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came to Arizona with the Walker Party in May, 1863; the <u>San</u> <u>Francisco</u> <u>Bulletin</u> on October 5, 1863, printed a letter written at La Paz on September 14 which referred to him as follows:

I give you all the information I can get in regard to the Walker diggings. I have just had a talk with Jacob Linn, formerly of Mariposa county, California. He left California with Capt. Joe Walker in '61, and has been with him ever since. Mr. Linn is here at La Paz to purchase provisions and return as soon as possible. He was 8 days-on the road and thinks it is about 170 miles.

He says that Capt. Walker has prospected the country for 300 miles Southeast and Northeast, and found gold everywhere, and in a great many places very rich.

Listed, Territorial Census, April, 1864; 3d District (Yavapai County) age 40, married, occupation - Miner, resident in Arizona, 1 year, property valued at \$500; the following references to him appeared in the Prescott <u>Arizona Miner</u>:

October 24, '1868 -- Jas. D. Monihon has sold his interest in the Plaza Feed and Livery Stable to Messrs. Brooke & Linn, old citizens of Lynx Creek. We bespeak for the new firm a liberal share of public patronage, and can safely say and recommend them to the community as men of honor and integrity.

PLAZA FEED AND SALE STABLE (advertisement) Goodwin Street Opposite Plaza Prescott, Arizona The undersigned having purchased the Stable of J. D. Monihon, would respectfully inform the public, that

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they intend keeping constantly on hand HAY AND GRAIN of the best quality, and at the lowest rates, for Cash. Also Team, Saddle, and Pack Animals always on hand, for sale or hire.

Gideon Brooke Jacob Linn

January 30, 1869 -- Jake Linn, the Turkey Creek expressman, says there were eighteen inches of snow on the divide, when he crossed it Thursday last.

Listed, U. S. Census, 1870, at Prescott, Yavapai County, A.T., age 41, occupation - Lumberman, property valued at \$1000; the Arizona

Miner made the following announcement of his death:

DIED .-- In Prescott, September 23d, 1876, at the

residence of Gideon Brooke, his former partner, of consumption, Jacob Linn, aged about 50 years. Deceased was a native of Pennsylvania, but emigrated from Ohio to California in 1850. He was one of the noted Walker party of 26 men who were the Pioneers of this part of Arizona. It is remarked, as a singular fact, that though the members of the as a singular fact, that though the members of the Walker party were exposed as much or more to Indian attack, while mining, prospecting and packing in this country during the dark days, than any other equal number of men in the country, yet not a single one of them was ever killed by Indians. Mr. Linn, we understand. is the second one who has died from any cause, a Mr. French having died in Santa Fe some two years ago. They arrived on Lynx creek in May, 1863.

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