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IMPROVEMENTS IN VALENCIA COUNTY SCHOOLS MARKED.

Progressiveness of Community Shown by Rapid Strides Made in Educational Matters During Last Five Years.

Los Lunas, N. M., May 2.—That Valencia county has taken its place among the progressive school counties of the state is proven by the rapid strides taken in school affairs during the last five years. With a record of twenty-five new rooms twenty-four remodeled buildings, several now under construction and several planned for the summer months, Superintendent Baca can point with pride to school achievements in this county.

Five years ago most of the schools were taught by teachers who were not qualified for their work and who secured their positions through permits granted by the school authorities, that condition has changed and today there are but two permit teachers in county, while the majority of the teachers are either life or first grade teachers, with a minority of second and third grade teachers.

The school month has increased from five to an average of eight and one-half months, an increase of nearly 40 per cent, with a corresponding increase in the number of teachers employed, while the school enrollment has shown an increase of 22 per cent.

Co-operation has been the keynote of the relationship among parents, school boards and the superintendent, with the result that the county is wide awake to its needs in an educational way. This was shown when bonds for a county high school were voted with but one vote against the project. Fourteen thousand dollars was appropriated in the bond issue and several thousands donated by such men as John Becker, Sr. The new building will be erected this year on grounds which will furnish three acres for play; about four acres for school gardens and two acres for parks around the building.

Melvin Fox who has been employed as superintendent of the high school for the last two years and who has been retained for the coming school year is a man of international reputation. His textbook on manual training has been adopted by the state and is being used in

M. E. Church Notes

In spite of the hot weather, the different services at the Methodist church are keeping pace with the records already set. With the Sunday school on Easter morning in the regular class work, there were present ninety-two persons, the highest number yet. Each department is keeping up its attendance in spite of the fact that several have gone on their vacations and others are leaving when school let these go, but the work will keep on. The Ladies' Aid conducted the services Sunday evening, which resulted in a very profitable half hour. The Endeavor and Junior League are to take up one evening, May 21. Something lively and yet religiously inspiring is being offered with each service, and the work of the Methodist congregation is reaching out into the community life. The Sunday morning service should be of special interest to all. Subject, "What Shall Rule?" And for Sunday evening, "Diplomas, or What Graduation Means." Come and make the Methodist church your home on Sunday.

many schools outside of New Mexico. On a recent visit of the state superintendent and the superintendent of industrial training the manual training boys of Belen showed finished work that would do credit to any manufacturing concern in the country.

Sixty per cent of the teachers this year will attend one or the other of the state normals, while the balance will hold an institute in Belen conducted by R. W. Twining, of Las Cruces, with Mrs. Florence Bartlett, of Santa Fe, assisting. The forenoons will be taken up with general school work while the afternoons will be devoted to special instructions in manual training for the men and home economics for the women. There are many of the teachers in the county who have been retained for several years, as it has been the policy to keep the best and weed out those who have proven inefficient in their work.

It is claimed by men who have seen the school at Bluewater, that the building is the most modern rural school building in the state of New Mexico, while the balance constructed during the last five years are all modern buildings with splendid light and equipments.

When the government took the last census many of the native people misunderstood the question pertaining to literacy, thinking that English was meant

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At The Lutheran Church.

The vocal pupils of Mrs. Frank Fischer will give a program Monday evening at 8:15 o'clock at the Methodist church. They cordially invite all their friends and all others who are interested in music.

PROGRAM

"Roses, Roses, Everywhere" Bingham
Miss Virginia Simmons
"Baby's Book" Gaynor
Mrs. W. Fox
"Go, Pretty Rose" Marzials
Miss Henrietta Harbordt and
Miss Ruth Ziegler
"Cradle Song" Kate Vannah
"Good Night, Little Girl, Good Night" Macy
Mrs. Oscar Liffrieng
"Join in Pleasure" from Irminie by Jakabowski
Miss Ziegler, Mrs. Fox, Mr. Shirley Davidson, Mr. Fred Faulkner.

"The Year's at the Spring" H. Beach
"The Owl" Liza Lehmann
Miss Harbordt
"I Know that My Redeemer Liveth" from the Messiah Handel

Miss Ziegler
"Oh, Promise Me" De Koven
Miss Simmons
"Thou Art My Peace" Schubert Litz
Miss Evelyn Davidson
"Just Awearin' For You" Bond
Mr. Fred Faulkner
"La Golondrina" Seradell
Miss Harbordt and
Miss Simmons

"Widmug" Franz
"Woodland Croon Song" Clutsam

Miss Ziegler
"The Rosy Morn" Ronald
Miss Harbordt
"The Parting Hour" Wright
Mr. Faulkner
"The Water Nymphs" Smart
Miss Harbordt, Miss Simmons and Mrs. Fox
Miss Evelyn Davis, Accompanist

THE SCHOOL EXERCISES.

The Saturday evening at 8 o'clock began in the Goebel Theater the school exercises previously announced, which Program was published in this paper a week ago.

The High School Play held the Saturday was very well accomplished by the girls and young men who were appointed to act in that play, being worthy to remark that the girls shown in the performance more freeing, expertness and grace.

The Goebel Hall was entirely crowded and many persons had no seats having they needed to be standup the three hours the

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Music at Panama Fair.

Two famous women composers have been honored by the Panama California International Exposition at San Diego. The first person to have a day named in their honor during the year was Mrs. Carrie Jacobs-Bond, who was honored at the Exposition April 27. Several special programs were given and every musical organization on the grounds played the Bond music. An interesting feature was the play of "A Perfect Day" by the natives of the Hawaiian Village. The other woman to be honored, who is considered the greatest woman composer in the United States and one of the greatest in the world, was Mrs. H. H. A. Beach, for whom May 2 was named Beach day at the Exposition. Mrs. Beach's most popularly known song is "Years at the Spring."

National Guard on Arms.

The mobilization of National Guard has started. The militia companies of Las Cruces, Deming, Pecos and so forth have been called.

The two companies of Albuquerque must have left this morning at five o'clock. An especial meeting was held last night in the Armory Hall in Albuquerque to give the two companies a send-off. Two thousand hand bills were poured in the City in order to gather the citizens to show the Albuquerque spirit.

We congratulate the Commercial Club of Albuquerque for having had the idea to hold such patriotic meeting and send to the soldiers our greeting and a heartful "good by."

UNIVERSITY EXERCISES

In bringing to a close at noon today the commencement exercises of the New Mexico State University, President David Ross Boyd gave a brief review of the progress of the University during the four years since he become its executive, and in connection with his announcements for the coming year, summarized plans of the University government and the outlook for the immediate future of the institution. President Boyd's statement was a modest outline of a remarkable growth while his remarks as to the future were conservative but confident of more rapid advancement during the coming year and those immediately ahead. He said in Part:

"These exercises close the

fourth year of the University of New Mexico under the administration and a bright future is due the people as to made, the University's condition, and its immediate outlook. If number of students is an index of growth I believe satisfaction will be found in statistics prepared by the registrar which I wish to present.

"Total enrollment of the University four years ago was 99, of whom 78 were of full college rank. Today's total enrollment is 222 of whom 208 are of full college rank, or an increase in college students of 127.677 in four years. From year to year, for the four year period increases over the preceding year have been respectively 16.63 363 and 703, this year's increase having been practically double that of the year previous. Number of students in the sub-college, or preparatory department has decreased from 22 four years ago to 14 today. As rapidly as is practical this phase of the University's work will be eliminated. It has not been possible to do so up to this time. The enrollment of the lower classes this year is 21 juniors, 49 sophomores and 87 freshmen.

Practically all of those students intend to return to the University when the next semester opens on August 22nd while early figures in the Registrar's office indicate a freshmen class of considerably more than 100, so that our percentage of increase next year will be fully as large if not longer than during the year now closing.

"You will note with interest, I am sure that whereas but 12 of New Mexico's 26 counties were represented in the University enrollment four years ago, 22 counties, or all but four have students here today. Next year I am informed, every county in the state will be represented on the opening day. Probably nothing speaks more forcefully of the University's broadening influence and service than this increased representation of the counties in the student roll.

"I am proud to point to the fact that of the present enrollment of 136 men and 85 women, 75 men or 483, and 18 women, or 203, are wholly or in part self supporting; paying their own way through college. If is a percentage I am told, larger than can be shown in any

Boundary Army is Augmented.

General Funston Will Have 50,000 Men.

The war department has ordered the mobilization of 10,000 infantry men to the border. They included the militia of Arizona, New Mexico and Texas nearly four regiments of infantry and coast artillery.

Secretary of war Baker today received an offer from Gov. Pinckney of Hawaii, tendering the service of the Hawaiian national guard.

It was announced from San Antonio, Texas, that Gen. Funston has designated Fort San Houston as the mobilization point for the organized militia of Texas, and has named Douglas as the mobilization point for the Arizona national guard and the New Mexico will be mobilized at Columbus.

other state university, of self supporting undergraduates.

"There are other interesting facts to be drawn from the registrar's report which time does not permit me to you now, but which still further show broadening of influence and usefulness of your university. It may be said with assurance that the University of New Mexico has entered on its first important period of expansion. Aside from population increase this is due to a number of influences, chief of which are; first, a growing tendency of New Mexico people to send their children to New Mexico institutions; and increased confidence in these institutions, due in the case of the University, I know, to a better understanding of the facilities it affords for liberal education. Second, there has been a growth from the inside, an elevation of our educational standards and a definite strengthening and broadening of the facilities of this Institution, made possible by increased equipment, small increases in funds for maintenance and operation which the state has been able to make, and settled, satisfactory conditions in the faculty. Behind all these have been sound policy and close supervision by a deeply interested board of regents.

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NEW MEXICO STATE FAIR.

Albuquerque, N. M., May 3, 1916.—W. P. Southard, manager of the local power company takes R. L. Putney's place on the State Fair commission this year; Mr. Putney retiring on account of business which demands his entire attention. Mr. Southard has the confidence of the people and will make a good successor for the energetic Putney who made such a success of the 1915 Fair, as he is recognized as one of the most public spirited man in the State and one who has New Mexico's interests thoroughly at heart, having lived in other sections of the State beside Albuquerque.

R. W. Wiley, whose experience and work last year was responsible for the generally fine ensemble of the Fair, is with the commission again and will be executive secretary. H. H. Betts of Silver City retains the position of vice-president and C. A. Scheurich of Clovis remains as treasurer.

Last year's fair was the first real state fair ever put on the New Mexico and was equal to any fair held in the West in point of agricultural exhibits, amusements and the like. However, the commission this year proposes to do still better and increase the size and importance of the Fair. More money will be offered for prizes in the various exhibit departments and the amusements will be up to last year's standard. It is also the object of the commission to make the fair for itself and come out even.

The greatest feature of the 1915 fair was the exhibits from the counties. Twenty-two counties were officially represented and secured much valuable advertising. Many of those represented last year have already signified their intention of returning again and some of those not represented have promised to send exhibits. It is believed that every county in the State will be off hand when the Fair opens on September 25th.

REGULAR MEETING.

APRIL 3rd. 1916.

The Board of County Commissioners met in Regular Session on April 3, 1913. There were present: Hon. Eugene Kempernich, Chairman, and Perfecto Gabaldon, Ruperto Jaramillo, Sheriff, and J. M. Luna, County Clerk.

Hon. Jesus C. Sanchez representing Citizens and Tax Payers of School District No. 12, appeared before the Board and showed that the action taken by the Board of County Commissioners on the 8th day of February, 1915, in changing the boundary lines of Districts Nos. 12 and 13, had materially reduced the assessed valuation of District No. 12. He also showed that the Petitions were not in conformity with Sec. 4840 of the 1915 Codification.

In View of the facts presented by Mr. Sanchez, the following resolution was adopted:

BE IT RESOLVED, That the action taken by the Board of County Commissioners on the 8th day of February, 1915, in regard to the boundary lines of School Districts Nos. 12 and 13, is hereby rescinded and that the boundaries of said Districts are hereby reestablished as fixed by the Board of County Commissioners of Valencia County, on the 2nd day of January 1912.

A petition was presented by more than 258 of the legal voters of the Precinct of Jarales, asking that a Local Option Election conformity with the provisions of Chapter 78 of the laws of 1913, be held within a District following the same boundaries as the Precinct of Jarales, for the purpose of submitting to the voters, the question of Prohibition.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That a Local Option Election is hereby ordered in the Precinct of Jarales to be held on the 29th day of May 1916, at the Public School of Jarales and that the following are hereby appointed as Judges of Election: Manuel Cordova, Jose Rafael Olguin and Manuel Trujillo y Romero, and the following as Secretaries of Election: Feliciano B. Sanchez and Pedro B. Olguin.

BE IT FURTHERMORE RESOLVED, That the County Clerk is hereby instructed to have ballots and poll books printed for the aforesaid election and to cause publication to be made of the purpose of the same.

A petition signed by various property owners of Jarales and adjacent Precincts, offering to the County of Valencia a right of way for the purpose of constructing a road in said precincts was presented. In view of the liberality of this offer, the following resolution was adopted.

BE IT RESOLVED, That all efforts be made for the

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BULLETIN NEW MEXICO MILITARY INSTITUTE.

Roswell, N. M., May 9.—What New Mexico is doing in the general movement for better military preparedness is well illustrated by the activities of the New Mexico Military Institute.

Just now the institute is being widely advertised by its motorcycle gun squad, an innovation in military appliances which is original with this school. A representative of the Pathe Motion Picture company recently made a special trip to Roswell to take a film of the cadets in action with this new implement of national defense, and this film will be flashed on the screen of theaters all over the United States.

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The New Mexico Military Institute is now nearing the end of the most successful year of its history. The enrollment this session has been larger than before and the standard of work accomplished higher. It is believed that the session of 1916-1917 will see an even greater enrollment and a more enthusiastic interest in the work of the institution; for the imperative necessity of preparedness for national defense is now uppermost in the public mind, and the excellent opportunities offered

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OUR PUBLIC FORUM

VII.—Hon. Elihu Root

On Woman's Sphere



Hon. Elihu Root

The question of Woman Suffrage is an issue before the American people. Twelve states have adopted it, four more states vote upon it this fall and it is strongly urged that it become a platform demand of the national political parties. It is therefore the privilege and the duty of every voter to study carefully this subject. Hon. Elihu Root, in discussing this question before the Constitutional Convention of New York, recently said in part:

"I am opposed to the granting of suffrage to women, because I believe that it would be a loss to women, to all women and to every woman; and because I believe it would be an injury to the State, and to every man and every woman in the State. It would be useless to argue this if the right of suffrage were a natural right. If it were a natural right, then women should have it though the heavens fall. But if there be any one thing settled in the long discussion of this subject, it is that suffrage is not a natural right, but is simply a means of government, and the sole question to be discussed is whether government by the suffrage of men and women will be better government than by the suffrage of men alone.

Into my judgment, sir, there enters no element of the inferiority of woman. It is not that woman is inferior to man, but it is that woman is different from man; that in the distribution of powers, of capacities, of qualities, our Maker has created man adapted to the performance of certain functions in the economy of nature and society, and woman adapted to the performance of other functions.

Woman rules today by the sweet and noble influences of her character. Put woman into the arena of conflict and she abandons these great weapons which control the world, and she takes into her hands, feeble and nerveless for strife, weapons with which she is unfamiliar and which she is unable to wield. Woman in strife becomes hard, harsh, unlovable, repulsive; as far removed from that gentle creature to whom we all owe allegiance and to whom we confess submission, as the heaven is removed from the earth.

The whole science of government is the science of protecting life and liberty and the pursuit of happiness. In the divine distribution of powers, the duty and the right of protection rests with the male. It is so throughout nature. It is so with men, and I, for one, will never consent to part with the divine right of protecting my wife, my daughter, the women whom I love, and the women whom I respect, exercising the birthright of man, and place that high duty in the weak and nerveless hands of those designed by God to be protected rather than to engage in the stern warfare of government. In my judgment, this whole movement arises from a false conception of the duty and of the right of both men and women.

The time will never come when the line of demarcation between the functions of the two sexes will be broken down. I believe it to be false philosophy; I believe that it is an attempt to turn backward upon the line of social development, and that if the step ever be taken, we go centuries backward on the march towards a higher, a nobler and a purer civilization, which must be found not in the confusion, but in the higher differentiation of the

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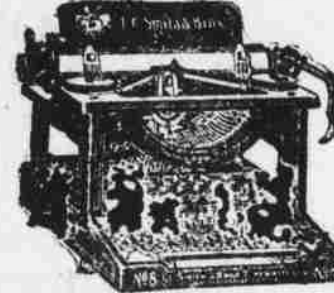
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New Mexico State Fair.

prompt construction of the road as requested and following are hereby appointed as a Special Committee, to interview the various owners of property along the right of way who had not signed the petition and make recommendations as to the compensation to be paid to them: Jesus M. Trujillo, Jose D. Cordova and Julius Feil.

WHEREAS, A Petition has on this day been submitted to this Board, praying for the construction of a wagon bridge at an early day, on the Rio Puerco, at a point West of the village of Belen, and

WHEREAS, Said petition purports to have been signed by more than 400 tax payers, and said petition being before the Board, and the Board not being fully advised in the premises, so that final action can be taken therein,

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the State Engineer be requested to visit the said location for the purpose of

informing this Board as to the location of a site and the approximate cost of such a bridge, and that the County Clerk be directed to examine the signatures to said petition to ascertain who of said signers are tax payers upon property at this time in this County, and report the result of said examination at the next regular meeting of this Board.

Upon recommendation of Mr. Jas. C. Harvey, the Clerk is hereby instructed to draw a warrant in favor of David Lujan, for land taken for road purpose to the amount of \$3.50, and also a warrant to Juan Pearce to the amount of \$4.50.

The Clerk of this Board is hereby instructed to issue a warrant in favor of Martin Salas for \$5.30, for land taken for road purpose.

The following are hereby named viewers in conformity with Sec. 2655 of the 1915 Code, to make recommendations for the vacating of such public roads as are burdensome in the cost of repairs, the maintenance of the same being in

excess of the benefits derived therefrom: A. E. St. Morris, Salomon Gabaldon and Francisco Gurule.

The Clerk is hereby instructed to issue a warrant in favor of Antonio Garcia for the sum of \$7.00, for road damages in the construction of the road in Precinct No. 27.

Petitions were presented by various residents of Los Lentes and of the Precinct of Valencia asking that viewers be appointed to establish certain roads in their localities in conformity with Chapter 124 of the laws of 1905.

BE IT RESOLVED, That A. E. St. Morris, Salomon Gabaldon and Francisco Gurule, are hereby appointed viewers, to said roads in conformity with the provisions of Chapter 124 of the laws of 1905.

The report of the viewers appointed on October 23, to view certain property in Precinct No. 2 for the purpose of opening and establishing a road was adopted

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tor.

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and 7:45 p. m. Luther League,
7 o'clock. Sunday Schools Bible
class, 10 a. m.

List of letters remaining un-
delivered at this office for the
week ending May 11, 1916.

Alaris, Trinidad
Barela, Manuelita
Cooeh, C.

Jimenes, Seferino
Romero, Celestino 2
Ruiz, Andres

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Regular Meeting . . .

and the property as recommen-
ded by them is hereby condem-
ned at the valuations named in
said report. The Clerk of this
Board is hereby instructed to
issue warrants to the amount
contained therein.

The quarterly reports of the
following Justices of the Peace
were approved: Alfredo Mon-
toya, of Precinct No. 13; Ga-
briel Marquez, of Precinct No.
18; Alfredo Baca, of Precinct
No. 5; George H. Pradt, of Pre-
cinct No. 19; Placido Padilla,
of Precinct No. 9; Ignacio Ara-
gon y Garcia, of Precinct No.
2; Demetrio Vallejos, of Pre-
cinct No. 1; Fred. P. Romero,
of Precinct No. 10, and Doroteo
Gabaldon, of Precinct No. 27.

The reports of Ruperto Jara-
millo, Sheriff, for the months of
January and February, 1916,
were approved, also the reports
of J. M. Luna, County Clerk,
for the months of February and
March, 1916, were approved;
Also the quarterly report of W.
F. Wittwer, Coudip Health
Officer, was approved.

The bond of Jesus Marquez
appointed as Justice of the
Peace of the Precinct of Juan
Tafuya, on the 3rd day of Jan-
uary, 1916, was approved.

The report of the viewers ap-
pointed on January 3, 1916, to
report as to the vacating of a
certain road from Ojuelos Sprig
to Becker Station was approved.

The accounts as shown on
pages 70 and 71 Record of
General County Warrants were
allowed by the Board.

The Board then adjourned
subject to the call of the Chair-
man.

Minutes of Accounts Allowed

April 13, 1916, as Shown on
Record of General County
Warrants, Pages 70 and 71.

E. H. Dewey	\$ 3.50
Gregorio Apodaca	1.50
José Otero	5.55
Francisco B. Chávez	2.50
Fred. P. Romero	3.50
Doroteo Gabaldón	5.10
Ignacio Aragón y García	15.00
Diego Aragón	4.25
Silvestre Mirabal	72.46
Continental Oil Co.	15.39
Jesús C. Sánchez	3.00
P. P. Simmons	12.50
W. F. Wittwer	15.00
W. F. Wittwer	30.00
O. A. Matsen & Co.	17.50
Arno Hüning Elect. Co.	6.00
A. A. Romero Jr.	12.00
Simon Neustadt	12.03
J. M. Luna	12.44
Jesús Gallegos	10.05
M. E. Neis	2.50
Phillip Jagels	405.00
Perfecto Gabaldón	160.00
Eugene Kempnich	197.40
Ruperto Jaramillo	1050.00
J. M. Luna	1050.00
Silvestre Mirabal	800.00
Placido Jaramillo	180.00
Diego Aragón	800.00
Bernardino Salillo	458.00
W. F. Wittwer	100.00
Hüning & Connell	36.45
Jesús Gallegos	150.00
Lionisio Jero	7.50
Pedro Penavides	7.50
Eligio Gallegos	5.25

P. P. Simmons	8.00
Saturnino Baca	450.00
Abraham Kempnich	275.00
Salomón Gabaldón	5.00
Z. J. Stragner	25.50
Grover Webb	9.50

Juanita Márquez de Barela	15.00
Cárlos Gallegos	15.00
David Luján	3.50
Juan Perea	4.50
Martín Salas	5.30
Antonio García	7.00
Fred. Scholle	45.00
M. E. Baca	25.00
Elias Baca	79.00
Eugenio Baca y García	144.75
Dennis Chávez	100.00
Dennis Chávez	98.12
Ruperto Jaramillo	251.50
Ruperto Jaramillo	134.70
Belen News	29.85
El Hispano-Americano	33.98

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

Baca y Torres, Antonio
Córdova, Felipe
Vaughn, H. V.

If uncalled for April 27, 1916,
the above will be sent to the Dead
Letter Office. In calling for the
above please say "Advertised."

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 865
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Judge in several places in my own country.
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specified, confident that my knowledge of matters in Old Mexico
and Mexican Laws, will stand full test. With the question letter
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"The Belen News" Belen, N. M.
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Improvements in Valencia . . .

when the question was put to
them about reading and writing
when as a matter of fact they
were well educated in their own
language. In this manner the
illiteracy was placed at a much
higher percentage than the coun-
ty actually shows, for it is now
estimated that not to exceed 10
per cent. are unable to read or
write. In school affairs one can
readily see that Valencia county
has kept pace with the best in
New Mexico.

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The School . . .

performance spent.
Wednesday night the Program
of the Public School was render-
ed being every part of it

aplauded and greeted with en-
thusiasm. The chorus were song
by the girls with delightful voice
and the recitations delivered in
natural way.

The address of Hon. Saturnino
Baca was a good one and made
the best impression in the atten-
dance.

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UNIVERSITY EXERCISES

time here with a review of
of the courses of study now
offered. Those are recited
fully in the catalog which
is available for general dis-
tribution. There has been
a conservative but steady
and well rounded extension
of courses until this Univer-
sity now affords every course
necessary to thorough liberal
education and the various
bachelors degrees,
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