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"A LIVE PAPER IN A LIVE TOWN."

VOL. 8

DEMING, LUNA COUNTY, N. M., FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 1910.

No. 3

## MIMBRES VALLEY ON THE MAP

Chamber of Commerce Organized at the Harvey Monday Night

## ELY FIRST PRESIDENT Most Enthusiastic Meeting Ever Held in the County of Luna.

Last Monday night, just as Washington's Birthday was being ushered in, Deming and Luna county took a mighty stride forward. A Chamber of Commerce with a hundred men, the strong progressive business men of Deming, with the cooperation of many of our substantial ranchmen, organized a commercial body that will set things humming in the great Valley of the Mimbres, where the purest water, the purest air and the best climate in the United States exists.

Landlord Magnuson prepared a splendid dinner for the big crowd, his tables being arranged in the form of a letter "U," the speakers being arranged on the outside. Major Waddill acted as toastmaster and it would be hard to find his superior in this part of the territory.

Just before the dinner was served, John Waddill was called to the piano and sang the Bedowin Love Song and responded to an encore with a "coon" selection.

The first speaker introduced by the gifted toastmaster, was one of the big and brainy boosters of the Valley, E. H. Bickford, who told "What a Chamber of Commerce Shoul Do for a Town." He was followed by Banker John Corbett, who was here when Cook's Peak was a hole in the ground, and who has seen the Floridas grow from the plain. Mr. Corbett's toast was "Some hard nuts to crack" and he cracked them to the entire satisfaction of the audience.

District Attorney Pollard told in a very felicitous manner of the "Social features of the organization," after which W. P. Garside, of the Santa Fe, told us how the road is going to help us, Mr. Clark reading the following letter from Treasurer E. L. Copeland of the Santa Fe:

En Route Silver City, Feb. 21, '10. My Dear Mr. Clark:

I read this morning in the Albuquerque Journal that the business men of Deming would consider organizing a "Chamber of Commerce" this evening. I believe such a move a very important one, and would like to have you extend my congratulations to the business men of Deming for taking such an important step, which is so necessary to the general prosperity of your city. It takes young men who are "live wires" to bring new industries to our towns and cities, and a good live "Chamber of Commerce" will help to keep the business men from getting into a rut—they say the only difference between a rut and the grave are the dimensions. So all pull together for a larger and prosperous Deming.

Last spring some new blood was infused into the Commercial Club of Topeka, and we increased the membership from 250 to 800 in one day.

## Honesty and Purity.

In trying to make up a Washington window, together with a pure drug sentiment and to impress our patrons with the idea that we are giving each and every customer pure drugs and honest treatment, we have gotten together quite a lot of old and valuable relics.

We have not been able to take care of all of them this week, however we will have a window next week showing all of the old relics that may be brought to us, and will be very glad to place any article of interest in the window that any one wishes to bring in. Remember the more ancient the better.—Irvine & Raithe.

and it is producing splendid results for the city.

You should advertise to the people of this country your wonderful climate—your pure water and other advantages which you enjoy.

Wishing the new movement unlimited success, I remain Very truly yours,

E. L. COPELAND.

The GRAPHIC editor next told "The Impressions of a Wolverine" and Editor Shakespeare gave some timely and good advice on "A feature in the organization of a Chamber of Commerce." E. L. Foulks, representing the Chamber of Commerce band, spoke intelligently on sounding brass and tinkling cymbals.

Dr. Swope followed Mr. Foulks in an eloquent and scholarly address on "Municipal growth."

Toastmaster Waddill then read a letter from Hon. H. B. Henning, Secretary of the Bureau of Immigration, every word of which was full of encouragement for the new organization, and good cheer, expressing great faith in the future of New Mexico and the Mimbres Valley, and assuring us of the full cooperation of his bureau.

The last and greatest address of the evening was delivered by Deming's noted orator and man of affairs, Ralph C. Ely, who joined the toastmaster in the oration of the evening. Mr. Ely never disappoints his hearers and he more than made good on this occasion, his sentiment being "The Striking of the Hour."

In the election of officers—Ralph C. Ely was chosen president, Roy Badichek, secretary and Lee O. Lester, treasurer. Prof. Doderer, Dr. Swope, Major Waddill, John Corbett and Judge McKeyes being appointed a committee to draft a constitution, the next meeting to be held when the president so announces. Rev. Leonidas Smith of Silver City was so inspired by the meeting that he offered personally to contribute \$5.00 membership fee. This spirit was manifest on every hand. There will be no possible doubt as to the financial end of the great movement.

## Enumerators on the Ranges.

It has been decided by the Census Bureau authorities to have the census enumerators take the census of the number and value of the live stock on the ranges of the Western states as a part of the Thirteenth Decennial Census, beginning April 15 next.

The census authorities are convinced that the enumerators will be able to gather these statistics even more expeditiously, correctly, and economically than would be possible by special agents under existing conditions.

The supervisors in conference recommended that the work be placed in the hands of the enumerators. They assured the assistant director the enumerators can do it, in connection with the count of population and farms, with greater dispatch and economy than could special agents. They stated that there would be no difficulty whatever if the live-stock owners were made to appreciate the fact that in giving to the enumerators the information regarding their live-stock holdings there is absolutely no danger of it being communicated to county assessors or Forest Service officials. The supervisors stated that otherwise there might be hesitancy to furnish this data for fear it might mean extra taxation or larger grazing charges.

## Good News for the Desert Land Holders.

House of Representatives, U. S. Committee on the Public Lands, Washington, D. C., Feb., 8, '10. Mr. Norman E. Veasey, Hondale, N. M.

My Dear Sir:

I have the honor to acknowledge receipt of your letter of January 27, with regard to H. R. 6308, and wish to assure you that I shall be pleased to request the Chairman of the Committee on Irrigation to give this matter his prompt and favorable consideration as I am very much interested in having everything done which will enable settlers to secure homes.

Very truly yours,  
F. W. MONDELL.

## Corrections to Junior School Story.

The Seniors introduced Class Day which has been observed by all up-to-date schools to encourage school spirit.

The junior class, with the assistance of local citizens, freshmen and an officer went, on the night specified, to guard the school house and Juniors colors, which the seniors had no intention of removing, their purpose being to place their colors on the flag pole, where they rightfully belonged.

The Juniors were in ambuscade and sallied forth when the two Seniors were "pinched," but the black and orange waved all night over the building. The Freshmen were not considered as having any right in the matter whatever.

The Seniors were not aware of the intended picnic place of the Juniors, and only learned of it by noting their tracks. This information was obtained from the Seniors and they vouch for every statement.

## Hondale.

Miss Effie Yates, of Albuquerque has moved on her claim near Midway.

Mrs. Force has returned to her home in St. Louis, after enjoying a few weeks visit with her sister Miss E. Tichmor.

T. L. Curry and wife have a fine son, born Tuesday morning.

W. B. Colt has installed a new engine.

Mr. LeRoy Hon has been doing some improvement on his desert claim south of town.

Theo. Shanafelt is drilling a well near Hermans for Roy Enman.

Church and Sunday School at the school house at Hondale, are well attended, there being 45 in attendance last Sunday.

H. H. Rue is digging a well on his desert claim southwest of town. Percy Freyer has purchased a new Alamo engine for his pumping plant.

C. R. and D. C. Colt have completed their new houses.

## Ramsey School Meeting.

About a score of farmers gathered at Hugh Ramsey's the first of the week to consider the proposition of the erection of a school building and the establishment of a school district somewhere in the Ramsey neighborhood. The sentiment was all in favor of the proposition.

Messrs Ramsey and Evans were appointed a committee to investigate conditions and report at a subsequent meeting.

The subject of telephones was also discussed with much interest.

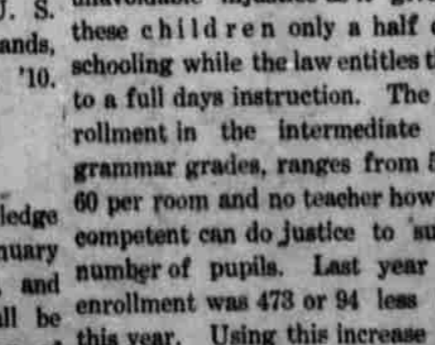
## Our School Problem.

This article was written to place the conditions squarely before the people and to correct some misunderstandings in regard to the kind of building that Deming needs and the best available location.

## MORE ROOM A NECESSITY

Our present school building contains 9 rooms, (allowing 40 pupils to each room) its maximum capacity is 360 pupils. The present enrollment is 557, that is 207 in excess of its capacity. This excess would fill 4 more rooms in addition to the rented room now occupied by the kindergarten. In two departments, (the Spanish-American also the kindergarten) the pupils have been divided into two divisions; one attending in the forenoon and the other in the afternoon. This is at present an unavoidable injustice as it gives to these children only a half days schooling while the law entitles them to a full days instruction. The enrollment in the intermediate and grammar grades, ranges from 50 to 60 per room and no teacher however competent can do justice to such a number of pupils. Last year our enrollment was 473 or 94 less than this year. Using this increase as a basis and reckoning the same percent of increase for each succeeding school year; the coming school year which opens in Sept. 1910 will require at least 6 rooms more than the present capacity, and by 1913 the number

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It puts more men on the pay roll. More people employed and more money to spend in Deming. That is what sounds good to all of us.

Those who have not taken pains to visit the yards of the Deming Brick & Supply Co., really have no idea of the magnitude of the plant.



E. F. MORAN, MANAGER

The property is situated a little north-east of the city and covers something over seven acres of land, the clay banks of the finest quality being not less than twelve feet deep. The storage tanks for oil hold over 25,000 gallons, and are filled direct from tanks on the trains by gravity pipes.

The oil is then pumped into the gravity tank, which stands on a tower sixty feet high, which gives a strong pressure at the kilns, where the oil is sprayed with steam that generates a gas, making a very superior and inexpensive heat for burning.

The machinery is of the most approved type, the heavy steel Quaker brick-making machine being capable of turning out 40,000 brick per day. The crusher and pug mill are also built for the best and most rapid service.

Many thousands of brick were pressed that did not get into the first kiln that was burned, and yet they have stood for months in the open air without even crumbling. This is proof that the clay is of a very superior quality.

The company is now erecting a drying shed 260X125ft, that can easily shelter 250,000 brick at one time. The new brick that will be burned from now on, are to be placed on pallets in order to insure a perfect form in drying, and the cover will make all brick seasoned alike.

Three months from breaking ground the first kiln of 250,000 brick were burned and were with the disadvantages that were necessary to contend with, an exceedingly good product. With the improved conditions the brick will be as fine as ever need be put into a building.

The commercial advantages to

the town and country of a first-class brick making plant cannot be over estimated. It means that instead of paying from \$12 to \$18 per thousand



JULIUS ROSCH, PRESIDENT

and for brick laid down here, we can get them for \$7.50 to \$9.00 per thousand, and keep all the money right here at home. Every dollar spent for outside brick takes just that much money out of Deming, while the home plant will spend every cent here, outside the small expense of fuel. It means that people can build cheaper homes and that the inducements to outside people who want to come here are just about doubled, when it comes to the building proposition. It means that a score or more of people will have employment at good wages and that is what Deming wants more than any other one thing. The chief pusher in the company and one who is going to make it a splendid success, is E. F. Moran, a practical brick maker and



OTTO LEUPOLD, SECRETARY

who was formerly president and manager of a large brick plant in Kentucky. Our enterprising contractors and builders, Rosch & Leupold, together with other good citizens, put their shoulders to the wheel and are going to make a Deming industry of which we may all feel proud.

## Why not get the best?

Why not have the best for your table when it costs no more than a common quality?

E. H. Bickford, Manager of the Rio Mimbres Irrigation Co., has placed with us his entire stock of canned pears, peaches, and plums put up in heavy syrup, plain or spiced; also piccalilli and chili sauce of the kind that makes you wonder how you ever enjoyed your dinner without it.

These are all Rio Mimbres Valley products, home canned in glass jars, pints and quarts. Let us have your order as the supply is limited. Ring up phone 149. At our store on Silver Ave. you can see the goods and make selections that are sure to please you. W. W. Atkins & Co.

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You have nothing to worry about. We're taking now to those who are fortunate enough to be.

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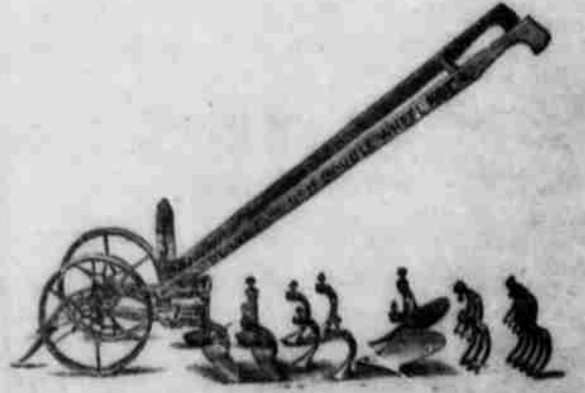
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The Deming National Bank, Gold Avenue.

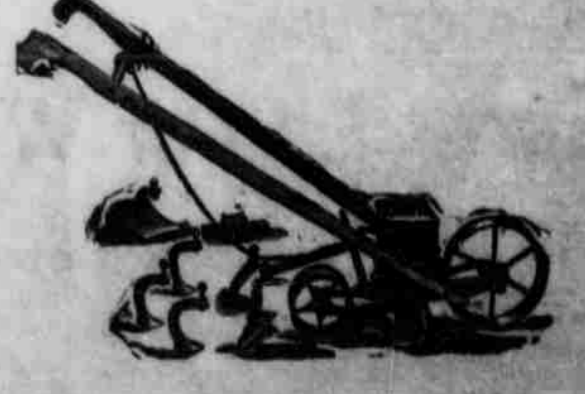
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And



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FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 1910.

Welcome to



New Mexico



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**TOAST TO DEMING.**

"There is a land of every land the pride,  
Beloved by Heaven o'er all the world beside,  
Where brighter suns dispense serener light,  
And milder moons emparadise the night.  
O, thou wilt find howe'er thy footsteps roam,  
This land thy country, and this place thy home."

**Our School Problem.**

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will be increased to 10 or 12 additional rooms. A conservative estimate indicates that within three years a building equal in capacity to the present building will be filled to overflowing.

**WARD BUILDINGS WILL LOWER EFFICIENCY**

Deming is not large enough for ward buildings. We now have a good graded school, each teacher handles a particular grade for which she is by nature especially adapted. The efficiency of a school depends upon careful grading and specializing; destroy the grading and the efficiency is diminished. The erection of two ward buildings in addition to the present building will destroy both the grading and specializing; each grade would be divided into three divisions and each division would be located in a different section of the town. In order to place the requisite number of pupils in each room, each teacher would be required to teach a section of three or four different grades, thus shortening the recitation period and lessening the time for individual work. In short, Deming would have three ungraded schools at par only with the ordinary rural school. The Board feel that the present standard ought not to be lowered, but that the much needed increase in capacity must be of such a character that the present high standard will be maintained and also placed upon a still higher plane. Two ward buildings with sufficient capacity to accommodate our growing school for the next 5 years cannot be built for \$5,000 nor even \$15,000 each but would cost more than one large building with equal capacity. Ward buildings always cause much trouble in specifying ward boundaries and requiring children to attend in their own ward. When Deming reaches a population of 8,000 or more and has election wards with well defined boundaries, then only will ward schools be necessary. In our congenial climate, where stormy days are a rarity, it is only healthy exercise for active children and exuberant youth to walk from six to ten blocks to school. They will develop better physically and enjoy better health for doing so.

**PRESENT BUILDING NOT SUITABLE FOR A HIGH SCHOOL**

Our high school has already outgrown its quarters. The assembly room is filled to its full capacity,

and there is an insufficiency of class rooms, the superintendents office is utilized as a class and rehearsal room and even the halls are used daily for the same purposes. Our efficient music teacher has no room for her choruses only as she finds the assembly room vacant after school hours. Whenever the Philomathean Literary Society holds a session all class work must be side-tracked. There is no laboratory for physics or chemistry and no space that can be converted into such a room. Working under such unfavorable and congested conditions it is only the ability and faithfulness of our teachers that makes our high school as efficient as it is. We need modern high school quarters with a commodious assembly room; several class rooms; music room; a laboratory equipped with apparatus suitable for giving demonstrations in physics and chemistry; a manual training room; a domestic science room and a commercial department. It is impossible to remodel the present building and make it partially suitable for the growing needs of our high school. The remodelled building would not be modern, as there is no basement, there would be no room for domestic science, manual training or sanitary closets. Our present building is adapted for kindergarten, primary and intermediate work and ought to be used for that purpose. Many of the New Mexico towns have built or are building modern high school buildings. Santa Fe with a population of 8000, has no ward buildings but only central buildings, one is a modern high school of 14 rooms, fully equipped and steam heated; costing \$35,000. The Santa Fe high school does not enroll as many students as our high school.

Deming must keep pace or relinquish the honor of the best high school to some other town in the territory. The Deming schools have been the pride of every one of our citizens ever since their organization. The unanimous aim has always been to increase its efficiency. The Board, in advocating more modern high school quarters is aiming to still further increase its utility. In the past we have kept pace with other public schools; at present we are in the lead; in the future we must maintain this lead and set the pace for the entire territory—state. The first question asked by the prospective settler seeking a home is "Have you good schools?" We have been able to answer this in the affirmative,



**The Tenderfoot Farmer**

It was one of these experimental farmers, who put green spectacles on his cow and fed her shavings. His theory was that it didn't matter what the cow ate so long as she was fed. The questions of digestion and nourishment had not entered into his calculations.

It's only a "tenderfoot" farmer that would try such an experiment with a cow. But many a farmer feeds himself regardless of digestion and nutrition. He might almost as well eat shavings for all the good he gets out of his food. The result is that the stomach grows "weak" the action of the organs of digestion and nutrition are impaired and the man suffers the miseries of dyspepsia and the agonies of nervousness.

To strengthen the stomach, restore the activity of the organs of digestion and nutrition and brace up the nerves, use Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It is an unfailing remedy, and has the confidence of physicians as well as the praise of thousands healed by its use.

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the, the best in the territory. Good schools and churches are the index to the educational and moral tone of the community, and will do more to encourage immigration into the Mimbres Valley than any other institution possibly can.

**KIND OF BUILDING NEEDED.**

A two story building containing at least 12 rooms, the second floor arranged for high school quarters, the first floor with 5 or 6 rooms for the grammar grades. Beneath the first floor an entire basement containing closets, baths, furnace and fuel room, janitors room, manual training room and one for domestic science. This building should be modern and hygienic. The high school quarters to contain an assembly room accommodating 125 students, and with a seating capacity of 250; four class rooms, music room, an equipped laboratory, library cases and cabinets for geological and other specimens. Many a boy that is not endowed by nature with sufficient mental ability to ever make a success in any of the professions or business enterprises can in a manual training department learn a trade that will enable him to earn an honest living and become a useful citizen. The district ought to do just as much for the pupil with inferior mental capacity as for the one that possesses superior ability.

Many a girl who aspires to become the mistress of a home can in a domestic science department supplement her home knowledge of household duties and the culinary art, and thus make the homes of the next decade more attractive and inspiring. Visit these departments in the schools of some of our sister towns and you will become an enthusiast for their introduction here. Such a building equipped would cost about \$35,000 and will be one to which every citizen can point with pride. This is the opportune time to build it. As soon as the town is divided into wards, sectional feeling will make it impossible to secure suitable high school and grammar grade quarters within the next twenty or more years. With a school so equipped there will be no necessity of sending any of our children to distant places among strangers to attend school. They can be educated more economically right at home. A youth is best trained both mentally and morally when under parental guidance and restraint.

**BOND TO RAISE NECESSARY FUNDS.**

By issuing bonds for 20 years, all the new comers that move into the district during that time must help to pay for such building. Their children as well as ours will reap the benefits, and they should be allowed to pay their share. Deming's population ought to quadruple within that time.

**LOCATION.**

The Board is desirous of securing a location as near central as possible, and in purchasing block 55 have not acted hastily, as during the past twelve months a careful, thorough investigation has been made by the Board and others concerning the nearest available site. It is not a question of getting what we want, but of getting the best we can. The block south of Atty. J. Fielder's residence is an ideal site, but it cannot be secured as the owners refuse to sell. A mistake was made when Deming was first plotted, in not setting aside a central block for a high school. This error cannot be corrected now. Block 55 is the nearest available site, located four blocks west of Gold avenue and two from present school building. No good titles could be secured to many of the blocks considered, and no public building should be erected upon a defective title.

In this valley where land is so plentiful it would be an injustice to place such a building upon a half block or less, thus depriving the pupils of a suitable play ground or compelling them to play in the

streets where they are liable to accidents from passing vehicles. Give them room for play and out door gymnastics, in addition to a small park of trees.

**DONATED SITES NOT IN CORPORATION.**

We appreciate the generosity of Capt. Knowles and Mr. Schwing in offering to donate a site just outside the corporation, five blocks from Gold avenue, east of the grade road near the Captain's residence. We likewise appreciate the generous offers made by several other gentlemen. We have secured Block 55, as the site of the proposed building and the offers are too late.

The location should be as near central as possible. Block 55 is in the center of the town using the corporation boundaries as the limits, it is in the center of the plotted portion of the town, it is near the present school building which is a decided advantage as it will enable the city superintendent to more efficiently and carefully supervise the work in both buildings. As the town grows the residence section will be extended toward the south and southwest covering the plotted district, and we predict that within 5 years, Block 55 will be in the heart of the residence portion of the city.

**CONCLUSION.**

In the past the Deming School Boards have always had the best interests of our schools at heart, the present Board is no exception. We are doing everything within our power to increase public interest in our schools, to improve the school system, to give our children the advantage of sanitary and hygienic quarters, to give them the best teachers that can be secured, to increase the schools efficiency, and to give Deming a school system second to none in the great southwest.

**BOARD OF TRUSTEES.**

**Church of Christ.**

Last Lord's Day was a splendid day and the services were well attended there being 145 in the Bible School. Two confessions at the morning service. We want not less than 35 men in the adult bible class next Lord's Day and also every member present at the night session as there is some important business to be attended to. A cordial invitation is extended to the public.

**List of Letters**

Remaining uncalled for in the post office at Deming. When calling for these letters say advertised and give date.

EDW. PENNINGTON, Postmaster.  
WEEK ENDING FEB. 26.

Anderson Cas. H., Fields Mrs. Martha, Cross Percy G. DuMont C. S. Fowler A. J. Gonzales Cruz, Sabala Antonino.

**Lewis Flats.**

John Coleman was at the Flats on business the first of the week. Calvin Cooper was kicked by a horse Saturday.

The dance Friday night was a grand success. Everyone danced all they wanted and enjoyed cake and coffee at midnight. The dance lasted until about three o'clock. Mr. Newcomb and daughter were visitors at J. R. Smyer's home Sunday evening.

Mrs. Annie Kimball is now at home on her claim adjoining A. M. Kelly's place.

Lewis and Simmons Smyer and Robert Russell spent Saturday and Sunday on Mr. Smyer's ranch.

Another contest in reproduction work has begun between the boys and girls of our school. This contest will be on the reproduction of whole books of travels, history, fiction and geography. The side winning will be given a party or supper and perhaps both.

Messrs Smyer and Plummer are getting along nicely with their well machine. They now have several feet of water in the well they are drilling for Mr. Glasser and will soon have enough water to irrigate several acres of ground.

The men of the country have been summoned to work the roads.

**New Time Card.**

The following schedule went into effect on the S. P. Sunday, Jan. 2nd, Pacific time:

WEST BOUND.	
No. 9	10.01 a. m.
" 3	5.32 p. m.
" 7	1.42 a. m.
" 1	7.46 a. m.
EAST BOUND.	
No. 4	9.22 a. m.
" 10	2.19 p. m.
" 8	11.45 p. m.
" 2	2.38 p. m.
Santa Fe.	
WEST.	
Arrives 9.30 a. m. Leaves 9.50 a. m.	
EAST.	
Arrives 6.25 p. m. Leaves 7.00 p. m.	
- E. P. O. S. W. R. -	
Arrives 6.45 a. m. Leaves 8.15 a. m.	

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PERSONAL.

Mrs. E. M. Chase and children returned Saturday from Texas. F. H. Lerchen is home from Las Cruces. Inspector Ash of Columbus, attended the banquet Monday evening. Sam T. Clark was in Silver City Sunday. D. G. Brown of Calexico, Cal. is visiting his brother, B. S. Brown. Rev. Watkins preached at Lordsburg Monday and Tuesday evenings. Miss Velma Baker, of Hermans is visiting relatives in the city. Mrs. E. H. Matthews is slowly recovering from a very critical illness. Mrs. Alice Smith has been seriously ill, but is now improving. Major Wallis of Cooks Peak was in town yesterday. H. C. and Louie Brown were at Alamo Hueco ranch this week. Mrs. McGlinchey is home from a month's visit in El Paso. Deputy Sheriff Kealy was in Hermans, Hachita and Lordsburg Saturday on official business. Senator Upton and two daughters attended the Washington's Birthday ball at Silver. Attorney Frank Knowlberg of Silver City, was here Saturday. He will be located in El Paso this week. Judge I. D. Shamhart, of Newton, Ill., is prospecting here and thinks very favorably of this country. Mesdames Merrill and Meyer were in El Paso this week to see the manbird. Mrs. J. T. Mahoney, of Separ did shopping and renewed acquaintances in our city Saturday. A. M. Staples and wife, who have been spending some very delightful weeks with Jas. Kerr and family, have returned to Texas. A. R. Colt left Wednesday evening for Bird City, Kansas and is going to bring some people back with him on his return. Good. Dr. P. W. Longfellow secretary of the Baptist missionary society, of Roswell, was in the city Wednesday and Thursday. Rev. August Morin of Silver City, stopped on his way to El Paso and held services at the Catholic church Monday morning. F. C. Long, wife and daughter arrived from Silver City this week and are going to remain until the former's health is improved. Henry Ede, of Illinois, who is visiting his daughters, Mrs. Ralph Gresson and Miss Martha Ede, was a welcome GRAPHIC caller this week. M. M. Dunson and children spent Sunday with Mrs. Dunson at Silver City, and we are very glad to say the latter is very much improved. Rev. Goodloe is at Dallas attending the layman's meeting and will go from there to Nashville to visit his old home. He will return March 12. Wade Cunningham, of the G. H. and S. A. and G. P. French of the Wabash, were among the railroad men at the big banquet. Mr. and Mrs. Frank DeLauney went to Los Angeles last Sunday. He will return about March 1, while Mrs. DeLauney will visit with relatives until June. Senator Hannigan attended the funeral of his old friend and former mining partner, L. L. Osmer, at Silver, Saturday. H. H. Osmer and Deputy Sheriff Kealy also attended. The members of the C. E. Society of the Christian church, gave their president Miss Ruth Boyd a surprise party last Monday evening. Every one enjoyed themselves. Miss Boyd leaves about March 10 for California. Officer Alvan W. Howe of Tombstone, was in the city Saturday to take into custody Theodore Lard, who is accused of horse stealing, and was held here for the Arizona officer. W. R. Brown, division freight agent of the Santa Fe, in company with W. P. Garaid of the same railway, who was one of the banquet speakers, were welcome GRAPHIC callers Tuesday. M. I. Pardee and wife, who have been spending the past two years at Clouderoft and Capitan as telegrapher and station agent, are now at the home of their mother, Mrs. Nora Bush, for an indefinite period. O. J. Durand is home from a five-weeks stay at Roswell, where the Kansas City Life made a loan of \$20,000, at 6 per cent for 10 years to the Masonic temple association and the same amount on a business block. The K. C. believes in reciprocity. Editor and Mrs. S. P. Day, of the Developer, Kansas City, accompanied by Mrs. Boles, of Fort Smith, Arkansas, have been in the city this week, on business connected with Mrs. Boles' property interests here. The party favored the GRAPHIC with a very pleasant call on Washington's Birthday.

Saddler and Brown have twenty Missouri mules. S. A. Birchfield has been in Bakersfield Calif., and Socorro for a few days. Fred Pennington and his sister Mrs. Green are at the Mimbres Hot Springs, where the former is very rapidly improving. R. Swanzy received a telegram from Erick, Okla., announcing the death of Mrs. W. C. Wallis. Interment will be made at Hope, Ark. The deceased had many friends here who greatly regret her untimely demise. W. F. Mann's company, headed by Miss Marie De Beau, which was seen at the Opera House last night in Tempest and Sunshine will present a new play tonight, "The Girl and The Law" with Miss De Beau in the part of "The Girl." The story is an interesting account of an outlaw who hides his identity, and gets the appointment of Chief of the Secret Service, at the same time he is terrorizing the country with his bold work as a highwayman. Suspicion falls on Reginald Gainby, a stranded actor, and the web of circumstantial evidence woven around him causes no end of comical situations by clever deception. The outlaw diverts suspicion from himself until he is detected, and run to earth by "The Girl." The play is full of mystery and comedy, and should prove interesting to those who attend. Two Large Meetings. Rev. J. I. Seeder, editor of the Southwestern Anti-Saloon Issue, and superintendent of the territorial league, occupied the Methodist pulpit Sunday morning and addressed a large union meeting at the opera house in the evening. He is a very forceful and convincing speaker, and left a very good impression on his audience. Among other things he said that 70 per cent of the territory of the United States is now dry and that over 42,000,000 people are living under prohibition laws. He stated that the temperance wave was the biggest and most popular wave in the world today. Stockholders Meeting. The stockholders of the Clark Grocery Company held their first annual meeting last Friday night and the following were elected as directors; A. J. Clark, J. A. Mahoney, R. Swanzy, A. J. Tidmore, and Sam T. Clark. The general routine of business was gone through with, after which officers were elected as follows, to serve for the ensuing year. A. J. Clark, Pres., R. Swanzy, Vice Pres. and Gen. Manager, and Sam T. Clark Secy. and Treas. The Clark Grocery Company was recently organized to succeed the old and reliable firm of Clark and Co. They have a large capital with which to conduct the business, and connected with them are some of the best known and most successful business men in the country. Under the new management they are reaching out for new business, and they are getting it. New rules and regulations are introducing them more favorably to the public, and we have already heard many flattering remarks regarding the good service they are giving the people. School Notes. School declamatory contest Friday, March 4. Reserved seats 40 and 25c. There was no school Tuesday—Washington's birthday. A number of rooms gave interesting programs Monday. Miss Leah Barracks is the chaperone for the tourists on the "Trip to Europe." The first scene is laid in New York; second scene, on board the steamer; three days out; third scene, at the wharf, Liverpool. The 7th grade enjoyed a picnic on Washington's birthday. The Caesar class has to sing frequently to "raise their grade" on morning recitations. The Philomatheon society had an interesting program last Friday. The next program will be Friday afternoon, March 4th. We would like to see more visitors at these programs as it encourages the pupils to do better work. Plainview. F. G. Upton is still breaking land and otherwise getting ready to use the Mimbres flood water. Master Jamie, the four-year-old son of Walter E. Davis, by some means fell upon the floor and sustained a broken leg. The little fellow bore up well under his suffering and is now doing well under the care of Dr. Swope. Rev. Seder, representing the anti-saloon league, gave an interesting address Sunday afternoon and received some substantial aid toward this work of home protection. A sociable given by Reynold Cole and his good mother, was the occasion of much enjoyment Tuesday evening. Aside from the perfect weather, and the hay ride incident to the trip, the rollicking games, the jolly associations, and delicious refreshments afforded satisfaction to the full, and all would willingly vote Mrs. Cole as Type A. Class 1, when it comes to entertaining. Aunt Dinah when she ejaculated, "My, dem fine gown'd gals and—dat swaller tail coat business sho do look mighty spicuous." RAW

ABOUT TOWN.

Now then, all together. No 3 now arrives at 5:32 Pacific time instead of 7:42 p. m. About 20 young people were kooking at the Gardens, Tuesday. R. L. Miller has moved his office to the room just vacated by Atty. Hamilton. Sheriff Stephens handsome new saddle is one of the finest in the county. N. A. Bolich secured it for him. A. F. VanDeinse, of the Westinghouse company, was figuring with the Deming Ice and Electric Co. Tuesday, on some big machinery. W. P. Birchfield's fine ranch home was burned Tuesday night. The loss is very heavy. Partly covered by insurance. Mrs. H. E. Crocker missionary to China will lecture at the Methodist church next Friday evening. Everybody cordially invited. R. E. Cameron knows all about the third degree in Masonry since Saturday evening. A banquet followed his initiation. The cement foundation for Dr. Williams fine ranch home south of town is already completed and J. M. Young will commence his very soon. Architect Corwin is busy with plans for Mr Killinger's fine new 50 by 60 feet cement block store building on Silver avenue. The Saturday Club met with Mrs. Richard Hudson and all report a very enjoyable time. The hostess served refreshments of the usual order. County Clerk Lester is something of a hustler himself. He sold over 60 banquet tickets, aided, assisted and abetted by Roy M. Perry, deputy clerk. Dr. Moir and Morris Nordhaus were in El Paso, Saturday on auto business. The latter purchased a Buick, but the doctor is considerably inclined toward a Reo. Owing to a change of time in the So. Pac. train no. 3 westbound, the mails for that train will now close at 6 p. m. the same time as the Santa Fe. The train is now due at 6:32 p. m. The Mimbres Valley story in the Texas Magazine will appear in the April instead of the March issue, in order to accommodate a story by Gov. Mills on "The Fitness of New Mexico for Statehood." The Deming Ice & Electric Co. has been awarded the contract for wiring the new court house, which will all be conduit work with tungsten lamps. There will be two ornamental lamp posts in front. The Deming Ladies' Hospital Association has filed incorporation papers the incorporators and trustees being: Marguerite E. Merrill, Achsa Field, Kate E. Moir, Ella Mahoney and Emma S. Duff. H. Congdon Brown is named as the New Mexico agent. Frank Weaver left for Colorado Sunday evening and will return in about three weeks with the only imported Belgian draft horse in Luna Co. The big fellow will be owned by the Mimbres Valley Draft Horse Association. C. A. Babb, formerly of the Harvey system here, but now manager of the beautiful Hotel Del Portal at El Portal Calif., in sending for the GRAPHIC says he has a warm spot in his heart for Deming. The garden of five acres back of the ice plant has been leased to a couple of expert Chinese gardeners, the same ones who have leased the Shull ranch. The Electric Co. will furnish all the power for the Chinese gardeners a mile and a half out. This is proof of what a central power plant can do. Mrs. Frank Nordhaus entertained at bridge whist Monday afternoon, the following being present to enjoy the social features and fine luncheon: Mesdames Hudson, Irvine, Raithel, Ely, Bush and Williams and Messrs Hudson and Shakespeare. Mrs. Hudson was awarded first prize. Col. Richard Hudson was born the same day as his uncle, George Washington, and in order that he might not forget the date, his daughter, Mrs. Hugh Williams, prepared a fine dinner at her home in honor of the event, it being the genial and highly respected pioneer's 71st birthday. Those present were Col. and Mrs. Hudson, Al. Watkins and wife, Geo. W. Shakespeare and Mrs. Nora Bush, Thomas Hudson and the host and hostess. Many gifts were presented our venerable friend. Dry Batteries. A fresh barrel of Columbus dry batteries just received. 35c each. HARRISON MACHINE WORKS.

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Pictures. There will be a profusion of good pictures used in the publication. Every picture which will be worth while as a real representation of the conditions in the Mimbres Valley and the City of Deming will be used. Many of these have already been selected.

Letters are being received in this office daily asking questions concerning the Edition. The probabilities are that the edition will exceed the five thousand promised.

There remains but little time for advertisers to get in on this splendid edition. If you are an advertiser and want to keep the best sort of company and in the biggest publication ever issued in this section—as well as the handsomest and most valuable—you will lose no time in seeing us.

### Home Department.

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#### PLY PAPER.

We shall soon be wanting something of this kind. Add to melted rosin enough sweet oil, lard, or lanak oil, to make it when cool of the consistency of molasses and spread on writing paper.

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When a mother has taught her children to be willing to keep clean if it is convenient to do so, she has performed a part of her duty, but when she has taught them to be determined to keep clean, even if they must tend to the preliminaries, then has she fulfilled her whole duty in that direction.

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Legal Notices.

**Notice for Publication.**  
SERIAL NO. 0196.  
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Las Cruces, N. M., Feb. 19, 1910.  
Notice is hereby given that Arthur Brice of Deming, N. M., who on August 11, 1908, made Homestead, No. 0136, for sec. 10 township 24s, range 7w., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to establish claim to the land above described; before B. Y. McKeyes, U. S. Court Commissioner, at Deming, N. M., on the 23d day of April 1910.  
Claimant names as witnesses: William P. Birchfield of Deming, N. M. Solomon Sly of Carre, N. M. Charles Birchfield, Deming, N. M. John H. Sellars, of Carrey, N. M.  
JOSE GONZALES, Register.  
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**CONTEST NO. 2248 SERIAL NO. 01244**  
**Contest Notice.**  
Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, Las Cruces, New Mexico, January 17, 1910.  
A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by John M. McTeer, contestant, against Desert Land Entry No. 1591 (01244) made May 29th, 1908, for south 1/2 section 28, township 25s, range 9w., T. M. P. Meridian, contestee, in which it is alleged that said Mattie N. Oldham, who wholly failed to make the requisite annual expenditure during the first year after said entry, that is after the 23d day of May, 1909, and that there are no improvements thereon of any kind. Said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on March 19th, 1910, before U. S. Commissioner B. Y. McKeyes, at Deming, New Mexico, and that final hearing will be held at 10 o'clock a. m. on March 29th, 1910, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in Las Cruces, New Mexico.  
The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit filed January 17th, 1910, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice cannot be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.  
Jan28feb25 JOSE GONZALES, Register.

**Notice of Pendency of Suit**  
In the District Court of the Third Judicial District of the Territory of New Mexico, within and for the County of Luna.  
Ruby Clara Townley, Plaintiff  
vs  
Lee P. Townley, Defendant  
No. 226 Divorce  
The above named defendant, Lee P. Townley, is hereby notified that a complaint has been filed against him in the District Court of the Third Judicial District of the Territory of New Mexico in and for the County of Luna, that being the County in which said cause is pending, by the plaintiff Ruby Clara Townley. The object of this action in general terms is, for the dissolution of the bonds of matrimony now existing between the plaintiff and defendant, on the grounds of non-support, the refusal and neglect to provide a home and for cruel and inhuman treatment of said defendant towards plaintiff, as more fully alleged in said complaint in this cause on file in my office.  
Said defendant is also notified that unless he enters his appearance herein on or before Monday, the 11th day of April, A. D. 1910, judgement will be rendered against him, the said defendant, by default.  
The name and address of Plaintiff's attorney is, A. W. Pollard, Deming, Luna County, New Mexico.  
First publication February 18th, A. D. 1910.  
JOSE R. LUCERO, Clerk  
By JOHN LEMON, Deputy

**Notice for Publication.**  
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Las Cruces, N. M., Feb. 17, 1910.  
Notice is hereby given that Thomas D. Bryant of Deming, N. M., who on January 24, 1905, made Homestead Entry No. 4350, (serial 01654) for S. W. 1/4 Section 21, Township 24 S, Range 9 W, N. M. Principle Meridian, has filed notice of intention to Final 5 year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before B. Y. McKeyes, U. S. Court Commissioner, at Deming, N. M., on the 22 day of March, 1910.  
Claimant names as witnesses: Frank Austin, of Deming, N. M. Pablo Ribera, " " Morris Nordhaus, " " William Gordon, " "  
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**Notice for Publication.**  
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Las Cruces, N. M., Jan. 17, 1910.  
Notice is hereby given that Reynold J. Cole of Deming, N. M., who on Aug. 17, 1906, made Homestead Entry No. 0177, for S. E. 1/4 Section 21, Township 24 S, Range 10 W, New Mexico Prin. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described before B. Y. McKeyes, U. S. Court Commissioner, at Deming, N. M., on the 23 day of March, 1910.  
Claimant names as witnesses: Edward M. Chuse, Deming, N. M. David Delong, " " Walter E. Davis, " " Clarence B. Morgan, " "  
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**CONTEST NO. 2302. SERIAL 01188.**  
**Contest Notice.**  
Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, Las Cruces, New Mexico, Feb. 10, 1910.  
A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Hiram B. Strickler, contestant, against D. L. Entry, No. 1561 (01188), made Jan. 23, 1908, for s. w. 1/4 section 23, township 25s, range 10w, Meridian, by Bird Hunt contestee, in which it is alleged that said contestee, has wholly and entirely failed to make the requisite annual expenditure during the second year, after said entry of that is, after the 23d day of January 1909, and before the 23d day of January, 1910, and that the laws have not been complied with during said second year; said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond, and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on April 9th, 1910, before U. S. Commissioner B. Y. McKeyes, Deming, New Mexico; and that final hearing will be held at 10 o'clock a. m. on 19th day of April 1910, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in Las Cruces, New Mexico.  
The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed February 8th, 1910, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice can not be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.  
JOSE GONZALES, Register.  
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**CONTEST NO. 2303. SERIAL 02439.**  
**Contest Notice**  
Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, Las Cruces, N. M. February 10, 1910.  
A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Hiram B. Strickler, contestant, against Homestead Entry, No. 5683 (02439) made January 23, 1908, for s. w. 1/4 Section 14, Township 25s, Range 10w, by Bird Hunt contestee, in which it is alleged that said contestee has wholly abandoned said tract; that he has changed his residence therefrom for more than six months since making said entry, that said tract is not settled upon and cultivated by said party as required by law, said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond, and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on 9th day of April, 1910 before U. S. Com'r. B. Y. McKeyes, at Deming, New Mexico; and that final hearing will be held at 10 o'clock a. m. on 19th day of April, 1910, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in Las Cruces, New Mexico.  
The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed February 8th, 1910, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice can not be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.  
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### DEMING

The county seat of Luna county, the most compact and best-governed county in the territory. Deming is located at the junction of the Southern Pacific, Santa Fe, and El Paso & Southwestern railroads, with branch lines to Silver City and Hanover; these make Deming one of the most important railroad centers in the Southwest. The city of Deming nestles in the center of the beautiful Mimbres valley, surrounded on all sides by scenic, picturesque mountains; its pure water, healthfulness, mild climate, alluvial soil, and its progressive, up-to-date citizens make it an ideal location for homes. Deming is the center of the largest cattle shipping industry anywhere in the South west, there being 100,000 head shipped East from this city annually. It is also the center of a great gold, silver, copper, lead, and iron district. Deming has a splendid electric light and telephone system now in operation, a large ice plant and many other smaller industries. It has two good, safe, substantial banks, two prosperous newspapers and all other lines of mercantile business are well represented. Luna county has an underground flow of pure water, which can be tapped at a depth of ten to fifty feet, and an abundance of water raised economically for irrigation purposes anywhere within a radius of fifty miles square. One has only to visit some of the gardens and truck farms to be convinced of the wonderful productiveness of nearly everything that grows in the ground. Surrounded by an extensive, but as yet little developed, mining country, Deming has a city hall, churches of all denominations, excellent schools, water works, electric lights and all the modern requirements of an Eastern city. The altitude is 4,300 feet, and the average temperature about 70. Population about 8000.—New Mexico Official Directory, 1910.