

CAPTAN MOUNTAINEER.

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Candidate Announcements. For Sheriff, JOHN B. BAIRD. For Tax Assessor, JOHN L. BRYAN, Jr. Democratic County Convention.

A convention of the Democrats of Lincoln county, New Mexico, is hereby called to meet in the town of Carrizozo, New Mexico, on Saturday, May 27th, 1916, at 2 p. m.

All precinct committeemen are requested to call the primaries for the election of delegates to the County Convention not later than April 30th, 1916.

All delegates are urgently requested to be present in person; proxy can only be exercised by a majority vote of the precinct.

These days of representation is one delegate for every ten votes, majority fraction thereof, cast for Hon. N. B. Ferguson in the last general election in 1914.

- No. 1, Lincoln 25 votes, 1 delegate. No. 2, San Patricio 57 votes, 1 delegate. No. 3, Los Pinos 15 votes, 2 delegates. No. 4, Picacaca 31 votes, 3. No. 5, Rabenton 3 votes, 1. No. 6, Encinoso 18 votes, 2. No. 7, Jicarilla 13 votes, 1. No. 8, White Oaks 64 votes 0. No. 9, Capitan 41 votes 4. No. 10, Ruidoso 18 votes 2. No. 14, Nogal 31 votes 3. No. 12, Bonita 20 votes 3. No. 13, Corona 83 votes 5. No. 14, Carrizozo 103 votes 11. No. 15, Oscuro 20 votes 2. No. 16, Ancho 19 votes 2.

Total 533 votes, 54 delegates. Done at Carrizozo, N. M., this 31th day of April, 1916.

F. W. GREENEY, Chairman Democratic County Central Committee. Wm. O. NORMAN, Secretary Democratic County Central Committee.

San Patricio Jottings.

Mrs. Jim Reeves has returned home, after spending several days over on the Penasco with relatives. Jesus Marabellas and Moacilena Ortega were arrested and taken away last Sunday for selling whiskey to the Indians. A. J. Murray moved to Roswell this week where he expects to locate Chas Morrison has just returned from Alamogordo, and reports a fine trip. H. Doyle Murray was up from Tinnie this morning.

Alfredo Gonzales took a trip to Capitan last Saturday in his new car. Jim Jackson has moved his car up near Glencoe where he expects to do some road work.

Tom Wallace has gone on a business trip to Roswell. Louis Montano wants to sell his ranch so that he can move back to Roswell. Fidel Chavez has just returned from his sheep camp.

Charlie Lemmonds was over from Carrizozo Tuesday. We learn that Mr. Lemmonds is quitting the employ of the Live Stock Sanitary Board and will soon move to Torrance county and engage in ranching.

Just received a large shipment of spring hats and ladies' skirts. The Tittsworth Co.

A Paper Famine.

We have received the following circular letter from the Western Woodenware Co., dealers in paper in El Paso, which shows a critical condition in the paper situation. It is placing newspaper people and all others who use large quantities of paper in an embarrassing situation and necessarily forces an increase in the price on publications of all kinds where they have been heretofore put to the public at a minimum price.

To Our Customers: You are aware of the serious paper famine that is confronting this country at the present time, and you are undoubtedly acquainted with some of the reasons: viz: shortage of wood pulp, shortage of dye stuff, bleaching, and all chemicals that enter into the manufacture of paper.

You have noticed that prices are considerably higher than they were but a short time ago, and they have not yet reached the top. We must ask you to bear with us during these critical times.

If we are obliged to short your orders we will be glad to back order and bill at prices prevailing at the time goods are received by us.

WESTERN WOODENWARE CO.

Washington, D. C., April 12. Editor Mountaineer. The Agricultural Yearbook, 1915 Edition, is now ready for distribution.

Sunday School Pin-Nic.

On next Sunday morning at 9 o'clock all are to meet at the Baptist church and have a song and a prayer, and then start from there to the Bonita, where Sunday school will be held, after which the pic-nic dinner will be served.

Walker Hyde, the Carrizozo giant, deputy sheriff and railroad employe, lost business in Capitan last Monday. It is said that Mr. Hyde is likely to enter the race for sheriff in the coming campaign.

Announces for Sheriff.

In another column will be found the announcement of John B. Baird for the nomination for Sheriff of Lincoln county, the announcement, having been made subject to the action of the Democratic party.

Mr Baird is a native of the state of Texas, born in Miami January 25, 1877. He attended the public schools of Mason, and later took a two-year course in Daniel Baker College, Brownwood, Texas. Mr. Baird came to Lincoln county in 1907, and has served almost continuously since as Deputy Sheriff and Constable.

Democratic Precinct Convention.

The Mountaineer is authorized to announce that there will be a Democratic precinct convention in Lincoln County, held in the 9th Precinct, on next Tuesday the 24th inst., at 1:30 p. m.

The Republican County Convention to elect delegates to the State Convention, which will be held at the National Convention in St. Louis, Mo., on the 12th of June 1916, is per announced by the County Chairman elsewhere in this paper.

Republican County Convention.

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Upper Ruidoso Breezes.

It appears that the Ruidoso has the only fruit in either Lincoln or Chaves county. H. J. Bonnell reports that of his commercial varieties, the Pearmain is only are killed, and that there are still some plums, peaches and pears.

Upper Ruidoso Breezes.

Dr. N. Bonnell received a serious injury on Monday afternoon, while disking ground on his farm below Glencoe on the Ruidoso.

POTATO SEED FOR SALE. I have a fine supply of Irish Potato seed to sell, of the Colorado Snow Flake variety, at my place near Parsons. Those wanting seed would do well to call on or write me at once.

Notes from Luke's Corners.

Jerry Stokes has come back from the railroad camp where he has been running a boarding and says he has quit working stock.

Jake Crow, the Nazconia desperado, came to the Corners the morning after the old Nevada trial and a trial of Stat sen was checked with the check out of his wife's pocket.

After hearing the latest Mexico war news read this morning, Karo, the Grave Nut, colored young man, and son of our efficient citizen, "Nigger Lassos," dictated a letter to the President of Haiti, offering his services as a dish-washer.

Meager news reached the Corners today that Dish Face Dan, who has been working in the Calvo Mine, was very low all day yesterday, three hundred feet below the surface in the main shaft, or in other words right on the bottom of the mine.

While segregating boys this morning in the corral, old man Witherspoon let his knife slip and accidentally cut himself. The veterinarian fainted at the sight of the boys.

As ever yours truly, Ross WURRE, Official Correspondent from Luke's Corners.

Notes from Mountain View.

Little Ella Thompson is quite sick with pneumonia. There will be a Box Supper at the Mountain View School House Saturday night the 22nd and everybody are invited to come.

Quite a number of the people of this neighborhood and of Cactus Flat attended the talk made by Mr. Hulse Sunday night at Meek.

There will be the box supper Saturday night, Sunday morning Sunday school and church, Sunday night the Christian Endeavor and church.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior U. S. Land Office Roswell, New Mexico, March 22, 1916. Notice is hereby given that Thomas B. Yates, of Lincoln, New Mexico, who, on March 8, 1909, made Homestead Entry, Serial No. 016926, for SW1/4, Section 34; and on June 24, 1913, made additional Homestead Entry, Serial No. 029164, the SW1/4, Section 34, Township 7-S, Range 15-E, N. M. Meridian. Has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before C. C. Merchant, U. S. Commissioner, in his office, at Capitan, N. M., on April 25, 1916.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior U. S. Land Office Roswell, New Mexico, March 20, 1916. Notice is hereby given that Juan Mirabal, of Encinoso, N. M., who, on Jan. 11, 1913, made Homestead Entry, Serial No. 026444, for SW 3/4, and ESW 1/4, Section 17, Township 7-S, Range 15-E, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before C. C. Merchant, U. S. Commissioner, in his office, at Capitan, N. M., on April 25, 1916.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior U. S. Land Office Roswell, New Mexico, March 22, 1916. Notice is hereby given that Jesus Mirabal, of Encinoso, New Mexico, who, on Aug. 11, 1913, made Homestead Entry, Serial No. 026920, SW 1/4, Section 19; E 1/2 NE 1/4, Section 19; NWN 1/4, Section 20, Township 7-S, Range 15-E, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final five year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before C. C. Merchant, U. S. Commissioner, in his office, at Capitan, N. M., on May 2, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: Cecencia Corrallo, Teodoro Farmer, Mariano Chaves, Pedro Samora, all of Encinoso, N. M. EMMETT PATTON, Register. March 21-April 21

Capitan Mercantile Co. Dealers in General Merchandise.

We are still doing business at the Old Stand, and will sell you dry goods, clothing, hats, shoes, groceries, etc., as cheap as you can get them anywhere else.

We buy wool, mohair, hides, pelts, etc.

Capitan N. M.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. 016926-029164. Department of the Interior U. S. Land Office Roswell, New Mexico, March 10, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Thomas B. Yates, of Lincoln, New Mexico, who, on March 8, 1909, made Homestead Entry, Serial No. 016926, for SW1/4, Section 34; and on June 24, 1913, made additional Homestead Entry, Serial No. 029164, the SW1/4, Section 34, Township 7-S, Range 15-E, N. M. Meridian. Has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before C. C. Merchant, U. S. Commissioner, in his office, at Capitan, N. M., on April 25, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: Quirino Chaves, Rumaldo Mirabal, Manuel Aguilar, Antonio Chaves, all of Encinoso, N. M. EMMETT PATTON, Register. March 24-April 21

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. 026649. Department of the Interior U. S. Land Office Roswell, New Mexico, March 10, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Pedro Samora, of Encinoso, N. M., who, on Nov. 14, 1912, made Homestead Entry, Serial No. 020419, for E 1/2 SW 1/4; and W 1/2 NE 1/4, Section 20, Township 7-S, Range 15-E, N. M. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before C. C. Merchant, U. S. Commissioner, in his office, at Capitan, N. M., on April 25, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: Quirino Chaves, Rumaldo Mirabal, Manuel Aguilar, Antonio Chaves, all of Encinoso, N. M. EMMETT PATTON, Register. March 24-April 21

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Serial No. 026920. Department of the Interior United States Land Office Roswell, New Mexico, March 22, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Jesus Mirabal, of Encinoso, New Mexico, who, on Aug. 11, 1913, made Homestead Entry, Serial No. 026920, SW 1/4, Section 19; E 1/2 NE 1/4, Section 19; NWN 1/4, Section 20, Township 7-S, Range 15-E, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final five year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before C. C. Merchant, U. S. Commissioner, in his office, at Capitan, N. M., on May 2, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: Pedro Zamora, Antonio Chaves, Quirino Chaves, Teodoro Farmer, all of Encinoso, New Mexico. EMMETT PATTON, Register. March 31-April 29

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. 024479. Department of the Interior U. S. Land Office Roswell, New Mexico, March 21, 1916. Notice is hereby given that Teofilo Zamora, of Encinoso, New Mexico, who, on Feb. 17, 1911, made Homestead Entry, Serial No. 024479, for SW 1/4, Section 13, Township 7-S, Range 14-E, and Lots B-4 and NE 1/4 SW 1/4, Section 18, Township 7-S, Range 15-E, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final five year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Albert H. Harvey, Clerk of the Probate Court, in his office, at Carrizozo, New Mexico, on April 26, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: Gabriel Marquez, Victorio Martinez, Ernest E. Wright, Jesus Mirabal, all of Encinoso, New Mexico. EMMETT PATTON, Register. March 24-April 21

LOST—two Yale lock keys. Finder will be rewarded by returning them to this office.

FOR SALE OR TRADE.—A 12 gauge repeating shot gun. Call at this office for particulars.

LOCAL AND HOME NEWS

John Mocho was attending to business in Capitan yesterday.

Monroe Reed and family moved out to the Tucson Ranger Station last Monday.

Robt Leslie sr., of White Oaks, was looking after business in Capitan Monday.

Lightning Seed Sowers for sale at Titsworth Co's.

District court in Carrizozo has been postponed until May 5th.

Dr. Price has bought a Ford car, something he needed in conducting his practice.

Mrs. Ben Leslie and sister, Mrs. Jesse Leslie, were shopping in Capitan Tuesday.

Parties are figuring on the proposition of establishing a sanitarium in Capitan.

For Sale.—Dynamite, Blasting Caps and Fuse.

The Titsworth Co.

Judge Lucero, of Arabela, attended the Republican convention in Capitan last Saturday.

Ed Hargland, the saw mill man near Alto, was in town last Saturday.

Just received a shipment of genuine Navajo rugs.

The Titsworth Co.

Mr. Geo. Montgomery, of Capitan, and J. P. Luckey, of near Alto, are now in the employ of the Capitan Merc. Co.

Barney Burch, who returned home two weeks ago from Cutter, this state, is now down with measles.

Mr. Will Blanchard was a delegate to the Republican county convention in Capitan last Saturday.

A Turkey Dinner will be served at the Capitan Hotel Friday April 25th.

Mrs. A. Bolt, Proprietor.

WANTED—One dozen laying Pullets and unrelated Rooster; state breed and price. F. O. B. Capitan. Address

R. H. West,
Box 24 Alto, N. M.

Ed Pfingston was down from the Nogal mesa yesterday. He had his name marked up another year on the Mountaineer's subscription list.

C. N. Webb has sold his stock cattle to Lee Prude, who ranches near Walnut on Carrizozo Flats. Mr. Webb retains his lease on the VV Ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Gumm, of Carrizozo, were in town Tuesday. The object of Mrs. Gumm's trip was to visit the Tucson school.

Just received a car load of Portland cement.

The Titsworth Co.

Under Sheriff John Baird and Frank W. Guernsey, Democratic county chairman, are shaking hands with Capitan people today and have just paid the Mountaineer man a call.

The Capitan Merc. Co. have this year's Irish potatoes, boiled ham and minced ham; also, fresh strawberries and fresh string beans on hand.

Just received a car load of steel roofing.

The Titsworth Co.

Mr. J. F. Allison, of the Glencoe community, was in Capitan Wednesday. He stated that there will be considerable fruit on the Huidoso this year, notwithstanding the late freezes.

The following are donations of money and work on the Norton hill: The Titsworth Co. 4 days work with man and team; P. G. Peters 4 days work with man and team; Fisher Lumber Co. one days work with man and team and \$5 cash; New Kemp one-half day with team; C. C. Merchant one-half day with team; A. C. Dalike \$5; John W. Norton \$5; S. J. Gray \$1; Ira Taylor one half day's work with team.

FOR SALE—A good single buggy and harness for only \$85. See or write Geo. A. Caswell, Nogal, New Mexico.

We received a list of the grand and petit jurors today for the coming term of district court, but too for this week's paper. It will appear in next issue.

County School Notes.

Institute—June 10th to July 1st.

A. E. Templeton of Rabenton will complete the term of the Upper Glencoe school.

The eight months term at Apple has closed.

Prof. J. B. Konce has just completed a successful seven months term at Apple. This district plans to have two teachers another term.

Nogal district expect to begin their term early in July.

Two Boys' and Girls' Industrial have been formed in the county since the visit of Prof. W. T. Conway. The club, chartered on the show's pig and corn club on the upper Huidoso, a poultry and canning club at Hondo, a sewing club at San Patricio, a pig club at Glencoe and two sewing clubs, a cooking club and a poultry club at Carrizozo. Arrangements will be made to have these clubs exhibit at the October County Field Day, and the winners given a trip to the Industrial Camp at the State Fair.

An educational conference will be held in Las Vegas early in June. The Hon. F. P. Claxton, U. S. Commissioner of Education will be the guest of honor. Plans for an education survey of the state will be discussed.

Mrs. W. L. Gumm.

R. C. James, the forest ranger stationed on the Huidoso, is in town today transacting business in connection with his office.

We have concluded to extend the time on the renewal of subscriptions to the Mountaineer (on the \$1 a year proposition) until the first of May. After that time the subscription price will be \$1.50 per year. For want of space we omit the list of renewals this week, but they will appear in next issue.

The Mountaineer man formed the acquaintance of Mr. S. H. Hanner, of White Oaks, last Saturday while that gentleman was in Capitan attending the Republican convention. Mr. Hanner is a most affable man—just such a one as a person always feels it a pleasure to meet. Mr. Hanner is now a subscriber to the Mountaineer.

Chas. A. Siringo, live stock sanitary inspector, arrested two parties named Francisco Caceres and Gracioso Bacq, living in the Paradise Valley country, the first of this week, on a charge of killing a beef belonging to the Block Ranch people. He took the accused to Carrizozo and lodged them in jail to await the action of the grand jury.

J. V. Tully was over from Glencoe last Saturday attending the Republican county convention, and while here advanced his own subscription to the Mountaineer another year and paid another dollar to have the paper sent to a friend in California. It's being whiped about that J. V. has his eyes on the Republican nomination for sheriff of Lincoln county. He has many strong friends and should be able to make the race. He will be found a fast horse from start to finish.

A. E. Hayes was over from Mountain View yesterday and paid the Mountaineer a call. Mr. Hayes is very much interested in the success of the box supper to be given at the Mountain View school house tomorrow night the 22nd, and extends an invitation to everybody to attend.

A final decision has been reached by the head of the Forest Service, and the Capitan office will be consolidated with the Alamogordo office. Mr. Scott has instructions to ship the records and part of the office furniture and fixtures to Alamogordo next week. We learn that there will be a branch office maintained in Capitan, which will be in charge of Mr. Scott until the first of July. He then expects to be transferred to Alamogordo, and some one else take his place here.

FOR SALE—Yearling Hereford Bulls.

The Titsworth Co.

Lincoln Notes.

Mr. Frank English and family "Dodged" over from Carrizozo Sunday to visit Mrs. English's parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Bice, at a little Glenn's ranching for an extended visit.

Perry Hightower visited friends and relatives in Hondo and Lincoln last week.

One of our veteran mail drivers has recently gone to riding in the rear seat on special occasions. Better back seat kid, these natives are a very jolous people. Just a word to the wise, etc.

A traveling show entertained some of our people two nights last week.

Miss Mary Walters and sister Rita, and Brothers Willie and Harry Norman motored to Santa Fe Wednesday to visit their sister, Miss Lurey, who is attending college in that city. They expect to remain ten days, or two weeks.

Mr. Tom Roach is back at his old job at Dr. Laws.

It is reported, but not confirmed, that Dr. Laws has left his Sanitarium to a Dr. Bullis of El Paso.

The fruits reported to be killed by the freeze's last week.

White Oaks Items.

Mr. H. S. Hanner attended the Republican convention on Capitol last Saturday.

Mr. Robt Taylor and family motored to Carrizozo and Alto Sunday.

The family of Constable J. S. Campbell have gone to Roswell to spend a short while.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lee, with the children, drove over to Carrizozo Sunday in their new car.

Prospectors are still hunting for Tungsten.

The White Oaks country was greatly benefitted by the recent snow and rain.

Mr. Chas. Mayor and wife visited in Carrizozo Sunday evening.

The "Old Abe" pumping plant is being put in repair.

Mr. G. G. Shannon, business manager for the White Oaks Consolidated Mining Co., spent a few days last week in El Paso in the interest of the company.

Hewitt, the baby son of Mr. and Mrs. Robt Taylor, has been very ill with tonsilitis, but is reported better.

Every house providing any kind of shelter in White Oaks has some one living in it, and a good many houses have been repaired for renting.

Mr. Jay Allen and children have moved to White Oaks from Carrizozo.

TO THE PUBLIC—I now own the Jesse Lee place 4 1/2 miles west of Capitan, and will run any mill, which I bought with the place, on Saturday of each week.

E. S. McSHALL.

Parsons Nuggets.

P. S. Johnson and Taylor Lewis are here for a few days looking after mining interests.

W. Robinson, Harry Lucas and Tommie Jennings have gone to the roughs on Three Rivers bear hunting. They expect to meet Benin as he comes out after his long winter nap.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira West have made a business trip to the Demita this week and will be here for guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lusher Jennings.

Elton Stayton has been quite sick at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Grafton, but is improving at this writing.

L. A. Skinner and Luther Jennings made a trip to Carrizozo Sunday after Mr. Jennings' mother, who has been visiting her niece, Mrs. Austin Patts.

Bacq Jennings is working at the intake on South Fork during the high water from the melting snow; his brother Willis is visiting him.

The Parsons Mining Co. is expecting their new machinery to arrive soon and will be placed on the ground as soon as possible. They hope to be ready before long to begin their operations. The bad weather has delayed work quite a bit.

The Demita Creek has been up considerably of late, caused from the melting snow. Cars have had some trouble crossing.

NOTICE FOR INFORMATION.

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Department of the Interior
U. S. Land Office,
Roswell, New Mexico,
April 11, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Jose Carrillo, of Tinnie, N. M., who, on March 15, 1911, made Homestead Entry, Serial No. 624564, for western half, NW 1/4, and the Northeast Section 24, Township 9 S., Range 17 E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Register or Receiver U. S. Land Office, at Roswell, New Mexico, on May 13, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: Procopio Gustamanta, Manuel Binero Carrillo, Meliton Sabedra, Francisco Analla, all of Tinnie, New Mexico.

EMMETT PATTON,
April 11—May 12 Register.

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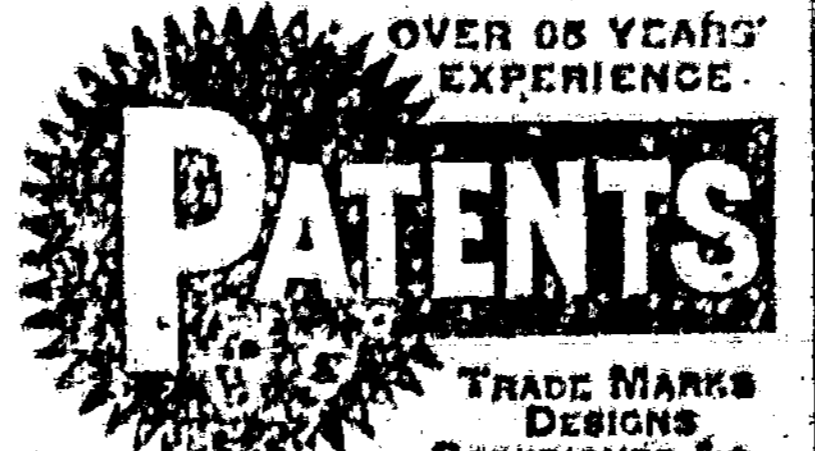
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