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LOST CHILD.

A Little Three Years Old Girl
Lost in the Capitans.

Found After Remaining in The
Wilds More Than Sixty
Hours, Well and Un-
harmd.

The most exciting occurrence the people of this part of Lincoln county have had for a long time took place this week. The two little three years old twin girls, Laura and Permelia, of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hedgecoxe strayed away from the Hedgecoxe ranch headquarters where the family is living, and which is situated about seven miles below Encino, near the foot of the Capitan Mountain. It was early in the day Tuesday when the little girls were missed from the yard where they had been playing, and could not be found about the premises. The alarm was given that the children were lost and the nearest neighbors soon joined in the search for them. After about three hours hunt little Permelia was found out on the mountain side, but she was unable to give any account of her little sister. The news was circulated as rapidly as possible and people from all the surrounding country gather in and joined the searching party, and hunt was kept up all night. Wednesday morning people commenced gathering in from all parts of the country. They came from Roswell and all the way up to Carrizozo. Capitan turned out in force, including its business men and the students in the school, and a reinforcement of many hundred people were soon in the hunt. During the day at different places flowers were found on the mountain side which had been plucked and dropped, and small pieces of clothing were also found, but these were all the traces that could be discovered where the child had been. The search was diligently kept up through Wednesday night and all day Thursday. Just as it was beginning to get dark Thursday evening, while Seth Smith and his brother William of Capitan, and a young man named Roy Vickers, were passing near where the road crosses the irrigation ditch running down to the Block Ranch, the child came out of a cluster of bushes and ran to them. Most of its clothing had been torn off, and it had a good many thorn scratches on its arms and body, otherwise it was unharmed. It had been out nearly three full days and two nights and of course had suffered a great deal from cold, fear and hunger, and its escape from so many dangers seems miraculous. In its wanderings the child had evidently traveled many miles, and had gotten back within two miles of home when found. As soon as it was found signal guns were fired, and the hundreds of searchers came flocking in, but in great suspense as to whether the child was dead or alive, and when it was known that it was safe and well there was great rejoicing. The agonized parents were relieved and the great crowd of people who had been searching for the child manifested much joy and satisfaction at the fortunate sequel of the affair. Among those who took a leading part in the search were Messrs. Fred Pfintston and Hunt Hobbs; to them was assigned the work of organizing the great search party and keeping the work going with systematic order, and for their efficiency and untiring energy shown in the performance of this duty we have heard many favorable comments expressed.

ROSWELL EVENING NEWS

Daily except Sunday. Subscription 60c per month - \$5.00 per year.

Only Associated Press Paper East of the Mountains.

The Fisher Lumber Co. received a car of California Red Wood doors and shingles by Tuesday's train. The doors are extremely beautiful and parties intending to build soon should call at the lumber yard see them as well as examine the quality of the shingles.

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HAVE MONEY
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BANK

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SAY YOU
CAN'T
SAVE

National Council Will Take Census of Woman Power

Washington, Sept. 27.—Definite plans for the registration of the nation's woman power were approved today by the Woman's Committee of the Council of National Defense.

Dates for registration have been set in sixteen states, ten of them by Governor's proclamation. In three the work already is under way. In some states registration will be carried out gradually through local organizations.

It was made clear today that, while listing of all women is desired, registration is purely voluntary, and only women who seek government service will assume any obligation. Ages will not be required, although it is suggested that they should be stated in a general way, such as "under forty" or "over thirty."

The Loan Must Succeed.

We must make this loan a success. We can make it a success. The failure of the single issue of Government bonds would be worse for America than a disaster upon the field of battle. We must never let that happen. A few days ago I read the following manifesto issued in Berlin by the League of German Municipalities:

"If money talks, the President of the United State may learn by October 18, when the subscription lists close, that the echo of the new war fund given by the German people will have drowned out completely the clamor of unending protests to which his reply to the Pope has given stimulus."

Let us meet that challenge by a subscription to our Second Liberty Loan on the 27th day of October, nine days after the close of the German loan, which will make clear to the German military despotism that America's marshals not alone her brave soldiers upon the field, her invincible Navy upon the high seas, her industries throughout the length and breadth of this land, but as well as her financial resources, and that she is determined to use them all without stint and regardless of sacrifices to vindicate American rights, outraged too frequently by German infamies. From Secretary McAdoo's speech before the American Bankers' Association September 28, 1917.

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Forest Regiment.

Lumber jacks and sawmill men are now being recruited throughout Arizona and New Mexico for the Forest Regiment, according to local forest officers. Armed and equipped like other military forces, the regiment will get out lumber in the forests of France. Recruits are being accepted by the local Forest Supervisor.

Expert sawyers, saw filers, ratchet setters, sawmill engineers, millwrights, edgermen, firemen, motor truck operators, horseshoers, and saddlers are needed for immediate military service in the forest regiment, according to Forest Supervisor Chas H Jennings, who authorized to pass on the qualifications of applicants, and will give full information as to the enlistment, pay, and conditions of service.

Lincoln County Soldier Boys

The following is a list of the last contingent of the Lincoln county boys who were drafted into service and left for Fort Riley last Friday night:

- Eustaquio Silva, Picacho; Jno. C. Lucas, Glencoe; Timotes Garza, Carrizozo; Higinio Jurion, Carrizozo; Santiago Analla, Carrizozo; Peter Johnson, Carrizozo; Frank Joppi, Carrizozo; T. O. Snell, Carrizozo; J. S. Cowler, Carrizozo; B. A. Hightower, Ancho; Will Ed Harris, White Mountain; Jesse D. Rogers, Spindle; Chas W. Beaver, Corona; J. M. Cavanaugh, Ft Stanton; H. O. Head, Capitan; W. W. Hale, Ft. Stanton; J. Y. Crawford, Ft. Stanton; Will Stewart, Lincoln; L. Montoya, Lincoln; M. J. Grafton, Parsons; T. A. Riley, Ft. Stanton; Jose Luceras, Rabenton; A. Farres, Hondo; P. Montoya, San Patricio; C. Glencoe, Oscuro; E. W. Nelson, Tinnie; A. L. Finney, Corona; P. Analla, Tinnie; R. B. Allen, Lincoln; V. Martinez, Encinosa; H. Dominguez, Hondo; H. B. Morris, Lincoln; E. H. Ferguson, Nogal; A. Sedillo, Rabenton; M. Ramirez, White Oaks; Carl Fisher, Capitan; Susano Sanchez, Hondo; J. W. Howard, Capitan; J. L. Casner, Arabela; Jose Padilla, Capitan; S. M. R. Gonzalez, Hondo; E. C. Giles, Picacho; J. Halcumb, Corona; L. Walker, Corona; J. Vigil, Arabela; Tom Joy, Corona; Chas Bell, Picacho; H. S. Dyer, White Oaks; C. Nagar, Picacho; John Hobbs, Capitan; E. D. Hall, Corona; G. L. Cox, Glencoe; W. F. Dominguez, Hondo

Control Measures Proving Successful.

Because of the widespread existence of scabies the United States Department of Agriculture at one time had under quarantine Texas, New Mexico, Colorado, Wyoming, Montana, and all States to the West. From time to time States and portions of States to the East also were under quarantine. The disease now has been brought under control to such an extent that the quarantine has been raised from most of this territory. After October 15 there will remain under quarantine only 10 counties in California and the portion of Texas not included in the release just announced.

Sheep scabies is caused by a small mite which irritates the skin of sheep, causes the loss of large quantities of wool, and sometimes results in the death of the animals. The disease is combated by dipping the affected animals in a weak nicotine solution, or in a solution of lime and sulphur. News Letter Published by Agricultural Department

Western Pure Gold Baking powder pound net and a premium dish for 25 cents at W. O. Norman's.

Capitan School.

Competition for Prize.

Sambo a negro, and Patrick, an Irishman, were always telling ghost stories for others benefit, each declaring, however, that he never had been scared by a ghost and never could be.

Patrick thought that it would be a good joke on Sambo if he could succeed in scaring him, so he laid his plans accordingly.

On Halloween Night he wrapped in a sheet and slipped into the room where the negro slept.

Sambo was snoring loudly when he was awakened by having leg pulled fiercely. He gave a great kick which sent Patrick sprawling over a chair where he lay breathless for some time.

Sambo made a ridiculous picture sitting up in bed with his face very pale and his eyes looking as if they were ready to fall out of his head. Patrick started to laugh, but the laugh was frozen on his lips, for staring in from the window were two great red eyes.

The negro hardly knew where to go, but he finally crawled under the bed, bumping his head and skinning his shin.

Patrick lost no time jumping on the bed where he covered up head and ears. This left his feet uncovered and while trying to cover up his head and feet at the same time the bed broke. He fell down on the poor old negro and wrapped both legs around his neck. Sambo almost smothered before he could get the Irishman's feet from around his neck. As soon as he could he broke for the door, with Patrick, like a burr clinging to his coat tail. He didn't take time to go down the steps leading off the porch, but simply gave a leap which threw Patrick on the ground where he lay, first rubbing his head and then his ankle.

Sambo had not fared quite so badly, for he began to run and never stopped until he came in contact with a tree, which he climbed with much speed. The next morning he was found in the highest part of it, clinging to it with both hands. How he ever succeeded in climbing it was a great mystery, for he could not even have reached the lowest branch at any other time.

Explanations were made that morning and the two red eyes were found to have been a pumpkin that someone had placed in Sambo's window.

Perfect Attendance for Capitan Schools for Month Ending Sept 28, 1917.

First and Primary: Warren Rockwell, Harry Fritz, Romalda Chavez, Hazel Hightower.

Second Grade: Rita Norman, Emma Carleton, Reyes Serna, Willie Fritz, Claud Road, Kenneth Smith.

Third Grade: Charlie Ferris, Lola Carabajal, Louise Fritz, Elizabeth Titsworth, Dorothea Adams.

Fourth Grade: Milton Key, Ellie Skinner, Hilda Key, Essie Merchant.

Sixth Grade: Max Hale, Robert Green.

High School: Frank Bonnell, Alfred DeBoard, Mortimer Green, James Hale, Geo. Lane, Ralph Asters, John Skinner, Ralph Spillers, William Smith, Ethel Bryan, Madie Carleton, Pinkie Howard, Grace Lane, Chloe Zumwalt.

T. D. Skeen, proprietor of what is known as the "Ford Hospital," in Roswell, and Ed Ward-Rock, an insurance man who has lately moved to Roswell, were in Capitan today. The publishers of the Mountaineer were well acquainted with these gentlemen years ago in Wichita Falls, Texas and were glad to receive them a visit from them.

The big game season for this part of the country will open on the 25th of October and close on the 25th of November. This includes deer (with horns) and wild turkey. Sam Bigger at the Capitan Mountaineer office is Deputy Game Warden and is ready to accommodate all who want hunting license.

Fred Ficus, a marine who has been at Ford Stanton for the past two or three years has been called back into service, and left Tuesday to report for duty. Ficus is a splendid and very popular young man and leaves many friends who wish health and good luck.

German Airmen Drop Note Into American Camp.

With the American expeditionary Army in France, Sept. 27.—A hostile airplane circled high over the American camp yesterday and dropped a message weighted with a shell. There was a rush for the note, which was immediately taken to camp headquarters. It read: "We have no intention as yet in molesting you Americans, because you are not numerous enough to make you worth our attention."—Heyward Brown in New York Tribune.

Save Sugar.

The Food Administration at Washington makes this appeal to New Mexican housewives:

"Experts say Americans use twice as much sugar as any other people."

Our Allies face a shortage for their real needs. Nurses in France report that wounded soldiers are forced to go without sugar.

Use less candy, and less sugar in tea and coffee.

Don't frost cakes. Substitute honey and dark syrups wherever possible.

Food is ammunition. Soldiers at the front need it.

—Woman's Auxiliary.

Geo. E. Cardwell, formerly teacher at Nogal and Ancho, is now engaged in selling stock for the Cannon Ball Motor Co., recently organized at Texico, N. M., was in Capitan this week. He has moved to Texico, and expects to be assigned to territory which will embrace Lincoln county.

Wanted to Trade.

Have three good business lots in the center of Alpine, Brewster County, on two of the main streets 1 block from the Court House, also two blocks from depot. Alpine is a growing town with two trunk line railroads and it has secured West Texas State Normal. Will trade for horses, cows, sheep, goats, Ford Car, light wagon or heavy hack and harness, Capitan town property. For further information address Mrs. ALICE MAY, Ancho, N. M.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

027061-029020
 Department of the Interior
 U. S. Land Office,
 Roswell, New Mexico,

Sept. 11, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that Elmer O. Slaughter, of Capitan, New Mexico, who on March 10, 1913, and Aug. 14, 1914, made Original and Additional Homestead Entries, Serial Nos. 027061 and 029020, for the SE 1/4 and NE 1/4, Section 33, 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 Oct. 22, 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses: Daniel K. Coor, Garland T. Coor, William M. Rickard, these of Capitan, N. M., Elmer C. Slack, of Deseo, N. M.
 EMMETT PATTON,
 Sept. 10—Oct. 17 Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

029027
 Department of the Interior,
 U. S. Land Office,
 Roswell, New Mexico,
 Aug. 14, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that Thomas B. Zumwalt, of Nogal, N. M., one of the heirs of Wildy Zumwalt, deceased, who, on Aug. 17, 1914, made Homestead, Serial No. 029027, for E 1/2 NE 1/4, Section 21; NW 1/4 SW 1/4, Section 22, Township 0-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 O. T. Nye, Clerk of the Probate Court, in his office, at Carrizozo, New Mexico, on Oct. 1, 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses: Roy G. Skinner, William M. Ferguson, William H. Sexton, Leroy Lamy, all of Nogal, N. M.
 EMMETT PATTON,
 Aug. 29—Sept. 26 Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

029981
 Department of the Interior,
 U. S. Land Office,
 Roswell, New Mexico,
 Aug. 23, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that Macaria Silva, Deseo, N. M., who, on Aug. 12, 1914, made Homestead Entry, Serial No. 028981, for W 1/2 E 1/2 SW 1/4, Section 20, and the SW 1/4, Section 21, 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, N. M., on Oct. 1, 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses: Melquiades Gonzales, of Capitan, Francisco Gonzales, Margarita Silva, these of Deseo, N. M., Thomas Ward, of White Oaks, N. M.

EMMETT PATTON,
 Aug. 29—Sept. 26 Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

028852
 Department of the Interior
 U. S. Land Office
 Roswell, New Mexico
 Sept. 8, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that Raman Farmer, of Encinosa, New Mexico, who, on July 22, 1914, made Homestead Entry, Serial No. 028852, for the NW 1/4, Section 21, 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 Oct. 15, 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses: Crencio Carrillo, Mariano Chavez, Victorio Martinez, Rinaldo Mirabal, all of Encinosa, New Mexico.

EMMETT PATTON,
 Sept. 12—Oct. 10 Register.

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 U. S. LAND COMMISSIONER
 NOTARY PUBLIC
 CAPITAN, N. M.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

028890-035804
 Department of the Interior,
 U. S. Land Office,
 Roswell, New Mexico,
 Sept. 17, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that Alejandro Trujillo, of San Patricio, New Mexico, who, on July 20, 1914 and Oct. 12, 1916, made Original and Additional Homestead Entries, Serial Nos. 028890 and 035804, for SE 1/4, Section 17; NE 1/4, Section 20; N 1/4 NW 1/4 and NW 1/4, Section 21, 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, New Mexico, on Oct. 29, 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses: Aristotle Romero, John Mackey, Federico Chavez, Gregorio Ybarra, all of San Patricio, N. M.
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 Sept. 26—Oct. 24 Register.

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HUMAN ILL

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

029210-029699
 Department of the Interior,
 U. S. Land Office,
 Roswell, New Mexico,
 Oct. 5, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that Susan Burch, of Capitan, N. M., who, on Sept. 23, and Dec. 7, 1914, made Original and Additional Homestead Entries, Serial Nos. 029210 and 029699, for the SW 1/4 and the SE 1/4, NE 1/4, Section 24, Township 8-S, Range 14-E, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make 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 Nov. 12, 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses: Richard S. Burch, John B. Burch, Ben Leslie, these of Capitan, N. M., William D. Evans, of Deseo, N. M.
 EMMETT PATTON,
 Oct. 10—Nov. 7 Register.

SETH F. CREWS

ATTORNEY AT LAW
 OSCURO, NEW MEXICO.

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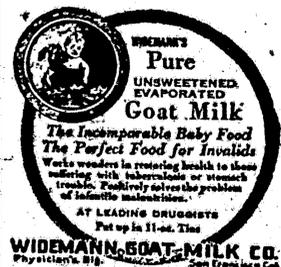
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Public Documents for Distribution

At the request of U. S. Senator A. B. Fall, the Agricultural Department at Washington has sent to the Mountaineer office several thousand public documents for free distribution. These bulletins treat on many subjects and the information found in them is very valuable, especially to farmers and ranchmen, and some of them contain many interesting and useful suggestions to those engaged in other pursuits; and the housewives will find many useful hints to aid them in their domestic duties. We ask the people in town and country to call and get a supply of these bulletins.



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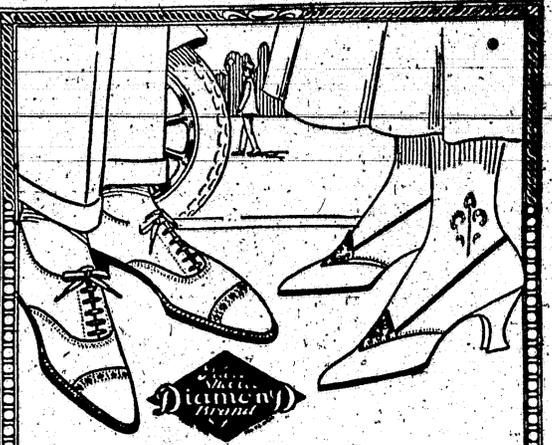
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Apportionment of State School Fund.

The County Board of Education does hereby this the first day of October, 1917, apportion to the several districts of the county, in accordance with the scholastic census of 1916, the sum of Two Thousand Eight Hundred Dollars, received from the State, the same being one dollar per capita, as per said census. The following are the amounts received by the districts, viz:

Dist. No.	No. Chil.	Am't Re'd
1	150	\$150 00
2	68	68 00
3	76	76 00
4	80	80 00
5	31	31 00
6	118	118 00
7	401	401 00
8	124	124 00
9	38	38 00
10	50	50 00
11	74	74 00
12	48	48 00
13	101	101 00
14	103	103 00
15	58	58 00
16	21	21 00
17	59	59 00
18	27	27 00
19	75	75 00
20	128	128 00
21	68	68 00
22	62	62 00
23	26	26 00
24	23	23 00
25	20	20 00
26	28	28 00
27	35	35 00
28	180	180 00
29	55	55 00
30	77	77 00
31	28	28 00
32	95	95 00
33	81	81 00
34	10	10 00
35	28	28 00

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Pres. Co. Board of Education.

Death of Elmer Lane.

Elmer Lane, an old resident of this county, died last Saturday at the home of his brother-in-law, W. H. Marr, near Alto. Mr. Lane moved to Wilcox, Arizona, about a year ago and engaged in the goat business and was prospering. He had been afflicted with tuberculosis several years, but was a man of wonderful nerve and perseverance and kept going until a short time ago. When he was convinced that he could not live much longer, he requested that he be brought back here to die and be buried among his people, and, accompanied by his wife, he arrived here some three weeks ago and awaited the end. He leaves a wife, several children, a mother and several brothers and sisters.

An obituary notice of Mr. Lane will appear in next week's Mountaineer.

J. H. Greene has rented W. O. Norman's corner building and will open a meat market in it about the 15th of this month. Mr. Newt Kemp will furnish Mr. Greene the meat and he will handle beef, pork and occasionally goat meat. He will also barbecue meat and will do his best to furnish the people of Capitan with everything they want in the meat line and of the best quality. He will arrange to make regular shipments of meat down the river to the towns of Lincoln, Hondo and Tinnie.

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Corn Situation.

Frost has done much damage in North Dakota, South Dakota, Minnesota, Michigan, Iowa, Illinois, Indiana, Ohio, and other corn States. This will result in a serious seed-corn problem in many localities. County agents, reinforced by emergency demonstration agents in practically all the States affected, are pushing campaigns to encourage the careful selection, curing and storing of seed corn. The need of making careful plans to get the largest amount feeding of value out of soft corn and corn stover is apparent to all careful farmers.--News Letter.

National Forest Timber for sale.

Sealed bids will be received by the Forest Supervisor, Alamogordo, N. M., up to and including October 19, 1917, for 500,000 feet B. M., more or less, of western yellow pine timber upon a designated area within sections 1, 2 and 11, T. 8-S. R. 17-E, N. M. P. M., Lincoln National Forest, New Mexico. No bids of less than \$2.50 per M. foot will be considered. Deposit with \$100. The right to reject any and all bids reserved. Before bids are submitted full information concerning the timber conditions of sale and submitted bids should be obtained from the Forest Supervisor, Alamogordo, New Mexico.

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General Local News.

Look, See and Hear.

There will be preaching at the Baptist Church Sunday Oct. 14, 1917. The subject for the 11 o'clock service is "The Pale Horse and his rider." For the 8 o'clock hour, "What man has done for booze."

Come and worship with us.
Pastor.

For Sale--

Good second hand Ford car, in fine running condition. Apply at Capitan Garage.

J. O. Hughes was down from his home near Alto Monday making final proof on his land.

P. G. Hutchison the Studebaker automobile man was in town this week.

C. A. Perkins is over from Carrizozo for a day or two looking after legal business.

Don't forget me when you have blacksmithing to be done; I am ready to serve you.

J. A. Adams,
Capitan, 2511

J. P. Pendergrass, of the Spindle community, was attending to business in Capitan the first of the week.

J. B. Burch was in from his ranch yesterday. J. B. says that he expects to get a fine buck during the open season.

The Fisher Lumber Co. is unloading the car of fine Redwood Lumber and shingles that was lost so long.

J. F. Betts received his saw mill engine this week. His other machinery has been delayed in shipment, but expects it in next Tuesday.

J. T. Gardener and wife, of Hespero, left on today's train for Palo Pinto county, Texas, where they go on business matters and expect to be absent about thirty days.

Get Geo. R. Hyde sole your shoes with "Rinex" Cheaper than leather.

Mrs. Edna Lane left for her home at Wilcox, Arizona, last Monday. She was accompanied as far as Capitan by her sister, Mrs. W. H. Marr.

I have installed a new Champion leaf blower in my shop, which will enable me to do work better and in less time than before.

J. A. Adams, 2511

Charlie Dean received a shipment of fish by Tuesday's express, from the government fishery. He put them in a big tank on his ranch in Boca Canyon. The fish are of two varieties, Sun fish and River Cat.

Mr. J. L. Green, of Hope, New Mexico, father of J. H. Green, of Capitan, and his family have been visiting the latter this week. They were accompanied by J. M. Green, son of J. L. Green, and brother J. H. Green. The party left for home today.

Let me sole those shoes with "Rinex" Cheaper than leather.

Geo. R. Hyde.

Mrs. W. E. Hale and daughter Ruby and Mrs. S. W. Hale were callers at the Mountaineer office today. Mr. W. E. Hale and family have recently moved over from Fort Stanton and he is now in the employ of the Railroad Co. and is with the bridge force.

Mrs. Lute Jennings, her son Joe, and two smaller children were down Saturday from their ranch on the head of the Bonito. Mrs. Jennings stated that she and Mr. Jennings and part of their family, and Mr. and Mrs. Lute Skinner, and some of their children had just returned from a twelve days trip to Arizona, to visit relatives and see the country, but she saw no place during the entire trip that looked so good to her as their home on the Bonito.

Mrs. Lula Boone has sold her herd of cattle, A. D. Brownfield of White Mountain being the purchaser. The deal was made more than two weeks ago, but before Mr. Brownfield received the cattle he sold them to Mr. Sherwood Corn, who is ranching west of Carrizozo, and Mr. Corn received them at Mrs. Boone's ranch last Saturday. The cattle failed but something more than 700, but Mrs. Boone still has about 200 head of cattle in the mountains which she failed to gather.

Saddle Horse For Sale.

News from Carrizozo.

Victor Luceras, from Cedarvale, was a business visitor in town early this week.

O. T. Nye, Ira Wetmore, Gov. McDonald and others are at Santa Fe this week on business.

Dr. Lucas and Bill Osborn went to Fort Stanton on business Monday.

Geo. Sineros, the District Court interpreter for Chavez county, is in town this week visiting his mother, Mrs. S. G. Anderson.

Jess Kenneday is back from Arizona where he has been working for several months past.

Deputy Assessor, E. W. Hulbert, has gone to Lincoln, his home for a few days to look after his personal business.

Miss Jennie Newman and Joe N. Moore, both from Roswell, got a marriage license this week and returned to Roswell the same day.

John Gallego was over from his ranch near Ancho early this week.

Mrs. Grace de Nisson, who is teaching the Arabella school, was over Saturday on business.

Clarence Spence and sons have bought about 600 or 700 head of cattle from M. U. Finley and Finley & Son.

Stanley Squires has begun building on his new residence on North Main street.

C. W. Hyde has gone to Las Vegas with several insane people. He also intends to visit Albuquerque to attend the Sheriff's Association.

Antonio Salazar from Estancia was in town this week. He reports plenty of rain over in the Estancia Valley.

A. H. Harvey has gone to Piecho to survey some land in that community.

John Doering has sold his barber shop to Ernest Cole and E. Gilbert. The purchasers have already taken possession.

Win Watson came over from White Oaks Tuesday. He expressed his opinion that White Oaks would in the near future

CAPITAN.

By an unknown local poet, whom however we have an idea that the first letter of their given name is "E" and their complexion is altogether different from a brunette and which is rather laughable.

Capitan is the land where the wind don't blow,
Nor tree's won't grow,
But it surely does snow,
In Capitan.

Capitan is the place where the hills are high
And the rivers dry,
But you can enjoy yourself if you try
In Capitan.

Capitan is the bend, where the railroad ends
The train is blown up there
from Carrizozo by the wind
If you want to see the sights
Board this Capitan flight,
And come to Capitan.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

032684
Department of the Interior
U. S. Land Office
Roswell, New Mexico,

Aug. 22, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that Robert A. Hunicutt, of Capitan, New Mexico, who, on Sept. 28, 1915, made Additional Homestead Entry, Serial No. 032684, for ENE 1/4 Section 35, Township 04 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 Oct. 1, 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses:
John B. Burch, William Hust, William H. Copeland, William R. Hunicutt, all of Capitan, N. M.

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If the heart of the whole country is with our soldiers of the National Army and it is believed that that it is, the money of the Nation will be back of them. The Liberty Loan is to be used to arm, equip, and maintain our soldiers, to prepare them for the conflict in France, and make them as effective and powerful as possible, and safeguard them in every way possible. In addition, it will be used to give them life and indemnity insurance and provide for their dependents. The uses of the Liberty Loan appeal to every patriotic American, for it is used for our soldiers and sailors and the principles which they uphold, which the heart of the whole country is with.

The foundation of our great country is liberty; its superstructure is peace.—William McKinley.

For Sale or Trade--

Eighty acres of good smooth land in Texas. Address X Y Z. Care of Capitan Mountaineer.

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One half dozen young hens and one gobbler. Apply at this office.

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I have quit grinding corn on account of being drafted for Military Service. I also have quit blacksmithing for the public.

Otto Zedlitz.

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