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# THE BELEN NEWS

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BELEN, NEW MEXICO, JUNE 5, 1913

NUMBER 25.

## TO ARRANGE FOR CLEAN-UP DAY

All Interested Requested to Meet at Schoolhouse on next Thursday

A mass meeting of the citizens of Belen is called for Thursday night, June 12th, at 7:30 o'clock at the Schoolhouse for the purpose of discussing and deciding on a "Clean-up" Day for Belen, and matters pertaining thereto.

Every citizen of Belen who is interested in a cleaner city and interested as well in the healthfulness of the people is expected to come and help plan for a general clean-up. Trash and rubbish is, without doubt, the greatest breeder of flies and insects, and by removing the cause, we do more than "swat the fly" after it has already appeared. Dirt means flies and flies mean sickness. Let's get rid of the breeding places of flies and prevent the sickness. A united effort along this line will have good results. Will you do your part?

## FAIR DATES CHANGED

The state fair is to be held here October 6-11. The fair commissioners, Ralph C. Ely, Charles A. Scheurich and Simon Stern, first set the dates for September 29 to October 4, but at a meeting held yesterday afternoon at the office of Thomas A. Binkert, they decided to make the change.

The reason for the change is that Raton had previously selected the dates originally set by the commission, for the Northern New Mexico fair. Raton has held the northern fair on these dates for years and the commissioners decided for this reason to reset the time for the state fair.

The commissioners will meet again at Mr. Binkert's office at 10 o'clock this morning. The budget is to be made up at this time. The \$5,000 appropriation from the state is insured, on account of the fact that Albuquerque has subscribed more than that amount, and, according to the report of Frank A. Stortz, fair manager, at the mass meeting held last night at the Commercial club, the local subscriptions overreach \$6,000, so the commissioners will be able to make up an accurate budget today.—Albuquerque Journal.

## METHODIST CHURCH NOTES.

Order of services: Sunday school, 10 a. m., P. P. Simmons, superintendent. Preaching services, 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Epworth League, 7 p. m. R. R. Yelland, pastor. Residence, south of the church.

Preaching morning and evening by the pastor.

Epworth League devotional service at 7:15. Topic "The Complete Man." Leader, Mrs. Simmons.

The scholars of the Sunday-school are busy practicing for the Children's Day exercises to be held on the morning of the 15th.

On the evening of June 15th, Rev. S. A. Bright, superintendent of this conference will preach and administer the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper in this church. The third quarterly conference will be held immediately after this service.

## DELINQUENCY IS EXPENSIVE MATTER

Interest to be charged on Unpaid Taxes

That the recently enacted taxation law, a product of the last legislature, is destined to make tax collections more prompt than in former years and thus discourage those usually delinquent in this regard, is evidenced by the announcement by the state traveling auditor that the penalty of one per cent per month, provided by the new law, must be assessed by county treasurers. The following letter to the treasurer of Bernalillo county will enlighten tax payers generally, and at the same time prove interesting reading for them:

Santa Fe, N. M., May 28, 1913, Hon. M. Mandell, treasurer, Albuquerque, N. M.

Dear Sir: In reply to your letter of the 22d inst., the new taxation law provides interest at the rate of one per cent per month instead of penalties, and this rate shall be charged on the delinquent taxes for the last half of the 1912 taxes, but all taxes delinquent prior to the last half of 1912 shall have the five per cent penalty added.

As this is interest and not penalty, it will be figured for the exact number of days of the delinquency. If a party pays on the 5th of June his interest will be at the rate of one per cent for 5-30 of a month, or 1-6 which will, of course, be the same as 1-6 of one per cent. After the first month, of course, a full one per cent is added and the next one per cent will apply for the number of days in July he is delinquent and so on.

I trust this will give you the necessary information, and I am always glad to be of assistance when possible.

Very truly yours,  
HOWELL EARNEST,  
Traveling Auditor and Bank Examiner.

## WESTFALL-KIMSEY

On last Sunday evening about 5:30 o'clock, Celina E. Westfall and Earl Kimsey were united in bonds of holy matrimony, at the home of the bride's parents, Rev. R. R. Yelland of the local Methodist Episcopal Church officiating. Only relatives and intimate friends of the bride and groom witnessed the ceremony.

The room was prettily decorated with roses and other flowers. Ice Cream and cake were served the guests by the mother of the bride assisted by Mesdames Moffit and Castillo.

The bride looked pretty in her neat dress of white silk, while the groom was clad in the conventional black. Mr. and Mrs. Kimsey left on Monday morning for a short honeymoon to be spent in El Paso, after which they will make their home in Belen, where the groom holds a position with the Santa Fe.

## Episcopal Church

Dr. Warren of Albuquerque will hold services in the Episcopal Church Monday evening, June 9th at 8 o'clock. Everybody invited to attend.

Miss Mary Fitzgerald is visiting Miss Lucie Becker.

## INSTITUTE IS IN SESSION

Public Lectures Monday and Tuesday Nights by Prof. Conway

The Annual Valencia County Normal Institute opened on Monday of this week at the High School Building, with about twenty teachers in attendance. Several additional teachers and would-be teachers have enrolled since the day of opening. The work is in charge of Mrs. Nora Brumback, who is well-known to our people, having been in charge of our schools for two terms. An additional instructor will be secured during the last half of the month's work. Immediately following the month's institute, the State Teachers Examination will be held.

The sessions of the institute are from 7 a. m. to 12:30 p. m., leaving the afternoons free for study on the part of those attending. County Superintendent Baca reports the interest as above normal on the part of those enrolled and is confident that much good will result from the month's work.

On next Monday and Tuesday, Prof. Conway of the Agricultural College at Las Cruces, will be here and assist in the work. At 7:30 o'clock, he will deliver a lecture on both Monday and evening at the schoolhouse, to which all the people of Belen are cordially invited.

## CHARIVARI PARTY

A crowd of young folks headed by the Belen Brass Band, surprised Mr. and Mrs. Max Dalies at their home in the north part of town last evening, and after loading them in small delivery carts and giving them a ride through the principal streets, took them to the Commercial Club Hall. Fireworks and noise of various kinds added to the din to the charivari. At the hall, music was had, after which an impromptu dance was indulged in. Mr. Dalies hastily ordered light refreshments for the crowd, which added to the gaiety of the evening. Mr. and Mrs. Dalies were taken by surprise completely, but enjoyed the evening as much or more than any of the rest.

## Zion Lutheran Church

John A. M. Ziegler, D. D., Pastor, Max F. Dalies, Sunday school Superintendent.

Preaching service at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday School and Bible Class 10 o'clock. Luther League 7:15. Subject Seeking Peace. Choir Rehearsal Wednesday and Friday nights.

The Women's Missionary Society meets at the church Thursday afternoon.

Dr. Ziegler's Sunday night theme will be "The Two Edged Sword; or The White Stone," being the fourth in the series on "The Seven Golden Candle Sticks."

F. L. Walrath went up to Albuquerque Monday evening to be gone the rest of the week. Mr. Walrath is interested with Col. Sellers in the real estate business in the Duke City.

## COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL PETITION

Presented to County Commissioners asking that Election be called

A petition signed by about twelve hundred electors of the county of Valencia was presented to the board of county commissioners on Monday of this week, requesting them to call an election to decide whether or not a County High School shall be established at Belen. Under the law authorizing such institutions about eight hundred signatures would have been sufficient.

As soon as the commissioners have taken action in the matter, and set the date for the election, the proclamation will be published. The ballots to be used at such election will read "For a County High School at Belen," and "Against a County High School at Belen." A majority of the votes cast will decide the question.

The law provides that a levy of not exceeding two mills upon the dollar may be made upon all property in the county for the maintenance of such county high school. The local district shall provide the necessary site and buildings for the county high school. The funds derived from the levy of not exceeding two mills cannot be used toward securing site and building, but must be used in payment of teachers salaries and maintaining the school. The board of directors are directed by law to add to the course of study provided for such school, "the additional branches of manual training, domestic science, the elements of agricultural and commercial science."

Pupils from all portions of the county, who have passed the eighth grade examination, will be entitled to attend the County High School, without the payment of any tuition nor fees. The course of study provided will be that of the regularly accredited high schools of the state and the graduates will stand on a par with graduates of all like schools of the state.

The board of directors of the county high school shall be the board of directors of the precinct and the county superintendent, who shall be ex-officio a member of such board. This board shall have complete control of the school, the employment of teachers, regulating of the salaries, etc.

In discussing the County High School, several of our people have suggested that the board could not do better than secure Mrs. Nora Brumback as principal. Certain it is that Mrs. Brumback has had large experience in teaching in various schools and stands well among the educators in different parts of the states. We pass the suggestion on to the board, who without doubt are well acquainted with Mrs. Brumback's qualifications for the position.

A number of congratulatory comments have come to us regarding the work of the Belen Brass Band. Their persistent efforts in their work of giving Belen a musical organization of which it may well be proud, are indeed deserving of credit.

Purity Bakery for ice cream.

## TOO MUCH WATER IS POOR IRRIGATION

Soil can contain only certain Per cent.

A sandy loam soil when dry contains six per cent or more moisture. Ordinary crops deplete moisture in a sandy loam soil to only nine or ten per cent in the first four or six feet. The ordinary sandy loam soil when saturated with water, contains about sixteen per cent of moisture. A coarser soil contains less and a finer, heavier soil more than this amount. However, the heavy soil will withhold from the crop a much higher percentage of moisture than the lighter soil. Also the plants feed more deeply in the lighter soil, so that the amount of available water that may be stored in various soils does not vary greatly. One per cent of moisture in the first six feet of the soil is approximately equal to one inch of water.

Since the maximum amount of water a sandy loam will retain against gravity is about sixteen per cent, and since the ordinary crop draws this down to only nine or ten per cent and since one per cent in six feet of soil means about one inch of water, it is obvious that there can be stored at any one irrigating only about six or seven inches of water on a field growing a crop. This is allowing a maximum amount of water. Under most conditions one-half of this amount would be enough to saturate the feeding ground of the plants. If the soil is very dry, as alfalfa land or native grass land, then possibly ten inches may be stored. If more water is added it goes deeper than six feet and is not readily available to the crop.

Why put on more water than the soil can use?

## TOO MUCH WATER

First: Too much water washes out plant food. Nitrogen is the plant food element that the western soil is most deficient in. It is easily washed out. If washed below the feeding ground of plant roots, it is lost.

Second: Clogs the surface few inches of soil by cementing the small particles together and thus producing puddling, which all recognize as very injurious to soil.

Third: It crowds out air. This lessens the action of bacteria in making plant food.

Fourth: It lowers the temperature of the soil. This retards growth. The seasons are too short in the Northern States, and growth should be hastened.

Fifth: The excess water that goes into the soil comes out some where. It often seeps out on the land lower down and injures it or even destroys its use for agricultural purposes.

Sixth: Water has a value the same as any other material. No man has a right to more than he uses properly. If he uses more than he needs or wastes it he is using something that does not belong to him.—Irrigation Age.

Joe Impy took a gang of men in his auto to work on the roads some five miles east of this city, the first of the week. When a working man can get \$3 per for "stalling" around eight hours with a pick and shovel, and be taken to his job in a gayly decorated car, with lunch, water bottles and sundry jugs carefully stowed, what reck he of the cost of living?—Magdalena News

## NEW AUTO LICENSE TAX

State Alone may Collect Fee from Automobile Owners or Drivers

The new state law in relation to automobiles goes into effect June 11, 1913. Some of the salient points that are well worth perusal are: Licenses are based on horse power and the secretary of state can call on peace officers to enforce the law. In case of accidents it will go hard with chauffeurs who drink, who are under age, who are found without licenses, and on mail lines, though no license is required, the driver will nevertheless be held responsible. All drivers of cars in case of accident are immediately required to give assistance, to give their names to all those interested and to report the matter to officers of the law. In meeting passing vehicles rules are laid down for signals, bells and brakes, and regulations are laid down governing how teams and vehicles shall pass on the highway, also when passing animals. A dealer's license is also required, and a city registration is provided for.

Every owner of a motor vehicle which applies to automobiles and cycles, driven upon the public highways, is required to register his machine with the secretary of state on a blank provided for the purpose, containing a brief description of the machine and the owner's name and address.

The fee for the annual license shall be paid to the secretary of state upon the registration or re-registration of a motor vehicle in accordance with the provisions of this act:

Less than twelve horse power \$2.  
Twelve horse power and less than twenty horse power, \$4.  
Twenty horse power and less than thirty horse power, \$6.  
Thirty horse power and less than forty horse power, \$8.  
Forty horse power and less than fifty horse power, \$10.  
Fifty horse power or more \$12.

Upon the filing of an application and the payment of such fees the secretary of state shall assign to such motor vehicle a distinctive number and, without additional expense to the applicant, issue and deliver to the owner a certificate of registration in such form as the secretary of state may provide, and one number plate.

The fee for a dealer in automobiles and the like shall be \$12 per year, permitting the manufacturer or dealer to drive machines for exhibition purposes on the public highways.

No other fee has to be paid except a fee of not more than 50 cents, provided that towns or cities require the same for registration.

## COMING! COMING! COMING!

The Adams Fetzner's Great Western Shows under canvass will visit Belen for one night only, Monday, June 9th, 1913. While not claiming to have the biggest shows on the road, this company claims to have some of the best professionals in the business. And promise a clean refined show for ladies, gentlemen and children. Remember the date, June 9, 1913. One night only.



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Swat the fly! Set traps, that's  
a good way. Use fly paper, that's  
good. Clean up the back yards  
and remove breeding places,  
that's better.

The suggestion in last week's  
News of a Clean-up Day for Be-  
len, seems to have struck a  
popular chord, several of the  
businessmen having urged us to  
"keep it up." Let all attend the  
mass meeting and aid in making  
the day a success. A cleaner  
Belen will mean a more healthful  
Belen and fewer flies means less  
disease. Don't forget the Mass  
Meeting.

Former Senator Lorimer, of  
Illinois, who was fired out of the  
United States senate some time  
ago, wants to get back again.  
Maybe he will be able to do it,  
too. You know Illinois is called  
the Sucker state, and if the vot-  
ers there send him to the senate  
again they certainly will deserve  
the name.—Deming Headlight.

A booster can always find  
something good in his town to  
talk about. Even as the just and  
honest man or woman will look  
for virtue in individual character  
to exploit. It is the knocker and  
forked tongue slanderer who go  
hand in hand: the one knocking  
the town and the other besmirch-  
ing the reputations of his neigh-  
bors.—Questa Gazettee.

President Wilson's outburst  
against lobbyists and their meth-  
ods voices the thought of every  
citizen conversant with the pro-  
cesses of law making bodies, both  
Federal and State. What excuse  
can there be for lobbying?  
Does it influence legislation in  
the interests of the people as a  
whole? Scarcely. The thousands  
of dollars spent by large interests  
in lobbying is expended to defeat  
the will of the people and the  
lobbyist should be marked the  
criminal which he really is.—  
Deming Graphic.

If you have a good home and  
are out of debt don't fret and  
worry yourself and your good wife  
into the grave for the sake of  
money. You have but one life to  
live and it is brief at best. Take a  
little pleasure and comfort as you  
go day by day and try to do a lit-  
tle good to others. A morbid in-  
satiated desire to possess the earth  
to grab everything in sight is the  
foundation of more misery than  
almost anyone thing. Wealth  
alone will never keep your mem-  
ory green after you are gone, a  
good life and kind actions will—  
Gallup Independent.

For a number of years past it  
has been very difficult for settlers  
on homesteads in some sections  
of the west to prove up their  
claims and, as a result tens of  
thousands of farmers have gone  
to Canada, and taken up govern-  
ment land there within the past  
few years. There the government  
encourages, in every way possi-  
ble, the farmer who is trying to  
make a home. Here it has been  
different. Thousands of settlers  
in New Mexico, within the past

five years, have been obliged to  
relinquish their claims and leave  
the state simply because they  
were unable to comply strictly  
with the laws and regulations  
concerning the improvement of  
lands. Many farmers settled on  
lands where there was no water  
other than that pumped from  
wells and, having made a failure  
of their crops, were obliged to  
leave their claims and seek em-  
ployment in order to pay their  
living expenses. Reports by  
special agents to the effect that  
the claims were abandoned have  
caused the cancellation of entries  
and much hardship has resulted.  
The new secretary of the interior  
has just announced that he is  
going to make it as easy as pos-  
sible for homesteaders to acquire  
title to government lands and he  
is now at work on the problem of  
how to encourage the settlement  
of the public lands.—Eagle.

Help the newspaper reporter  
out. Cultivate the habit of think-  
ing twice before answering the  
query "What do you know?" The  
answer of nine men out of ten is  
"nothing," when in fact they  
make an unintentional, untruth-  
ful statement. The path of the  
newspaper reporter would be  
smoother, and the paper better  
if all the people had some experi-  
ence gathering the news and cul-  
tivating the habit of stamping on  
their memory items which they  
constantly come in contact with  
and which are real news. Mighty  
few people, out of bed and out-  
side of jail, can go for a period of  
twentyfour hours without run-  
ning across something of interest  
to at least a few of the readers of  
the paper. Before you cuss and  
criticize your local paper turn  
your thoughts to the stereotyped  
answer you give the reporter  
every time he calls on you for  
news. Get in the habit of en-  
deavoring to help the reporter  
out and you will have less reason  
to cuss and criticize his paper.—  
Abilene Reporter.

Lillian Russell, in a beauty talk,  
says that liquor drinking robs  
woman of her beauty. It has  
never been noticed, either, that  
it added anything to what little  
beauty man is possessed of.—  
Santa Fe New Mexican.

Get your ice cream bricks at  
the Purity Bakery. 3 colors 3  
flavors.

Best Soda and Ice Cold at Buck-  
land Bros.

## Where Shall We Go This Summer?

Upon the correct answer to  
this question will depend much  
of the pleasure of your outing.  
Why not avail yourself of the  
assistance of the undersigned,  
one of the Santa Fe's summer  
tour specialists? His help will  
cost you nothing, but you will  
find it invaluable.

## Why Not Visit

Colorado, Grand Canyon,  
California, the Northwest  
Chicago, Adirondacks, the  
Northern Lake Regions,  
or the Atlantic Coast Re-  
sorts this summer?

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summer fares and train service  
etc., sent promptly, if you ad-  
dress



J. M. LEE,  
Agent.  
P. H. KREMEN,  
Ticket Agent.  
BELEN, N. M.

## Mail Order Houses

If the mail order houses are  
not to have the business of your  
town, the home merchants must  
convince the people that they can  
save money by trading at home.

Most persons had rather trade  
at home than through a mail or-  
der house, if they believe they  
are getting a square deal at home.

If a country merchant is such  
a poor business man that he must  
charge two profits in order to  
come out even, the sooner he  
goes out of business the better.

When an editor says: "Trade  
at home so that our merchants  
will not have to go out of busi-  
ness," he does more harm than  
good. He creates the impression  
that the home merchant is a pa-  
rasite that should be kept alive  
out of charity, and because of  
local pride.

There are country merchants  
who give just as good values as  
any mail order house. There are  
merchants who keep mail order  
catalogs in their store and invite  
customers to compare the prices.  
Such persons do not howl about  
the "mail order peril." Their  
customers are satisfied and have  
no desire to send away for their  
goods.

When the people of a commu-  
nity buy from mail order houses  
something is wrong but the edi-  
tor is trying to drag the cat out  
by the tail when he preaches  
"duty" to the people. It is the  
merchant who needs wailing up.  
—Hamlin (Tex.) Herald.

## Out of Town Competition

A local business man whose  
head is level and heart in the  
right place, has handed us a cir-  
cular letter and price list for job  
printing, issued by a business  
college located in a wide place in  
the road up north of here.

The college claims the cheap-  
ness of its output is due to the  
employment of students who

"man" their printing plant in  
return for instruction. The qual-  
ity of work submitted as sam-  
ples bear out that assertion—it  
looks cheap; and makes cheap  
the business house which patron-  
izes an out-of-town, non-union  
plant at the expense of union  
labor employed at living wages  
here at home. Yet a merchant  
who sends out of town for his  
job printing is just as keen for  
the local printers' trade as though  
he really deserved our patron-  
age.

An "unfair" store is soon  
spotted, and is rigidly shunned,  
by the large number of union  
labor men in Las Vegas—Las  
Vegas Democrat.

## "Cured"

Mrs. Jay McGee, of Steph-  
enville, Texas, writes: "For  
nine (9) years, I suffered with  
womanly trouble. I had ter-  
rible headaches, and pains in  
my back, etc. It seemed as if  
I would die, I suffered so. At  
last, I decided to try Cardui,  
the woman's tonic, and it  
helped me right away. The  
full treatment not only helped  
me, but it cured me."

TAKE

**Cardui**  
The Woman's Tonic

Cardui helps women in time  
of greatest need, because it  
contains ingredients which act  
specifically, yet gently, on the  
weakened womanly organs.  
So, if you feel discouraged,  
blue, out-of-sorts, unable to  
do your household work, on  
account of your condition, stop  
worrying and give Cardui a  
trial. It has helped thousands  
of women—why not you?  
Try Cardui. E-71

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lege of Medicine, Louisville, Kentucky  
Office: Grant Building,  
3rd & Central Albuquerque,  
New Mexico

Dr. D. E. Wilson  
Dentist  
Central and Broadway  
Occidental Life Insurance Bldg  
Albuquerque

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Practice in All the Courts of the State  
Office with F. L. Walrath  
Belen, New Mexico

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land Bros.

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and Ice Cream Festival at the M.  
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ance broker in the County  
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Burglar, Surety  
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& Improvement Company  
REAL FARM BARGAINS  
Business and Residence  
Property  
BELEN, N. M.

## Watch Our Window for Display of FRENCH GRAY ENAMELWARE At Real Bargain Prices ADOLPHE DIDIER

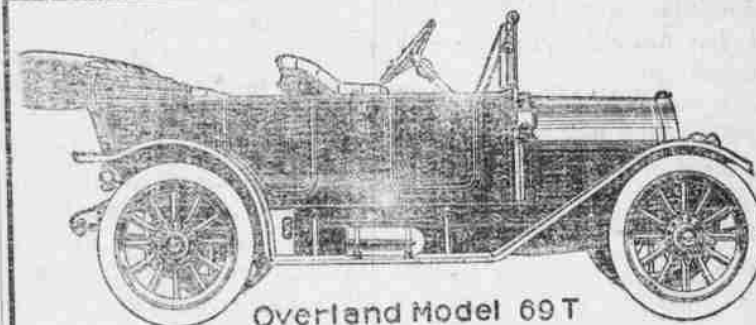
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Walter Goebel, agent, Belen, N. M.

## Why Belen has Grown

The reason why Belen has grown is because there  
are men of push and energy in it, who are not afraid to spend  
their time and money in boosting the town. They have erec-  
ted substantial buildings, organized stock companies, encour-  
aged railroads, worked for public improvements, and used all  
legitimate means to induce people to locate in their city.  
Wherever they go they tell of the advantages of their city,  
they write about them in every letter; they send circulars and  
newspapers to all whom they think they can get to visit the  
town, and, when anyone visits them, they treat him so kindly  
that he falls in love with them and their town at once.

It is this enterprise, in addition to the natural ad-  
vantages and location, and all pulling together, that make a  
progressive town. If you are a "live wire" Belen offers you the  
glad hand. Come and investigate conditions for yourself.  
Come and meet our people, breath our pure air, and enjoy our  
life-giving sunshine, and you, too, will become a booster for  
Belen and the Rio Grande Valley.

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## Make Me a Cowboy Again

(Read by Honorable John W. Springer at the sixteenth annual convention of the American National Livestock Association held at Phoenix, Arizona, Jan. 14 and 15, 1913.)

Backward, turn backward, Oh, time with your wheels, Aeroplanes, wagons, and automobiles

Dress me once more in sembrero that flaps,

Spurs and a flannel shirt, slicker and chaps,

Put a six-shooter or two in my hand,

Show me a yearling to rope rope and to brand

Out where the sage brush is squatty and gray.

Make me a cowboy again for a day.....

Give me a broncho that knows how to dance,

Buckskin of color and wicked of glance

New to the feeling of bridle and bits

Give me a quirt that will sting when it hits,

Strap on the bronco behind in a roll,

Hand me the lariat dear to my soul,

Over the trail let me gallop away

Make me a cowboy again for a day.

Thunder of hoofs on the range as we ride,

Hissing of iron and smoking of hide,

Bellow of cattle and snort of cayuse,

Short horns and Texas as wild as the deuce,

Midnight stampede and the milking of herds,

Yells of the cowman too angry for words,

Right in the thick of it all I would stay

Make me a cowboy again for a day,

Under the star-studded canopy vast,

Camp fire and 'baccar and comfort at last,

Bacon that sizzles and crisps in the pan

After the roundup smells good to a man;

Stories of ranchers and rustlers retold

Over the pipes as embers grow cold

These are the tunes old memories ply

Make me a cowboy again for a day.

## Subscribe for The Belen News

### NOTICE

Know all men by these presents that the undersigned has been appointed administrator of the estate of Max Luna, deceased, by the probate court of Valencia County, New Mexico. All persons indebted to the said estate will promptly pay their debts to me. All persons claiming debts against the said estate will present the same in the time and manner prescribed by law.

J. H. VAUGHN, Santa Fe, N.M., administrator of the estate of Max Luna, deceased.

6-5-26

### Notice

Notice is hereby given that bids will be received for repair work on the Belen Public School Building including repair work on roof and painting roof, calomining walls of rooms, painting window frames and sills on outside, oiling floors and numerous other repairs which will be explained more fully by applying to the Board of Directors. Said bids must be in the hands of the Board of Directors not later than eight o'clock P. M., June 21st, 1913, at which

## CLASSIFIED

For translations from English to Spanish or Spanish to English, call at the News Office. tf

WANTED—Boys or men to study Band Music with a view to pushing the enterprise in Belen and surrounding towns. Can arrange for free tuition. See Amos Patterson. 18tf

SHOE REPAIRING — Of all kinds. All work guaranteed. Honest work and honest Leather used at all times. P. B. Romero, one block east of Didier's store.

You are reading this column; others will read your Wanted if it is placed here.

FOR SALE—10 acres of good agricultural land, one acre in alfalfa, 3 acres under irrigation. Also a good 4-room adobe house, with composition roof, on lot 90x200 feet. Price for all \$1300. Jose Ma. Baca y Romero. 9-1f

time said bids will be opened. The board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

The successful bidder will be required to enter a good and sufficient bond in double the amount of his bid, conditioned on the faithful execution of his contract.

By order of the Board of Directors, Belen School District No. 2, Valencia County, N.M.

H. B. Kennebeck, Chairman, May 26, 1913.

### Notice of Sale

In the District Court of the Second Judicial District in and for the County of Socorro, state of New Mexico.

Juan Sanchez y Apodaca, Plaintiff,

vs. No. 1804

Juan B. Otero and Manuelita Chavez de Otero, Defendants

Under and by virtue of an execution issued out of the District Court of the Second Judicial District of the State of New Mexico, within and for the county of Socorro, directed to me the undersigned Sheriff of Valencia County, which said execution was issued upon a judgment in a certain cause lately pending in said District Court, wherein Juan Sanchez y Apodaca was the plaintiff and Juan B. Otero and Manuelita Chavez de Otero were defendants, and which cause is numbered on the docket of said district court as No. 1804, I have levied upon the following described property of the defendants, to-wit: All the land described in Patent No. 1052 from the United States of America to Manuela Chavez de Otero, under date of November 14, 1902, and better described as follows: Claim One thousand and fifty-two, being a part of section one, township six north range two east of New Mexico Principal Meridian, containing forty-six and eighty-five one-hundredths acres, said patent being recorded in Volume A-17 Folio 108, Records of Valencia County.

And to satisfy the said execution as I am herein commanded, I will on the 25th day of June, A. D., 1913, at the hour of twelve o'clock noon of said day at the front door of the new court house of the County of Valencia at the town of Los Lunas, expose for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash the said real estate above described.

The amount of said judgment and the costs of suit, is the sum of \$289.30, with interest from the 25th day of February, 1913 at the rate of six per cent. per annum, making the total sum of \$293.64 due on the date of the sale, and the costs of this notice and the sale to be added thereto.

Ruperto Jaramillo, Sheriff of Valencia County. 5-29-6-19

### Notice.

In the District Court of Valencia County, State of New Mexico. William A. Holdinghausen, Plaintiff,

-vs-

No. 1833.

Stella Holdinghausen, Defendant.

To the above-named Defendant:-- You are hereby notified that William A. Holdinghausen, the plaintiff in the above numbered and entitled action, did on the 11th day of April, 1913, file a complaint against you, praying therein for a judgement of absolute divorce from you, and for such other relief to which he may appear entitled, and unless you appear and answer said complaint on or about the 12th day of July, 1913, judgement by default will be taken against you for the relief demanded in the Complaint.

Jesus M. Luna, County Clerk and Ex-Officio Clerk of the District Court, by W. D. Newcomb, Deputy. D. J. Thomas, Attorney for Plaintiff. Gallup, N. M. 5-16-6-6

### Notice of Sale

In the District Court of the Second Judicial District in and for the County of Bernalillo, state of New Mexico.

Consolidated Liquor Co. Plaintiff,

vs. No. 8389

Mrs. O. L. de Luna Defendant.

Under and by virtue of an execution issued out of the District Court of the Second Judicial District of the State of New Mexico, within and for the county of Bernalillo, directed to me the undersigned Sheriff of Valencia County, which said execution was issued upon a judgment in a certain cause lately pending in said District Court, wherein the Consolidated Liquor Co. was the plaintiff and Mrs. O. L. de Luna, was defendant, and which cause is numbered on the docket of said district court as No. 8389, I have levied upon the following described property of the defendant, to-wit: A certain tract of land situated in Los Lunas, county of Valencia, and state of New Mexico, bounded on the north by the public road; on the east by the public road and the house of B. Romero; on the south by the land of Paulita de Jaramillo or B. Romero; on the west by land of E. Otero; containing about one acre more or less.

Also a certain tract of land situated in Los Lunas, county of Valencia, and state of New Mexico, located on the west side of the tracts of the A. T. & S. F. and near the station of said company, being bounded on the north and east by lands formerly belonging to Sol Luna, deceased; and on the south by the land of A. T. Romero, and on the west by the land of Rinaldo P. Romero; containing about seven acres, more or less.

And to satisfy the said execution as I am herein commanded, I will on the 25th day of June, A. D., 1913, at the hour of twelve o'clock noon of said day at the front door of the new court house of the County of Valencia at the town of Los Lunas, expose for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash the said real estate above described.

The amount of said judgment and the costs of suit, is the sum of \$540.85, with interest from the 6th day of August, 1910 at the rate of six per cent. per annum, and the costs of collection and the sale to be added thereto.

Ruperto Jaramillo, Sheriff of Valencia County. 5-29-6-19

### Tax Notice

The last half of 1912 taxes will become delinquent June 1st. A penalty of one per cent. will then be added.

S. Mirabal,

Treasurer.



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## PERSONAL -- LOCAL

Fresh vegetables every day at Didier's.

Herman Baca went out to the ranch west of town last Sunday to look after the cattle for some time.

Ice cream, 25 cents a pint, at the Purity Bakery.

The Sunday School classes of Miss Ziegler and Mrs. Snowdon made an inspection of the large ice plant yesterday afternoon.

Ed List and family drove up from Sabinal Tuesday of this week. While here they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dils of the New State Hotel.

Miss Gladys Ormsby came in Sunday evening from Willard, to attend the Teachers Institute. She is stopping with her brother, Walter Ormsby.

Ice cream delivered by the Purity Bakery wagon every day.

Saturnino Baca, county superintendent of schools, made a flying trip to Los Lunas, Monday evening on business before the county commissioners.

When you entertain, you want the best Ice Cream. See Buckland Bros.

The Valencia County Road Board held its regular monthly meeting on Wednesday of this week. Next week we hope to publish an abstract of the proceedings.

Telephone the Purity Bakery for ice cream, and they'll do the rest.

John Becker, Jr., went to Los Lunas Monday where he presented to the county commissioners the petition for the calling of an election for the County High School at Belen.

Have you tried an Ice Cold Soda at Buckland Bros.' new Soda Fountain?

Frank Sanchez of Peralta, came in Monday morning to attend the County Teachers Institute. Mr. Sanchez is the president of the Valencia County Teachers Association, which body will have a meeting towards the end of the institute.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Chapman are expected back from their trip to Buffalo, N. Y., where they have been spending a six weeks vacation. Mr. Chapman is librarian at the local Santa Fe Reading Rooms, and the boys will be glad to see him back.

Pineapple Sherbert Saturdays and Sundays at the Purity Bakery.

Julius Becker and his sister, Miss Becker, of Springerville, Ariz., came in by auto Monday evening. Miss Becker visited in Belen and Albuquerque last Tuesday and Wednesday, returning to Magdalena Thursday. They leave tomorrow with a new car for which they came to Magdalena. — Magdalena News.

All ice cream home made at Purity Bakery.

Mrs. W. J. Davidson entertained the Ladies Guild of the Episcopal church on Tuesday afternoon at her home on South Main Street. A pleasant afternoon was spent, after which the hostess served lemonade, cake and ice cream to her guests. The News family can testify to the delectableness of the refreshments. Mrs. Davidson not having forgot them.

Our new fountain is strictly sanitary. Come in and see for yourself. Buckland Bros. tf

Prof. Conway of the Agricultural College at Las Cruces, will be in Belen next Monday and Tuesday, June 9 and 10, to assist in the Teachers Institute. He will have charge of classes two periods during the day and deliver a lecture at 8 o'clock each evening. The public generally is invited to attend the lectures, which will be on topics of general educational interest.

## A COLUMN FOR THE KITCHEN

### Weights and Measurements

So many cook books give quantities in ounces and pounds that it is often very convenient to know just what measurement of butter or sugar is equal to an ounce or a pound.

1 pounds of flour equals 4 cupfuls  
1 pound of sugar equals 2 cupfuls.  
1 pound of butter equals 2 cupfuls.  
1 tablespoon equals an ounce of common liquids.  
1 level tablespoonful of flour equals 1-4 ounce.  
1 tablespoonful of sugar equals 1-2 ounce.  
1 tablespoonful of butter equals 1-2 ounce.  
1 cupful of flour or sugar measures 16 level tablespoonfuls.

### Vegetable Canning.

Prepare the vegetables as for table use. The bulkier vegetables should be cooked before packing into the jars. Peas and corn may be packed uncooked and the jars filled with cold water. Place the top loosely on the jars, but do not seal, and put them on the rack in the wash boiler. Pour enough water into the boiler to come half way up on the jars. Put cloth or something between them to keep them from falling against each other. Cover the boiler and boil for 1 hour, then remove the top of the boiler, fasten the covers of the jars tightly while they are hot, without lifting them. Cool away from any drafts. The next day place the jars in the boiler again, loosen but do not lift the covers of the jars, put cold water into the boiler, then boil 1 hour. Cool as before and the third day boil in the same manner for 1 hour, then seal, cool and put away.

Some vegetables, such as tomatoes, need only to be cooked the one day but corn, peas, beans, asparagus, carrots, cauliflower, etc., and all meats need to be cooked the three times, on the three successive days.

### Rhubarb Jelly

Cut into short lengths 1-2 dozen stalks of rhubarb. Cover with cold water and bring slowly to the boiling point, simmering until tender; then strain through a fruit sieve and return to the fire, adding a speck of soda, a small cup sugar and 1 tablespoon gelatine which has been soaked in a little cold water. Stir until gelatine is dissolved, remove from the fire and cool. Mold and serve with crushed bananas and whipped cream or with whipped cream alone.

### Soft Gingerbread.

One cup sugar, 1 cup New Orleans molasses, 1 cup butter or shortening, 3 eggs, 3 cups sifted flour, 1 cup of boiling water, in which 2 level teaspoons soda have been dissolved, 1 teaspoon ginger, 1 teaspoon cinnamon. Strained honey may be used instead of molasses if preferred. Cook in a slow oven.

### Coffee Cake.

2 cups of raised dough (before kneading), 2 eggs, half cup of shortening. Beat all together, adding enough flour to make quite stiff, let rise. When it has risen beat in a little more flour and one cup of raisins, (if you like them). Beat well, turn into a buttered pan, sprinkle the top well with sugar and cinnamon. Let rise again and bake in a moderate oven.

### Cinnamon Roll

Two cups raised bread dough, just ready to be put in pans, half cup of sugar, half cup shortening knead sugar and shortening into the dough, roll out thin, spread well with butter, sprinkle with plenty of sugar and cinnamon,

then roll up like a jelly roll and cut pieces from the ends. Place upright, side by side in a buttered pan. Let rise until nice and light and bake in a moderate oven.

### UNCLAIMED MAIL MATTER.

The following is a list of letters and other unclaimed mail matter remaining in the post office at Belen, New Mexico, for the week ending

June 5, 1913

Persons calling for this unclaimed matter will please say "Advertised." A charge of one cent will be made for each piece of advertised matter delivered, as required by Section 668 Postal Laws and Regulation, 1902.

Apodaca, Lugardita  
Baca, Esidora  
Cordova, Fermin  
Garcia, Adela  
Montano, Olimia  
Samora, Saturnino  
Sanchez y Chaves, Manuel  
Sommers, Pearl  
T. de Trujillo, Amadita  
Tovar, Tomas  
If unclaimed by June 19, 1913 the above will be sent to the Dead Letter Office.

JOHN BECKER, P. M.

### GRASSHOPPER DOPE

Grasshoppers, which have appeared in the eastern countries in large numbers, are making their appearance in the Rio Grande valley. Thus far, their numbers have not been such as to cause apprehension. This is a case, however, where an ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure. Professor F. M. Webster of the Department of Agriculture recommends the following mixture to be used in fighting this pest: 1-2 barrel Horse Manure, 1 pound salt and 1 pound Paris Green.

If the manure is not fresh, salt should be dissolved in water. The grasshoppers are very fond of this mixture and will eat ravenously of it, thus virtually committing suicide.

Mrs. H. C. Blickensderfer of Albuquerque is spending a few days in Belen.

Bennie Becker, who has been attending Colorado College, returned to Belen Wednesday to spend his vacation.

Mrs. Nora Brumback, who was formerly principal of the schools here, and daughter Ione, arrived Saturday from Santa Rosa. Mrs. Brumback is conducting the Normal here.

### Kansas City Wool and Hide Prices

The following quotations are furnished by F. L. Cofield Wool Commission Co., 1739 to 1743 Genesee St., Kansas City, Mo.

WOOL  
Colorado, New Mexico, and Utah  
Light Medium 16 to 19c  
Light Fine 14 " 17c  
Heavy Fine 11 " 14c  
Angora Mohair, 12 mos. 25 " 30c

HIDES.  
Green salt natives, No. 1, 13c  
Green salt natives, No. 2, 12c  
Side brands, over 40 lbs. flat, 11 1-2c  
Part cured hides, 1-2c less than cured.  
Uncured hides 1c less than cured.

Glue hides, flat 7c  
Dry flint hides 22 to 24c  
Dry salt hides 16 " 17c  
Green horse hides \$2.25 to \$3.75

PELTS.  
Dry full wool sheep pelts, 9 to 11c  
Green salt sheep pelts, 50 to \$1.25 each  
Angora goat skins, 15 to 75c each  
Tallow: No. 1 6 1-4c  
" No. 2 5 1-2c  
Grease: White 6 1-4c  
" Yellow 5 1-2c  
Beeswax: Bright 25 to 30c per lb.

SCRAP IRON  
Country junk mixed iron \$6.00 to \$10.50 per ton.

BONES  
Country junk bleached bones \$16.00 to \$19.50 per ton.

## Saturday and Monday

June 7th and 9th

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### Los Lunas Items

Work on the new courthouse has been delayed slightly on account of the plumber failing to appear on time. This matter has been arranged, however, and the work is being pushed to completion. The plasterers are at work, so that it is expected that everything will be in readiness for the dedication of the building some time in July. The building is a beauty and one of which all the people of the county may well be proud.

Huning & Connell are rebuilding their warehouse, adjoining the building in which the county offices are located. The roof has been raised, the adobes removed from the walls, and the whole building will be ironclad, making it practically fireproof.

The commissioners have been in session the first days of this week, as a Board of Equalization. A number of taxpayers have appeared before the board, asking that their assessments be reduced.

Simon Neustadt is improving the appearance of his store building with a coat of paint. He is laying in his winter supply of coal, before the rush of the cold season is on.

The local Ball Team is anticipating "scalping" the Santa Fe team at Belen next Sunday. The last game played here at Los Lunas proved a winner for our home team by the score of 6 to 4. While the boys know they are up against a good team, they expect to lead in the final score next Sunday.

Get your ice cream bricks at the Purity Bakery. 3 colors 3 flavors.

