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STATE OF NEW MEXICO.
NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION
PUBLIC LAND SALE
LINCOLN COUNTY

Office of the Commissioner of Public Lands, Santa Fe, New Mexico.

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the provisions of an Act of Congress, approved June 20, 1910, the laws of the State of New Mexico and the rules and regulations of the State Land Office, the Commissioner of Public Lands will offer at Public Sale to the highest bidder, at 10 o'clock, A. M., on Friday, June 29th, 1917, in the town of Carrizozo, County of Lincoln, State of New Mexico, in front of the Court House therein, the following described tracts of land, viz:

Sale No. 779. W½W½ Sec. 4, SE¼, E½SW¼ Sec. 5, NE¼, E½NW¼ Sec. 8, NW¼NW¼, Sec, 9, T. 4-S., R. 11-E., containing 679.32 acree selected for the Santa Fe and Grant County Railroad Bond Fund. The improvements on this land consist of two houses, barn, corrals, well, tank, and fencing, value $3,200.

Sale No 780, Lots 3, 4, NW¼ Sec. 30, T. 8S., R. 15 E., containing 227.16 acres. There are no improvements on this land.

Sale No. 781, SW¼NE¼, NW¼SE¼ Sec. 27. SW¼ Sec. 28, T. 9 S, R.8 E, containing 240 acres. There are no improvements on this land

Sale No. 782. SW¼ Sec 7, NW¼, NW¼ Sec. 18, T 9-S, R 8 E, containing 366 49 acres. There are no improvements on this land.

Sale No 783, S½N½ Sec. 28, T. 9-S. R. 8-E., containing 160 acres There are no improvents on this land.

Sale No. 784. W½NE¼ Sec. 15; E½NE¼ Sec. 22. T. 9 S. R 8 E, containing 160 acres. There are no improvents on this land.

Sale No 785. W½E½, SE¼SE¼ Sec. 1. T 8-S., R 11-E, containing 174 90 acres selected for the Santa Fe and Grant Counties Railroad Bond Fund. There are no improvements on this land.

Sale No. 786. SW¼ Sec 15. W½NW¼ Sec. 22. T. 9-S., R 8-E. containing 320 acres. There are no improvements on this land.

No bids on the above described tracts of land will be accepted for less than Three Dollars ($3 00) per acre, which is the appraised value thereof. And in addition there to the successful bidder must pay for the improvements that exist on the land.

Sale No. 787, S½SE¼ Sec. 5. T. 10-S., R. 19-E., containing 80 acres. The improvements on this land consist of house, well, windmill, gasoline engine, reservoir, troughs, corrals, barns, garage, and fencing. Value $5500.00.

No bid on the above described tract of land will be accepted for less than Five Dollars ($5.00) per acre, which is the appraised value thereof. In addition thereto the successful bidder must pay for the improvements that exist on the land.

Each of the above described tracts will be offered for sale separately.

The above sales of lands will be subject to the following terms and conditions, viz:

Except for lands selected for the Santa Fe and Grant County R. R. Bond Fund, the successful bidder must pay to the Commissioner of Public Lands, or his agent holding such sale, one-twentieth of the price offered by him for the land, four per cent interest in advance for the the balance of such purchase price, the fees for advertising and appraisement and all costs incidental to the sale herein, and each and all of said amounts must be deposited in cash or certified exchange at the time of sale, and which said amounts and all of them are subject to forfeiture to the State of New Mexico if the successful bidder does not execute a contract within thirty days after it has been mailed to him by the State Land Office, said contract to provide that the purchaser may at his option make payment of not less than one-thirtieth of ninety-five per cent of the purchase price at any time after the sale and prior to the expiration of thirty years from date of the contract, and to provide for the payment of any unpaid balance at the expiration of thirty years from the date of the contract, with interest on deferred payments at the rate of four per cent per annum payable in advance on the anniversary of the date of contract, parrial payments to be credited on the anniversary of the date of contract next following the date of tender.

The sale of lands selected for the Santa Fe and Grant County Bond Fund will be subject to the above terms and conditions, except that the successful bidder must pay at the time of sale one-tenth of the purchase price and four per cent interest in advance for the balance of such purchase price and will be required to execute a contract providing for the payment of the balance of such purchase price in thirty equal, annual installments with interest on all deferred payments at the rate of four per cent per annum, in advance, payments and interest due on October 1st of each year.

The Commissioner of Public Lands of New Mexico, or his agent, holding such sale, reserves the right to reject any and all bids offered at said sale. Possession under contracts of sale for the above described tracts will be given on or before October 1st, 1917.

Witness my hand and the official seal of the State Land Office this 6th day of April, A. D. 1917.

ROB'T. P. ERVIEN,
Commissioner of Public Lands, State of New Mexico.

April 11—June 20.

"This is the hour of the THRIFTY MAN

The gold mines of the Yukon and the Rand—the diamond diggings of Brazil and South Africa promise paltry pittances compared with the illimitable fortunes which lie at every turn in any city.

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How much time are you devoting to its study?"
—Herbert Kaufman

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The Life of Our Saviour.

Next Suturday night, April 21st, there will be shown at Capitan the greatest of the masterpieces of the moving picture world, Pathe's wonderful "Life of Our Saviour." This great picture, in seven reels of life-colored photography, is one of the greatest productions of this world famous company, and has been secured for this date at a high expense.

It is said that every scene in this picture was photographed at the exact site located in Biblical history, which adds much to its interest. This great drama, the greatest story of all the ages, is presented here both from the religious and dramatic stand points.

For the benefit of the children of the country, who will be especially interested in this picture, it has been announced that all children under 14, if accompanied by their parents, will be admitted free.

Contract Let for Bank Building.

J. N. White and Harry Little, of Carrizozo, who have formed a partnership under the name of Little & White have secured the contract for building The First National Bank of Carrizozo and will start work on the building at once. The heating contract has not yet been let.

People who take pains never do any more than they get paid for, never get paid for any more than they do.
—Elbert Hubbard.

Notes from Mountain View.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Hulse are the proud parents of a nine pounds girl baby, born March 28th.

School started at Richardson Monday morning April 2nd, with Prof. Brooks as teacher.

Mr. C. A. Thompson is working at the Block ranch.

Mr. Hugh Thompson and Ralph Read of this community are working at the Parsons mines.

Misses Willie and Jewell Wrtkins have been visiting their sister Mrs. Etta Rickard.

A. H. Hayes and John Richard of this community made a business trip to Capitan Friday.

Mr. W. L. Gumm and son Dean were in this community this week.

Mr. Ep Casner and family have moved to this community.

Our religious societies are progressing nicely as the weather grows warmer.

There will be a box supper at the Richardson school house Friday night April 13th, and everybody are invited to attend.

After waiting five or six months, we have received the organ for our church, Sunday school, Endeavor and Prayer meeting.

For Sale or Trade.

Second hand wagon, in good repair, good work mule and set of wagon harness for cash cheap or trade for good milk cow. Apply at this office for further particulars.

Mountaineer $1.50 per year.

Teachers Meet at Capitan.

The meeting of the Lincoln County Teachers' Association at Capitan on April 6th and 7th was one of the most successful ever held in the state without any doubt the best ever held in Lincoln county. Much of this success is due to the enthusiastic efforts of the teachers concerned in its details, but more is entirely due to the enthusiastic cooperation of the people of Capitan. That the members of the Association know and appreciate this is shown by the enthusiasm with which they appluded the hospitality of Capitan.

Beginning with the meeting on Friday afternoon, well attended by both teachers and town peopeople, the sessions of the meeting were successful and interesting. The evening meetings in particular were well attended, capacity audiences being the rule. Much interest in the addresses of all the speakers was shown, especially in that of Major J. Ross Thomas, of Roswell.

One of the noteworthy features of the meeting was the exhibit of work from the schools of the county, practically every school being represented. Contests in Spelling and Arithmetic on Satuday morning were won by representatives from Carrizozo.

Capitan has much reason to be proud of the splendid showing made by its schools in the exhibits. Both the High School and Graded School defeated all comers in their sections by overwhelming scores.

In the High School Section of the exhibit, the Lincoln County High School, of Capitan, won approximately six times as many ribbons as all the other high schools combined. The complete score is as follows: Corona 1 first, 2 seconds, White Oaks 3 firsts, 36 seconds. Carrizozo 8, 4 seconds, Capitan 49 firsts, 36 seconds.

Grades duplicated this success by winning nearly every ribbon in their section, in which the score was: Corona 2 firsts, 1 second; White Oaks 10 firsts, 11 seconds: Capitan 55 firsts, 27 seconds.

This sweeping victory shows the position of the Capitan Scheols in Lincoln county.

Teachers Present at Meeting

Miss Willie Day, Rabenton
Miss Arlina Gibany, Lincoln
Miss Iona Stevens, Lincoln
Mr. E. F. Funk, Nogal
Miss Velma Dudley, Lincoln
Miss Mary Metcalf, Lincoln
Mr. H. L. Brooks, Encinoso
Mrs. George Dixou, Houdo
Mrs. Norris Harber, Encinoso
Mr. W. O. Deal, Picacho
Miss Ruby McKnight, Picacho
Mr. A. B. Stapleton, San Patricio
Miss Iris Ballentine, Little Creek
Miss Pearl Colbaugh, Corona
E. T. Brown, Corona
Mrs. E. T. Brown, Corona
Miss Nannie Ditty, Corona
Miss Ethel Gaddis, Ancho
Geo. E. Cardwell, Ancho
Miss Ida Schimpff, Oscuro
Miss Jennie Mae Smith, Oscuro
A. McCurdy, Carrizozo
Mrs. E. V. Jewett, "
H. C. Franklin, "
H. B. Lassater, "
Mrs. Nora Massie, Carrizozo
Miss Mamie Humphrey, Carrizozo
Miss Ivy Lindsay, Carrizozo
Miss Annie Gilhant, Carrizozo
Mrs. E. G. Glunn, Carrizozo
Miss Blanch Garvin, Carrizozo
Miss Irene Wicklund, Carrizozo
A. W. Wyatt, White Oaks
Mrs. A. W. Wyatt, White Oaks
Miss Fonta Smith, White Oaks
Miss Mildred Peters, Parsons
Mr. C. Y. Belknap, Capitan
Miss Alva Battle, Capitan
C. V. Koogler, Capitan
Miss Muriel Baker, Capitan
Mrs. G. E. De Nisson, Capitan
Miss Helen Thurman, Capitan
Miss Mary Howard, Capitan
Miss Ida Coleman, Capitan
Miss Louise Holland, Glencoe
Mrs. S. R. Moss, Deseo

Total number of teachers present, 47.

Visitors Present

President E. L. Enloe, Silver City.
County Superintendent, J. E. Koonce, Carrizozo.
Prof. D. A. Worcester, Albuquerque.
Major J. Ross Thomas, Roswell.
Mr. W. T. Conway, State College.

For Sale—

One work horse,
One three year old mule,
One double disc plow,
One alfalfa renovator
One mowing machine,
One hay rake,
One corn cultivator,
One lister corn cultivator,
One riding lister,
One one horse corn drill,
One two horse section harrow,
One two horse grain drill.
One one horse grain drill.
Fisher Lumber Co.

Mare and Colt for Sale--

One sorrell mare, six years old this spring, medium size; also, a yearling filley colt, both for sale cheap. See James Hall, at Glencoe.

Methodist Preaching.

Capitan First Sunday 11 a. m., 7 p. m.

Gap School House. 2nd Sunday 11 a. m.

Tucson School House, third Sunday 11 a. m.

Mountain View, fourth Sunday 11 a. m.

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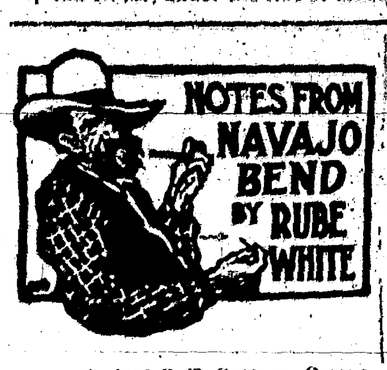

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The directors of this school district have bought a set of Jack screws to raise the school house and while they are at it will raise the school teacher's salary and give the male assistant a good jacking up.

The change of venue case from Old Mexico, wherein Jesus Maria Tencentavo was tried before Judge Bloodgood for the murder of Hypolito Uranother with a shotgun was dismissed. The old Judge says he cannot find any law against killing a man with a shotgun, they not being used for that purpose when the law was made.

Dish Face Dan rode old Limber Neck, his race horse, and won over Pistole Lass, the local race mare, in the recent quarter dash, and then had to wait a week for the quarter.

Jim Brimberry's wife returned the quirt he borrowed yesterday to whip her with, and she says he was resting reasonably well when she left him.

Report reaches the Bend that Villa has typhus. This probably refers to Typhus Tim, from these parts, who was warned to keep out Mexico some time ago, and now that Villa has him I hope his friends will not pay the ransom.

The parties who explored the bat cave, claiming they were searching for Guana, went back home without offering a reward for her. I suppose she has poor kinfolks or else they did not want her very bad, one or the other or both.

The old Needle Doctor has happened to a serious accident. Nigger Lasses who has been down with the botts, is able to be up and about, and the Doctor says his recovery was purely unintentional, as far as he was concerned.

Crazy Chris was in the Bend again this week purchasing picks and shovels to dig a grave to bury the horse thief he came so near shooting.

A sharper from the mountains came thro the Bend yesterday with a load of pinyon poles and won all the change I had or could borrow, and you will have to send me some money or postage before I can send these notes in. He bet me he could show me a pole that could walk and talk. I had my eyes on his load and was not thinking of getting took in and so I took him up and he introduced me to a son of a gun from Warsaw that he had along with him. He will be back this way and I will write you what I do to him.

Has Been Delayed, but is Coming

The editor of the Mountaineer has seen two letters during the past week from A. H. Harvey, of Urick, Mo., the gentlemen who is promoting the Capitan Bank enterprise. Mr Harvey writes that he will not be able to come as soon as he had expected, but has no idea of giving up the enterprise. His coming is delayed because he is finding it a hard matter to satisfactorily close out his holdings in Missouri, and wants time to do so without having to make too great a sacrifice in selling his property. We feel assured that Mr. Harvey will be with us and carry out his plans, and just now we will have to show him the patience to which he is entitled.

Sunshine State Seals.

The New Mexico Publicity Bureau at Santa Fe has just received a supply of 100,000 "Sunshine State" seals similar to those used in large numbers several years ago by the old state immigration bureau and which had much to do with fixing in the public mind throughout the country New Mexico's title to be known as "The Sunshine State." The new seal is in two colors, blue on a background of red and carries the New Mexico coat of arms and the words "NEW MEXICO-THE SUNSHINE STATE." The seals about the size of a half-dollar and are convenient for use on the backs of envelopes. They are intended for free distribution to all New Mexico business houses and citizens who will use them on mail going out of the state.

Anyone in this vicinity who desires to use these seals should write to the New Mexico Publicity Bureau, State Land Office, Santa Fe, N. M., indicating the number of seals desired.

Spindle Items.

The Massie boys gave a dance in their new bungalow last Friday night and a nice time was reported.

Ep and Jess Casner made a business trip to Roswell this week.

Mr. Arthur Allison came up from Roswell and spent a few days visiting the Spindles.

Mr. J. S. Spindle, who has been on the border with the Roswell Battery, is at home for for a few days.

Every one is planning for a nice time the 13th, at the school exercises and box social.

Mr. Emmet McFarland and Jess Van Winkle were in Roswell last week where they purchased them a new car.

Miss Miriam Thronier and mother are visiting on the Macho.

The Block boys are getting ready to start their spring work and will have their Big Round-up at the big corrall on the 13th.

Miss Juanita Spindle has come home to spend the summer with her mother.

J. P. Pendergrass, Jesse Van Winkle and Wiley Sidwell were elected at the school election held here on the 2nd

Mr. Stewart and family from Tahoka, Texas, have moved to our community and located.

A number of prospectors have been through our country this week.

Riley McPherson, of Capitan, was in our community last week on business.

J. P. Pendergras and son made a business trip to Roswell last week.

Mr. Emmet McFarland and mother made a trip to the Macho in their new car. He reports cattle doing finely in that country.

We are still needing rain in this section, but it missed an awfully good chance the other day when they had a good rain east of us.

Mr. Jobe McPherson is in our neighborhood looking after some cattle.

Mr. M. Smith, who is connected with Mr. A. O. Craeley in the mercantile business on the Upper Ruidoso, was in Capitan yesterday after goods, and paid the Mountaineer a call.

We have just received a lot of those fine large Chamais Skins just the kind you have been looking for.—Sunshine Pharmacy.

Notes from Alto.

Ozebla Tillman is visiting her mother, Mrs. Tillman, of Alto. Miss Ozebla has completed her school at Curval, New Mexico, and is spending her vacation in this neighborhood.

Mr. Ables, of this neighborhood, who has been quite sick, is improving and we hope that he will soon be up.

Mr. Will Marr has the contract to furnish Parsons with beef, and he delivers every Monday.

Mr. Hicks has returned with 29 head of fine cattle. He went out on the Plains after them.

Mr. Ed Hoagland is getting over the severe hurt which he received March 12th.

There was a small pic nic party went up on North Eagle last Sunday. The crowd consisted of Mr. Crawford and family, Mr. Will Marr and family, Mr. Hearing and family, Mr. Calmon and son, Mr. Owen Ables, brother and two sisters, Hank and Jim Hoagland, Ross Slay, Walter Hicks, Mrs. Tom Beckham and children and Mrs. Coe and children. They report having had a good time.

Happy.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

028384

Department of the Interior,
U. S. Land Office,
Roswell, New Mexico,
March 26 1917.

Notice is hereby given that Juan Warner, of Hondo, New Mexico, who, on March 24, 1914, made Homestead Entry, Serial No. 028384, for E½ NE¼; NE¼ SE¼; Section 24, Township 10-S, Range 16-E; and NW¼SW¼, Sec. 16, Township 10-S, Range 17-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, New Mexico, on May 5, 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Henry Stutz, Pantaleon Torrez, Teofilo Marquez, these of Lincoln, Luis Sanches, of Hondo, New Mexico.

EMMETT PATTON,
Apl 4—May 2 Register

For Sale--

Three good sows, three pigs, will take $60 for all if sold at once. C. L. Colby.
Ruidoso, N. M.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

026120 - 033932

Department of the Interior;
U. S. Land Office,
Roswell, New Mexico,
March 3, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that Henry R. Smith, of Nogal, New Mexico, who, on June 1, 1912 and Feb. 4, 1916, made Original and Additional Homestead Entries, Serial Nos. 026120 and 033932, for NE¼NE¼; N½N½ SE¼ NE¼; SW¼ NE¼ SE¼ NE¼; S½ N½ SE¼ NE; N½ SW¼ SE¼ NE¼; SW¼ SW¼ SE¼ NE¼; NW¼ SE¼; E½ NE¼ NW¼ NE¼; and SE¼ NW¼ NE¼, Section 23, Township 9-S, Range 13-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, New Mexico, on April 9, 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses:

A. Boen Zumwalt, Robert C. Skinner, William Hust, Elbert Brown, all of Nogal, New Mexico.

EMMETT PATTON,
Mch. 9—Apl 6. Register.

Hogs for Sale.

Seven head of one year old hogs, medium size; all can go for $35. See or write J. S. Bailey, Alto, New Mexico.

For Sale—

Thirteen head of cattle,
Two work horses,
One work mare,
One work mule.
Terms can be given if desired.
Fisher Lumber Co.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

027925—031588

Department of the Interior,
United States Land Office,
Roswell, New Mexico,
Mch. 16, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that Thomas C. Ward, of White Oaks, New Mexico, who, on Oct. 20, 1913, and April 3, 1915, made Original and Additional Homestead Entries, Serial Nos. 027925-031588, for SE¼, SE¼SW¼, Sec. 19; W½SW¼, Section 20, Township 7-S, Range 14-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, New Mexico, on April 21, 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Robert Leslie, jr., Elisha Leslie, these of White Oaks, N. M., James Goodall, Margnerito Silva, these of Deseo, N. M.

EMMETT PATTON,
Mch. 21—Apl. 18. Register.

NOTICE FOR PULICATION.

027296

Department of the Interior.
U. S. Land Office,
Roswell, New Mexico,
March 17, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that Mauel Corona, of Glencoe, N. M., who, on May 20, 1913, made Homestead Entry, Serial No. 027296, for Lots 1, 2, 3 and 4, Section 19, Township 10-S, Range 16-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 23, 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses:

John Mackey, of Glencoe, N. M., Felipe Gomez, Antonio Sanchez, Jose Portio, these of San Patricio, N. M.

EMMETT PATTON,
Mch. 7—Apl 18 Receiver.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

024387

Department of the Interior
U. S. Land Office
Roswell, New Mexico,
March 17, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that Jose Venebides, of Ruidoso, N. M., who, on February 13, 1911, made Homestead Entry, Serial No. 024387, for SE¼NE¼, Section 14, Township 11-S, Range 14-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, J. S. Commissioner, in his office, at Capitan, New Mexico, on April 20, 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Pedro Nunez y Salas, Cristobal Sanchez, Samuel Sanchez, Celestino Sanchez, all of Ruidoso, New Mexico.

EMMETT PATTON,
Mch. 21—Apl. 18 Receiver.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

027233

Department of the Interior
U. S. Land Office,
Roswell, New Mexico,
March 3, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that Lena V. Coor, formerly Lena V. Mobley, of Encinoso, New Mexico, who, on May 2, 1913, made Homestead Entry, Serial No. 027233, for the SE¼, Section 23, 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, New Mexico, on April 7, 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses:

John H. Mobley, Rufus M. Hipp, Oscar L. Patterson, Charles D. Ferris, all of Encinoso, New Mexico.

EMMETT PATTON,
Mch. 7—April 4. Register.

We are equipped to handle the acccounts of the Stockmen, the Farmers and the Merchants. We will welcome your business regardless of size. We invite you to call and see us and get acquainted. We are quite ready to talk business with you. If you want money, we have it, if you have it to deposit, leave it with us.

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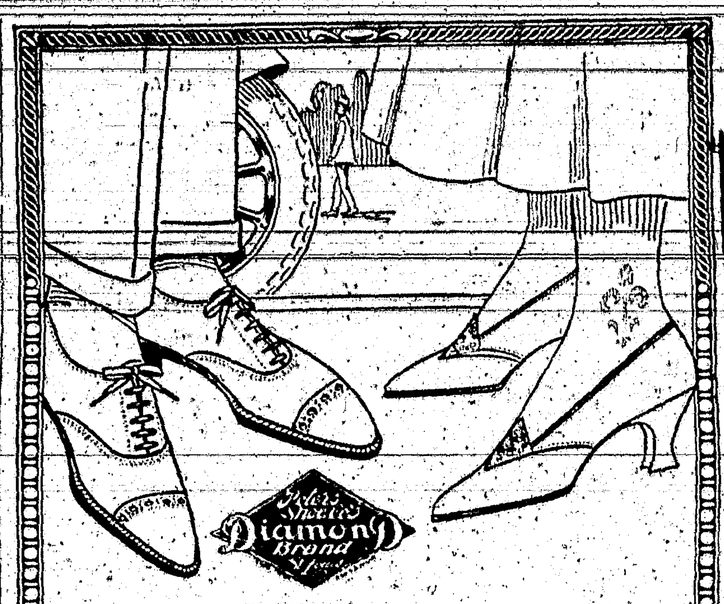
We buy wool, mohair, hides, pelts, etc.



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NEW MEXICO STATE NEWS

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COMING EVENTS.

July 3-5—Annual Reunion of Cowboys' Association at Las Vegas.
July 21-Aug. 20—Citizens' Military Training Camp at Las Vegas.
Sept. 25-29—Seventh Annual Northern New Mexico Fair at Raton.

A new gymnasium is to be built at Raton.

Punch boards are under the ban in Silver City.

A Mormon colony is to be founded near Tularosa.

Three Clovis boys were held on forgery charges.

The Security State Bank of Portales has been incorporated.

A loyalty parade and rally will be held at Albuquerque April 9th.

A crew of twenty men is employed at the Pacific mine at Mogollon.

Carlsbad stockmen are marketing a large number of fed lambs and steers.

Another new office building is going up in the business section at Magdalena.

Five thousand pounds of beans, corn and coffee were stolen from a Socorro store.

A civilian training camp will be held at East Las Vegas from July 21 to Aug. 20.

The initial shipment of ore from the Grant S. mine in the Mogollon district has been made.

The Silver Key Mining Company, authorized capital $250,000, has filed articles of incorporation.

A. A. Thomas, 73, of Raton, was married to Mrs. Mary M. Crane, 72, of Janesville, Wis., in Denver.

The State Corporation Commission granted a charter to the Amistad Cemetery Association of Amistad.

According to the orchard men at Roswell, conditions were never better there for a bumper fruit crop.

George Watson's 11-year-old son was shot and killed while out hunting with his brother near White Signal.

The Honduras Mining and Development Company filed incorporation papers, the capitalization being $100,000.

The Masonic lodge of Tucumcari has closed a contract for the erection of a Masonic home to cost $20,000.

A track-laying gang, numbering 350 Mexican laborers, is now located at the stockyards south of Silver City.

The Santa Fé forestry officials are overwhelmed with applications for grazing permits for sheep this season.

Governor W. E. Lindsey has asked Captain C. E. De Bremond to reconsider his declination of the adjutant generalship.

United States District Judge Colin Neblett of Santa Fé appointed George C. Lebeck, United States commissioner at Ramah.

Voters of Eddy county defeated the proposed issue of $100,000 in interest-bearing bonds for new roads and their maintenance.

Col. E. C. Abbott will raise a brigade of cavalry in New Mexico, in case there is a call for volunteers from the President.

Phelps, Dodge & Company declared an extra dividend of $3.50 a share in addition to the quarterly dividend of $3.50 a share.

Not for many years have so many fires occurred in New Mexico as the past few weeks, according to reports to underwriters.

Ernest Boardman is drilling a well on the Baker ranch, eighteen miles northeast of Gallup, and at a depth of 700 feet struck a quantity of oil and gas.

Carlsbad farmers are arranging to plant more cotton.

Full payment for the site for the Holly sugar factory at Las Cruces has been made, and the deeds filed with the county clerk.

John Cunico, a ranchman of the Rio Grande valley, was killed and two other men were seriously injured in an automobile accident at Brilliant.

A shooting affray at the Mogollon Mines, near Silver City, resulted in the death of Cosme Zapata and the fatal wounding of Pedro Almarez.

Silver City will hold a Fourth of July celebration, according to action taken by the Fourth of July committee of the Chamber of Commerce.

The Fort Sumner Water Users' Association has taken charge of the irrigation system, the owners having made no effort to repair the dam.

Federico Sanchez of Peralta, Valencia county, was appointed by Governor Lindsey to succeed Eugene Kempenich of the same place as county commissioner, Mr. Kempenich having resigned to become a member of the State Highway Commission.

Langdon B. Gregg at Clovis has been offered the position of deputy bank examiner by George H. Van Stone, who filed his oath of office as bank examiner.

The case of nineteen of the twenty-one Villista raiders brought out of Mexico by U. S. troops charged with participating in the massacre at Columbus, was taken up at Santa Fé.

The arrest of E. T. Adams at the Sandy ranch, seven miles south of Albuquerque, on the charge of forgery, ended a search that began nearly three months ago in Mason county, Ill.

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How to Save Eggs.

One of the Mountaineer readers contributes a hint which will tend to reduce the high cost of eggs next winter when they are scarce: Select uncracked eggs, rub each thoroughly with clean melted tallow; after grease hardens, wrap each egg in paper to prevent breaking; lay in wooden box about 2 feet square in layers with paper or card-board between till box is full, nail on cover. Place the box where it is cool in summer and warm in winter. It is a good idea to turn box in rotation about once a week to prevent eggs from settling on one side. The writer has kept eggs for more than a year in this way, and they looked and tasted like fresh ones when used.

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

Notice is hereby given that Timothy Slaughter, of Capitan, N. M., who, on March 10, 1913 and July 17, 1914, made Original and Additional Homestead Entries, Serial Nos. 027059 and 028819, for SW¼ and the NW¼ Section 34, Township 7-S, Range 14-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, New Mexico, on April 14, 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Rufus M. Hipp, of Encinoso, New Mexico. William M. Rickard, Daniel K. Coor, Thomas N. Hobbs, these of Capitan, N. M.

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General Local News.

"Better grade toilet articles" at the Sunshine Pharmacy.

F. P. Morgan is improving and will soon be out again.

Sheriff Walker Hyde was over last Saturday from Carrizozo

Just received a large assortment of ladies trimmed hats at Norman's.

Mrs. J. B. Julian lost a very fine Jersey cow one night this week

Tax Assessor Alfredo Gonzales was here this week enroute to Carrizozo

Elbert Brown, of Nogal, spent the day Tuesday in Capitan.

If you want a first class Jersey cow, see Rev. L. W. Carleton.

Rev. L. W. Carleton has several fine Jersey cows for sale. See him. Prices will be right.

Call at Norman's and look at the World's Events three times a week.

Frank Analla and wife and brother, of Tinnie, were in town last Saturday.

Boston Wright passed through town Tuesday on his way to the Ruidoso to do surveying

Deputy Sheriff Ralph Dow, of Lincoln, was looking after business in Capitan Tuesday

E. C. Slack, of the north side, was transacting business in Capitan Wednesday

Dr. T. W. Watson of Carrizozo was looking after business in Capitan last Saturday

There is to be a big dance in the public hall at Nogal on the night of the 20th of this month. Everybody invited to attend.

Billy Wells and brother, from the upper Bonito, were trading in Capitan Tuesday.

Uncle Tom Brown and J. V. Hobby made a short visit to Capitan Tuesday

John L. Bryan and wife, of Baca Canyon took in teachers' meeting here last week.

If your watch or clock is out of commission, leave it at this office and we will send it to W. A. Smith, the jeweler at Fort Stanton, and have it repaired for you.

The Parsons mining mill started up last week, but some part of the machinery broke down, and they are waiting for repairs to come in

L. F. Avent and sons have bought a ranch and cattle near Lake Valley, beyond the Rio Grande, and preparing to move move to move to it

The Mountaineer has installed a telephone in its office and will take late important news from the country if parties will send it in collect 1 long 3 short rings

W. O. Norman's stone building is now underway of construction and will soon be ready for occupancy It will decidedly improve the appearance of that part of town.

Mrs. C. C. Bellnap is prolonging her visit to Capitan till Friday She is being entertained by the Dummy Club to day with a trip to the Sunset ranch on the Hondo

Rev. L. W. Carleton has the best bunch of Jersey cows in the country, all subject to registration See him if you are in the market for a good cow.

Barney Burch is home from Sierra County where he has been for the past year. His many friends are glad to see him back with them again.

Rev. L. W. Carleton returned home last Friday from Tucumcari where he had been for a month or more, and while there underwent a surgical operation for gall-stone. He is rapidly improving and will soon be round again.

Mr. Geo. L. Ulrick, President of the Carrizoso Exchange Bank, passed through Capitan last Saturday afternoon in company with Mr. Hank Purdy who were on their way to the Upper Ruidoso, where Mr. Ulrick is having a mill put in on the Cree land. Mr. Purdy is doing the work on the mill and expects to have it in operation in the next week or two.

CONDENSATION OF FRESH NEWS

THE LATEST IMPORTANT DISPATCHES PUT INTO SHORT, CRISP PARAGRAPHS.

STORY OF THE WEEK

SHOWING THE PROGRESS OF EVENTS IN OUR OWN AND FOREIGN LANDS.

Western Newspaper Union News Service.

About the War

Three British destroyers sunk; two by submarines and one in a collision.

Two allied biplanes brought down by Teutons in Macedonia, according to Berlin statements.

Germans report victory in Bystritza valley near Hungarian-Roman an frontier, taking 275 prisoners.

British inflict severe defeat upon Turkish army of 20,000 men in Palestine. Nine hundred officers and men captured.

An account of the recent battle in Palestine in which the British routed a Turkish force of 20,000, was given officially in London.

British frustrate Turkish enveloping movement near Deltawah, thirty-five miles north of Bagdad. Turkish attacks near Erzingan repulsed.

British make progress in driving salient into Hindenburg line between Marcoing and St. Quentin. Seven more villages occupied Saturday.

Dispatches from British correspondents on the western front report that the Germans have destroyed a large part of St. Quentin by fire and explosives.

Berlin admits capture of two towns, but claims British attempts north of Hendicourt met with failure. Bitter fighting reported further north in the region of Arras

German raider in South Atlantic has captured eleven enemy ships and sunk them, according to 285 prisoners landed at Rio Janeiro. Several Americans reported killed on the Snowden and the Crispin, sunk without warning by a submarine

The British troops to within two miles of St. Quentin, says Monday's official report from headquarters in France. In the investment of St. Quentin several more villages have been occupied by the British, including Francilly-Selency, Honon and Selency. The British have captured Vendhuile after a desperate defense by the Germans, Reuter's report. The towns of Longatte and Holnon also have been captured by the British who took some prisoners.

Dance at Pumpkin Center.

There will be a big dance at the Gap School House (Pumpkin Center) Saturday night the 14th. Refreshments will be served and good music furnished. Come everybody and you're sure to have a good time.

A. C. Dahlke,
R. C. Hammett,
John B. Burch,
Rob't A. Hurt.
Committee.

A water craft was received here this week and freighted out to Nogal Lake The freighter was not certain whether it was for use of the Railroad Co., or whether it is to be an auxilary to the naval service in the existing emergency.

Mrs. J. C. Coleman, of Doxey, Oklahoma, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bryan, in Baca Canyon.

Will Titsworth has bought the Gray residence from Will Read. Dr. Price has been living in the house since last fall and he and Mr. Titsworth exchanged places this week, the Doctor moving into the house near Mr. Norman's store, where Mr. Titsworth has been living. Mr. Titsworth now has one of the most desirable homes in town.

F. L. Boyd, P. G. Stanford, Ed. McPhaul and I. Hudson, old Yoakum County acquaintances of the Mountaineer publishers, were in town Monday on their way west prospecting for land. They were accompanied by two or three other parties.

The Mountaineer has just printed a large batch of promissory notes. Where a peron only wants one or two they will be worth 5c a piece, if they want a tablet of 50 it will be worth $1.50

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To the people of Capitan and vicinity, this is to let you know that Tax Assessor Alfredo Gonzales has left property rendition blanks at the Mountaineer office where Sam Bigger will list your taxable property.

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Notice of Contest.

(For Publication.)
Department of the Interior,
United States Land Office
Contest No. 9544
Roswell, New Mexico,
March 17, 1917

To Juan Otero, of No. 127, W. Tilden street, Roswell, N. M., Contestee:

You are hereby notified that George T. Hamilton, who gives Arabela, N. M., as his post-office address, did on January 8th, 1917, file in this office his duly corroborated application to contest and secure the cancellation of your Homestead-Entry, Serial No. 027837, made Sept. 18th, 1913, for S½SW¼, Section 15, and N½NW¼, Section 22, Township 8-S, Range 18-E, New Mexico, Meridian, and as grounds for his contest he alleges that "Said entryman has never established residence upon said tract, but has never resided upon and cultivated same for any length of time whatever, and said absence was not due to entryman's employment in military service rendered in connection with operations in Mexico or along the border thereof or in mobilization camps elsewhere, in the military or naval organizations of the United States, or with the National Guard of any of the several States."

You are, therefore, further notified that the said allegations will be taken as confessed, and your said entry will be canceled without further right to be heard, either before this office or on appeal, if you fail to file in this office within twenty days after the FOURTH publication of this notice, as shown below, your answer, under oath, specifically responding to these allegations of contest, together with due proof that you have served a copy of your answer on the said contestant either in person or by registered mail.

You should state in your answer the name of the postoffice to which you desire future notices to be sent to you.

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