

Gun Collectors News

NEW MEXICO GUN COLLECTORS ASSOCIATION SEPT / OCT 2013

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NMGCA
Membership Dues:

Annual renewal for
regular members,
under age 62, is
\$35.00.
Renewal for spouse:
\$15.00.

Annual Renewal for
senior members,
over age 61, is
\$30.00.
Renewal for senior
spouse is \$10.00.

59th
Anniversary

GUN, SWORD & KNIFE SHOW

Buy, Sell, Trade & Browse
Over 400 Tables
October 5th & 6th
EXPO NEW MEXICO
(New Mexico State Fairgrounds)
Manuel Lujan Buildings A & B
Central Ave. & San Pedro
Albuquerque

8 ft. Table \$80.00 (Member \$70.00)
Cost for electrical hook up is extra

For Table Reservations, Contact Our Show Host:

NMGCA Show Host, P.O. Box 13687, Albuquerque, NM 87192.
Ph. 505-262-1350. Email: newmexicogca@aol.com.

Set-Up (Table Holders Only) Fri 12:00 Noon - 8:00 pm, Sat. 8:00 - 9:00 am.

Open to Public: Sat 9:00 am to 5:00 pm, Sun. 9:00 am to 4:00 pm.

Admission: General admission: \$7.00. Children under 12 - Free with Adult
NRA Members with Card \$6.00. Uniformed Law Enforcement Officers - Free.
Active Duty Military with ID and Law Enforcement Officers with Badge or
Commission Card \$2.00. NMGCA members Free
Under 18 must be accompanied by adult, I.D. required.

No Alcohol, No Smoking, and No Dogs.

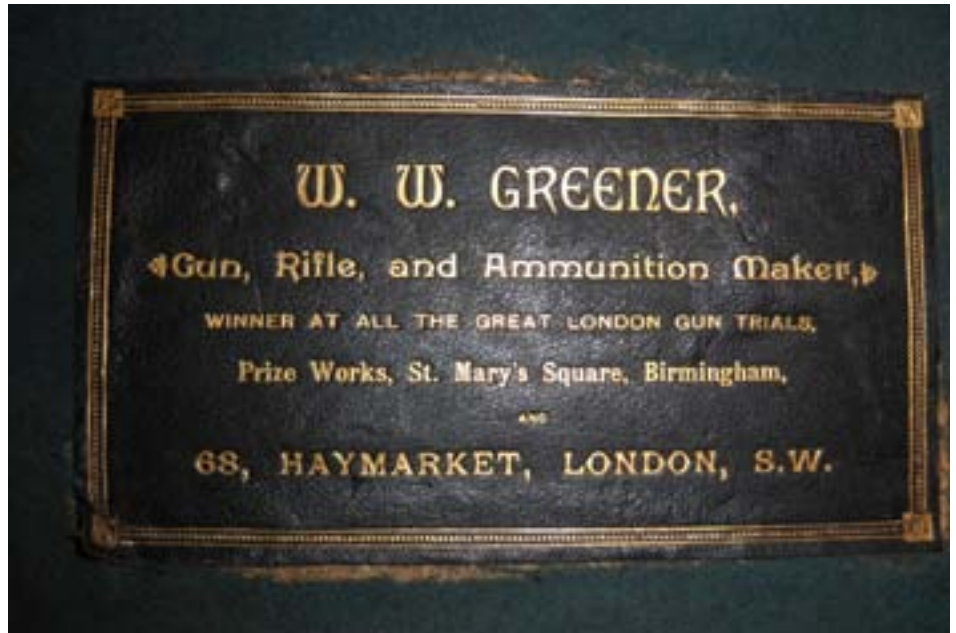
When Going Greener IS Better

There is much ado today about going greener: saving power, saving water, saving the rain forests, saving all sorts of things (except perhaps money). However, there is one aspect of "going Greener" that most of us can agree is one heck of a great idea.

Five generations of the Greener family and a team of the very best craftsmen have been making the finest shot guns and rifles since 1829. Founded by William Greener and made famous by his son William Wellington Greener, the company continues to make exceptional English guns.

For those of you who think that John Wayne was the "Great American Hero" there is a line from the movie Big Jake that pretty well tells it all in relation to this great firearm company. After his grandson is abducted by the arch villain (played by Richard Boone) and his gang, Big Jake returns home to his estranged wife, Martha (played by Maureen O'Hara). After making plans to pursue the gang of cutthroats he asks "Martha, did you bring my Greeners?" Enough said.

The photo accompanying this article is of a custom cased take-down .22 Long Rifle made by W. W. Greener Company. Despite owning several other Martini Action rifles, from a .17 (from a necked-down .218 Bee) to the original massive .577/450, this is the pride and joy of this collection.



New Vendors Needed Special Rate Offered

The NMGCA has been offering new vendors a special table rate for 2013 shows. If you have never been an NMGCA show vendor (or haven't been a vendor in at least in the last 10 years) you are invited to take advantage of our "New Ven-

dor" table rate for our October 2013 show.

The NMGCA is offering one discount table to new vendors at the introductory rate of \$25.00. (Additional tables would be at the normal member or non-member

rates per table.)

Contact us at newmexicogca@aol.com or call us at 505-262-1350. You can also reach us by mail at P.O. Box 13687, Albuquerque, NM 87193. We look forward to hearing from you.



Volunteers Needed For October Show

The NMGCA has a vital need for volunteers at the October Gun Show. If you can spare a few hours during the Gun Show week-end, please call 505-262-1350 for more information about how you can help out. We would welcome your support!

THANKS TO THE SHOW HOST AND CREW AND TO ALL WHO HELPED MAKE THE OLD WEST COLLECTIBLE AND MILITARY SHOW A SUCCESS.



NMGCA Web Site

New information is being added frequently to the NMGCA Web Site. Please check the Web site, www.nmgca.net, for mini show schedules, current copies of newsletters, and gun show table applications and table layouts.



Southwest Collectibles, Vintage Military Displays, Long Horn Steers, and Live Music made for an outstanding Show.



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2013 SHOW CALENDAR GUN SHOWS

October 5th and 6th

MINI SHOWS*

October 23rd

*Mini Shows are free and open to the public.

New Location for Mini Shows: The NMGCA Mini Shows for 2013 will be held at the Quality Inn and Suites, 25 Hotel Circle (close to Lomas and Eubank).

Get 2014 NMGCA Cards At Oct Show

We plan to have NMGCA 2014 membership cards available at the October show. Membership in NMGCA is based on a calendar year. The NMGCA Board of Directors has approved a "grace period" until January 31st of the year in which the dues are owed.

If you are a member in good standing but haven't renewed your membership by January 31, 2014, your name will (regrettably) be dropped from our membership rolls. Persons wishing to continue their membership in the NMGCA must re-apply as "new members" and enclose the additional money requested of new applicants. We look forward to your continued support of the NMGCA and your respect of the member requirements.