# THE MESSENGER

Hagerman-Where the spring with healing in its waters is located.

AGRICULTURE CLASS

STAGE POULTRY SHOW

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## HAGERMAN, CHAVES COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 1931.

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MAN PURCHASES JENKS FAMILY WILL LEAVE STATE—PUBLIC FIRE EQUIPMENT SALE ON MARCH FIFTH Thursday, March 5th, W. F. Jenks and son, C. F. Jenks are offering a Jui FOR FIRES NOW

complete set of farming implements, a number of livestock and some household goods, at a public sale to an has less to fear from es of fire now, because a mile and a half southeast of Artesia. ick was purchased Tues-W. F. Jenks has recently sold the he C. and C. Garage, and 160 acre farm to R. L. Paris, of

issue.

still owns.

itted up with first class ratus. truck is a Chevrolet Six replace "Henry's Pride" and " en service at various ngs of fires for the last eight

minute fire equipment lered, but the parts have nd \$294 For several weeks, the has been occupied with of satisfactorily modr fire fighting machinery m of expense. The need ate protection along this been felt for some time. the time the old fire

odel "T," could be cranked ould be out. aty about the new truck geta

has a sure fire "com-However, it is hoped that nitiation of the new apbe postponed for a long that the new truck won't started

## LIAN PARTRIDGES

of Hungarian partridges from Austria Hungary, sed February 19th, on the att farm in the game reame Commissioner W. A.

the first time that this fowl has ever been Mexico They were inseveral years ago on the side of the mountains in nd Washington, and those w enjoy open hunting sea-ne birds at a certain time er. They multiply very

arian partridge is about fence. rge as the Bob White sembles it very much in

pairs of the birds are in Carlsbad for release Farm at Yardley, Pa. at a 9.00 per pair.

nn has been confined to or several days with sick-

## DEXTER NEWS .:

Dexter is having new water mains installed.

Dexter Friday on business.

Bob Crosby of Roswell, was in Dexter on business Friday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Neal and Artesia, hence the public sale. See family attended the show at Artesia their announcement elsewhere in this Sunday afternoon.

The Artesia community regrets to Messrs Edwards, Phillips and Fleetlose the Jenks family and the famhart, of Chicago were in Dexter Satily are just as loathe to leave the urday morning on business. friendship ties made here. W. F. Jenks and family, by the way have

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Allred were been interested in New Mexico for in Dexter Tuesday afternon from more than twenty-five years and are their ranch, west of Dexter. among the pioneers of the state, first entering northwest New Mex-ico in the Indian service. Later Mr.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bixler, are the house guests of their father and Jenks moved his family to the farm mother, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Knight. in 1918. Mr. Jenks is a pioneer of both New Mexico and Oklahoma. He C.

N. Moore returned Tuesday was with the first rush of settlers from State College and Santa Fe, that crossed the Oklahoma border. after Indian Territory was admitted last Friday. to statehood and secured a piece of property near Shawnee, which he

The new manse of the Presbyterian be most comfortable.

Oscar Kunkel sold and shipped a These calves had been on the Kunkel numbers each evening. P. N. Alfarm for the past two months.

Mrs. Meade of El Paso, arrived ters.

imer's car escaped damage.

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On second thought, I had better leave the women out of this discussion, because I absolutely cannot get along with any of them-not even lley next spring. The part- my own. A few days ago a lady are obtained from MacKen- called yours truly over the phone, and the line sizzled and fried with her expletives. I wasn't able to find out what her grievance was because she hung up too quick. I don't even know who she was, but I sure pity her husband. However, if she reads this, said husband is liable to give

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As long as my car doesn't have

## NEEDY WITH FOOD OF HIGH SCHOOL TO Many farmers around Dexter have their spring plowing finished. Some are planting barley, some getting

Ray Bartlett of Artesia was in ready for their spring alfalfa planting and many have their cotton ground broken.

> E. L. Love entertained with a delightful line party at Artesia last Sunday evening. Mr. and Mrs Har-old Crosby of Roswell, Mr. and Mrs. Breeb Hurst, E. L. Love and Mrs. L. B. Hurst were in the party.

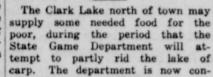
Mr. and Mrs. Bob Reid, Mr. and Ashton and boys, Mrs. Chas. Beck, Mrs. R. C. Reid, Carl Corruthers, Miss Alma Thompson and Miss Avalee Barns attended the show in Artesia Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Pritchard and children will leave Monday or Tuesday for Missouri where they will spend the next three or four months. Mrs. Thompson and Miss Alma where had been on business since Thompson will occupy the Pritchard home until school closes.

Rev. N. L. Linebaugh, presiding church is nearing completion and is elder, of the Methodist church of the tour. surely a nice building, which will Roswell district, is conducting a community revival meeting at the Methodist church in Dexter. Rev. John Klossen of Hope has charge bunch of calves last Monday evening. of the music and there are special

bright is assisting Rev. Klossen with the young peoples services which are held at seven o'clock, the regular Saturday to spend the week with services following these services. Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Krukenmier. Mrs. Rev. Linebaugh is a most entertain-Meade and Mrs. Krukenmier are sis- ing speaker, the music is most pleasing and the whole community is

urged to not only attend these meet-Earl Latimer had a near accident ing, but to come and take an ac-Monday morning, when his car was tive part and help make it one of overturned just this side of the the best meetings ever held in this to the following members present: Fairbanks Filling Station. Mr Lat- vicinity. The meeting will be in progress until March the 9th. Come.



CLARK LAKE MAY BE

MEANS OF SUPPLYING

structing wing walls to the carp traps and once this is done, 700 to 800 pounds of carp may be removed from the lake every week. Saturday the traps were seined under the supervision of the game department and more than 100 pounds of carp

were caught and distributed to the poor thru the efforts of M. W. Mrs. Paul McMains, Mr. and Mrs. Evans. Mr. Evans believes that the lake will yield as much as 10,000 pounds of carp. The carp caught Saturday ranged in size from a pound and a half to five pounds.

It may interest local sportsmen to know that about 300 blue gills were caught in the traps and thrown back in the lake. Apparently all of the blue gills planted in the lake last fall have done well. -Artesia Advocate

Misses Ruth West and Madgie Bell Dozier accompanied Mrs. N. S. West to Roswell Monday, for a shopping



## HOME UNIT NO. 1

The Home Unit club No. 1 met at ricultural room. Friday, at 12:30 o'clock for a breakfast. Hostesses for the day were Mesdames Lloyd Harshey, Aaron Clark and Edmund McKinstry. Breakfast was served at three small tables Mesdames George Wade, Ross Jacobs, value and interest. James McKinstry, Tom McKinstry, welcome to the class. C. O. Holloway, I. B. McCormick,"

Ernest Utterback, Louie Burck, Or- RAIN AND SNOW IN ville Atwood, Grace McNamara, Miss Borschell and the hostesses. Members who came later were: Mesdames Ernest Langenegger, Elmer Graham and Waldron Jacobson. Subject study for the year is, "Buying Problems of the Home." Subject for the day was: "Package Groceries."

## HAGERMAN WOMAN'S CLUB

The Hagerman Woman's club will meet March 6th with Mrs. Howard Russell. It is hoped that all mem-of snow, according to reports. bers will be present.

DINNER BRIDGE

During the second week in March with a tentative date of March 10, the agricultural department of the high school will put on a poultry and egg show. The details of the show will be under the management of the local chapter of the Future Farmers of America.

No entry fee will be charged for either poultry or eggs. Ribbons will be awarded to the winners of first, second and third places in each class. All standard breeds in teh community will have classes provided, and it is hoped that sufficient entry will be made to result in the greatest measure of educational value.

We have been assured that Mr. Ginn, state extension poultryman, will be here to judge the show. Mr. Ginn is an expert judge, and his work here should be most interesting as well as of great value to poultry breeders.

The educational department of the Purina Mills is furnishing entry blanks, score cards, first, second and third place stickers, egg trays and a special Purina knife for the sweepstake prize on the eggs. This splendid co-operation on the part of the Purina people is very much appreciated.

Next Monday and Tuesday nights at 7:30 the poultry classes will be held as usual at the high school ag-The discussion the home of Mrs. O. J. Atwood, on Monday night will be one factor in poultry feeding; and on Tuesday night the discussion will be led by Mr. Hortenstine of the Roswell hatch ery. Mr. Hortenstine is very well informed on poultry problems and is sure to make the evening one of Everyone is

## VALLEY DURING WEEK

Another good rain, intersperced with snow fell here Sunday night and Monday. Moisture fell from Clovis to Carlsbad, with snow from the north valley to Clovis. The snow fall was particularly heavy in the muontains and extended east as far as Hope. Mountain highways were blocked in places and the El Paso-Roswell highway was blocked





**TURNING ON THE GAS** 

This week we are sponsoring a 'paint 'em up" campaign calculated to furnish enough inspiration for everyone in town who is financially able to paint his house, wife or

THE CHURCH OF CHRIST

The Church of Christ meets for

worship every Lord's Day at 10:45.

Elder McGuffin preaches every sec-

ond Sunday. Everyone is invited to

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

Sunday school 10:00 a. m., Rev.

Morning worship 11:00 a. m. Evening service 7:30 p. m. N. Y. P. S. 6:30 p. m.

A revival campaign beginning Sun-

day, March 1st with Rev. Walter

Orr, Rev. George Pierce of Artesia

and the local pastor in charge of the services. We solicit the cooperation of all the pastors and Christian workmen of the town to help us

reach the needy souls of Hager-man. We invite everyone to attend

the services at 7:30 p.m. each evening and prayer meetings in town in any home where one is

BETTY LOU BABB

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Babb are the

parents of a baby girl weighing nine pounds born Saturday morning.

The little daughter has been named Betty Lou. Mother and babe are

Walter Orr, superintendent.

attend these services.

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with the addition of New Hobbs, t will start promptly When tablea. m. Friday morning. Hag-oful d neets Roswell in the first oful of

RIDAY, MARCH 6th o. 1-9:00 a. m. Il versus Hagerman. b. 2-10:00 a. m. ersus Lovington. versus Carlsbad. b. 4—2:00 p. m. versus New Hobbs. MESS 5-3:00 p. m. 5-3:00 p. m. 6-4:00 p. m. 5-4:00 p. m. 5-4:00 p. m. 7-7:30 p. m. 5-7:30 p. m. 5-7:30 p. m. 5-7:30 p. m.

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p. m. . 7 versus winp. m. 9 versus winner

Ops. Note-We heard the parson was gonna get a one lung iron horse to make the neighboring vicinity, so teams will compete in the basketball tournament to be Roswell, March 6 and 7.

after the devil. Picture the sky pilot straddle of his trusty iron horse, lariat in hand, chasin' down and and a showing is the "Ain't that sumpin'."

We notice that a wet snow fell in Hagerman Sunday night. Now

Harold where did you ever see any dry snow? Maybe the dry snow you

saw had been rolled up in balls and hung out till it was dry, but honest we ain't never seen no dry snow down here.

LOCAL

R. Jennings has been confined to his bed for a week with illness. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Rubincam, were

transacting business in Hagerman Friday afternoon. The P. T. A. will meet at the school house on Tuesday afternoon,

March 3rd, at 3:30 p. m. Rev. Bryan Hall returned Saturday from Las Cruces, where he had been engaged in teaching a church train-

turning Sunday morning.

early recovery.

ing school. Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Collins accom-panied the town basketball team to Capitan on Saturday afternoon, re

**GRIZZLE CHIILD DIES** 

doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Curry and Ted Curry, of Artesia left Friday for Las Cruces. Ted is being trans-ferred to the Willard station. Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Cole, received a wire Wednesday morning, from California, that Mrs. Edna Cole had undersone a major operation at the

undergone a major operation at the in Hagerman cemetery.

13 versus loser friends at this place, hope for an Messenger Want Ads pay. Messenger Want Ads pay.

Sunday School Next Sunday last Sunday of contest. It has b the spirit fine. Let next Sunday be the best of all. All out and on time.

**Presbyterian Church** 

To testify the Gospel of the Grace of God

NEXT SUNDAY

Morning Worship \_\_\_\_\_\_11:00 a. m. Subject for the morning: "Full Storehouses and Way Into Them." Special music.

Subject for the Vesper Service: "A Business Man Rejects a Great Invitation." Special music. A good place to spend an hour Sunday afternoon. Come.

JAMES A. HEDGES, Pastor. Mabie-Lowrey Hardware Company will be hosts to the Hagerman high school basketball team in the tournawanted. If you love God and lost souls." let's show it by our actions in these ment, with a dinner. next few days or weeks as it may METHODIST MISSIONARY Yours in the interest of the lost. SOCIETY MEETING We welcome you to all of these services. Come with us and we will The Methodist Missionary Society met in the education building Wed-nesday afternoon with Mrs. Carter do thee good. MARY I. HARTLINE, Pastor. as leader. Subject for the afternoon: "Missionary Aim and Message for the New Day." Talks were made by Miss James, Mrs. Hall, Mrs. Mc-METHODIST CHURCH Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. E. A. Namara. Scripture was read by Mrs. Mann. After the program a short business meeting was held. The Paddock, Superintendent. Morning worship at 11:00 a. subject : "Worship Him in Truth." Union League service 6:15 p. m. in following members were present, Mesdames Mann, Hall, Stine, Cowan,

\_10:00 a. m.

basement. Evening worship at 7:15 p. m. Dr. N. L. Linebaugh will preach and hold our second quarterly conference. Weberse all the time. Carter, Campbell, Bailey, Floto, Wal-ton, Atwood, McNamara, Tom and E. R. McKinstry and Miss James. Mrs. Tom McKinstry was hostess. basement.

hold our second quarterly conference. Welcome all the time. BRYAN HALL, Pastor.

Messenger Want Ads pay. Messenger Want Ads pay.

along very well.

weeks ago.

NEW BABY

Roberts family left here about three

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Oakes are the parents of a baby boy, born Friday. Mother and babe are getting day.

Robert Cumpsten has been doing W. L. Roberts writes from Tupelo, Mississippi that his family is now located there and wants The Messenger sent to that address. The

Messrs and Mesdames Dub Andrus and Clifford Wimberly, in Capitan. excess weight.

and A. L. Nail went to the Bill An-

**REDUCE AUTO LICENSE** AFTER THE FIRST YEAR

SANTA FE-The house of representatives Tuesday afternoon passed the administration measure pro-viding for a reduction of approximately 40 per cent in the license fees of cars in the state after the first year and for five years there-after, when a flat rate is placed in operation. Only two votes were cast against the bill.

The new scale for pessenger cars as provided by the bill does not include taxis and driverless cars. It follows:

First year-\$18 plus \$2 for each 100 pounds or major fraction thereof in excess of 2400 pounds.

Second year-\$15 plus \$1.50 for each 100 pounds or major fraction thereof in excess weight.

Third year-\$12 plus \$1 for each 100 pounds or major fraction thereof

Fourth year-\$7 plus \$1 for each 100 pounds or fraction thereof.

Fifth year-\$5 plus 50 cents for each 100 pounds or major fraction thereof in excess weight.

For motor trucks the rates are: For each truck, if the truck has not been registered during the two years prior to the date of applica-tion, if the weight is 1,600 and 2,400 pounds, \$18 plus \$10 for each 100 pounds or major fraction thereof in excess of the minimum; if the weight is more than 2,400 pounds, \$26 plus \$2 for each 100 pounds or major fraction thereof in excess of 2,400.

When the truck has been register his share toward making this "paint 'em up week" by painting the house owned by Mrs. Lang. \$10 for the first class as described above; \$10 for the second class plus \$1 for each 100 pounds or major fraction Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Wimberly and Mrs. Floyd Childress were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Sears pounds or major fraction thereof.

For taxis the rates are: If not 

days of last week. A wet snow fell Sunday night, but melted quickly Monday morning. Monday continued to be misty, rainy

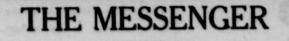
LOCAL

Miss Pearl Richards was confined

to her bed with influenza for several

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. West entertained members of the bridge club and Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Hearn at a dinner bridge last evening at their home, complimentary to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Miller, who left to-day for Carlsbad to make their future home.

## WILL ENTERTAIN BOYS



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> MARTIN & BLOCKER, Publishers **TELEPHONE 17**

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SUBSCRIPTION RATES, PAYABLE IN ADVANCE

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Resolutions of Respect, Obituaries, Cards of Thanks Reading Notices, and Classified Advertising, 8 cents controlling executives realize that advertising is one per line for first insertion, 5 cents per line for sub- race that has no finish line. sequent insertions. Display advertising rates on application

HAROLD DYE, Managing Editor

## SHALL WE HAVE A PARK?

The citizens of Lake Arthur are busy building a park. This little town recognizes the value of a community place of beauty, and is acting wisely in planting trees, shrubs and grass on a plot of ground to be designated as a public park. Dexter has its little community corner with a grassy spot, flowering plants and trees. The people

of that thriving center are taking advantage of the opportunity to make their town beautiful.

What has Hagerman done in this way? Nothing in the nature of a community enterprise. Our town will continue to suffer without it.

## PAINT YOUR HOUSE

The two oldest houses in Hagerman are to-day among the best looking. One of these is the house occupied by Vedder Brown, and the other, the home of Jim King. What is the answer? These houses have been kept painted and repaired. It pays to invest a few dollars in paint. Wind and weather steal dollars from the value of any building which is not protected by a coat of paint.

Besides; think how much prettier your home would be all dolled up. Then, think how much the looks of our town would be improved with every house painted.

"Let us rise and shine," with a paint brush in one hand and bucket of paint in the other.

## THE PERFECT ALIBI

Editors who are driven to near insanity by the futile efforts to keep errors from getting into their papers and readers who take delight in pointing out the occasional mistakes which all newspapers make may now devote their energies to other pursuits. The perfect

## POSSIBILITIES

Albert W. Weigel, domestic trade commissioner of the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce, who visited the various valley towns the past week, presents some interesting figures about southern California. Among the things that we learn is that practically all of the orange groves are irrigated from pumping wells. It should interest Pecos valley farmers to know that California fruit growers have made a success of farming when they had to lift water a greater depth than pumping plants in the Artesian basin. While they can grow citrus fruits and have advantage of a cheap power rate, at one time they labored under a far greater handicap than is found under similar conditions here.

What has brought about success then? Co-operation and adevtrtising. Letting the people know they had something to sell.

## HERE'S GOOD ADVICE

Kenneth M. Goode, noted advertising writer, says, "By far the most important source of waste in advertising is quitting, and this can be charged against

"Even a bad advertisement will come to mean something and be productive if run long enough, while a good advertiser who quits, loses in time probably all he has put into his campaign.

"I honestly believe that the losses sustained by American advertisers who have quit during the past fifty days until next November. If thoryears, total as large as the cost of our participation in the World War." Moral: Don't quit, it costs too much.

## ANOTHER SOURCE OF SUCCESS

Another worthy objective that deserves success and that comes pretty close to home is the present industry, U. S. Department of one that comes pretty close to home is the present Agriculture. campaign undertaken by the wool growers of the state

to encourage the public to eat more mutton. Mutton The viability of alfalfa seed is is really a palatable dish. It provides another source clearly shown by its appearance. of revenue for the sheepmen when the price of wool is so low. The public has responded generously to the slogan of "Eat More Lamb," and have added an-well, whereas shriveled seeds or other item to their menu.

"Save the Surface and You Save All," is a good slogan. But one may be pardoned if he wonders if it ever sold very much paint. There are a lot of things the public doesn't know about paint that might be told with profit. "Say It With Flowers" is another catchy slogan. But how many flowers has it sold? Person-ature of about 70° F. After 5 or ally, neither of these slogans has even had the slightest effect in making us want to buy either paint or flowers. A lot of other catchy advertising ideas are equally open to question. Place a litter of frolicsome pups in a show window and the sidewalk will be thronged with people all of the time. There will be an endless amount of comment. But how much merchandise

will such an exhibit sell? How many people will be attracted to spend money in that store by such an exhibit? A druggist friend of ours had a display of mud turtles in his window several days last summer. Ah wuz goin' to have dem two front He confesses that he cannot trace the sale of a single He confesses that he cannot trace the sale of a single additional sandwich to their presence. Something besides catchy ideas are necessary to make a good advertisement .- United States Publisher and Printer.

JOB PRINTING AT THE MES Year a Indications are that an attempt will be made to abolalibi has been found. A statistician has worked out a ish capital punishment by legislation. Other states Photograph number of chances for mistakes in one column of print. have tried it and we don't know that they have profited The number is 70,000 to one. by it, certainly not from a moral standpoint. When In an ordinary newspaper column there are 10,000 the public has to deal with a gang of criminals, who Is Graciously Received letters of type; there are seven wrong positions that do not hesitate to shoot their victim in the back with It is a token nothing a letter may be put in; there are 70,000 chances to a machine gun, if the opportunity presents itself, surely can surpass make an error, and millions of chances for transposit- deserves no leniency. It is only the fear of the rope McCormick tions. In the short sentence, "to be or not to be," by or the electric chair that deters some of the worst transposition alone, it is possible to make 2,758,009 criminals. Remove this fear and the public would be errors .- The Earth. at the mercy of the criminal more than ever.



Don't leave scattered straw stacks around to breed stable flies. Plow straw under or burn it.

A heavy coat of white lead will protect tree wounds resulting from the removal of large branches. This does not make the wound heal more quickly but protects the heartwood from decay until the new growth develops. Yellow ochre, coal tar, and grafting wax also are used for this purpose.

Copper carbonate is the most satisfactory dust for controlling stinking smut, or bunt, of wheat, says the S. Department of Agriculture no one but the man, or concern, that pays the bill. "No business should start advertising unless the which has tested many fungicides for this disease. Conner chloride for this disease. Copper chloride and copper oxychloride control smut but are too corrosive for general use in drills, the department found.

> Cattle owners in sections where the fever tick is a pest should begin now and dip their cattle every 14 oughly done, this will eradicate the The parasite transmits tick pest. fever, reduces beef and milk production, and ticky cattle can not be shipped interstate. Such cattle usually sell for from one-half cent to 2 cents a pound less than tick-

those of a brownish color usually germinate poorly. Alfalfa seed turns reddish brown with age, and though some viable seed may have this color,

is better not to use such seed without a germination test. This can be made by placing 100 seeds between cloth or blotting paper and 6 days most of the readily viable seeds will sprout, but some remain hard, especially if they are of the variegated varieties. Many of these hard seeds will grow when planted and should be considered in estimating the per cent of germination.

Genesis: "What did yo' wife say hen yo' got in at two las' night?" Exodus: 'She neber say a word.

At Any Time In The

Phone 1342J

## **Triangle Lumber** Dexter, New Mexico PAINT **MESSENGER WANT ADS GET R** WEDDING ANNOUNCEMENTS-THE M

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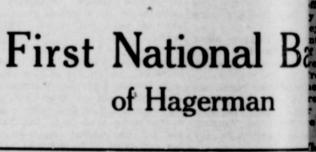
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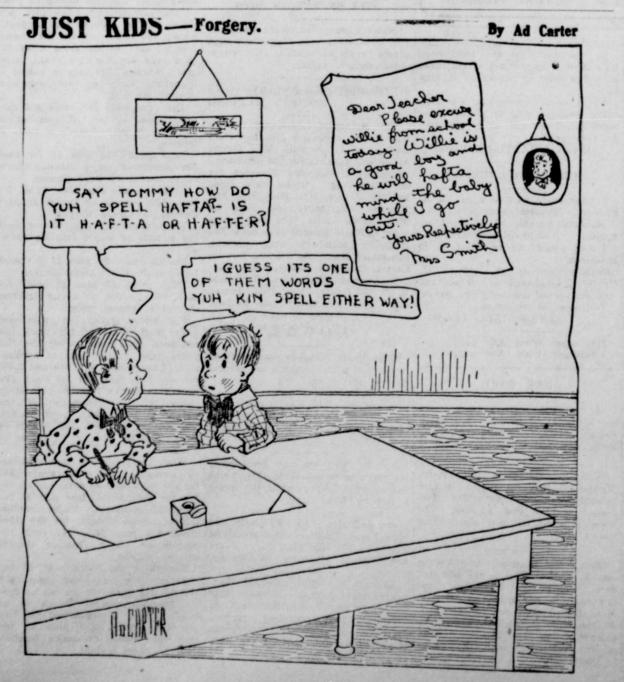
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## CIVILIZATION MAY ADVERTISING - ITS POWER

Here's what Brisbane, noted columnist says about advertising: The people have money and will spend it, even for things not necessary to life, if you advertise with energy.

While some industrial presidents fill pages telling why business is bad and profits down, R. W. Woodruff, president of the Coca-Cola Company, uses only 60 words in a report telling stockholders that business is good, profits up, both exceeding all records.

Business men with sob stories to tell will observe that Mr. Woodruff's company has been advertising more energetically than ever.

Similiarly, George W. Hill, whose success as president of the American Tobacco Company, succeeding his father, has been phenomenal, makes his report of business and profits sound like his own radio song:

"I'm lucky. This is my lucky day.'

Only, of course, there is no luck about it.

Business and profits for his company continue to break records and so do his advertising expenditures. .

"If your business is not worth advertising, advertise it for sale." To retrench on advertising in 'hard times" is false economy.

## Experts Approve of Use

of Color in Kitchen The use of color in home decoration has invaded the field of kitchen equipment, and is becoming a standard recommendation of architectural experts. The general color scheme of a kitchen, however, does not need to take account of "smart trends." In fact, Miss Betty Thornley of Collier's Weekly insists that the kitchen should mirror the personality of the woman who decorated it to suit herself.

"Suppose," writes Miss Thornley, "a woman never gets enough color in ordinary life-how about yellow walls in the kitchen, above a black linoleum floor? The woodwork will be yellow. too, with moldings picked out in red. A yellow kitchen cabinet, red saucepans and teakettle, red oilcloth curtainsand here's where we'll wear white smocks if we feel extravagant or bright blue ones if we don't. A pot of primroses on the window sill will add to the gayety-and don't forget a mirror in a good light, with a shelf below it for a bright red make-up box with powder and all the rest of our

beauty arsenal." But such a kitchen might stun some women, as too colorful. In that case they should consider white walls with dark blue woodwork, blue and white linoleum on the floor, white curtains with red edges, cupboards and kitchen cabinet in blue and white with red inside. Blue pots and pans, or shiny

aluminum. Another colorful kitchen recently installed by a prominent interior dec-

INSIDE INFORMATION WIPE OUT ESKIMOS There are several kinds of salmon Arctic Visitor Says Race and after canning they vary in

Faces Extinction. New York .-- Mrs. Maude Radford Warren, writer and traveler, returned recently from a three months' jour-ney within the Arctic circle, in the northwestern part of Canada with Aklavik as her headquarters. She trav-

eled alone, with the aid of Indian and Eskimo guides, except when she went by airplane, the most comfortable means of travel in the Northwest. Of strong physique and indifferent

to hardships, Mrs. Warren found the life of the frontler villages the "most thrilling adventure" she had known since her work in first ald stations during the war, but does not recom mend the trip to the average woman traveler. "Bulldogs," or moose flies, as big as wasps and twice as voraclous, impaired the pleasure of sleeping out of doors, she confessed.

Influence Wiping Out Race. Mrs. Warren returns an enthusiastic industrial people, but she is alarmed lest they vanish from the Northwest within 50 years. "The Eskimos are dying off in great numbers from the ravages of influenza and other diseases brought in by the white man," she said. "They have learned to eat white man's food instead of the good caribou meat and fish which used to be their chief diet. This summer I saw them eating soggy pancakes covered with syrup three times a day. "The Indians have an arrangement

with the Canadian government by which they 'take treaty,' becoming the wards of the government, and are thus guaranteed against starvation. But the Eskimos, being a more independent race, have no such arrangement. The white man could not survive within the Arctic circle without the Eskimo and the Indian."

Village Life Simple. Mrs. Warren found village life in Aklavik charmingly simple for one who longed to escape the trivialities of modern America, but confessed she would not care to endure it perma-

nently. "In the winter there is no amuse ment at all, not even a pool table, in the entire village," she said. "They read all winter, after their day's work is done. The newspapers are brought in during the summer and they save them, in order, and read them later

day by day. "There are seven nuns in the village and five other white women connected with the Anglican missions. There is also one American woman who runs the restaurant.

"The people in Aklavik prefer the long lonesome winter to the uncertainties of summer, when strangers come poking into their peaceful village, and inspectors and all sorts of officials disturb their routine." Messenger want ads get results

color from bright red to almost white. Children should eat bananas only when they are fully ripe. For cooking, bananas that are still slightly hard may be used.

Always grease an iron with lard or vaseline before putting it away for a long time, or it will rust. To remove rust from an iron, scour it with scouring powder, and rub well with a flannel cloth.

Too much water in a washing machine causes excessive splashing and often reduces the efficiency of the machine. Observe where the water line is, and also be careful not to overload the machine with clothes.

Three-cornered wire sink baskets make good receptacles for dusty and oily cloths in the cleaning closet, as admirer of the Eskimo, a cheerful and they permit the circulation of air and reduce the danger of fire. They take up very little space in a small closet.

> Always iron with the thread of the goods and iron until the garment is dry. Otherwise it will pucker. To remove the shiny gloss on seams, tucks, or hems, moisten a piece of soft cloth in clear water, wring it dry, and wipe it quickly over the shiny surface.

Do not add water when roasting meat. Sear the roast at a high temperature, then reduce the heat and cook 15 to 20 minutes to the pound. Better still, use a roast meat thermometer, which tells exactly when the meat is rare, medium or well-done.

The right height for the kitchen sink depends on the height, length of arm and general build of the person who is to use it. Thirty-six inches from the rim to the floor is often given as a good average height. If the sink is too low, a flat box or block may be used on which to set the dish pan while working at the sink.

In making fruit salad, cut the fruit in small, shapely pieces. Do not stir them about or they will look mushy and unattractive. Any sorts of fruit that combine well may be used, depending on the season. Fruits for salad are not sweetened; those for fruit cup, used as an appetiser or dessert, usually have a little sug-ar sprinkled over them before serving time.

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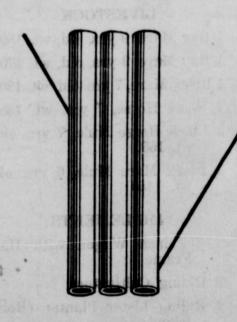
orator has white walls and brilliant vellow woodwork, a red linoleum floor in solid color, red and white gingham curtains and yellow pots and pans. Another begins with walls of powder blue above a floor of gray, black and white checked linoleum; the woodwork is white, the curtains pink voile.

Housewives are constantly discovering new methods of using color in the kitchen. A bakeshop in Columbus, Ohio, makes colored bread, and its pastel shades have great appeal for afternoon tea sandwiches. So also have the red and orange loaves, but the general public preference is for blue. On patriotic holidays, the shops sells bread striped the colors of the flag.

## Avoid Damp Cellars

All earth around the house should slope away from the foundation walls to prevent rain from seeping into the cellar. Rain water from the roof should be led away from the house and not be allowed to soak into the ground close to foundation walls. Roof drainage is one of the chief causes of damp cellars.

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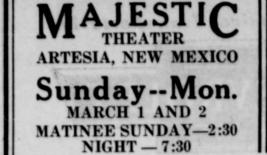
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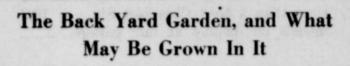
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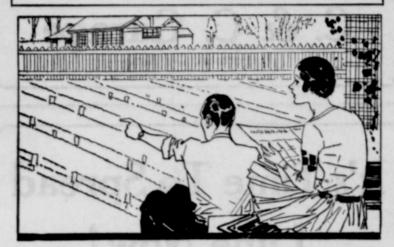
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#### By CAROLINE B. KING

LITTLE garden at the back of the lot, a bit of space where green things may grow in neat rows, a few tomato plants, bush beans, carrots, onions, what a real joy it can add to one's life! And whether one lives in the city, suburbs, or the real country, the little garden conveniently located near the house where it may be looked after in spare hours is easily acquired.

In planning a little backyard garden it is wise to look first of all to the type of soil available, remembering that almost any kind of soil may be put into proper condition for growing garden crops. It will be well to remember also that your marden will get more sunshine and more protection from cold winds if it is planted south or east of the house, if this is possible.

Guide your rows by a line stretched on two small posts and regulate the spaces between by marks previously measured off. In this way you can obtain a pleasingly symmetrical result and a neat garden adds much to the owner's pleasure.

Rows running the long way of the garden are easier to cultivate, especially with the wheel hoe, but if the family is small so that only a little of each vegetable is used at a time, or if one can work in the garden only a few minutes a and mellow, you may sow tomato, day, short rows may be better.

In a little garden it is well to plan | squash and melons.

rops so that the soil is working all through the summer for you You can do this by systematic planting. Draw your garden map on paper, sow your seeds according to your plan, and you will have some delicious vegetables ready for the table every week.

Group the early crops such as lettuce and radishes, then later you can use the same space for late beets, beans or cabbages. Plant bush beans early and follow them by turnips and parsnips; early cabbage may give its place to spinach. By rotating crops in this way it is possible to have a gratifying variety of fresh vegetables for the table.

The time for planting the garden depends, of course, on the date when the last frost makes its appearance. Some vegetable seeds may be sown even before the freezing season is over, radishes, turnips, lettuce, peas, kale, spinach and parsley are all good soldiers when it comes to cold weather, so get them into the soil as early as possible. A little later, in fact when you

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are quite sure that last night's frost was the last of the season, you may plant early beets, early carrots. chard and onion seed. But do not put bush beans, or corn into the ground until all danger of frost is over. Then later still when the soil has had time to become warm egg plants, peppers, cucumbers,

FORMER OFFICERS ARE 16 rally and field meets; 24 sessions of leaders training, conducted; 32 **REELECTED AT ANNUAL** SCOUT MEET THURSDAY

Under the caption "Advancement," Mr. Huffman says the following

badges were awarded: 291 tenderfoot, 151 second class, 58 first class, 398 merit badges, 20 star, 15 life, 4 eagle, 2 bronze palms. Under membership, Mr. Huffman states that the area has 40 troops, 709 scouts,

The annual meeting of Boy Scout 40 scout masters, 25 assistant, 186 leaders from fourteen communities councilmen, 70 members of wolf in eastern New Mexico closed with a clubs, total membership 1,030. banquet at Roswell Thursday night.

Lloyd O'Neal, deputy regional scout BILL FOR ADDITIONAL executive of Dallas, Texas, was the principal speaker at the banquet and JUDGE PASSES HOUSE

outlined briefly the growth of the The house of representatives a scout movement in this section. Santa Fe Tuesday passed a commit-All former area officers were re- tee substitute bill to administration elected including E. B. Harrison of measure HB 104 creating an ad-Carlsbad, president; A. W. Hocken-hull, Clovis, vice-president; C. G. district by a vote of 48 to 1. Rep-Mason, Hagerman, secretary; Geo-B. Jewett, Roswell, secretary. At this time Minor Huffman of

Roswell, area scout executive made arisen in the district. Representative the following annual report: 135,000 J. D. Lamb argued against passage miles traveled between towns; 164 on the grounds of economy. troop visits made; 31 court of hon-

ors attended; 26 district meetings; Messenger want Ads pay

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MELBA DEAD

MELBOURNE, Australia-Dame Nellie Melba, who in 1902 persuaded the London opera house to give

Caruso a trial, died here Monday MAY SHELVE PROH after an illness of several weeks. Death came to the opera star,

one of the world's great sopranos, in her sixty-sixth year after an illness which befell her while in Cairo, Egypt, and for which she consulted specialists in Germany, Austria and France and England without success. Homeward bound to her native

Australia, she became seriously ill by the senate approxi aboard the line Cathay, November 4, before the ship docked at Freebelief in repeal or m mantle and doctors would not permit her to land. When the Cathay touch-Melbourne she was taken ashore to a hospital and since that time has figuring. hovered between life and death.

Verdi coached her in the part of Gilda in "Rigoletto." She helped Puccini create the role of Mimi in fairs, which has the b "La Boheme."

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## **U. S. TAKES STEPS TO** AID PRISON HEALTH

## Plan Close Scrutiny of Penal Institutions.

Washington, D. C .- What is believed to be the most extensive effort ever made to apply the latest approved findings of modern medical science to treatment of both human physical and mental ills is being undertaken this year by the United States public health service in the federal penal institutions.

Under authority of an act of congress signed recently by President Hoover, the health service is gradually taking over supervision of the health and mental problems of the 12,000 men and women prisoners in federal institutions. Prisoners at Leavenworth and Atlanta penitentiaries and at the Alderson (W. Va.) wom an's prison have already been placed in charge of health service physicians

#### Study Mental Allments.

Emphasis is placed by the health John H. Lyle. service program on the mental wellbeing of prisoners as well as on their purely physical disorders. It is hoped through careful treatment under modern psychlatric methods to restore man Arthur F. Albert, leader of many prisoners to useful eltizenship.

Progress is being made meanwhile on construction of two narcotic farms Charles S. Deneen, trailed with 70,where drug addlcts, comprising onethird of the federal prison population. can be segregated from other prisoners. Selection of a site near Lexington, Ky., has been announced for one of the farms and a second is to be built in the West,

Federal prisoners hereafter will be given a painstaking examination when they are committed to discover their physical condition and also what kinks in their mentality or character are responsible for their having chosen a career of crime. In the case of first offenders, or those who are regarded as promising subjects for treatment, expert psychiatric care will be provided to aid them in rehabilitating themselves.

#### Plan Outside Ald

The program will not end when the prison door clangs behind the prisoner. In most sections of the country bined probation and parole offcer will be available to aid those

released to overcome the handlcap of their prison record.

New probation officers are now being appointed throughout the country under an expanded appropriation of \$175,000 voted by congress at the last session. The Justice department expects to have 51 such officers on duty by November 1. At present there are only 15 probation officers and no parole officers in the federal prison sys-Treatment of prisoners in this way

and expansion of the parole system is part of the general federal prison program adopted by Sanford Bates, federal superintendent of prisons. Meanwhile, the government is proceeding with a \$6,000,000 prison-building program expected to aid greatly in relieving present congestion in federal prisons.

## **BIG BILL WINS**

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CHICAGO, Illinois - "Big Bill" Thompson, invincible as ever, won his fourth mayoral nomination in the republican primary election Tuesday, defeating by a plurality estimated at 45,000 the crime-battling Judge

With less than 800 precincts missing, Chicago's cowboy mayor had corralled 200,343 votes, while Judge Lyle harvested 164,680 and Alderanti-administration forces in the city council and a partisan of Senator 916.

Against Mayor Thompson in the April election will be pitted Anton Cermack, commander-in-chief of Cook county democracy, who won his party's nomination hands down. In the few precincts tabulated in the democratic primary Tuesday Cermack had more than sixty votes to every one cast for his single opponent, John B. Devoney.

## NO INCREASE IN COAL RATES

communication from the Pecos Valley Traffic Bureau at Roswell, advises that the petition of the Santa Fe Railroad, asking for an increase on intra-state coal rates to points in the Pecos valley has been withdrawn. The application of the Santa Fe was cancelled on February 20th.

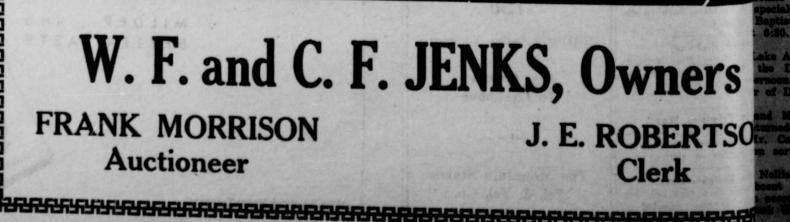
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Pure Apple Butter Hot Biscuits Ice Cream with Butterscotch Sauce The Senior B. Y. P. U. is planning to give a special program at the Hagerman Baptist church Sunday evening at 6:30 p. m.

Mrs. A. Ewing, our commercial teacher was unable to teach Thursday and Friday on account of ill-But was able to be back again Monday.

M. C. Bivens and family, Tom Ridgeway and family of Roswell, Mrs. Ollie Smith of Lake Arthur, McLarry and daughter, Earl King and family of East Grand Plains were dinner guests of Mrs. D. A. Goode Sunday.

Mrs. Tom Ridgeway and children guest of Minnie of Roswell are spending the week with Mrs. D. A. Goode, while Mrs. Ridgeway's husband is undergoing date back thousands of years before

## TODAY LAST DAY BILLS ANNOUNCE LOW BIDS MAY BE INTRODUCED THIRTEEN EMERGENCY IN THE NEW MEX. HOUSE STATE HIWAY PROJECTS

SANTE FE-The New Mexico leg-islature adjourned for Washington's \$932,000 were received by the New went to their homes over the weekend, but a number of the senators took advantage of the holiday to get in some committee work on various bills.

So far this session only seventeen bills have passed both houses. Eleven of these have been passed in the house and six in the senate. Not all, however, have reached the gov-

ernor as yet. Up to Monday the house has introduced 232 bills and the senate 94. Of this number the house has killed 32, all its own measures, and the \$133,817.29. senate has killed 14 senate bills and Socorro to 11 house bills.

The house has passed 54 measures including the eleven killed in the senate, and the senate has passed 34 of its own bills and 11 house

bills. Thursday will be the last day in which bills may be introduced in the house of representatives and the senate no-more-bills rule goes into Clure, Tucumcari, \$85,687.08. effect five days later.

No Place Like Home

A person is hurt every 30 seconds in the American home. The trouble is that is where the jaywalkers, the speed boys, the youngsters who race for crossings, the idiot who takes the wrong side of the stret, the daredevils at intersections, the morons on the wheel, the drunk drivers, the aged, the bables that play in the street, the absent-minded, the fellows who race through signals, the near-sighted, the road hogs, the slow pokes, folks who are just learning to drive, the children who are too young to get a license, the careless, the incompetent, the scamp who gets mad, all live.-Los Angeles Times.

Bid for Fame The late Luther Burbank said one

day to a Los Angeles reporter: "Almost any man can succeed if his aim is a good one. Too many men adopt bad aims. "A long-haired musician rushed into the kitchen and said to his wife: "'At last, love, I have fame within

my grasp.' "'How so?' the poor woman asked, and she looked up at him from the washtub rather skeptically. "'You know Mendelssohn's "Wed-

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birthday, and was not in session Mexico highway commission yester-Monday. Many of the law-makers day on thirteen projects in New Mexico emergency federal aid construction program.

Bid were close and the following figures were low on tabulation. No contracts have been awarded:

Raton to Maxwell Junction; Hamilton and Gleason Company of Denver, \$74,366.50.

Clovis to Portales: Lee Moore Construction Co., El Paso, \$87,483.19. Gallup project, not ready. La Bajada Hill project between

Santa Fe and Albuquerque: Mountain States Construction Company,

Socorro to Mountainair: Everly and Allison, Des Moines, N .M., \$51,515 .-83.

Socorro to Magdalena: Armstrong and Armstrong of Roswell, \$24,302 .-47.

Tucumcarri to Glenrio: Everly and Allison, \$26,187.36. Tucumcari to Glenrio (additional

work on same project): W. T. Mc-

Portales to Roswell: Armstrong and Armstrong \$139,517.18. Clovis to Melrose: New Mexico Construction Company \$118,359.60. Project north of Gallup: E. J. Maloney, Gallup, \$36,492.48.

Wagonmound to Las Vegas: Ham ilton and Gleason, \$106,281. Roswell to Portales project near

railroad mountain: Armstrong and Armstrong \$36,523.32. North of Deming on road to Silver City: S. W. Hill of Artesia, \$11,-637.34.

## NO DECISION BY STATE ON SANTA FE'S TAX SUIT

Consideration of the state's answer to the Santa Fe Railroad \$900.000 tax suit was still under discussion in the office of Attorney General E. K. Neumann in Santa Fe Tuesday. Mr. Neumann said there will be no announcements for another day or two.

Summer Boarder: But why are those trees bending over so far? Farmer: You'd be bendin' over, too, Miss, if you were as full of green apples as those trees are.

We regret to announce that the boxing match arranged for to-day has been canceled, as the two fighters have had a disagreement .-- Musketee (Vienna).

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and Mrs. J. B. Crook who seen at Seven Rivers for me have moved back to Lake	Song Junior Glee Club ReadingLois Bivens	"Why is Mable a papers gave a full wedding." Yes, but they pu
ed	The seniors sponsored a party at the home of their sponsor, L. C. Dalton. Quite a number of people	Blackfield was marr known collector of
and Mrn. Oscar Moore of were visiting Mrs. Moore's Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Lane	were present as all of the post- graduates were invited and each sen- ior invited a guest. The time was	elspalter.
Tula Harvey who has been relatives here for some time	pleasantly spent in radioing and playing cards. Everbody present reported a nice time. Light refresh-	Job Pr
to her home in Sibly, Iowa,	ments were served by the seniors. Union of New York: "How to Study the Bible," "A	
gian roast last Wednesday eve- The all reported a most en-	King's Penknife," and 'Christ, Chris- tianity and the Bible," all three by I. M. Haldeman, D. D.	We de serve
time.	"The Boy of To-day," an exception- ally fine, helpful book for parents to read.	See Us anyth Before line
Senior B. Y. P. U. plans to special program at the Hag- Beptist church Sunday eve- t 6:30.	Employer: "What can you do,	Else- stati
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the Dexter girls last Fri- ornoon. The score was 19-28 r of Daxter.	row full of smoke?" Boy: 'Sure, if you'll fill it."	Letter Heads
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tion and Cavern trip, and attendance is expected from all over southwestern America.

The fifty-third annual communication of the grand lodge, Ancient Free and Accepted Masons of New Mexico will be held in Carlsbad be- is exceedingly fortunate for man, inginning Monday, March 16 and continuing through Wednesday.

The Grand Chapter Royal Arch Masons will be in Convocation on Thursday; the Knights Templar on Friday and the Order of the Eastern Star will begin their three-day session on Thursday.

It is expected that the brethern will beging to arrive in Carlsbad Saturday night, and for the reception of these delegates and Masons and the public generally, a grand union service will be held on Sunday evening at the Carlsbad armory, the sermon being delivered by Rev. John P. Sinclair, of Artesia, grand chap-lain of the Grand Lodge. This annual sermon will be one of the spiritual events of the session of the grand lodge and will be accorded a large attendance. It is, of course, open to all of the people, regardless of whether they are Masons or not.

The local committees are preparing a complete programme of entertainment for the week, and it is already apparent that there will be a very large attendance. In view of this, and although the hotel capacity of Carlsbad is large, as become a convention city, the suggestion is made to the brethern this early that they write or wire reservations. Of course the homes of the city will be thrown open after the hotels and excellent camps are filled with hundreds of persons they can entertain, but early requests will make comfort certain.

Requests for hotel reservations should be sent to Joseph Wertheim, chairman of that committee.

Bore-You know, I'm funny-I always throw myself into anything undertake.

Pretty Girl-How splendid! Why don't you dig a well ?-Missouri Out-

How about your sport togs? They need frequent cleaning and refinishing to be up to the minute. We can help you make a hole in one by the proper cleaning and pressing-Santa Barbara Paper.

Is Benefit to Mankind

Ozone is queer stuff. Science would like to know more about it. There is much ozone in the atmosphere at high altitudes. In fact, there seems to be a sort of layer of it far aloft, which asmuch as it absorbs, and thereby shuts off, most of the ultra-violet rays that come from the sun.

The ultra-violet solar rays are exceedingly healthful for human beings. But there may be too much of a good thing. If all the ultra-violet rays that reach the earth's atmosphere came through the latter, unobstructed, every one would be obliged to wear orange yellow or blue goggles, or perhaps smoked glasses, to escape being blinded.

Ozone is simply oxygen with an extra atom to the molecule. It is an unstable gas, readily breaking up and converting itself into ordinary oxygen. -Exchange.

Why Niagara's Flow Varies

The flow of water at Niagara varies with the height of Lake Erle, which in turn is influenced by rain on the territory drained, direction of wind. and diversions from Lake Michigan at the Chicago drainage canal, diversions through the Welland canal and the New York barge canal. The average flow is placed at 191,000 cubic feet per second. The total diversions average 73,000 cubic feet, or considerably more than one-third the average flow.

Why Scold Is "Xantippe" To say of any woman that she is a Xantippe is not to flatter her. On the contrary, it is epithet of opprobrium with which few members of the fairer and not always weaker sex care to be identified.

For to be a Xantippe is to be a scold, to be a nuisance, to be a constant complainer, and, as Johnny would phrase it, a "killjoy."

The allusion is to the wife of Socrates - Xantippe - notorious throughout the ancient world for her tartness. her had temper and her ill-nature .--Kansas City Star.

#### Gigantic Structure

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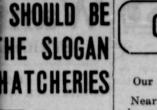
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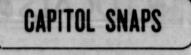
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## FOR FARMERS IN **UTH RELIEF FUNDS**

New Mexico Extension Serfarmers in organthemselves of funds County committees

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## By Fred Holmes, **Our Washington Correspondent**

Nearly three score house members who were defeated last November have an opportunity to abolish the "lame-duck" sessions of congress. This is the session which convenes in December after the November elections and continues until March 4. Defeated congressment their seats in it under the present their seats in it under the present

The opportunity will come when the house takes up the Gifford resolution proposing a change by constitutional amendment. The votes of those re-elected and voluntarily retiring will figure largely as the determining factor in the controversy that has raged for years. However, the votes of defeated members

will not be negligible. ----

Undesirable aliens will be deported from the United States and a few immigrants will be admitted for two years if pending legislation is enacted at this session. The administration drive to rid the country of undesirable aliens has advanced a step. President Hoover received a bill to deport aliens convicted of smuggling narcotics, which passed congress last week. His approval is expected. Favorable action on the Chief Executive's request for \$500,000 to employ 245 patrolmen to accelerate deportation of undesirables has been indicated by the house appropriations committee.

> ----Chairman Legge of the farm board

is to go back to his old job in March. Selling harvest machines is much easier than selling harvests. ht and stripped of He will be missed. His stormy bluntness and frankness must have carned a sort of liking for him even , about 8,000 to the among the enemies he has made. He has done the best he could for the farmers. They are not grateful. They won't take his advise to reduce their acreage. After all, that is per-haps the chief fruit of his labors. watched night and It could be had, one would think, ited by "bomb" or for less than \$400,000,000; and \$100,-000,000 more is about to be dumped into the pot. But that is an unjust way of putting it. This is the price which the United States has chosen especially equipped to pay for a certain amount of ex-

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perience.

Directing their fire at John J. Raskob, chairman of the democratic committee, and Jouett national Shouse, head of the executive committee, southern democrats, led by Senators Sheppard of Texas and Morrison of North Carolina, in a recent federal drouth sharp debate on prohibition in the senate served notice on the leaders nended in all desig- of their party that they would comin conformity to the bat any attempt of the wets to dominate the national convention in 1932. When' the two-hour skirmish was ffered losses in the over the senate, without a roll call, hail stricken areas of seed, feed for dings, wet democrat, of Maryland, proval of the selection.

fuel for tractors. requesting the Wickersham commitowed must be used tee to give to the senate all testi- 9-5t ion. No amount has mony it had taken concerning prohibition, except that received under organizations. That they will conthe pledge of secrecy and all the reports of its investigation of prohibition. The only comment on the resolution was a statement by Senator Borah that he favored it. A third member of the federal farm board, is was learned definitely, is quitting in the near future. C. C. Teague, commissioner for fruits and vegetables, who had indicated he expected to retire, announced he would resign from the board, effective June 1, and return to his private business in California. He is manager of the California Fruit Growers and Walnut Growers Co-operatives and is himself a fruit grower on a large him farewell. He disappeared quickscale. His decision follows announcements the last few days by Alexand-er Legge, of Chicago, chairman of the board, and Sam R. McKelvie, of Nebraska, member for grains, that Blease, but perhaps he wished to they would leave their Federal posts March 4 and June 14, respectively. Legge is expected to go back to the presidency of the International Har-

## EGGS OF GREAT VALUE IN DIET An estimate of the value of eggs in the diet is based on two sets of home economics of the U.S. Department of Agriculture. These are

facts regarding their nutritive importance, and facts concerned with their adaptibility to cookery processes. The extent of their use depends partly on such values, partly on their flavor and partly on their cost.

The physical properties of eggs make them useful in giving lightness and bulk to such cooked porducts as sponge cakes, meringues, omelets and certain desserts, and in giving the characteristic consistency to mayonnaise.

From the standpoint of nutrition, the egg is really two foods instead of one. The white part of the egg is almost a pure watery solution of certain proteins of high biological value for body-building and maintenance. The yolk, on the other hand, contains many well-recognized food substances. It furnishes concentrated fuel for the body, contain protein of fine quality and has an unusually rich store of the minerals and vitamins necessary for growth and development, and for the maintenance of health and vigor. Every 100-calorie portion of egg is about three and one-half times as rich in protein, twice as rich in calcium. three times as rich in phosphorus, and four times as rich in iron as we believe the average 100-calorie portion of food for the adult need be. Morever, these nutrients are in forms especially adapted for conversion into bodily tissues-a fact which makes the food value of the

egg much greater than mere enumeration of these nutrients would indicate. The egg yolk is also rich in the fat soluble vitamins. An egg a day for children over two years old is suggested for the

formation of good red blood. For younger children smaller amounts of the yolk may be given with benefit.

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Department Of The Interior, United States Land Office, Las Cruces, N. M., January 29, 1931.

Notice is hereby given that the State of New Mexico, has filed in this office Indemnity School Land Selection List No. 9441, Serial No. 042932 for the following lands: Twp. 14-S., R. 27-E: E<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>SW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> Sec. 17; E½NW¼ Sec. 20. Twp. 18-S., R. 27-E E½SE¼ Sec. 12, and NW¼ NE¼ Sec. 13.

Twp. 14-S., R. 21-E: Lots 2, 3, 4, Sec. 18, and Lot 1 Sec. 19. 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 opportunity to file their protests against the ap-

V. B. MAY. Register.

## **BIG WELL ON OASIS RANCH**

in the southwest was brought in facts according to the bureau of Thursday on the Oasis ranch, 12 miles southeast of Roswell. The well was officially guaged at 9,225 gallons a minute, or 553,500 inch casing. gallons an hour. It is estimated that

the output a day would reach 13,-294,000 gallons. The well, which will be used for irrigation purposes, is 840 feet deep and is producing water of the highest quality.

The former record well was drilled

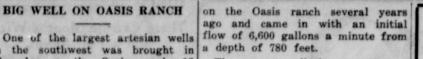
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Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, Las Cruces, N. M., January 31, 1931.

Notice is hereby given that the State of New Mexico, on October 22, 1928, filed in this office its selection list 26, act of May 28, 1928 (45 Stat., 775) for the following land:

Serial No. 039055. W<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>SE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> Sec. 4, 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 opportunity to file their protests against the approval of the selection. V. B. MAY, 9-5t

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**OTEST REFERENDUM** 

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have been signed here by all churches protesting hum and forwarded to the The Artesia counhas also protested rce measure.

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t of the Interior, U. S. Las Cruces, New Mexary 4, 1931.

ICE is hereby given that, in Gallentine, of Lake Ar-lew Mexico, who on December 1977, made Homestead Entry. Homestead Entry, NW1/4 NW1/4 Sec. 28; 1/2 NE¼, SE¼ NE¼, nship 15-S., Range Meridian, has filed on to make three stablish claim to the ribed, before Dan C. commissioner, at Ros-ico, on the 21st day

> as witnesses: Har-Weaver, William Parker, all of Mexico. V.B. MAY, Register.

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salary, and McKelvie to the active direction of his farm publications. -+-+

The passage of the bonus bill by overwhelming majorities surprises

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tinue to gain, if their organization remains as efficient as it now is, is hard to doubt. The present diffuse and unorganized opposition can only effect the rate at which the gains are made. \_\_\_\_\_

Senator Cole Blease, of South Carolina, who failed to make the grade for re-nomination last year, has quit the capitol cold, without waiting for the expiration of his term. There is something odd and inconsistent about this departure of the verbose statesman who breezed into Washington six years ago. Apparently his colleagues did not have a chance to bid ly, even mysteriously, and with only a card on his office door to furgone home. That was unlike Mr. spare his colleagues the pain of any public leave-taking. However this may be, nothing in the senatorial career of the gentleman from South vester Company with its \$100,000 Carolina becomes him more than the manner of his departure.

-----Senator Vendenberg has made concise argument in favor of the bonus legislation in which he enno one. It is merely another indi- deavors to show that the bill passed cation of what a determined and well by the house extends only a relativeorganized minority always can do ly small new privilege to the veterin American politics when no equally ans and imposes only a moderate efficient group is in opposition. Unless such an opposition group is argument rests on a guess. The bill formed, the only course for those makes the government liable for a opposed to payments to veterans is billion dollars. Senator Vandenberg to retreat inch by inch, making the thinks it will have to provide only retreat as slow as possible and op-posing every gain by the veterans' know for certain.

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## **IMMENSE BELLS IN RUSSIA AND CHINA**

Russia possesses the largest church bell in the world.

Some authorities declare that this bell, known as the Czar bell, when cast in the days of Boris Godunoff weighed 135 tons. Others claim it weighed 198 tons. Its size can be imagined if one considers the statement by H. M. Grove in a book on Moscow that the bell itself has done service as a chapel.

Grove recounts that the bell was recast in the middle of the Seventeenth century and raised into its belfry. It had only been there two years when fire destroyed the belfry and the bell crashed to the ground and was broken. There it lay until 1735 when Empress Anna ordered it to be recast on the spot.

Two years later the scaffold for reraising the bell caught fire, the bell became almost red hot, and the tremendous amount of water used to extinguish the fire cracked the bell and a large piece fell out. It was then left on the ground until 1836 when Emperor Nicholas I had it raised and placed on a granite pedestal where, for a long time, it was used as a chapel, the broken side serving as the door.

According to reference books the world's largest bell ever actually in use is also in Russia. It is said to weigh 128 tons-nearly two and a half times the weight of the next largest bell, in Peiping.

## How to Press Flowers to Get Best Results

Before mounting flowers they should be thoroughly pressed and dried. This

Summer Camps Prove Value The organized summer camp had its beginning about 50 years ago. In 1880 Ernest Balch established a camp for boys on Lake Asquam in New Hampshire. Shortly afterward other camps were established, and the movement began to grow rapidly. The health, educational and recreational values of summer camps for boys had become so well organized by 1900 that a simflar movement for camps for girls was launched at that time.

## Seedless Oranges

The original seedless oranges were produced in Brazil by means of budding and the orange trees of this type in the United States all descended from two imported Brazilian trees. Buds or budding sticks are taken from seedless orange trees in spring or fall and inserted in two-year-old seedling orange trees of ordinary type. When the buds send out shoots the seedlings are cut back so that only the budding portions develop.

Coal for Luck The beggar who, when "up" at a London Police court, was found to have been carrying a piece of coal in his cap-"for luck"-is not alone in his belief in such a charm. Burglars also are supposed to feel safer, on their unlawful occasions, if they are similarly equipped. Here is a vestige, probably, of the sun-worshiper's superstitious reverence for any object that is associated with fire.

Leader Among Men The man who radiates good cheer, who makes life happier wherever he meets it, is always a man of vision and of faith. He sees the

## WHY =

## There Can Be Months Without a Full Moon.

Moonless month is the name popufinder Magazine. Under our present calendar February is the only month that is shorter than the lunar cycle and consequently it is the only month which can have fewer than four moon phases. The missing phase, however, need not necessarily be the full moon. but may be any one of the four. Likewise five phases of the moon occasionally fall in the other months.

The average time from one full moon to another is 291/2 days, and the time from one phase to another varies from less than seven days to more than eight. About every six years February has only three moon phases; it is, of course, without a full moon much less frequently. In 1866 February had no full moon, while the preceding January and the following March had two full moons each.

This remarkable sequence, astronomers estimated, will not occur again for 2,500,000 years. February was without a full moon in 1885 and 1915, and from approximate computations made by the Naval observatory there will be no full moon in February 1934 and 1961. Februaries without new moons or either of the other two phases occur at about the same intervals, but, of course, in different years.

## Why Moon Is Kept From **Obeying Law of Gravity**

Two forces, working in opposite directions, neutralize each other and determine the orbit of the moon. Like any other moving body the moon tends to follow a straight flight path. If the gravitational pull of the earth were suddenly annihilated the moon would move away on a straight line tangent to its flight path at the instant of release. The earth is continuously pulling the moon in from this tangent path which it tries to follow. If the speed of the moon were reduced it would move in closer to the earth. Mere motion of an object does not overcome gravity. For instance a bullet fired from a horizontal gun will start to fall immediately and will fall at precisely the same rate as another bullet of the same size and weight dropped from the hand at the same elevation. But the force which moves the moon is working against gravity and it depends on speed .--Pathfinder Magazine.

## Why Drive Nails Into Trees

A query which comes to my desk asking what to do for pear trees which blossom and do not mature fruit and where the color of leaves is dull, calls to mind that years ago when a small boy my father sent me to the garden to drive some nails into one of the pear trees there to meet the same condition, and it proved successful.

Those nalls as they rusted supplied the iron which was deficient in the soil. I am reminded of this in reading that one of our scientists advises putting iron salts in holes bored into pear trees where the leaves are dull In color and the trees show lack of vitality.

H. MILLER TRANSFERRED TO THE PEOPLES MERC. larly given to a month in which no full moon falls, says an article in Path-

> Harold Miller and family left this morning for Carlsbad where Mr. Miller will be manager of the grocery department of the Peoples' Mercantile Co., store.

> Hagerman residents are very sorry to lose these splendid citizens, who have contributed much to the upbuilding of the community. Harold Miller has lived in Hagerman during his entire life, and has been active since manhood in various civic and social capacities.

> He has served faithfully as a member of the Masonic lodge, has acted as troop committeeman of the Hagerman Boy Scout Troop, and has served on the school and town boards. At present, Mr. Miller is secertary of the school board. During the early part of his life, he worked in the grocery store operated by his father, the late Robert Miller. Of late years, he has been manager of the grocery department of the local Peoples' Mercantile Co., Store. Carlsbad gains an efficient and

conscientious citizen in Mr. Miller and worthy residents in the family.

## HORSES FOR SOAP

Dane Holliway and "Tuffy" Welch delivered 100 head of range horses to the El Paso Soap factory last week .--- Current Argus.

Mother: "Darling, that is the old church in which Daddy and I were married.

Small Son: "Who took care of me that day, Mother?"

Grandma-"Doesn't the little boy and hope that he gets rich. wear terribly?'

Grandson-"Yes'm, he sure does. He doesn't put any expression in it son, Norman, of El Paso, visited in at all .- Knok County, (Ill.) Bulletin. Hagerman Sunday with the Barnett

McGintry: "I've a terrible corn on the bottom of my foot."

"I surely like to take nice experienced girls home."

Why, I'm no experienced girl.' "No, and you ain't home yet." College Man: "Pardon me,

nust be the wrong berth." Miss Hasbeen (sighing): "How you boys do jump at conclusions."

The building next door to The Messenger office owned by W. E. Bowen is being remodeled and reroofed. W. F. Waldrop is doing the work Mr. and Mrs. John E. Hall and

Rev. Bryan Hall. Arthur Robinson, who has been

**LOCALS** 

in Califonia for six months, returned the last of the week. Robinson reports conditions in California as being very bad.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Taylor, of Goose Creek, Texas, visited in the R. Jennings home the latter part of the week. Miss Jennie Falkner, of Dexter accompanied them to their home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Campbell and family and F. B. Campbell of Lake Arthur, who have been in Cisco, Texas three weeks at the bedside of Grandmother Campbell, returned Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Campbell is very low.

Basil Barnett, of State College accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Barnett to El Paso, Monday where he expected to undergo an operation for the removal of a rifle bullet from his knee. The bullet had been embedded in the flesh for several years.

S. E. Hamill reports that his business at Roswell is very good. In fact, he was one business man in Roswell that we met Tuesday who was pleased with business conditions in his locality. We are glad that Hamill is getting along well

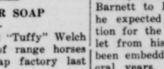
Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Barnett and and Bowen families. Cecil is now employed by the American Telephone Company and has his headquarters Pat: "That's a fine place to have at El Paso. He was formerly a it. Nobody can step on it, but you." teacher in Hagerman high school. "Poor old Bill! 'E's so short sight-

ed 'e's workin' himself to death.' "What's 'is short sight got to do with it?' "Well, 'e can't see when the boss ain't lookin so e 'has to keep shovel-

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is the best shot. "My wife's favorite we were married was

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may be accomplished by placing them between absorbent paper, such as blotting, covering each layer with another sheet of paper and placing some heavy books on top to press them well. Ironing with a hot iron hastens the drying but spolls the color and is not advised. The blotting paper must be changed every day until the flowers are dry. Flowers may also be preserved for a time by dipping them in candle wax or paraffin. The wax should be melted, not too hot, and the flowers dipped for a moment. The petals are covered with a thin film of wax which is transparent and prevents withering. If properly done the flowers will last about two months, preserving the scent also,

#### Too Smart for Him When a professional philosopher gets married he admits to the world that he has met somebody smarter than himself .- Washington Star.

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blossoming flower in the tiny seed, the silver lining in every cloud, and a beautiful tomorrow in the darkest today .- Edwin Osgood Grover.

#### Clubs' Worthy Idea There are four divisions of improve-

ment activity promoted through the 4-H clubs-head, heart, hand and health. These clubs are promoted among farm boys and girls throughout the country, under supervision of the federal government and various agencies of the Department of Agriculture and the states.

## Halt! Hunteman

Scientific study has proved that hawks and owls, taken as a whole, live on mice, squirrels, grasshoppers and other troublesome creatures. Their economic usefulness far more than offsets the harm done by a few. -Woman's Home Companion.

This has been the practice for generations in Europe. Bring a fruit tree into healthy condition and it will produce fruit provided the blossoms are fertilized .- Portland Press-Herald.

#### Why Sunset Is Brilliant

The Naval observatory says sunset colors are caused by the excess of rays of long wave-length, red and orange chiefly, which pass more readily over the long path through the dense lower strata of the atmosphere, which must be traversed at sunset, than the short wave-' mgth blue and violet rays, which are obstructed not only by the atmosphere, but also by dust particles and impurities suspended in it. The finest sunset colors are produced when there is the greatest amount of dust and impurities in the air through which the sunlight passes. No sunsets are perfectly colorless.

#### Why Insect Pests Flourish

Whence came our present insect pests? Most of them came from foreign countries. And they come here without their natural enemies. In this way the balance is disturbed, wholly in favor of the insect. An insect in his home land is often so harmless and obscure that his presence is not even noted. This is because his natural enemies keep him in his place. But transplant this little bug to America, give him plenty of rich food and no enemies, and he will show what the biological laws of reproduction mean.

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