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HAROLD DYE, Managing Editor

## A CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

By all means Hagerman should have an active Chamber of Commerce. Such an organization composed of the business men of a town can exert a tremendous influence in its development. These men should meet together at least once each month to discuss problems of civic interest. Think of the towns which you have known. How many of them grew and prospered as towns, without having aggressive Chambers of Commerce? In the northern part of the state there is a town of large proportions which is so dead it should be buried. It is located in a part of the state rich in natural attractions. With the proper interest shown by a live civic club the town should develop into a city. It is one of the oldest towns in the southwest and there is absolutely no reason for its lethargy outside of the reason that its Chamber of Commerce is not functioning.

Why cannot we have a Chamber of Commerce here? Why should you business men put out the effort that you do toward building a stable business and yet neglect one of your most valuable assets—namely, co-operative effort in the building of the town? We have heard a number of Texas people signify their intentions to move into the valley next year. Follow up letters should be sent to them showing them the exceptional advantages of Hagerman. Such letters to be effective should be backed up by the names of established business men and farmers near Hagerman. They should bear the letter head of a Chamber of Commerce that is on its toes. Such a movement could not fail to attract the best class of people.

## THE GROWTH OF A TOWN

There are several ways a town can grow other than by building a lot of new houses and business blocks. A community revival is not necessarily predicted upon the selling of lots.

A town can grow where there is a new appreciation of its resources and possibilities on the part of its citizens.

A town can grow when there is shown a more co-operative spirit to boost.

A town can grow when its forces of education, culture and morality bear fruit in well doing.

A town can grow when business is placed upon a fair level of competition, when greater service is rendered the consumers and a more thorough method is used to establish greater patronage.

A town can grow when there is more neighborliness more get together meetings, more genuine friendship backed by action.

A town can grow when it becomes cleaner in physical aspect; when paint, soap, rake, broom and mop are applied literally.

A town can grow when motorists are more careful and courteous, and when there is a more devoted attitude shown toward law and order.

A town can grow when its youth is given opportunity for wholesome expression of the instincts common to them, and when adequate facilities are provided for the direction of their talents and ambitions.

A town can grow when its institutions are supported and when its people are consciously active to prove their loyalty to home trade and home business—Alamogordo Advertiser.

## THE PASSING OF THE GOOD OLD DAYS

It has not been many years ago since it was no uncommon occurrence for a man to hitch the team to a wagon or surry, take all of the family and go spend the day with a neighbor or a kinsman. With the passing of the more primitive mode of travel, these days seem to have passed. Perhaps it is because most of us can go quickly, the reason we no longer make an extended visit or none at all.

Clubs, lodges and various organization appear to have replaced the old time visits and furnish the opportunity for social intermingling, which man craves. We sometimes hear the old timers bemoaning the passing of the good old days.

Now if a man is so minded he can spend practically all of his time with his clubs and various organizations, leaving little time to spend at home with his family.

## IT'S HIS TURN TO LAUGH

The life insurance salesman is the butt for a good many jibes and jokes. Some of them he deserves, most of them he does not; but anyhow, it occurs to us that it is the life insurance salesman's turn to laugh now.

A survey just made by the Association of Life Insurance Presidents shows that life insurance in force in the United States passed beyond the \$10,000,000,000 mark this summer, with policy holder numbers more than 65,000,000. The amount of insurance now in force is practically double what it was six years ago.

Those figures are impressive. They speak volumes about the prosperity and thrift of the average American—but they also speak volumes about the sales ability of the average life insurance salesman—Amarillo News.

# The Town Doctor

(The Doctor of Towns)

ON  
BUSINESS GOES WHERE IT IS INVITED

Merchants who bewail the fact that "business isn't what it used to be," yet fail to refuse to profit by the example of those with whom business is better than it used to be, have no "business" to complain if their business goes elsewhere.

Merchants who spend time crying about new or outside firms taking their business away from them, but shut their eyes to the very evident cause and reason for it, can't blame anyone but themselves if their business goes "floey."

If business isn't good with you, "beefing" about it all the time won't improve it. Who wants to do business with a constant calamity howler anyhow?

Business is good—there is more business to-day than there ever was—the only difference is there are more and keener concerns after it.

Everybody knows that—your customers included. If you are not getting the business, it's not your customers' fault.

You can get the business if you will rid yourself of old superstitions and prejudices; if you will take away the nickel you are holding so close to your eyes that you can't see the ten dollar bills on the other side of it; if you will recognize that modern buyers don't and won't do business with old-fashioned sellers, unless they have to—and then do something about it, instead of standing around, wringing your hands and crying about it. If you don't invite the people to do business with you, don't give them, consistently and persistently, every reason why they should do business with you, you surely won't get their business, but the fellow that does, will.

Now, you don't have to do this—its your business and you can run it to suit yourself, but if you won't do it, don't blame anything or anybody but yourself if your business goes on the rocks and your customers forget you.

Don't get sore at your newspaper, either, if it accepts outside advertising copy. If you don't want the business bad enough to ask for it, don't kick if others, who know how to sell, ask for it, and get it.

## GOVERNOR DILLON'S REPLY

When asked to make a comment on the Santa Fe county grand jury report with reference to the highway scandal, Governor Dillon did not make an immediate reply. His answer to those who have seen fit to criticize him for his silence is rather interesting. Governor Dillon like most everybody who is familiar with the workings of a grand jury, realizes that the findings of the body depends largely on the diligence of the district attorney, or what ever officer may be empowered to direct the investigation and get the facts. The investigating attorney who may be unduly prejudiced can and oftentimes does influence the findings of the jury. It would therefore be manifestly unfair to condemn a man on a grand jury report alone.

In making his reply, Governor Dillon says in part: "From time immemorial it has been the practice of grand juries at the conclusion of their duties to adopt resolutions and make reports on a variety of subjects. So long as this worked no injustice, they were tolerated. When the integrity of an individual is impugned, and he is publicly censured, without any opportunity to answer, he is justified in appealing to the court to rectify the wrong. A grand jury, under the guise of a presentment, must not be permitted to attack the good name of a citizen. It is unquestionably true that the public mind is impressed by the utterances of such a body. It is a grave matter to charge a public official with misconduct in office. The consequences may be very serious. In this case it cannot be seriously disputed that the emanations of the grand jury reflect on the petitioner's integrity. His official conduct is criticized, his motives are impugned, and he is held out as deserving of chastisement and reprobation. Even a grand jury should not attack with impunity the character of a citizen. Many a man of good repute in the world's ear may have his reputation blasted in this manner."

The Santa Fe county grand jury report indicates that Mr. Charles Springer and Mr. W. C. Davidson had knowledge of certain alleged offenses committed by the said Frank Quinn and on this ground I am asked to dismiss these officers. No attempt is made in the report to show that the said Messrs. Springer and Davidson are guilty of incompetency, neglect of duty or malfeasance in office.

The Highway Commission is named by the Governor and confirmed by the state senate and the commission selects the highway engineer and has power to dismiss him if they deem it advisable.

To remove any public official upon such suggestion as given in the report under discussion is a serious matter. Removal under any circumstances would reflect discredit upon these officials forever after, and tend to ruin their reputation for all time. It has never, to my knowledge, been charged by anyone that Mr. Springer or Mr. Davidson are incompetent, neglectful of duty or guilty of malfeasance in office; on the contrary they have the reputation far and wide of being the best road builders in the entire southwest. Mr. Davidson is an engineer. To openly discredit and disgrace him by removal from office, without cause, might deprive him of his means of earning a livelihood. Both Mr. Springer and Mr. Davidson, as far as I know or have ever heard, are men of great ability, high standing and clean reputations, private and public. To openly discredit them and perhaps ultimately ruin their good names by summary dismissal upon charges that have not been proven is something that I shall never do.

Our State Constitution contains the following paragraph on the distribution of government powers:

The governor is the legal head of the executive department and upon him alone rests the responsibility for his actions. After careful deliberation and study, the above is my decision.

R. C. DILLON, Governor.

Folks who travel over the highway which will soon be oiled should do so with care, at least until the oiling operations are finished. Much of the road is in such a shape that travel is slow. Dust is proving a menace and has been responsible for one or two wrecks that we have heard of recently.

# COMMON SCHOOLS GET 30 PER CENT OF OIL ROYALTY STATE LANDS

In discussing the oil royalties from state lands in the current tax payers bulletin, former Governor H. J. Hagerman says in part:

"The total amount of royalties paid to the state up to date (from June 1925 to August 1929) is, according to the records in the land office \$508,468.89 about 30 per cent of which has gone into the common school funds and most of the balance to the university. Practically all of this is from the wells in the Artesia field and nearly all of the royalty payments are now being made by the Continental Oil Co., which controls the refinery at Artesia. There are over a hundred small producing wells in this field and the production is apparently prorated between them, each well producing only a few days continuously.

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PARAMOUNT'S GIGANTIC SUPER MYSTERY  
**"CANARY MURDER CASE"**

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 13  
VENGEANCE? FEAR? JEALOUSY?  
ROBBERY?  
WHICH IS THE MOTIVE IN THIS  
GREAT PICTURE?  
SHOW 7:30 PRICES 10-35c

# THE BOBCAT

PUBLISHED WEEKLY BY MEMBERS OF THE SENIOR CLASS  
STAFF

EDITOR: BARNETT  
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ESSIE GEORGE

## CHAPEL

Mr. White made announcements concerning the changes that will be made in the school place. One of the announcements was that the board had ordered that the orchestra was to be changed to the music room. Mr. White then called on Reverend Mr. Hill, pastor of the Christian church of this town, to say a few words and to be the speaker of the morning. Mr. Luce, who is going to give a series of evangelistic services at the First Christian church beginning next Monday.

would like to read it.

## AN INTERESTING PERSON

While I was visiting my grandmother in a small village in the south I met a very interesting person. This person sat in the corner of the village store on a three legged stool. He was a little man with a long grey and black beard. His face was long and wrinkled with eyes of soft grey that sometimes had a sad look in them. Everyone in the village seemed to ignore or make fun of him.

One day as I went to the store he started telling the story of his life. I sat down and listened to him. He must have been happy in his younger days but in the latter part of his life he was unhappy. When he finished, everyone laughed loudly and told him he had a good imagination. He smiled but the sad look came into his eyes again.

He told me many interesting tales afterwards, which I may forget, but one thing about my visit I will always remember and that is, the little man who sits in the corner.

The Future Farmers of America organization enjoyed a very delightful evening last Friday evening, meeting at the home of the Sponsor, D. W. Hulet. The early evening was spent in playing various games which terminated in a watermelon feast. This organization hopes to meet once each month. The members of this club are: Royce Lankford, president; Tom Allen, vice-president; Alton Menefee, secretary; Ross Langenegger, treasurer; Tom Utterback, reporter. The other members: Ellsworth Evans, Leroy Evans, Orville Kiper, Kenneth Stine, Campbell Burrell, Billy Jo Burck, Olan Campbell, Pinex Fletcher and Everett Lankford.

## DEPT. ACTIVITIES

The following article is a summary of the work done by the domestic science department during the first month of school.

First a color scheme for the refinishing of the laboratory was drawn. It was decided that the furniture would be painted a light tan, using crettonne with tan background, (black, green, rose and gold predominating), for the curtains, screen, desk and locker. The centers for the glass curtains were to be cream.

The class removed the dark coat of paint on the furniture with varnish remover and lye water. Then they put on a coat of mellotone on them, then a coat of enamel was applied.

After the work on the furniture was completed the girls designed and constructed the curtains, machine covers and the material for the desk, locker and screen.

Having refinished the laboratory the pupils began their first real problem in sewing. This was to make an undergarment. They have done very well with them.

The inspector was very pleased with the pupils work.

We thank the school board for budgeting the department an allowance in order to do this work.

All who are interested in the Home Economics work are cordially invited to visit our class and see what is being accomplished.

WAUNITA EVANS.

Each class in High school should have a class song! Have a song to sing at the ball games, in assembly and everywhere.

Miss Wimberly will gladly help a committee from each class to write a song and fit it to some familiar piece of music or compose your own music. Let's get started as soon as possible.

The sixth, seventh, and eighth grades are organizing a glee club, and are getting real training. High school lets not allow the grades to get ahead of us. We must get started this week if we expect to win honor in the music meet this year. Please get together and see the music director right away.

Is there anyone in school who can sing? Who can read? Or who can play the piano? Can some grade give a play for assembly? Maybe there will be some help from the sixth, seventh, and eighth grade's glee club. All those who can and will help in the chapel programs please let your teacher of Miss Wimberly know. Our chapel is for every one and every student and teacher should try to make it the best.

## WIT AND HUMOR

Miss Richards—Jewel did you wash the fish before you baked it?  
Jewel—No, what's the use of washing a fish that has lived in water all its life.

Some eat and grow fat;  
Some laugh and grow thin,  
If you don't like our jokes,  
Try handing some in.

Definitions as a Junior sees them:

Dust—Mud with the juice squeezed out.

Fan—A thing to brush warm off with.

Snoring—Letting off sleep.

Bacteria—The back door of a cafeteria.

Kenneth Stine has put one over on the self-made man. He remarked in manual training class (to Mr. Hulet) that he would finish his leg to-morrow.

Ross—I just bumped my crazy bone.

She—Just comb your hair right and the bump won't show.

Miss Burt ordered for breakfast one egg well cooked—Waiter brings egg cooked only on one side:

Miss Burt—Waiter, will you please have the egg turned over.

Waiter—Steps into the kitchen and returns immediately with egg turned over. The joke's on Miss Burt.

## STATEMENT OF OWNERSHIP, MANAGEMENT, CIRCULATION, ETC., REQUIRED BY THE ACT OF CONGRESS OF AUGUST 24, 1912.

Of The Messenger Published Weekly at Hagerman, New Mexico, for October 1, 1929.

State of New Mexico, ss.  
County of Chaves

Before me, a Notary public in and for the State and county aforesaid, personally appeared Harold Dye, who, having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the editor of The Messenger and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management (and if a daily paper, the circulation), etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the Act of August 24, 1912, embodied in section 411, Postal Laws and Regulations, printed on the reverse side of this form, to wit:

1. That the names and addresses of the publisher, editor, managing editor, and business managers are:

Publishers, Martin and Blocker, Artesia, N. M., Editor, Harold Dye, Hagerman, N. M. Business Managers, Martin and Blocker.

2. That the owners are: W. C. Martin, Artesia, N. M., and C. R. Blocker, Artesia, N. M.

3. That the known bondholders, mortgagees, and other security holders owning or holding 1 per cent or more of total amount of bonds, mort-

gages, or other securities are: none.

HAROLD DYE,  
Managing Editor.  
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 5th day of October 1929.

R. N. CONNER,  
Notary Public.  
(SEAL)  
My Commission expires January 18, 1933.

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Your choice of Crystal White Soap or P. and G., the White Naptha Soap—

6 Bars .... 23c

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New Crop, Pure Honey—sure is nice as a spread—

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Highway Sugar Corn in the large No. 2 can—

3 Cans ..... 33c

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Highway Brand Seedless Raisins in the four pound packages

Each ..... 33c

### SALT

Morton Iodized Salt in the two pound package—

Package ..... 10c

### CELERY

Large, well bleached crisp Celery—

Bunch ..... 7c

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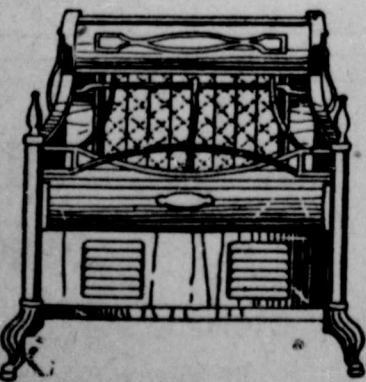
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**ALBERT B. FALL JURY IS SELECTED MONDAY AT WASHINGTON D. C.**

WASHINGTON, D. C.—A jury of seven men and five women was selected Monday to try Albert B. Fall, former interior secretary, on bribery charges growing out of the Elk Hills naval oil reserve lease to Edward L. Doheny.

Apparently bearing in mind the jury shadowing which led to a mistrial in the Sinclair Teapot Dome case, Justice Hitz announced the Fall jury would be locked up.

He said counsel had advised him the trial would take three weeks.

Mrs. Fall and their two daughters were among the spectators and Edward L. Doheny, oil magnate who is charged with giving Fall a \$100,000 bribe, sat inside the rail.

The termination of the present case will decide whether the oil man will be tried on the same charge, as an indictment charging bribery was also returned against him.

Owen J. Robert, of government counsel outlined the case briefly to the panel.

Two jurors were excused after they said they had formed an opinion on the case and a third woman, Mrs. Helen M. Jarboe, took her place in the jury box.

**INSIDE INFORMATION**

Season veal cutlets or chops with lemon juice and Worcestershire sauce as well as salt and pepper, before cooking them.

Do you know leaflet 28, "Lamb as You Like It," which may be obtained free from the U. S. Department of Agriculture contains about a dozen good recipes with illustrations, and a talk on the principles of cooking lamb?

Save your baking powder tins to put left-over cooked cereals in. When these are sliced and fried to a delicate brown they are good to serve with meat in place of other starchy foods. Or serve the fried cereals with sirup, honey, or preserves, as a lunch dish.

Apple betty and other fruit bettys are generally popular with the family and easy to prepare. Mix bread crumbs with enough melted butter to moisten, and place them in alternate layers with fruit, spice and sugar in your baking dish. Serve hot or cold with or without cream or hard sauce or custard.

Whipped cream dressing is especially good with cabbage salad, but it may be used for any summer salad you like. To make it, beat half a pint of heavy whipping cream until stiff. Add 4½ tablespoons lemon juice, 2 tablespoons fresh grated horse-radish, a grating of onion, a few drops of tabasco, and salt to taste. A dash of cayenne pepper may be used instead of tabasco. If the horseradish is in vinegar use only 2 tablespoons of lemon.

Swiss chard is one of the most satisfactory of the green-leaf vegetables available in summer. Trim the leaves from the stalks, and cut the latter into inch pieces. Cook them for about 20 minutes in unsalted boiling water in an uncovered pan. Chop the leaves and add them to the stalks and continue cooking until the stalks are tender. Drain, season with salt, a little pepper, and butter. Serve very hot. An attractive dish can be made by cooking the stalks and leaves of chard separately, making a white sauce for the stalks, and placing the seasoned leaves around the edge of the serving dish. Lemon and vinegar are also liked by many persons as a seasoning for Swiss chard.

**BOND BUYERS IN SANTA FE**

SANTA FE.—Bond buyers from different parts of the United States are gathering in Santa Fe to bid on the \$2,000,000 highway debenture sale to-day.

It seems practically certain that the issue will be sold. The proposed \$3,100,000 issue offered for sale several weeks ago was withdrawn from the market when only one bid, unfavorable, was received.

**FOR READ WANT ADS results**

continued. Prices during March reached the highest point in five years and nearly \$3.00 above the high point of last year.

Those who are growing this hay for market should make every effort to produce high quality hay to meet the growing demand for dairy alfalfa. It is there that the greatest profit lies in growing alfalfa hay.

**HIGH GRADE ALFALFA YIELDS MOST PROFIT**

The market for alfalfa hay is expanding. There is a big demand for this excellent feed. The substitution of alfalfa, or other legume hays, for timothy hay in the forage rations for all kinds of livestock—especially for dairy cattle—has been the important factor in increasing the demand for alfalfa. Experience has shown that alfalfa or other legume hay, is necessary in the rations of high-yielding milk cows.

The alfalfa hay acreage in the surplus alfalfa producing states of the west, including New Mexico, that have produced alfalfa hay as a cash crop for many years, did not change materially in the six year period ending in 1928. Those who buy alfalfa hays are becoming more critical in their demands for quality hay. They are coming more and more to specify those types or qualities of alfalfa that have been shown by test to make the best feed.

Buyers may rest assured that alfalfa of good quality will be delivered when they specify those U. S. grades of alfalfa that are best suited to dairy feeding. Those grades include U. S. No. 1 or 2 extra leafy alfalfa, U. S. No. 1 alfalfa or U. S. No. 2 leafy alfalfa. The shipper should be asked to attach a complete federal hay inspection certificate to the invoice.

Abundant supplies of the top grades of alfalfa are not always available in some years or seasons. Alfalfa buyers should recognize the fact that greater quantities of U. S. No. 2 and No. 3 alfalfa are produced on American farms than of the top grades of alfalfa, and that such grades as U. S. No. 2 green, U. S. No. 2, or U. S. No. 3 leafy alfalfa are important commercial grades representing sound hay of good feeding quality, though not so desirable for dairy feeding as the higher grades.

Alfalfa prices during recent years have been relatively higher than for other classes of hay. The past two crop years, prices of No. 1 alfalfa have been well above those of other hay with the best leafy types bringing substantial premiums over the ordinary grades. This season the general upward trend in alfalfa has

**LAKE ARTHUR ITEMS**  
(Mrs. Ned Hedges, Reporter)

Clyde Nihart delivered a load of honey to the hills this week.

Ned Hedges and Victor Walden who are drilling a well at Weed spent Sunday at home.

J. W. McCall visited his wife, over the week end. Mrs. McCall is teaching at Weed.

J. R. Spence has been seriously ill but at the present writing is reported to be improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Wright Stockley and daughter, Margaret, of Roswell are guests of Mrs. Alma Coe this week.

Mrs. A. M. Hedges left Monday for Lincoln, where she is spending the winter as tutor in the Albert Rue home.

E. C. Latta and family accompanied by their guests from Ohio, motored up to the Ruidoso last week returning Sunday.

Mrs. Glendon Booth and her mother Mrs. Herron, Mrs. H. L. Heasted and Miss Oriol Curtis all of Roswell were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Lane Sunday.

Hessrs. Parks and Le Tarte of El Paso, auditors of the southwestern division of the Mountain States Telephone Co., were attending to business matters here Monday.

Messenger Want Ads Get Results!

**MORE CARE IN COTTON REPORT IS PROMISED**

WASHINGTON, D. C.—The census bureau reported to the senate Monday that additional safeguards would be employed hereafter to prevent a recurrence of an error in the last ginning report which fixed Georgia's ginned cotton at 300,000 more bales than actually existed.

The report explained the error occurred when a clerk placed the wrong figure on the state ginning card, and outlined precautions to prevent errors in the future.

**WILL YOU TELL**  
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**COTTONWOOD ITEMS**  
(Miss Alma Bradley, Reporter)

R. C. Combs and son, Bob were week end guests at the R. R. Smith home.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Terry motored to El Paso Monday returning Wednesday.

Friends from East Grand Plains, were visiting at the Sterrett home last week.

R. R. Smith returned home from a business trip to Brownfield, Texas, Saturday.

Woodrow Wilson spent last week in Albuquerque with his sister, Mrs. H. C. Moorehead.

Mrs. S. C. Smith and daughter Violet, of Dexter were guests at the Rambo home Sunday.

G. C. Robertson and family and Mrs. Robinson's sister and mother who are visiting her from Texas, made a trip to the Carlsbad Caverns Sunday.

The Juniors of the Lake Arthur High school met at the Cottonwood dam Sunday morning for a sunrise breakfast, but as some were delayed in arriving, breakfast was served later. Each Junior invited a friend and among those present were: Minnie Lee Smith, Gerline Flowers, Ruth Mahan, Alma Bradley, Grace Watson, Kermit Southard, Lee Williams and Robert Spence.

**SECRETARY WILBUR STRESSES THE IMPORTANCE OF THE NATIONAL PARKS**

"Visitors to the National Parks," said Ray Lyman Wilbur, Secretary of the Interior, upon his return from the west recently, "have this year increased from 20 to 33 1-3 per cent over last year. Even last year the number approached 3,000,000. So this per centage means that added multitudes have this year gone to these nature playgrounds.

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# Uniform International Sunday School Lesson

REV. F. B. FITZWATER, D. D., Dean  
of the Bible Institute of Chicago,  
Western Newspaper Union

## Lesson for October 13 FITTING FOR THE SAKE OF OTHERS

**Temperance Lesson**  
TEXT—Dan. 1:8-20, 1 Cor.  
10:1-12  
REFLECTION—Know ye not that  
the temple of the Holy Spirit  
which is in you, which ye have  
and ye are not your own, for  
ye are bought with a price; therefore  
glorify God in your body.

**Primary Topic**—Taking Care of  
Others  
**Topic**—Keeping Fit  
**Immediate and Senior Top-  
ics**—Control for the Common Good  
and People and Adult Top-  
ics—Temperance Essential to the High  
Character.

The use of this as a temperance  
lesson must be borne in mind that  
temperance in the sense of self-  
control rather than indulgence in in-  
toxicating liquors.

The self-mastery of Daniel and  
his companions (Dan. 1:8-20)  
The young men were wrenched  
from their homes and country in the  
years of youth and carried as  
captives to a strange land.

Their trials (vv. 5-7)  
The test of conscience (v. 5)  
The appointment of the king, a por-  
tion of the king's meat and wine was  
daily for the captives. This  
contrary to the Jewish customs  
young men could not con-  
science of them. Conscience  
groundwork of human charac-

ter changed name (vv. 6, 7).  
The Hebrews, names were  
of the children which were most  
of them. Daniel means "God is my  
friend." The significance of this name  
of all the problems of life were  
of God for His decision. This  
the secret of Daniel's successful

Their religious life (v. 8).  
They involved their refusal to eat  
and to drink wine. In the case  
of Daniel at least, it also involved his  
fasting three times a day. Daniel  
set in his heart that he would  
defend himself with this food and

Their courtesy (vv. 8-13).  
Daniel seems to have been the  
man for the company. Although  
he was a captive, he did not forget  
his gentleness. He requested that  
his dinner be taken from this meat and  
wine and not to be defiled.

Their triumph (vv. 14-21).  
Their physical health (vv. 14)  
Daniel was made for ten days which  
that they were fairer in coun-  
tenance and fatter in flesh than those  
of the king's meat.

Their mental growth (vv. 17-19).  
Daniel and his companions were  
to be ten times better than their  
fellows in wisdom and understand-  
ing.

Social and political preferment  
of them. They stood before the king  
and their temporal influence  
of them. All were advanced to posi-  
tions of influence, and Daniel became  
prime minister of the nation.

Paul Advises the Corinthians  
of Self-control (1 Cor. 9:19-27)  
The Corinthians were an intemper-  
ate and dissolute people. No city  
of the world perhaps exceeded them in  
of all kinds. The surest and  
effective way to combat vice is  
of a virtuous life.

Paul's own life and example  
of him. He was free from all men, he made  
himself a servant unto all.  
The Isthmian games (vv. 24-27)  
Daniel uses these popular games to  
of the need of self-control.

Life is a race (vv. 24, 25). In  
of a prize there must be  
of definite exertion. The  
of Christ through faith (John 3:16;  
2:21) While he gets salvation  
of the beginning, God places be-  
of definite rewards as incen-  
of the Christian be-  
of life, but works for rewards  
of it is a fight (vv. 26, 27).  
of Christian's efforts are not mere  
of the air. He has a deadly  
of with his carnal nature.

Paul's Advice to Timothy (1  
Tim. 4:7-12)  
of the minister needs to have control of  
of himself. He is urged to exercise him-  
of his godliness. He needs to train  
of for his work as a teacher and  
of minister.

Doing Good  
of good is the only pleasure that  
of wears out.—Confucius.

Putting God Into Your Heart  
of God down into your heart  
of your soul in Him now, make  
of you a temple for the Holy  
of be diligent in good works, make  
of happier and better.—Amiel's

Power and Providence  
of you can contemplate the great  
of astronomy without feeling his  
of littleness and the wonderful  
of the power and providence of  
of God.

# 'Round Home by CHAS. S. KINNISON

## "Knee-Time"

There's a Land of Used-to-Be Time,  
That is radiant and fair,  
Where a little boy at knee-time  
Piles upon me in my chair.  
And my happy arms enfold him,  
While his cheeks are pressed to mine—  
And upon my knee I hold him  
While his eyes with laughter shine!



And as I sit here, a-dreamin',  
In that same old chair, tonight,  
I can see his face a-beamin',  
And his teeth of snowy white.  
I can hear his happy chuckles,  
Sweetest sound in all the lands!  
I can see the dimpled knuckles  
Of his little pudgy hands!

I can see his feet a-swingin'  
As he bounces on my knee,  
And his hands to mine are clingin'  
As we drive away in glee!  
"Git up there, horse!" I say severely,  
While I squeeze his hands and frown;  
Then, we drive until we've nearly  
Reached the place called Sleepy Town.

"Whoa-oa, there, horse!" I now am say-  
ing,  
For the ride is done at last;  
And the Knee-Time years of playing  
With a little boy are past.

Oh, the Land of Use-to-Be Time,  
Where the children still are small!  
Oh, the olden, golden Knee-Time  
That is gone beyond recall!

## Things WORTH KNOWING

Overloading a young horse may  
cause balkiness. Punishing him for  
something he can not do may also  
have the same result.

Sheep probably suffer more from  
parasites than do any other kind of  
livestock. Pasture rotation, use of  
forage crops, feeding from racks or  
bare floors, draining or filling  
swamps and restraining wandering  
dogs are valuable in parasitic control.

The best butter can be made only  
from clean, sweet cream. The better  
the quality of cream delivered, there-  
fore, the better price the creamery  
will be able to pay the producer. Be  
sure the cream that you produce is  
first grade.

High producing cows not only ex-  
cel low producers in production of  
milk and butter fat, but they show  
more economy in utilizing feed. Rec-  
ords of more than 100,000 dairy cows  
compiled by the U. S. Department of  
Agriculture, showed that the cost of  
feed for cows producing 9,000 pounds  
of milk a year per cow was only  
about 40 per cent more than for cows  
producing 4,500 pounds.

The one difficult phase of dahlia  
culture is successful storage of the  
dormant roots. As soon as the tops  
are killed, lift the plants and cut the  
tops off 8 to 12 inches above the  
crown. Let the tubers dry in the air  
for a few hours and store them in a  
frost-free cellar that is not too dry.  
If the cellar is too warm or too dry,  
as is apt to be the case, store the  
roots in barrels filled with dry sand  
or sawdust. Great care should be  
used not to injure the roots in dig-  
ging as decay that starts in a wound  
will soon spread to healthy roots.

If you find small, blackish, white-  
winged ant flying in large numbers  
in your house in fall or spring, do  
not sweep them up and forget about  
them, advises the U. S. Department  
of Agriculture. They may be ter-  
mites, or so-called "white ants" and  
perhaps are destroying the woodwork  
of your home. Leaflet 31-L, recently  
issued by the department, tells how  
to recognize these pests, how to build  
a house so as to keep them out and  
to keep them out if they are already  
in. This leaflet may be obtained free  
from the Department of Agriculture,  
Washington, D. C.

Many Johnson grass meadows in  
the south would be more productive  
if plowed every three or four years,  
says the U. S. Department of Agri-  
culture. When a heavy tonnage of  
hay has been removed annually for  
a period of years, yields are reduced  
and the hay generally contains a  
large percentage of weeds and other  
grasses. Some growers of Johnson  
grass hay plow their meadows each  
fall and sow them in winter oats or  
oats and vetch. Another practice  
is to break or cultivate the meadow  
and plant it in soy beans in the  
spring. This thickens the stand of  
Johnson grass, makes a crop of le-  
gume hay, and increases the tonnage  
of the later cuttings of Johnson grass.

The following don't are given by  
the U. S. Department of Agriculture  
to avoid hog cholera on the farm.

Unless hogs have been immunized  
against the disease, don't allow them  
to run on free range or highways,  
or to have access to canals and ir-  
rigation ditches. If a neighbor has  
hog cholera on his farm, don't visit  
him. Don't drive into hog lots after  
driving on public highways, or use  
the lots for yarding wagons and im-  
plements. Keep new stock away  
from the herd for at least three  
weeks. If hog cholera appears in  
the neighborhood, don't let your dog  
roam around. All dead animals and  
offal from slaughtered livestock  
should be completely burned, or cov-  
ered with quicklime and buried deep.  
Although outbreaks of hog cholera  
may appear in the south at any time  
of year, they are more prevalent in  
the middle west in October and Nov-  
ember than in other months.

**WANTS SPLIT DUCK SEASON**  
The Gallup Game Protective As-  
sociation wants a split duck season  
in New Mexico, says E. L. Perry,  
state game warden. Gallup members  
of the G. P. A. argue that cold  
weather sets in soon after the open-  
ing of duck season October 16th in  
the north part of the state and the  
lakes and streams freeze up, driving  
the ducks south.

"What did you say to the traffic  
officer?"  
"Nothing," answered Mr. Chuggins.  
"When a traffic cop starts to talk,  
I'm no orator. I'm just a good  
listener."—Washington Star.

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## CARL WRIGHT DENIED BAIL IN HEARING AT CARLSBAD FRIDAY P. M.

Carl Wright, held in jail pending  
trial on a charge of murder of A. J.  
Foster of Lakewood, was denied bail  
following a habeas corpus hearing  
held in district court Friday.

Wright has been held without bail  
since his arrest several weeks ago,  
which came after Foster died in a  
hospital in Carlsbad from a fractured  
skull sustained during an alterca-  
tion with Wright.

O. O. Askren of Roswell and C. S.  
Neall represented Wright in the hear-  
ing Friday, and Assistant District  
Attorney James N. Bujac represent-  
ed the state.

After reading testimony heard at  
Wright's preliminary hearing, and  
arguments of attorneys, the court  
denied the habeas corpus petition.

Foster died on August 15. The fight  
in which he was fatally wounded  
when struck with a fence stake, oc-  
curred early August 14 on his ranch  
near Lakewood.

**IN THE PROBATE COURT  
STATE OF NEW MEXICO,  
COUNTY OF CHAVES**

**IN THE MATTER OF THE ES-  
TATE OF C. C. COLE,  
DECEASED.**  
No. 1266.

**NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT  
OF ADMINISTRATOR**

Notice is hereby given that Letters  
of Administration issued to the un-  
dersigned in the above entitled es-  
tate September 25, 1929, and all per-  
sons having claims against the said  
estate are hereby notified that they  
must be presented within one year  
from the above mentioned date or  
will be barred by limitation under  
the laws of the State of New Mex-  
ico.

Dated Roswell, New Mexico, Sep-  
tember 26, 1929.  
J. T. WEST,  
Administrator of the Estate of C.  
C. Cole, deceased. 42-4c

**DEPARTMENT OF THE  
INTERIOR UNITED STATES  
LAND OFFICE**

Las Cruces, N. M., September 3,  
1929.  
Notice is hereby given that the  
State of New Mexico has filed in  
this office its Indemnity School Land  
Selection List No. 9364, serial No.  
040082, for the following land:

E 1/2 SE Sec. 10, T. 17-S., R. 16-E;  
lots 3 & 4, Sec. 30, lot 4, NE 1/4 SW 1/4  
Sec. 31, T. 16-S., R. 17-E; lot 4, Sec.  
34, T. 16-S., R. 16-E; and lot 4, &  
SE 1/4 NW 1/4 Sec. 5, T. 17-S., R. 17-E.

The purpose of this notice is to  
allow all persons claiming the land  
adversely or desiring to show it to  
be mineral in character, an oppor-  
tunity to file their protests against  
the approval of the selection.  
V. B. MAY,  
Register.

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Ed Williams

**TURNING ON THE GAS**

Was working on the radio the other night when it began an awful squawking. Thought that the static was bad, but only had the chair on the cat's tail.

Some folks throw up their hands in horror at the thought of paying a police officer a hundred and twenty-five dollars a month to patrol the Roswell-Dexter highway. However, there is one gentleman who continues to patrol it free of charge. That is Old Man Death. Every now and then he registers an arrest. Some day he's going to arrest YOU if you don't quit blaring it down that road fifty miles an hour. Then you will wish in an instant—if the Old Man gives you time, that you had seen a little of your tax money paid to a real honest to goodness officer of the county, who might not have let you kill your fool self.

Saw the Athletics beat the Cubs in world series game as shown by the Dispatch's score board in Roswell Tuesday. Saw a lot of folks almost faint and get weak at the knees when the Cubs lost. Which all goes to show that too much enthusiasm may get you into trouble. Anytime enthusiasm affects your pocket book and causes you to show your faith by a bunch of kale, look out.

The mayor drank out of a bottle the other night. When he had finished, Mr. Hocus Pocus of the Wizard show took three rats out of it. That wasn't near the surprise some fellows get when they drink out of a bottle.

Say a guy try to run through the new lights in Roswell Tuesday. When the officer called him down, he went off cursing. That's the way with us critters. We pay a man to keep law and order in our midst so we won't get killed or kill somebody, and then when he does just what we pay him to do, we get sore. Maybe,

**MEXICAN IS KILLED IN A CAR WRECK NEAR SOUTH SPRINGS SUN.**

Saitos Flores was instantly killed and Henry Loftus was seriously injured in an automobile wreck at South Springs, five miles south of Roswell Sunday night. Manuel Paridez and Leonia Hinojos, who were with Flores at the time, escaped only minor injuries.

The cars struck head on, according to officers, who made a complete investigation of the wreck. Loftus was coming north and Flores and companions were traveling south. The wreck occurred at 6:15 Sunday night.

Loftus was in St. Mary's hospital Monday morning, the extent of his injuries not having been definitely determined at this time. Both cars were completely demolished, wreckage being scattered for more than 100 feet in every direction.

Sheriff Thorne announced Monday morning that liquor had entered into this case and a criminal charge would be filed soon.

A piece of metal was driven into Flores head just between the eyes and he is believed to have died instantly. — Roswell Record.

though, we pay him just to keep the other fellow on the straight and narrow way.

Ford has to stop—out of gas.

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**EPWORTH LEAGUE PROGRAM**

October 13, 1929.  
Leader—Eloise Wurtsel.  
Song—No. 29.  
Scripture Lesson—Varna West.  
Song—No. 190.  
Lords Prayer.  
Talk—"How Are We Saved?"  
By Evelyn Lang.  
Talk—"Are We Willing To Be Saved?"  
by Joyce West  
Talk—"From What Are We Saved?"  
by Mayre McIntosh.  
Song—No. 103.  
League Benediction.

**THE CHRISTIAN CHURCH**

Next Sunday morning, October 13, is "rally day" for the Bible school. We are expecting a large attendance. Let every member of our church and school be present and let everyone, who possibly can bring some one with them. There are numbers of boys and girls in Hagerman and surrounding country who are not attending any Sunday school.

Then our revival meeting is to begin next Sunday. There will be preaching both morning and evening by the pastor. Dr. A. W. Luce, pastor of the First Christian church at Roswell will do the preaching in a series of meetings, which we are hoping will prove of great value, not only to our own church, but to the entire community. Rev. Luce is a great preacher and a most interesting speaker. On next Monday night October 14, he will use his fine stereopticon and show the wonderful pictures of the great movie drama, "The King of Kings." Don't miss these pictures. He only has the use of these slides for the one night. He is to be with us every night for at least two weeks and his sermons are to be illustrated each evening by beautiful stereopticon pictures.

It has been two years since our church conducted a series of revival meetings. These, the people of our community will remember, were very interesting and successful. We are sure that the meetings to be conducted by Dr. Luce will prove no less so. We very much desire the cooperation and support of all the Christian forces of Hagerman in this special effort and most cordially invite everybody to hear Dr. Luce next Monday night, and each successive night during the continuance of these special meetings. We are planning to make these meetings educational, deeply spiritual and helpful to everybody. We crave, not only your attendance, but your prayers, that God will bless this work to the good of all.

C. C. HILL, Pastor.

**HIGH LEAGUE**

7:30 p. m. Methodist church.  
Leader—Joyce Watford.  
Song—"I walk with the King."  
Scripture lesson—Maggie Burrell  
Song—"Forward."  
Special song—Martha Carter, June Jacobs, Ruth Wiggins, Nadine Mann. Offering and announcements.  
Reports from reading during week.  
Song—"Give Me Thy Heart."  
Talk—Christ's Sayings as Literature  
Poem—A Ballad of Trees and the Master  
League pep songs.  
League benediction.

**BAPTIST Y. W. A.**

The Baptist Young Woman's Auxiliary met and organized Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Harold Dye. At a short business meeting the following officers were elected: President, Vera Goodwin; vice-president, Eldra Dye; secretary-treasurer, Jewel Barnett; leader, Mrs. Harold Dye; reporter, Viva Owens; chairman of program committee, Florence Lankford.

This young Women's organization expects to render service to the church and also to have a lot of good times in the future. Meetings will be held every Wednesday night. The next meeting will be held in the home of Vera Goodwin.

**B. Y. P. U.**

Sunday night, October 13, 1929.  
Subject: "The Sin Question—Studies in Psalms 32 and 51."

The new quarter started off with a bang last Sunday night. There were 53 at B. Y. P. U., that heard the "Christian Service Examination, which was taken by six people.

After taking the examination we are going to study the sin question. To get in touch with this subject read Psalms 32 and 51 also the book of Ephesians.

The program will be rendered by group No. 1, with Ellsworth Evans in charge.

- Introduction—Ellsworth Evans
- 1. David's Great Sin—Everett Lankford.
- 2. David confesses his sin—Jewel Barnett.
- 3. David's Joy in the Sense of Pardon—Viva Owens
- 4. Cleansing From Sin a Preparation For Service—Essie Keith
- 5. Sins That Threaten Young Christians To-day—Crystal Harris
- 6. How To Avoid Sin—Royce Lankford.

Hear this great question discussed by the young people then you will know what threatens the young Christian to-day and how to avoid

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For Juniors

**SIN.**

Follow the crowd and the young people then you will meet your friends at B. Y. P. U. at 7:00 p. m., Sunday night.

RAY LANKFORD, Pres.

**METHODIST CHURCH**

Sunday school 9:45 a. m.  
John Campbell will have charge in the absence of Mr. Paddock. Come out and keep up the Sunday school program.

At 7:30 p. m., the Epworth League will have charge of the worship service. Support the Leaguers while the pastor is gone. There will be no services at the 11:00 o'clock hour and the membership is encouraged to worship at the other churches of the community.

BRYAN HALL, Pastor.

**THE EPWORTH LEAGUE**

There will be no League next Sunday night on account of the absence of the pastor, Rev. Bryan Hall. The Epworth League will have charge of the church service at 7:30 p. m.

**PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

The rally day exercises were well attended last Sunday morning in the Sunday school and church services and gave a good start to the fall and winter work. The choir, under the direction of Mrs. Sam McKinstry sang an excellent anthem and E. O. Moore a solo that was greatly appreciated. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cumpsten were down from Vaughn and helped acceptably in the music. The Endeavor in the evening was led by Bertie Downs. Next Sunday morning will be the regular communion service of the church. The evening service, if the congregation so desires, will be dismissed for the beginning evangelistic service in the Christian church. The Sunday school and Endeavor societies will meet at the usual hours. Last Sunday's Sunday school offering was for the Board of Christian Education. The God-given right of children of Christian households to be included in the covenant of grace was recognized in the baptism of three infants.

**COTTON SEED CAKE FOR ELK**

Three carloads or 120 tons of cotton seed cake have been shipped into the Jackson Hole area by the State Game and Fish Commission, to be used in the feeding of elk in that vicinity during the coming months. —Wyoming Paper.

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**DEXTER NEWS**

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**GARAGE CHANGES HANDS**

N. P. Dale has purchased the garage just south of the Dexter Service Station from W. C. Pritchard, the new owner has taken possession, and we wish him much success and prosperity in this new business venture.

**RECEIVED RANK AS CAPTAIN**

W. T. Marx, Dexter's efficient mail carrier, just recently received the promotion as captain in the A. G. Reserve.

**SCHOOL NOTES**

The chapel program given last Monday morning under the direction of Miss Alma Thompson, supervisor of the music department in the Dexter school, was very entertaining. Dr. Clark, had the proper medicine to make you tall and thin or short and fat, just as your fancy might desire. Agnes McMains was a scream as a little hunch back, and the pipe organ recital was clever and original.

Miss Edith Jones, head of the English department, will have charge of the program for chapel on next Monday morning and Rev. Atwood, of Roswell will speak at this meeting, the hour is 10:30 a. m. and everyone is invited. Rev. Atwood is one of the most eminent pastors to have a charge in Roswell, coming to the valley for health reasons, Dexter is most fortunate in having the honor of his speaking at this time.

**ROSWELL MAN DROPS DEAD**

Bob Fuhrman, well known Roswell resident died of heart failure in El Paso Friday. Mr. Fuhrman fell on the pavement in an alley and was rushed to the emergency hospital. He died within ten minutes after he fell.

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