrook, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administrator of the estate of Jos. H. Estabrook, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to execute the business of said estate in habit them, with the necessary vouchers, within ten months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator at the office of the clerk of the probate court at the court house in the city of Phoenix, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate, in said county of Maricopa.

L. L. PLANK, Administrator of the estate of Jos. M. Estabrook, deceased.

Dated at Phoenix, this 10th day of Feb. 1902

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Office of Board of Supervisors,
Maricopa County, Arizona.

Phoenix, Monday, March 17, 1902

Board resumed session at 9 o'clock

a. m.

Present, F. C. Norris chairman, A. Hunsaker, J. F. Marshall members and Neri Osborn, clerk.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

On motion and by unanimous vote of the board Joseph R. and L. J. Marshall shall be granted a right of way, to construct and maintain an irrigating ditch along the public highway, in Road District No. 22 as follows: Commencing at the Buckeye Canal, on Section line between Sections one and two in Township 1 S. R. 4 W., and running thence due south to the southeast corner of the northeast quarter of Section twelve in said Township 1 S. R. 4 W. J. M. Burnett, justice of the peace of Phoenix precinct, appeared before the board, and requested that he be permitted to accept the warrant ordered issued to him on the 21st day of October 1901, and that same be applied upon the claim for which he brought suit against the county and recovered judgment in the district court, and that said acceptance be without prejudice or waiver of the rights of either party, to be determined in said suit, and that the remainder of the amount sued for abide the final determination of said case in the Supreme Court of Arizona. Upon motion and by unanimous vote of the board, said request was granted, and said warrant for the sum of \$356.15 was ordered delivered to said J. M. Burnett and that said delivery and acceptance be without prejudice or waiver of any of the rights of either party to said law suit.

J. C. Wasson appeared before the board and filed his verified petition for the vacation of that portion of the town plat of Sidney in the county of Maricopa, Arizona, embraced within

the southwest quarter (S.W. 1/4) of the south west quarter (S.W. 1/4) of section 5, Township 1 South, Range 3 West, and platted as Blocks 19, 20, 21, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32 and 33; and it appearing to the satisfaction of the board by the affidavits and proofs filed by said J. C. Wasson that he is the owner of all of said land and that no other person has any interest therein, and that the streets and alleys therein have never been dedicated, opened or used by the public as highways, and that the prayer of said petition should be granted.

Whereupon, on motion, and by unanimous vote, the board passed the following resolution:

Resolved: That all that portion of the plat of the town of Sidney, in Maricopa county, embraced

in the Southwest Quarter of Section Five, Township one South, Range Three West, and designated on said plat as Blocks 19, 20, 21, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32 and 33 of Sidney, and the streets and alleys in around and through the same, be and the same are hereby vacated.

Petitions having been filed therefore,

the board on motion and by unanimous vote declared opened as public highways in Road District No. 17, the following described roads viz:

A public highway sixty feet in width, commencing at a point where Van Buren street in West Capitol addition to the City of Phoenix intersects Novinger avenue,

running thence due south, the full width of said Novinger avenue to Jefferson street, and from thence a road one hundred feet wide running due east

the full width of Jefferson street to a point where said Jefferson street intersects Christy avenue.

And the road overseer of said Road District No. 17 is hereby directed to cause a bridge to be constructed over

and across the Salt River Valley canal on Van Buren street, at the point where said Van Buren street is intersected by Novinger avenue.

It appearing to the board, that the assessor had listed and assessed for the year 1901, personal property valued at \$190.00 to M. W. Milligan, also personal property, valued at \$40.00 to E. B. Scott, and it further appearing to the satisfaction of the board that the personal property so assessed as aforesaid, was not owned by, in the possession of or under the control of either the said M. W. Milligan or E. B. Scott at any time during the year 1901, and therefore was erroneously assessed. Whereupon, the board instructed the clerk to direct the tax collector to reduce personal property assessments for the year 1901 as follows: The personal property assessment of M. W. Milligan, \$190.00, and the personal property assessment of E. B. Scott, \$40.00.

The board audited and allowed the following claims, viz:

402 J M Burnett justice peace 4th quarter 1901 \$378.65

403 Frank Baxter coroner, Aguacaliente 10.00

404 A R Gibson bounty on wild animals 22.00

405 D C Whittaker bounty on wild animals 11.00

406 D D Ambrose livery, quarantine Buckeye 15.00

407 A A Alaya supplies quarantine Tempe 7.60

408 J H Barnett supplies quarantine McDowell 21.35

409 E G Caruthers relief indigent Gila Bend 20.00

410 M O Bicknell relief indigent Phoenix 9.00

411 Le Baron Bros relief indigent Mesa 7.50

412 Sharp Bros relief indigent Phoenix 5.00

413 T M Pafford relief indigent Phoenix 3.00

414 W F McNulty relief indigent Phoenix 3.00

415 The Valley Lank water storage 303.69

416 The Valley Bank water storage 109.00

417 J F Appleby water storage 82.50

418 The Valley Bank water storage 62.10

419 The Valley Bank water storage 60.00

420 L B Larimer water storage 75.00

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

Of the "Oregon Smelting and Refining Company."

Know all men by these presents: That we, Ed W. Mueller, W. S. Eberman, D. L. Killen and N. C. Richards, citizens of the United States, do hereby associate ourselves for the purpose of forming a private corporation under and by virtue of the general incorporation laws of the territory of Arizona, and we hereby make and subscribe and do hereby adopt the following articles of incorporation, to-wit:

Article I. The name of this corporation and by which it shall be known is the Oregon Smelting and Refining Company.

Article II. The names of the incorporators of this company are Ed W. Mueller, W. S. Eberman, D. L. Killen and N. C. Richards.

Article III. The principal office and place of transacting business of this corporation is and shall be in the city of Sumpter, county of Baker and state of Oregon, and the principal office and place of business of said company in the territory of Arizona is and shall be in Phoenix, Maricopa county, Arizona.

Article IV. The objects for which this corporation is formed and the general nature of the business proposed to be transacted by it are:

To build, erect, purchase, acquire, own, operate, lease, mortgage, release, handle and dispose of smelters, reduction plants, mills, and all kinds of plants, machinery, furnaces, buildings, and appliances necessary or appertaining to the smelting, treating and reduction of ores and metal bearing quartz, rock, earth, gravel etc., and the extraction of the metals and mineral therefrom.

To purchase, own, handle and dispose of any and all processes, patents and inventions for the reduction and treatment of ores, quartz, rock, earth, gravel and other mineral bearing substances and the extraction of the minerals and metals therefrom.

To buy, sell, handle and deal in all kinds of ore and metal bearing rock, earth, quartz, gravel and other substances containing metals and minerals and to buy, sell, handle and deal in gold, silver, copper, lead, iron, coal, lime, coke and all other minerals and mineral bearing substances of every kind and nature.

To locate, buy, sell, own, lease, mortgage, release, operate, develop, handle and convey all kinds of mining claims, mineral lands, mines, quarries, and deposits of every kind and nature.

To locate, buy, sell, own, lease, mortgage, release, develop, operate, convey and handle water rights, water power, ditches, flumes, reservoirs, conduits and all kinds of property and appliances appertaining to the acquisition and development of water power and the utilization of the same.

To build, purchase, acquire, own, operate, lease, mortgage, release, convey and handle all kinds of plants for the generation, transmission and utilization of electric steam and other power.

To locate, purchase, own, mortgage, lease, release, and dispose of timber and timber lands, and to purchase, erect, own, operate, mortgage, lease, release, handle and dispose of saw mills and the products thereof.

To build, erect, sell, own, equip, operate, mortgage, lease, release, and dispose of tramways and railways leading from its principal works to any navigable stream or existing railway, turnpike or public highway, or for the purpose of connecting its properties or conveying ores and metal bearing earth and rock from any mine or mines to its smelters or reduction plants.

To buy, sell, own, acquire, lease, mortgage, release, own and deal in all kinds of real and personal property.

To purchase, own, dispose of, deal in, pledge and hypothecate its own stocks and bonds and the stocks and bonds of other corporations, companies and associations.

To loan money and for that purpose to accept and receive any and all kinds of security by mortgage, pledge, or otherwise, on real, personal and all kinds of property.

To borrow money and to secure the payment thereof by bond or mortgage on any of the property belonging to the company or by the hypothecation or pledge of any stocks, bonds, papers, securities or other property belonging to the company or under its control.

And generally to do and perform any and all things cognant to the business of the corporation and necessary to carry out the purposes for which it is formed.

Article V. The capital stock of this corporation shall be \$600,000, divided into 60,000 shares of the par value of \$10 each. And this company may accept in payment for stock subscriptions to said capital stock any and all kinds of property, real personal or mixed, contracts, paper etc., and when and kind of property is taken in payment for subscriptions to the capital stock, and stock issued therefor, said stock shall thereby be fully paid up and

shall thereafter be non-assessable; and the private property or assets of either the directors, stockholders or officers of this company, or they as individuals, shall in no manner be liable for the corporate debts of the company, nor shall the holder of any of said stock that has been paid for in the manner above mentioned, or in any wise be liable on account of said stock or the subscription thereto.

Article VI. The highest amount of indebtedness and liability, direct or contingent, which the corporation may incur, or to which it shall at any time be liable, shall not exceed 25 per cent. of the par value of its capital stock viz: The sum of \$150,000.

Article VII. The duration of this corporation shall be for the term of 25 years.

Article VIII. The directors of this corporation shall have power to adopt a seal therefor, prescribe the mode of transferring any and all stock and to adopt and establish by-laws and make rules and regulations for the management of the affairs of the company not inconsistent with the constitution of the United States or the laws of the territory of Arizona.

In witness whereof, we, the said incorporators, have hereunto set our hands and seals to these presents this 4th day of March, 1902.

ED. W. MUELLER, (Seal)
W. S. EBELMAN (Seal)
D. L. KILLEEN (Seal)
N. C. RICHARDS (Seal)

Executed in the presence of Chas. H. Chence, W. C. Calder.
State of Oregon.
County of Baker. ss.

Before me, the undersigned, a notary public in and for the state of Oregon, on this day personally appeared Ed W. Mueller, W. S. Eberman, D. L. Killen and N. C. Richards, known to me and known to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the foregoing articles of incorporation of the Oregon Smelting and Refining Company, and acknowledged to me that they executed the same freely and voluntarily for the purpose and consideration therein expressed.

Given under my hand and notarial seal this 4th day of March, 1902.
(Notary Seal) C. H. CHANCE.

Notary Public for Oregon
Territory of Arizona,
County of Maricopa. ss.

I. B. F. McFall, county recorder in and for the county and territory aforesaid, hereby certify that I have compared the foregoing copy with the original articles of incorporation of the Oregon Smelting and Refining Company, filed and recorded in my office on the 10th day of March 1902, in Book No. 9 of incorporations at page — and that the same is a full, true and correct copy of such original and of the whole thereof.

Witness my hand and seal of office this 10th day of March 1902.
(Seal) B. F. MC FALL,
By A. S. Arthur, County Recorder.
Deputy.

Filed and recorded in the office of the Secretary of the Territory of Arizona this 10th day of March A. D. 1902 at 2 p. m.

ISAAC T. STODDARD,
Secretary of Arizona.
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SALE OF DISTRICT NO. 1 SCHOOL BONDS.

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received till 11 o'clock a. m. Monday, April 14, 1902, by the board of supervisors of Maricopa county, Arizona, at their office in the city of Phoenix, Arizona, for the sale of (\$10,000.00) ten thousand dollars (20) year (5½) five and one half per cent. bonds of the denomination of five hundred (\$500.00) dollars each.

Said bonds being payable in (20) years from the date thereof, both principal and interest payable in gold coin of the United States of America, in Phoenix, Arizona, at the office of the county treasurer of said Maricopa county. Interest payable annually. Said bonds to be delivered to the purchaser thereof, in the city of Phoenix, Arizona, at the office of the clerk of the board of supervisors of said county. Certified check of ten per cent of the amount bid, and a copy of this advertisement must accompany each bid.

The board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

All bids will be opened by the board of supervisors at their office in the city of Phoenix, Arizona, on Monday, April the 14th, 1902, at 11 o'clock a. m.

All bids must be sealed and shall be addressed to Nerl Osborn clerk of the board of supervisors, Phoenix, Arizona, and marked "Proposals for purchase of School District No. 1 bonds."

By order of the board.

NERL OSBORN,
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors,
Maricopa County, Arizona.
(First publication March 14, 1902.)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Estate of W. H. Bonham, Deceased

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, Administrator of the estate of W. H. Bonham, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit

them, with the necessary verification, within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said administrator at the law office of G. P. Bullard at No. Wall street, Phoenix, Arizona, the same being that for the transaction of the business of said estate, in said county of Maricopa.

ANDREW J. BRADLEY,
Administrator of
W. H. Bonham, deceased.
Dated at Phoenix, this 26th day of December, 1901.
First pub. 12-23-1901.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Alfred L. Bates, Plaintiff,
vs.
J. Ernest Walker, W. H. Blac
assignees, and Sallie B. Spro,
Defendant

Under and by virtue of an execution and order of sale issued out the district court of the Third Judicial District Territory of Arizona, in favor of the county of Maricopa, on the 4th day of March 1902, and to me as sheriff duly directed and delivered, of the judgment rendered in said court, in the above entitled action, on the 1st day of March 1902, for the sum two hundred and seven (\$207) with interest thereon at the rate of twelve per cent per annum from October 9th, 1901 payable quarterly, until paid, together with the sum of twenty (20) dollars, attorney's fees, and the further sum of thirty two 35-100 (\$32.35) dollars plaintiff's costs and disbursements incurred in said action taxed and allowed at said amount, together with foreclosed, of plaintiff's mortgage lien, as same existed on the 9th day of January 1901, against each and all of said defendants upon the following premises, upon which I have seized and levied in the manner and form required by law, and described in said execution and order of sale as follows, to-wit: All of lots numbered thirteen (13) fourteen (14) fifteen (15) and sixteen (16) in block number twenty one (21) in Montgomery's Addition to the city of Phoenix, Maricopa county, Arizona, together with all and singular the tenements, hereditaments, and appurtenances thereto belonging or in anywise appertaining, and that said property be sold as under execution in satisfaction of said judgments and costs and all accruing costs.

Public notice is hereby given that I will, at the court house door of the said county of Maricopa, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. on Saturday the 9th day of March 1902, sell at auction to the highest bidder for cash, in lawful money of the United States, all the right, title, claim and interest of the above named defendant in, of and to the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment and costs of suit, and all accruing costs.

S. S. STOUT, Sheriff.
Dated March 4, 1902. 3-5.

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

Of The Marion Indiana Oil Company

Know all men by these presents. That we, the undersigned, have this day voluntarily associated ourselves together for the purpose of forming a corporation under the laws of the territory of Arizona, and do hereby certify that the following is our articles of incorporation:

Article I. The name of said corporation shall be the "Marion Indiana Oil Company" and its principal place of transacting business shall be at Phoenix, Maricopa county, Arizona, with branch offices at the city of Marion, in Grant county, Indiana and at the city of Chicago, in Cook county, Illinois, and at such other places as may be determined by the board of directors. The names of the incorporators of said corporation are Lawrence P. Boyle, L. R. Wilson and E. J. Kelly.

Article 2. The general nature of the different kinds of business proposed to be transacted by this corporation is as follows: To purchase, lease, bond or otherwise acquire, own, exchange, sell or otherwise dispose of, pledge, mortgage, hypothecate, deal in, mining claims, oil lands, mineral lands, oil, gas, asphaltum, petroleum, water and water rights, and to mine, explore and develop the same.

The particular object for which this corporation is formed is to purchase, lease, or otherwise acquire oil and land, leases, wells, equipments, properties, rights, titles, and interests of A. C. Swanson trustee and upon lands which he and his associates were interested in, situated in Grant county, Indiana; and also to purchase, lease, or acquire by license, concession or otherwise from time to time other oil, gas or mineral lands, rights, easements, privileges, plants, machinery and effects which this company may think proper to be acquired for any of its said purposes, to operate the same and to sell or dispose of the same and of the products of the same, and to construct and operate all buildings, works, structures and improvements necessary to operate the same; to sell, manufacture and deal in the foregoing properties and products.

Has a genial climate and a great variety of medicinal springs. Has cheap and fertile lands, and the possibilities of production are almost fabulous.

Has a great many delightful pleasure resorts.

Has business advantages superior to any other part of the nation, because the field is not crowded, competition is not so brisk, and there are greater opportunities for the development of new enterprises.

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T. H. GOODMAN, General Passenger Agent, San Francisco, Cal.

M. O. BICKNELL, Ticket Agent, Phoenix, A. T.

have the power and right to borrow money and execute mortgages or deeds of trust to secure the same, and in general to do all things necessary to the proper conduct of the business of this corporation not inconsistent with the laws of the United States and the territory of Arizona, the states of Indiana and Illinois, and such other states as it may do business in.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal on this the seventeenth day of December 1901.

C. E. CLEVELAND,

Territory of Arizona, County of Maricopa.

I. B. F. McFall, county recorder in and for the county and territory aforesaid, do hereby certify that the instrument was filed for record at 10:55 o'clock A. M., on this 21 day of Dec. 1901, and duly recorded in Book No. 8 of Incorporations of Maricopa county, Arizona, at pages 487 to 489, inclusive.

Witness my hand and official seal the day and year above written.

(Seal) B. F. McFall,

A. S. Arthur, County Recorder.

Deputy.

Filed and recorded in the office of the Secretary of the Territory of Arizona, this 21st day of Dec. 1901.

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

Of The Forsyth Automatic Air and Steam Coupler Company.

Know all men by these presents:

That we, the undersigned, William B.

Forsyth, Frank H. Lyman and Norton

V. Gilbert have this day associated

ourselves together for the purpose of

forming a corporation under the laws

of the territory of Arizona. And we do

hereby certify:

The stock of this corporation shall be fully paid for by the transfer to this corporation by Lawrence P. Boyle of all of the oil and gas land, leases, wells, equipments, properties, rights, titles and interests acquired by him from A. C. Swanson, trustee, which are more fully referred to above in these articles of incorporation.

Article 5. The time of the commencement of this corporation shall be the date of the filing of these articles of incorporation in the office of the Secretary of the Territory of Arizona, and its principal place of transacting business in Arizona shall be at the city of Phoenix. The name of the corporation shall be the Forsyth Automatic Air and Steam Coupler Company, and its principal place of transacting business in Illinois shall be the city of Chicago, state of Illinois.

Article 6. The affairs of this corporation shall be conducted by a board of five directors who shall be elected annually by the stockholders of the corporation.

Article 7. The highest amount of indebtedness or liability direct or contingent to which this corporation shall subject itself at any time is fifteen thousand dollars.

Article 8. The private property of the stockholders of this corporation shall be exempt from all corporate debts.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our hands and seals this the seventeenth day of December 1901.

LAWRENCE P. BOYLE (Seal)

L. R. WILSON (Seal)

E. J. KELLY (Seal)

State of Illinois,

County of Cook ss.

On this the seventeenth day of December, in the year 1901, before me, C. E. Cleveland, a notary public in

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HISTORICAL HIGHLIGHTS

Hancock Leadership Earns Title 'Father Of Phoenix'

By JAMES M. BARNEY

Editor's Note — This is the second and final installment of Historian Barney's biography of William Augustus Hancock, the "Father of Phoenix."

The business of the Phoenix Townsite—then in charge of three townsite commissioners—was conducted in 1871 from a small rented space in the rear of William A. Hancock's pioneer building.

When Maricopa County was organized in that year, the county offices were also established there. And, when the first board of supervisors—appointed by Governor Safford—met for its initial session—on Feb. 28, 1871—in Hancock's building, the Hancock store became the official seat of county government and remained as such until the completion of the Hancock-Monihon building (also an adobe) on the east side of Cortez Street (now, First Avenue) and only a short distance south of Washington Street. Its official status was fixed by the following brief entry, which appears in the first book of minutes of the supervisors: "Ordered that Hancock's Store be and is hereby duly declared the board's office." The



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notation was made by James L. Mercer, clerk of the first board.

THE LATE Francis A. Shaw, who was a member of this county's first board of supervisors, gave the following information concerning the first meeting place:

"After the Maricopa County bill was passed by the legislature and temporary county officers had been appointed by Governor Safford, we (I had been named a member of the board of supervisors) met at the rear of Hancock's Store for our first session and made it the regular meeting place. All the county official had to find room in the place and we paid Captain Hancock \$10 a month for space at the rear of the building. We did not have much room but the business of the county was not heavy and we were able to get along. Some of the first county officials seldom appeared in the office. Our furniture consisted of a few tables and chairs. Later, the courthouse was moved to S. Cortez Street where we had more convenient quarters."

ON THE formation of Maricopa County by the legislature, Captain Hancock was appointed the first sheriff to serve until the special election for county officers, which was held on May 1, 1871. As the county was—from the first—overwhelmingly Democratic in politics and, as Captain Hancock was a prominent and widely known Republican, he was not a

candidate for the office to which he had been appointed.

But, soon after the first county election, a vacancy occurred in the office of district attorney and Captain Hancock was appointed by the board of supervisors to that position, which he held for four years, being later elected to the office. And in 1875 he was appointed by Governor Safford to be probate judge of Maricopa County, succeeding John T. Alsap, the first probate judge. On Jan. 29, 1877, he was reappointed for a second term. However, in 1878, the office was made elective and Captain Hancock resigned from the position.

CAPTAIN Hancock took up several land claims in the Valley under the homestead law and by virtue of military service. But he, also, owned much town property and his local residence was for many years situated on the east side of Cortez Street opposite "Court House Square."

Captain Hancock was an authority on the use and storage of water for irrigation purposes, and, as early as 1900, was one of a committee of three members appointed by the residents of Phoenix and the Salt River Valley to investigate the Colorado River proposition.

IN EARLY DAYS Captain Hancock did much surveying work throughout the Valley and made the first survey of the Grand Canal and put more money into its construction than any other stockholder. In addition, he surveyed the Utah, Mesa, and other canals, and was one of the promoters of the Agua Fria Water and Land Company.

On Feb. 5, 1873, Captain Hancock was married to Lillie B. Kellogg, a native of Indiana, and daughter of Benjamin Kellogg, who had settled here about the year 1872. He died in this city on March 24, 1903, and left two children—Harry S., a civil engineer, and Mabel (Hancock) Latham, a teacher in the Phoenix schools, both of whom still reside here.

Thus Captain Hancock, who came to the Salt River Valley while yet in the prime of sturdy manhood, took a leading part in starting on its way the tiny desert village of Phoenix, which has now—87 years later—become a large and flourishing modern city. And the laying of its foundations—solid and permanent—in the midst of a sterile and forbidding waste was a supreme achievement in Western pioneering.

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