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ROTARY BANQUET

Gov. Martin of El Paso Delivers Charter

of Roswellites Attended Fair--District Governor's Object of Rotary

Best Rotarian banquet ever in Artesia, was staged at the hotel Tuesday night, March 19, on the occasion of the visit of Governor G. A. Martin, from El Paso, Texas. Delectable weather a large number of Rotarians from Roswell, N. M., attended the affair. The dinner was served in the dining room, each one was given a program, which was in detail with the exception of a few Scottish songs by Anderson of Roswell, known as "Scottie".

For the occasion was furnished a magnificent orchestra composed of Bartlett director, R. A. Bartlett and Bob Feenstra. The orchestra was composed of Mesdames V. L. Gates, Mark Martin Yates received the cause of any number of the address of the program. The program followed:

"The Dawn of May", by Mark Corbin and Mrs. L. Gates.

"Your Voice", by Denza Yates.

"Allie" Martin, Governor of District Rotary Intrin-

et, "The Dance", by Duda Rex Wheatley, Mrs. Mark Corbin and Mrs. L. Gates.

in delivering the charter to the aims and objects. He said in part: "I am delivering the charter to you for a common purpose, to serve the community, to secret sign or password, to accomplish their community upon the weekly luncheon if the members, for the reason that, the membership being founded

upon friendship, this association of men must be continuous for the formation of friendships so necessary to the accomplishment of good.

"Rotary is not tyrannical in any respect, but it does demand attendance. Clubs have perfect freedom in the choice of their endeavors in their communities, but attendance of the membership is compulsory and attendance is the price of membership. Service is ideal.

"Service, the ideal of Rotary, is a modernization of the Golden Rule, and he who observes the Golden Rule need not worry about the Ten Commandments, for the Golden Rule embraces them all.

"Service—he profits most who serves best, is Rotary's idea in business, in the home, in the community.

"A Rotary club is made up of one man from each classification in a community so that this man may perfect himself in service and carry the messages to the others of his craft. A Rotarian must serve to inspire those of his craft in the things that are best for his home.

"Service having but one meaning—to serve the man who is a true Rotarian tries to serve his fellow man and his community. He must begin with his business, for he who does not practice what he preaches is a poor preacher and finds few to listen very long.

"No trade is a fair trade unless both parties to the bargain are benefited. When both parties are benefited the highest ideal in business has been reached.

"A man is gauged in a community by what he does—not by how he does it. He is gauged, not by how he does it, but by how many he serves.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Martin, El Paso, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Thos. J. Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Campbell, Misses Gretcher, Mary Dodd, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Mason, Fred Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Andrew, Will Lawrence, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Cagle, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Einhart of Roswell, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Yates, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Webster, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hornbaker, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Donahue, Misses Flora Jones, Dora Russell, Lucille James, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Bryant, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Ferriman, W. C. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Truett, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Wheatley, Chester Russell, Mrs. Landis Feather, E. B. Bullock, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Corbin, Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Gates, Mr. and Mrs. C. Bert Smith, Bill Bartlett of Artesia.

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NEW COMPANIES WILL ENTER FIELD

Plans Now Under Way for An Active Drilling Campaign--Work Will Start Soon

Country Surrounding the New Locations Will Have Thorough Test--Practically All Are Deep Tests

Much interest has been added to the development activity when it was recently learned that several large operators would come into the field with plans for an intensive development. While it was rumored last week that big plans were under way and that new locations were made, but the complete arrangements were not known at that time however, this week we have been able to secure further details, which we are sure will be of interest to the many readers.

TIGNER-WINDSOR.
Operating under the above name Frank Tigner, for several years head driller of the Illinois Producers Co., and H. Windsor of Batavia, Illinois, have joined interest and will begin work on the Grant Keyes permit in Sec. 14-17-28, 14 miles due east of Artesia in what is known as the Red Lake Basin.

Mr. Tigner is the oldest driller in the field and as a result of his experience together with the findings of four different geologists, who have examined the structure of the property, the Keyes permit was decided on as offering the best opportunity for development. The location on which this well is being put down is an extension of the structure now being developed by the Illinois Producers Company.

Contracts have let for the drilling of a water well and the moving of a No. 2 National rig and equipment, now located near Lakeview. The contract has been let to the Dixon Company of Roswell, who will furnish the trucks and who agrees to complete the contract not later than March 25th. Actual drilling will begin on it's completion.

Both Mr. Tigner and Mr. Windsor

are well known in the valley. Mr. Tigner has been actively engaged in drilling operations in the valley for five years, while Mr. Windsor has made several trips to the valley since his first visit in 1912. During this time and previous to this time Mr. Windsor has been connected with extensive interests in his home state of Illinois. Mr. Windsor has always found time to visit the valley since his first entrance in 1912 and has acquired considerable interests here outside of his present undertaking.

With an experienced driller in charge, the best of equipment and sufficient financial backing, early results are expected.

In addition to the new locations announced, the other wells now drilling have made good progress.

The Welch well in sec. 29-17-27 is drilling, 10-inch casing was set in this well last week.

The Brown well No. 2, has resumed drilling. This well is being put down by the Tri State Oil Company, 5 miles southeast of Artesia.

The Pitcher Oil and Gas Co., has resumed drilling operations after setting 10 inch casing last week.

The Illinois No. 3, after striking a good showing of oil and gas has closed down temporarily awaiting the arrival of Van Welch from Robertson Ill.

HOWARD CLOSES DEAL

The deal which has been pending for sometime between Oscar R. Howard, of Los Angeles and Tulsa, and the Eureka Oil Co. of Artesia has been closed with the exception of some minor details in connection with the transfer of titles to the property which Mr. Howard is taking over. This deal involves the acquisition by Mr. Howard of a majority interest in all of the leases held by the Eureka Oil Company in the vicinity of the Hawkins well and including this well. No interest in the Eureka Company is being acquired by Mr. Howard but his contract with this Company require him to expend a considerable sum of money in the development of the Eureka leases. In addition, Mr. Howard has acquired considerable acreage in the vicinity of the Eureka holdings which will also be developed.

The entrance of Mr. Howard into the Eddy County field will greatly stimulate interest in the vicinity of his operations. His production in California during the past summer reached a peak of 17,500 barrels daily and his interests in Oklahoma are larger than in California. He has opened headquarters in Roswell for his New Mexico operations and necessary drilling equipment will be sent at once from Oklahoma to inaugurate an intensive campaign on his holdings.

The drilling obligations assumed by Mr. Howard in connection with the leases he has acquired will insure thorough and widespread testing of the oil possibilities in the area west of the Pecos River and between Dayton and Lakeview. In addition Mr. Howard is planning to enter the field east of the Pecos River and will drill at once one well in the vicinity of the Illinois Producers operations.

ROTARIAN LUNCHEON THURSDAY

Almost 100 per cent attendance was reached at the Rotarian Luncheon Tuesday, when the District Governor visited the local club here. Dr. J. J. Clarke who was assigned the 7th code of ethics to discuss, delivered an admirable treatise on this the subject, which showed that he had given the discussion much thought.

The visitors for this occasion were: G. A. Martin, El Paso, Texas and Carl Einhart, Roswell.

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ARRESTED FOR JUMPING BAIL.

A man by the name of McCormick, of Del Rio, Texas, charged with jumping bond was taken to Carlsbad by Messrs Shattuck and Roten Sunday.

MAN ARRESTED FOR FORGERY.

A man who gave his name as Allen Thompson was arrested by Deputy Sheriff M. Stevenson at Hagerman and was taken to Carlsbad Wednesday. He is charged with forgery.

NOTICE!

A convention to nominate candidates for city offices will be held Monday afternoon, March 23rd, 3 p. m. at the Commercial Club room, in the rear of Ferriman's building. One Mayor, 4 trustees and one treasurer will be elected.

OLD MAIDS CONVENTION.

An old maid's convention, the original convention, will be presented by the members of the Knight's and Ladies of Security Monday night, March 24th at the Majestic Theatre in connection with their picture show program. You will be surprised to see the line up of local talent. Do not come unless you expect to laugh. Admission 10 and 30 cents. Show starts at 7:30 p. m.

MAJESTIC CLEAN UP CAMPAIGN A SUCCESS.

That the Majestic management has been successful in their efforts to clean up Artesia is evidenced by the number of tin cans piled in front of the building. The rattle of a tin can which is rather often awlays brings Ray Bartlett to the front with a roll of tickets.

It is now rumored that Dave Bryant has contracted for the entire output of cans. It has not been announced what he intends to do with these cans, however, it is thought that he intends to start a canning factory in Artesia.

CITY TAKES OVER THE LIBRARY.

Acting under the state law, which permits them to hold the ownership of city libraries, parks, etc., the city council has this week taken over the ownership of the city library and the city park. The law allows them to levy one fourth a mill each for the library and the park. This will give approximately \$200 each for the improvement and maintenance of each of these public enterprises. This sum is not nearly large enough to support the library, which will continue under the active management of the Board which has controlled it so successfully ever since it was founded. The Board will continue to raise the additional funds needed. The walls of the library building are in an unsightly condition and a new roof is badly needed. These improvements will be made soon.

TO MAKE ARTESIA CLEAN.

Now that spring is almost here we are sure that every boy and girl as well as the grown folks will be interested in making Artesia a cleaner as well as more attractive town. With this in view the Majestic Theatre has a special proposition to make to the children.

For each boy or girl bringing twenty-five (25) empty tin cans or old bottles to this theatre a free ticket will be given to a special matinee beginning at 10:00 a. m. Saturday morning March 19th. A large box has been placed out in front of the theatre building to hold the cans or bottles and the boys and girls may start to bringing them at once.

In addition to the above prizes will also be offered the adults. For the best kept lawn within the city limits of Artesia, a first prize of six months free admission, a second of four months, and a third prize of two months free admission will be awarded to the three winners by the Majestic. The judges will be selected on or about July 1st.

What the Advocate has to offer will not be exactly in line with the Majestic, however, it will be aimed with the same end in view that of making a more attractive town. Two prizes will be offered and here they are:

For the most attractive display window kept during the month of April by any merchant in Artesia, a prize of 14 inches of display advertising will be awarded as first and a year's subscription as second prize. Judges will be announced later.

"COME ON OVER" folks. He left her because he loved her. And she "Come on Over",—because—well, that's where the fun began. Majestic, March 26-27.

NEW ROAD JOINS HIWAY

Road Intersects Ozark Trail at Y. O. Crossing

People From That Section Wishing an Outlet Start Building Their Own Road

Monday afternoon of this week, March 17th, which should be an especially interesting date to all good followers of St. Patrick, who read the Advocate, work was begun on the opening of the road between the Y. O. crossing, 15 miles west of Hope and the upper stretches of the Pecos valley. The people of that locality have for years been trying to get an outlet to this section and have presented their needs to the Highway Commission and to the Chaves County officials, with a view of making the road a State and Federal Highway, but pending the result of their efforts in this direction, they have taken the matter in their own hands and by local subscription of both money and labor, have gone to work making a road to join their county with the Ozark trails at or about the Y. O. crossing.

This route will serve not only the Pecos valley, but the people of Elk, Weed, Mayhill, James, Clouderoft and the intermediate districts, who want to reach the Pecos valley and will equally well serve the valley folks who want to reach the most beautiful and productive portion of the Sacramento Mountains.

In wishing an outlet to this section, the desire of the folks there and in and around Artesia is mutual. In this connection it may be recalled that the proposed highway will be of great benefit to Artesia and the surrounding country because it will tap a very fertile valley where fruit and all kinds of vegetables grow in abundance.

While no announcement has yet been made it is likely that the local Chamber of Commerce will likely make plans to assist in the work of road building in that section of the country.

BUSTER BROWN INTOWN.

Buster Brown with the Brown Shoe Co., here at the invitation of Joyce Fruit Dry Goods Company was here Tuesday of this week. Buster with his dog Tige put on an entertainment for the children at the Majestic. Judging from the noise made by the poppers after the show everyone must have had a good time.

FRANK DONHUE FOR STATE SENATE.

Having been solicited by his many friends in Lea and Eddy, counties, to make the race for State Senator, for the 20th senatorial district, Frank H. Donahue, of Artesia has consented to submit his candidacy to the voters of the district at the primary election to be held on the 15th day of April.

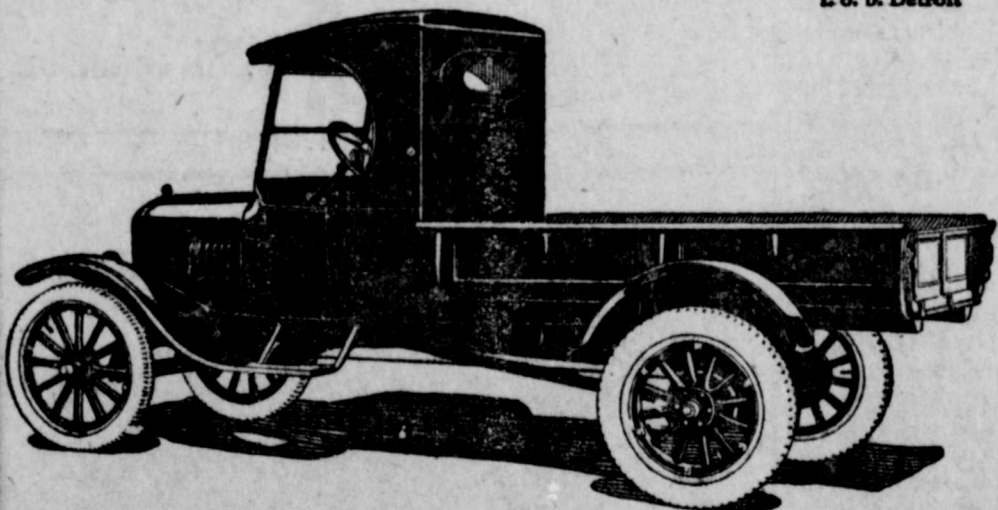
Frank Donahue is well known to the people of the district, the valley and the state, having been tried in various capacities and filled each with credit, there is no doubt that his friends chose wisely and did well to induce him to make the sacrifice, Frank comes from the neighboring state of Texas twenty years ago and has resided in the state since and is conversant with the conditions and needs of the state and district. He possesses a state wide acquaintance, which knowledge and acquaintance eminently qualifies him for the office. He possesses another very essential qualification, that of education, having received his education in the Grade and High schools of Bartlett, Texas, the University of Texas and the A. & M. of Texas.

He in a business way has been connected with the Rock Island R. R. Co. as an accountant, and with the Goldberg Mercantile Co. of Tucumcari, has been cashier of several banks and is at present connected with the Citizens State Bank of Artesia. Frank is connected with a number of the Fraternal organizations and is prominent in all of them having held positions of honor and trust in all.

In civic affairs he has always been a prominent figure, ready and willing at all times to do the things that spell progress, and is at present a member of the Artesia Rotary club. He is liberal minded, broad visioned and progressive, realizing the need of our schools and education, but at the same time realizing the burdens of the Tax payer, being one of them contributing his part to the upkeep of our county and state and is the logical man to intelligently represent this district in our State Senate.

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PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS, on the 20th day of February, 1924, a resolution was duly passed and adopted, providing for the Biennial election of a Mayor and Board of Trustees and other elective officers for the town of Artesia, New Mexico, to be held on the First day of April, 1924.

THEREFORE, I, M. H. FERRIMAN, Mayor of the Town of Artesia, N. M., Do hereby PROCLAIM That Said Election will be held at the time and place as designated in the said Resolution, and in accordance with the requirements of law pertaining thereto.

Signed, M. H. FERRIMAN,
Mayor of the Town of Artesia,
New Mexico.

Attest:—
EDWARD STONE,
Town Clerk.

PROCLAMATION AND NOTICE OF ELECTION.

WHEREAS, at a meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Town of Artesia, New Mexico, held on the 20th day of February, 1924, a Resolution was duly adopted providing for the Biennial election, and which Resolution reads as follows:

Resolution appointing board of registration, designating place of registration, appointing Judges and Clerks to hold election, and directing the Mayor to issue election proclamation.

Be IT RESOLVED By the Board of Trustees of the Town of Artesia, New Mexico:

Section 1: That there is hereby appointed the following Board of Registration in and for the Town of Artesia, New Mexico, and the following place is named at which to register the qualified voters of said Town for the regular Biennial Town Election, at which are elected Officers of said Town, to be held on the First Tuesday in April, to-wit: April 1st, 1924.

BOARD OF REGISTRATION.
O. H. BROWN, S. E. FERREE
AUSTIN BROWN.

The place of Registration shall be at The Mann Drug Store.

The registration books shall be open to registration of the voters at 9 A. M., on the 10th day of March, 1924, and will be closed at 6 p. m. on the 22nd day of March, 1924, but a certified list of the registered voters will be posted for a period of (6) six days thereafter outside the door of the place of registration hereinbefore designated, during which time any person, knowing that his name is not registered may apply and have same added thereto, and placed upon the said books (6) six days after the posting of said registration list, or the name of any person who, within (6) six days, may be discovered not to be a legal voter may be stricken from the list by any member of the Board of Registration.

Section 2: That the following voting place in said town is hereby named and the following persons are hereby appointed by said Board of Trustees of said Town, as judges and clerks, to conduct said election at said voting place in all respects as required by law.

Voting place at Chamber of Commerce room—Ferriman building.

Judges: J. T. Collins, Thomas S. Fox, S. E. Ferree.

Clerks: J. L. Truitt, Frank Robertson.

The Mayor and town Clerk are hereby ordered to give notice of the appointment of the Board of Registration, Judges and Clerks of election and publication as herein provided for.

This resolution shall be in full force and effect from and after the date of its passage.

Passed and approved the 20th of February, 1924.

Signed, M. H. FERRIMAN,
Mayor of the Town of Artesia,
New Mexico.

Attest:—
EDWARD STONE,
Town Clerk.

PROCLAMATION AND NOTICE OF ELECTION. FOR WATER WORKS BONDS.

WHEREAS, at a meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Town of Artesia, New Mexico, held on the 20th day of February, 1924, a resolution was duly adopted directing that the question of issuing negotiable coupon bonds of the town of Artesia, New Mexico, in the sum of \$15,000.00 for the purpose of enlarging, improving and extending the system of supplying water of said town, said bonds to be payable not exceeding thirty years after their date, but redeemable at the option of the Board of Trustees of said Town of Artesia, at any time after twenty years after their date, bearing interest at a rate not exceeding six per cent (6) per annum, interest payable semi-annually, and,

WHEREAS, the proper officers of said Town were in said Resolution directed to cause to be published, a notice of said election wherein shall be stated the purpose for which said bonds are to be issued, and the amount thereof, and the time and places of holding such election as required by law.

THEREFORE, I, M. H. Ferriman, Mayor, of the Town of Artesia, New Mexico, do hereby proclaim and give notice that an election will be held in the Town of Artesia, New Mexico, on the first day of April, 1924, the same being the time for the holding of the regular election for the Board of Trustees and other officers of said Town at which will be submitted to a vote of such qualified electors residing within said Town as have paid a property tax therein during the preceding year, the question of issuing negotiable coupon bonds of said Town as follows:

1. Bonds in the sum of \$15,000.00 for the purpose of enlarging, improving and extending the system of supplying water for said Town.

2. All said bonds to be payable not to exceed thirty years after their date but redeemable at the option of the Board of Trustees of the Town of Artesia at any time after twenty years after their date, bearing interest

at a rate not exceeding six per cent (6) per annum, interest payable semi-annually.

The form of ballot to be used at said election is to be substantially as follows:

Water Bond Election for the Town of Artesia, New Mexico, April 1, 1924.

INSTRUCTIONS:

If you desire to vote in favor of the bonds place an X in the (square) below, opposite the words 'For Water Works Issue'.

If you desire to vote against the bonds place an X in the (square) opposite the words 'Against Water Works Issue'.

QUESTION SUBMITTED

Shall the Town of Artesia issue its negotiable coupon bonds in the sum of \$15,000.00 for the purpose of enlarging, improving and extending the system of supplying water for said Town, said bonds to be payable not more than 30 nor less than 20 years after date, and to bear interest at not more than six per cent per annum, payable semi-annually?

For Water Works Issue (square) _____

Against Water Works Issue (square) _____

Said election will be held at the Chamber of Commerce building of Artesia, N. M. The polls will be open from 9 o'clock A. M. to 6 o'clock P. M. on April 1, 1924. The judges and clerks at said election will be the same judges and clerks holding the regular election for Town officers at said time and place, and the ballots insaid bond shall be deposited in a separate ballot box from that which the ballots for Town officers are deposited, and the vote upon each of the said questions shall be separately canvassed in the same manner as other municipal elections, and the Clerk of the Town shall make out a separate certificate as to the result thereof, and cause the same to be spread upon the minutes of the Board of Trustees of the Town of Artesia.

This the 20th day of February, 1924.

M. H. FERRIMAN,
Mayor.

Attest:—
EDWARD STONE,
Town Clerk.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.
U. S. Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, February 20th, 1924.

Notice is hereby given that George R. Ray, of Roswell, New Mexico, who, on March 30th, 1919, made Homestead Entry, No. 037397, for (Lots 1-2-3-4, S½, N½, S½) All of Sec. 3, Twp. 17-S, Range 24-E, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Five year final proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before S. W. Gilbert, U. S. Commissioner at Artesia, N. M., on the 8th day of April, 1924.

Claimant names as witnesses: S. G. White, of Artesia, N. M.; Mary White, of Artesia, N. M.; J. B. Savage, of Roswell, N. M.; D. D. Wimberly, of Roswell, N. M.

JAFFA MILLER, Register.
Mar.-7-to-Apr.-4.

NOTICE STATE ENGINEERS OFFICE.

Number of Application 1615.

Santa Fe, N. M. January 21, 1924.

Notice is hereby given that on the 21 day of January, 1924, in accordance with section 26, chapter 49, irrigation laws of 1907, T. J. Terry of Artesia, county of Eddy, state of New Mexico, made formal application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a permit to appropriate the public waters of the State of New Mexico.

Such appropriation is to be made from flood waters of Walnut Draw at a point which bears S. 66degrees 30' W., 2260 feet distant from the NE corner Sec. 28, T. 15 N. of R. 25 E., N. M. P. M., being in the NW ¼ NE ¼ of said Section 28, by means of ditch opening on level of creek bottom without headgate and 258 acre feet is to be conveyed to 16 acres in SW ¼ SE ¼ Section 22 40 acres in NW ¼ NE ¼ Section 27; 30 acres in NE ¼ NE ¼ Section 27, all in T. 15 S. of R. 25 E., N. M. P. M. by means of main canal and laterals and there used for irrigation of above described 86 acres and domestic purposes.

Any person, firm, association or corporation deeming that the granting of the above application would be truly detrimental to their rights in the water of said stream system shall file a complete statement of their objections substantiated by affidavits with the State Engineer and serve a copy on applicant on or before the 17th day of April, 1924, the date set for the Engineers to take this application up for final consideration unless protested. In case of protested applications all parties will be given a reasonable length of time in which to submit their evidence in detail or arrange a date convenient for a hearing or appoint a referee satisfactory to all to take testimony. Appearance is not necessary unless advised officially by letter from the State Engineer

JAMES A. FRENCH,
State Engineer.
Feb. 29-Mch. 21st.

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We have just received a new shipment of typewriter ribbons for the following machines: Woodstock, Royal, Underwood, Oliver, Remington. These are good ribbons made of silk, color black. Call on us.

THE ADVOCATE office.

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ARTESIA AUTO COMPANY'S PARADE.

Saturday afternoon, the Artesia Auto Co., assisted by Ray Bartlett on the electric calliope, gave a parade on Main street. In the parade was all the products of the Ford Motor Company, including the late model coupes, touring cars, roadsters, trucks and Fordson tractors.

The electric calliope was attached to a new truck. Ray furnished the music while the procession passed up and down Main.

NOTICE OF HEARING FINAL REPORT.

Notices is hereby given that I, Sarah M. Howell, the duly appointed guardian of the person and estate in the matter of Monty Howell and Thelma May Howell, No. 344 on the docket of the Probate Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, have made my final report in the said matter and will apply to the said court, on the 7th day of April, 1924, for my discharge therein.

Dated this the 5th day of March, 1924.

SARAH M. HOWELL, Guardian.
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WHAT TO SERVE FOR DINNER

Chicken served in the ordinary manner may become monotonous; try the following:

Chicken en Casserole. — Disjoint a chicken and roll in seasoned flour, then saute in hot fat until well browned on all

sides. Cut a carrot into even slices, add one onion for each person served. Cut out a dozen potato balls. Cook the vegetables in a little fat until they are slightly browned, then arrange the chicken and vegetables in the casserole. With the giblets, neck and wing tips make a broth by covering with cold water, pour this while hot over the chicken, season well, cover and let cook in the oven until the chicken is tender. It will take about two hours. The broth should be prepared before the chicken is ready to cook.

Oysters With Macaroni. — Cook three-fourths of a cupful of macaroni broken into inch pieces until tender. Scald one pint of oysters. Put a layer of buttered crumbs, one of cooked macaroni and a layer of cheese, using a half cupful of crumbs and three-fourths of a cupful of cheese, salt, pepper and the oyster liquor. Repeat until all the ingredients are used. Cover with buttered crumbs. Bake thirty minutes in a moderate oven.

Baked Eggplant. — Pare, cut into cubes and cook until tender in boiling water a small eggplant. It will take from ten to twenty minutes. Drain in a colander. For three cupfuls of cubes, chop fine one small onion, add one-half cupful of mushrooms and cook in two tablespoonfuls of fat; then add the eggplant, a cupful of tomato strained, bread crumbs, parsley and salt and paprika. Place in a baking dish, cover with buttered crumbs and bake until brown.

Tea Cakes. — Bake a plain cake recipe in gem pans. Cut open, scoop out the centers and fill with sweetened and flavored whipped cream. Fruit may be used in place of the cream if desired. Top with whipped cream.

Nellie Maxwell

BLUE PRINT MAP of Eddy county Oil Field brought up to date, by mail or on sale at our office. 50 cts. per copy. H. & H. EXCHANGE.

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WILL BROADCAST HOME TALENT.

Carl Einhart, president of the Roswell Rotary Club, who attended the Rotary luncheon here Tuesday announced that the Artesia folks would have an opportunity to broadcast a program through the broadcasting station there soon.

While a definite program has not yet been arranged for it is expected that a complete program will be announced in our next issue. C. W. Bartlett, who is now directing the Juvenile band will have charge of the program arrangements and will schedule a real entertainment for the radio fans wherever they may be. The numbers will consist of selections from the Juvenile band, vocal duets, solos and selections by the Rotary quartette.

Complete details of the program will appear probably in next week issue. All necessary instructions will accompany the announcement so that the radio fans will have no difficulty in tuning in.

Several letters from the Artesia Chamber of Commerce will be sent out to various towns preceeding the program.

25 REAL COWPUNCHERS OF ARIZONA IN THIS FILM.

Not a "Movie" Cowboy Seen in Picture, "North of the Rio Grande".

A Western picture and not a "movie" cowboy in it.

This distinction given "North of the Rio Grande," a Jack Holt-Bebe Daniels Paramount picture at the Majestic Theatre next Monday and Tuesday.

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FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

We wish to thank all who stood by and held the ropes, while our attendance grew until our score board registered 98 in Bible School enrollment last Lord's day. This is an exact doubling in attendance since Jan. 6th. last. It goes to show what a little co-operation and special effort will accomplish in a short time. Our banner has arrived and same was placed at the head of the Live Wires class who had an enrollment of 17 the highest for the day. They tell us that the banner will become a permanent thing with them, but this remains to be seen as a little extra pep on the part of others may surprise them. So don't forget to come and bring one, and boost for your class.

We are also delighted to meet the many and especially strangers who attended our morning and evening worship and please remember, all are welcome to our services at all times.—Our Mexican Mission held every Monday evening is also showing new life and interest, and those who have should this work from the beginning are to be complimented. And the Lord only knows the stars that will be added to someones crown for telling the story of the Crucified One to the lost, who may live at our next door. When we have life, let us tell others about it, for its our Lord's commission to His Disciples.

Services for the coming week beginning, March 23:
Sunday School at 9:45 a. m.
Preaching at 11 a. m.
Christian Endeavor at 2:30 p. m.
Evening Preaching services at 7:30 p. m.
Mexican Mission services at 7:30 p. m.
Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30.

PETER JENSEN, Pastor.

HOPE HIGH SCHOOL NOTES.

The Home Economics Girls will give a play Friday night, "A Southern Cinderella." It will be given at the Baptist Church, seven thirty.

Our Supt. Mr. Hart, is wearing a broad smile over the arrival of a new daughter.

Mr. Cowan will take a few minutes off and practice the Senior Play, "Charmed, Don't You Know."

The Apaches will entertain the Comanches Friday afternoon.

Tuesday night our debating team showed us just what they could do and we are real glad to shake hands with the Apaches next morning.

Bertha Scoggins who has been ill for several weeks is now able to be back in school.

Buster Brown visited our school Wednesday noon. Even the High School girls and boys were anxiously waiting for the snappers which he gave away. We were not surprised when they were invited to remain after school, but still want to know what the snappers are for if they can't be snapped.

Tuesday afternoon there was an exhibit of the many garments made by the sewing class directed by Miss Miller.

There will be a ball game here Friday afternoon between the Freshmen and Sophmores. Lets pep up and help the poor Freshmans.

HOPE NEWS.

Bob Morrison of Loving visited Z. B. Moon Sunday.

C. A. Turning of Silver City preached a good sermon at the Baptist church Tuesday night.

Mrs. Sally Riley who has been in the hospital of Carlsbad for some time is improving.

Mrs. J. H. Anderson and son from Vivian, Okla. arrived here Thursday for an extended visit with her daughters.

Misses Pearl Henderson, Clara and Elizabeth Johnson were shopping in Roswell Saturday.

Mrs. Blanch Brown who has been ill is improving some now.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Cox, Elma Watts and Raymond Davenport motored to Artesia Thursday night.

ART EXHIBIT.

Mrs. M. H. Ferriman, chairman of the art committee of the Woman's Club, has received information that an exhibit of paintings by Rollins will be here next Friday and Saturday, the 28th and 29th. The exhibit will be hung in the Chamber of Commerce hall, back of Ferriman's grocery. Rollins is one of our most famous painters and it is hoped that many will advantage of the opportunity to see his work. This collection is composed of pictures of the southwest.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE.

Rev. Jno. F. Roberts and wife of El Reno, Okla., have been called as pastors at Artesia.

Rev. and Mrs. Roberts came well recommended and are well known. He is one of seven brothers all of whom are preachers. He, with his brother Edd made an evangelistic tour around the world.

Rev. Roberts and wife and their son, Geron who also is a preacher are conducting a revival now in the Nazarene Church, all are invited to attend. Services each evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Reports: Friday, Perhaps prayer meeting 7:30 p. m.

Sunday: S. S. 9:45 a. m. Preaching 11 a. m. Y. P. S. 6:30 p. m. Preaching 7:30 p. m.

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"LEST WE FORGET"

Human memory is short and faulty. This applies to candidates for the District Attorney's office the same as any other individual. We are compelled therefore, "Lest the present District Attorney Forget", to remind him of A FACT which will have a material bearing on his race. We surmise that his answer will take the form of the exclamation:—"That's so! I had forgotten it."

Now, let us calmly review this District Attorney campaign, and ascertain if there are any "REAL ISSUES."

When the present District Attorney announced for office in 1920, there were two currents of feeling which commenced to flow, one against him, because it was generally known that he had no experience as a lawyer; and all thoughtful people knew that in justice to society, and for the protection of the Commonwealth, that an "experienced lawyer" should be elected to this office.

The other current of feeling was one of sympathy for an old "Home Boy" who "PLEADED FOR ONE TERM," and it was this latter sentiment that elected him. This is the literal truth. There are hundreds of voters who heard him say that he would be satisfied with just "ONE TERM."

THAT "ONE TERM" PROMISE IS ONE OF THE REAL ISSUES. NONE SHOULD MAKE PROMISES AND THEN BREAK THEM. THE VOTERS ARE GOING TO COMPEL THE KEEPING OF THAT PROMISE BY VOTING FOR—

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ORANGE AND BLACK.

The inter-class basketball tournament came to a close in two hard-fought games last Thursday afternoon, when the Freshman girls defeated the Junior sextette by a score of 10-6, and the Junior boys also met defeat at the hands of the Sophomore team by a margin of one point, the final score being 6-5. Both games proved most exciting to the enthusiastic rooters on the side lines, for the teams were well-matched and every member put forth the best that was in him. Many on-lookers were heard to declare the games the best of the season.

Monday evening at the Hardwick Hotel a three-course banquet was served to the two victorious basketball teams by their sponsors, Miss Russell and Mr. Kaiser. Besides the lucky members of the teams, the guest list included Miss Givins. The table was decorated in true St. Patrick fashion with shamrocks, green balloons, and green candles in potato candle-sticks. After the dinner all took part in the candle race, the winner being awarded a toy balloon. Several secrets were revealed by the truthful answers to all questions. The merry party broke up by kissing the Blarney Stone, an act which is similar to the worship of the Black Stone by the Mohammedans, spoken of in Ancient History.

Mr. Kaiser has announced that an inter-class track meet will be held on the school athletic grounds the afternoon of March 28. As this is a rather novel entertainment for the students and citizens of Artesia, it is expected that the meet will arouse much enthusiasm. The events will include dashes, runs, hurdles, broad and high jump, discus and javelin throwing, shot put, and a mile relay. Each class will be represented by no more nor less than two members each event, and a pennant will be awarded to the class making the greatest number of points in the meet.

The Sophomors picnic at Lakewood last Saturday proved very successful, if all reports are true. The members were conveyed to the picnic grounds in cars, and the chief entertainment—next to partaking of the lunch, of course—was the exploration of the surrounding country. The summit of Mount Everest was scaled in about ten minutes, it is said, and this is supposed to be a record time. The Sophs now feel competent to write a new version of "When the Train Comes In," for they watched it from a bridge, and one young man was heard to declare he thought the world was coming to an end, judging from the frantic jerk he received from one of the fair members of the party.

J. M. Adamson, of Kansas City, has been in town for a week past, stopping at the home of his father-in-law, A. M. Vandagriff. Mr. Adamson, who is a government postal inspector, is here looking after oil interests.

The Missionary Society conducted prayer meeting at the Baptist church last week as part of their "Week of Prayer" program. The service was devoted to Home Mission work, Mountain Schools and work among the Negroes. Mrs. N. P. Bullock, leader. The B. Y. P. U. had charge of the prayer meeting this week.

For the past six weeks the Methodist church has been preparing for a drive to raise a permanent fund for the maintenance of its super annuate preachers and their widows and orphans. During the six weeks the subject has been presented to the congregation morning and evening by lay members. It has also been presented in all the branches of the church. Last Sunday morning a collection was taken and several hundred dollars subscribed. It is expected that the entire quota will be raised shortly.

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SOCIAL ERRORS

- Loaning money to a girl friend.
- Inviting your wife to watch the poker game.
- Telling the janitor that he is working too hard.
- Wearing moccasins to a bargain sale at the department store.
- Leaving the church while the ushers are taking up the collection.
- Telling a girl that she is too stout to become a successful actress.
- Telling your wife that you have just bought a hundred shares of oil stock.
- Forgetting to close the windows while a family quarrel is in progress.
- Another trouble is that too many people would rather give you a roast than a toast.
- Asking the landlord to go duck-hunting with you when you owe him six months' rent.

PEPPYGRAMS

- Dancing is what you might call musical courtship.
- The skeleton in the closet these days is the still in the kitchen.
- Many a man suspected of having a past is unduly honored.
- Self-denial comes doubly hard to the egotist—he wants self-expression.
- Do not believe others concerning yourself more than you believe yourself.
- Honesty is the best policy, but he who acts on that principle is not an honest man.
- One lady says that in the street cars the rising generation seems to be a sitting one.
- It is Virtue's province to win her way into the hearts of men and bind them to her service.
- Anyhow, it's a poor German family that won't be able to speak of the time when they were trillionaires.
- From this fake art discussion it appears that anybody can acquire an old master so long as he has the price.

FARM JOURNAL SAYS:

- Kill a harmless snake and lose money.
- A drop of oil will make a wood tick let go his grip.
- When a man is so mean that he will feed moldy fodder to a blind horse he has about reached the limit.
- It makes it hard for a girl to have to decide between the plowboy with the freckles and the one with the pink shirt.
- It is half-made bargains that make trouble. Make your agreements complete in every point and then write them down.
- When you buy peanuts, that's a quart. When you pay for them, that's a quarter. And when you have disposed of them, that's a quartet.
- Uncle Levi Zink says that a reputation that is damaged can be repaired, but the neighbors will always keep watching for the place where the crack was.

FACTS IN BRIEF

- A giraffe has a longer neck than any other animal, but the necktie doesn't mean anything to him.
- A straight line is the shortest distance between two points if you don't meet any detour signs on the way.
- Tramps in Argentina travel about the country on horseback, but who wants to be a tramp in Argentina?
- A bee will travel eight miles in search of honey, while a human being will call up the grocer and have it delivered.
- At the North pole the wind can blow only from the south, and still the natives have never been known to complain about the heat.
- A wrinkle has 3,500 teeth! Whelks have about 250, a shellfish, known as the "umbrella shell," boasts 750,000.
- British express trains average about 250 tons in weight, but holiday trains sometimes reach 550 or 600 tons. Coal trains are sometimes made up to 1,000 tons.
- The archer fish frequently swims backwards as well as forwards for a considerable distance. Its eyes are of such construction that it can turn them so as to see everything that goes on behind it.
- In the olden days judges were forbidden to wear gloves on the bench, for fear of bribes being dropped into them. Hence the custom of presenting a judge with a pair of white gloves when he has no cases to try at assizes.

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WOMAN'S CLUB.

Mrs. Wheatley was the leader of a most excellent program at the meeting of the Woman's Club last Wednesday afternoon. The subject was "Modern American Poetry," by Louis Untermeyer, one of the foremost American poets of the day.

After examination of a picture of New Mexico scenery now in Artesia the club expressed its approval, but the committee, whose duty it is to make the selection, on being notified that an exhibit by the famous painter, Rollins, would be available decided to withhold its decision for a short time.

The music committee have arranged to give this famous opera by Gilbert and Sullivan time in April.

"Salome of the Tenements" Anzia Yezierska will be the subject of study at the meeting Wednesday afternoon, the 28th.

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PERSONAL

Walter Graham has been on the sick list the past week.

Lawrence Wilke left last week for a trip to Holladay, Texas.

Judge Atkeson and son, Lloyd been attending court in Carlsbad this week.

Fred Spencer was in from the ranch at Jal the last of the week visiting his family and looking after business affairs.

Capt. Mossman, owner of the Turkey Track ranch, was in town Saturday.

F. G. Hartell transacted business in Roswell Friday. Mrs. Hartell accompanied him.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dunn have moved to the Richard's cottage on west Main street.

The Misses Cecil and Carma Jacobs, of Hagerman, spent the week-end with Miss Amy Wilde.

Mrs. Wright arrived last week from Terre Haute, Indiana to visit her daughter, Mrs. Sidney Cox.

Mrs. Willie Choate, who was staying at the home of Mrs. Wallace Merchant, has returned to her home at Hope.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Reed, of Hope were Saturday trading with our merchants and visiting their daughter Mrs. Brewer, and Mr. Brewer.

Mrs. Gould, who had been the guest of her sister, Mrs. S. E. Ferree for the past several months, left last week for her home in Michigan.

Mrs. Dabney, after spending a few days with her nephew, Prof. Dixon and family, returned Monday night to her home at Canon City, Colo.

The Baptist Ladies' Missionary Society sent off the past week a nice shipment of honey and preserves to the Orphans' Home at Portales, which is maintained by their church.

The Fifth Sunday meetings will be held at the Baptist church Sunday, the 30th. The morning services will be held by the church and the evening services by the B. Y. P. U.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Jackson Daugherty last Saturday evening. The new arrival will also bear the famous name of "Old Hickory."

Mrs. Sash Austin and her sister-in-law, Mrs. Wallace Austin and baby were here from Clovis several days last week visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Hightower.

Mrs. E. J. Brooks, who went some time ago to visit her son, Frank, and wife at New Orleans, has been sick in bed, we understand, most of the time since her arrival in the sunny south.

Rev. S. A. Lanning received a message Monday stating that his wife, who went to California some months ago for the benefit of her health, was worse. He left that night for Inglewood, where Mrs. Lanning has been staying with her children.

L. C. Freiley, who came here from Hope sometime ago to clerk in the Standard Store, moved his family last week into the Fay Linell house on west Grand Avenue. The Cantrell family, who were occupying the house returned to their home at Mansfield, Arkansas.

The Society of Willing Workers of the Methodist church were entertained at the home of Mrs. S. G. White, assisted by Mrs. Tom Stagner, March thirteenth. Those who enjoyed the delightful hospitality were Mesdames R. O. Cowan, Grover Kinder, Eipper, I. Keller, Cobble, Stagner, Feemster, Matteson, Abbott, and I. Stephens.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Humphrey are arranging to move to California next week. The change of residence is being made in hopes that the lower altitude will benefit the health of their little niece and foster daughter Norine Long, who has been ill for some time. The child's mother, Mrs. Blanch Percy, is here and will return with them to her home in California.

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LENTEN SILVER TEA.

The Woman's Auxiliary of the St. Paul's Mission will give a Lenten Silver Tea at the Home of Mrs. Mark Corbin on Thursday afternoon March 27th Every one cordially invited. 12-1tc.

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THEATRICAL PARTY.

Never in the history of Artesia has there been such an aggregation of film stars in town as there was at the home of Mrs. J. H. Jackson last Thursday afternoon. The attraction which brought them together was the party given by Mesdames Jackson, Atkeson and Wilson of the Dramatic Committee of the Women's Club to the members of the cast and the other ladies, who assisted in the production of the play, "Neighbors." Each of the guests had pinned upon her the name of some famous film star and the game was to guess whom each represented by comparison with the pictures in the "Hall of Fame", their own also and Mrs. Corbin won the prize for guessing the greatest number correctly in each contest. The guests also had an opportunity to exhibit their vocal prowess and to test their imaginations in guessing what the others were trying to sing. No prizes won in this contest. Other games in harmony with the spirit of the afternoon were played and delicious refreshments were served by the hostesses. The guest list for this delightful afternoon included Mesdames Welsh, Hartell, Graham, Seale, Albert Richards, Stroupe, Skeen, Corbin, Lowry, C. Bert Smith and Wheatley.

ST. PATRICK TEA.

The most fervent and patriotic Irishman would have felt quite at home at the St. Patrick tea at the home of Mrs. R. G. Knoedler last Monday afternoon, for the shamrock, the potatoes and the pigs were all there, not to mention the Blarney stone. The silver tea, which was given by the February and March Circles of the Presbyterian Aid Society carried out the St. Patrick idea faithfully and consistently. Each guest was required to kiss the Blarney stone after which she received a souvenir, which proves to be an interesting game in which the guests composed compliments to unknown partners and then read them to their faces. The snake was much in evidence and formed the basis of one game of Irish antidotes. Little Jeanne Wheatley, in costume, sang "They kept the pig in the parlor," and Miss Iris Iler, Mrs. Gates accompanying, sang "The Tumbledown Shack in Athlone," and also that sweetest of Irish songs, "Mother Macree." And lastly the Irish symbols, the shamrock and the harp in green were charmingly exemplified in the refreshments as well as in the decorations. The committees in charge of the social are to be congratulated upon the success of their entertainment.

ATTENTION! READ! COME!

Brother Fred Blanchard, teacher and preacher, formerly of Tennessee, but now of Clovis, N. M. will preach at the Church of Christ building on Monday and Tuesday nights, 24th and 25th inst. Others will hear him, why not you? Only those who come will get the message he has for his hearers. Only those who hear and heed these messages will be benefitted by them. The entire membership and the preacher will appreciate your presence.

A. J. COX.

EPISCOPAL AUXILIARY TEA.

The Episcopal ladies are planning to hold a Missionary Tea at the home of Mrs. M. A. Corbin next Thursday afternoon, beginning at three o'clock. During lent the Auxiliary is working upon clothes for an Indian Mission in North Dakota and the proceeds of the Tea will be devoted to this cause.

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A number of the Royal Arch Masons at Artesia attended a special meeting at Roswell on last Thursday evening, when they were entertained by the Roswell Lodge. After the initiation work all members present enjoyed a sumptuous banquet. The Artesia visitors present were: D. Ivan Clowe, Wm. Baskin, Frank Seale, E. L. Perkins, Fred Cole, R. W. Dunn, Murray Schenck and Thos. S. Cox.

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A Sale that will make the Dollar Worth as much—if not more—than the Dollar of 1912—Think of the saving—Think of the sacrifice—Think of the high quality of goods that we are offering at such prices! If you miss it—if you do not come early you will have thrown dollars away.

All New Spring Goods—Our stock teems with new merchandise—some of which has just been unpacked—yet we are holding nothing back—It must be a Cutting of Our Stock to the Minimum—THE PRICES WILL DO IT.

This Sale will be full of rare money saving values—that are well worth while—Starting Tuesday, March 25th, 9 o'clock a. m.—SHARP, our entire stock of Ready-to-Wear, Millinery, Dry Goods, Notions, Stationery, Tinware, Shelf-Hardware, Chinaware, Glassware, Toys and Dolls, Overalls, Toilet Articles, Etc., will be placed on sale at astonishing prices—an opportunity you cannot afford to miss—**P R O F I T B Y I T**.

Sale Starts TUESDAY MARCH 25TH AT 9 o'clock sharp

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Our Stock Must Be Reduced

No thought of profit will be considered during this sale. We have only one sole object and that is to cut our stock to the uttermost and do that quickly. The prices we name are a shouting advertisement to the merits of this sale and we will leave it up to you whether or not you cannot save more on one small item during this sale than you could on any big bill of merchandise you could purchase any where.

COME! SEE! SAVE!

BEAUTIFUL \$17.50 to \$20.00 Spring Dresses

Rarely, if ever have you had such an opportunity to select your new spring dress at such a remarkable saving. Everyone are of the latest style and are this springs arrivals, made of Crepe de Chine, Flat Crepe, Satin in all colors and sizes. Only

\$13.89

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Regular Price \$5.75 to \$6.75

Useful is the word. You need them these cool mornings and they are worth much more than we are asking. Made of Velvet Cordurey, Blue only

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Children's Sweaters

For Boys and Girls \$3.75 to \$4.50

These are all wool Sweaters and are guaranteed not to shrink. The little tots should not be without them these cool days, and they will last indefinitely. A good range of colors and sizes.

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Distinctive \$12.50 Spring Dresses \$8.69

Even at the original price these dresses are real bargains. They will go mighty quickly at the price we have named. Come in Crepe de Chine, and Flat Crepe, beautifully trimmed. Our price for this group of \$12.50 dresses only

\$8.69

Value Received

We are not trying to get your earned dollar without giving you the greatest possible purchasing power for that dollar. Many sales are passed without such a thought in view. Lure you to their store with a leaders and "gip" you on the way we cannot look you in the face and you our former prices and then you our sale prices then we doubt your business.

LOOK HERE: To the First Twenty-five Adults entering our store on the opening morning we will sell, to encourage early shopping, 35c Blue Willow Cup and Saucer for Only 15c.

THIS SALE IS A STOREHOUSE OF UNMATCHABLE BARGAINS

Men's 50c Four-in-Ties 32c Values!
Items like this one will be sure to attract the attention of shrewd economical buyers. Pure silk and of dandy patterns.

Men's \$1.25 Sealpax "Two-Button Underwear 98c
Summer Weight Nainsook. This style is very popular. They won't last long at the price we name.

MEN'S "HAYNES" Summer Weight Underwear 79c
Made of the best grade Nainsook. All sizes—The name "HAYNES" is enough said.

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Guaranteed not to rip at the seams. Most stores are asking \$2.00 for this grade. We ask only **\$1.49 all sizes**
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Men's 50c. Holeproof Hosiery
Colors Black and Brown, only **39c**
You can't beat this value.—ALL SIZES.

Men's \$1.00 Cotton Pongee Shirts 79c
A good every day shirt with collar attached—Worth more than we are asking for it originally.
IT IS A REAL BARGAIN AT 79c

MILLINERY

Among the lovely hats we have on display which features Fisk, Elzee, and Ella Bee pattern hats, there is one for you.

While we have many groups to choose from, we mention only three:

Lot 1	Lot 2	Lot 3
\$9.00 to \$12.50 Hats	\$6.50 to \$8.75 Hats	\$4.00 to \$6.00 Hats
AT	AT	AT
\$7.98	\$5.00	\$3.50

PIECE GOODS

Most of our Spring Piece Goods have arrived and you will find that you can effect a considerable saving in this department on your spring needs—We carry only the best of materials and a look at them will convince you that it will be possible to buy two dress patterns whereas you were only intending buying one:

9-4 Pepperell Sheeting We sell it less than wholesale 52 1/2c yd.	27 in. good quality Gingham in checks and solids. Only 19c yd.	Dotted Swiss will be worn extensively this summer. Our Price 51c yd.	Figured Cotton Crepe all the rage. Three ranges of colors, Only 80c yd.	Silk Check Crepe another good material which will be worn lots Only 1.19 yd.	Tissue Gingham. Over fifteen different patterns to choose from Only 56c yd.
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Toys Don't overlook the children on this Sale. There are their birthdays and their friends birthdays, and every child is pleased if a gift be a Toy. Toys, Dolls 1-3 Off Wheel Goods 1-4 Off	Glassware Tumblers, bowls, Ice tea Sets, Vases Pitchers, all find a ready use in any household and are needed every day 12 oz. Ice Tea Tumblers, 72c value Only 48c Set of Six	Stationery Every day you are writing a letter either to friends or on business. We have a complete assortment to meet individual taste. 35c Box Paper 26c. 50c Pound Paper 36c Hytone Tablet and Envelopes Only 16c	CLOTHES BASKETS Come in three sizes, strongly made of wicker. This price enables you to purchase one. Size No. 1 Only \$1.38 Size No. 2 Only \$1.58 Size No. 3 Only \$1.78
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Ladies' and Children's Hosiery

- 75c Artificial Silk Holeproof Hosiery per pair, only
 - 50c Mercerized Lisle Holeproof Hosiery per pair, only
 - 35c Knox Knit Hosiery, Mercerized Lisle, only
 - 40c to 50c Children's Mercerized English drop stitch Hosiery, per pair
- Aluminumware**
We have a complete line of this selling utensil. We bought them right sell then to you right at astonishing prices:
\$2.50, 7 quart Aluminum Tea kettle, only
6 cup Aluminum Percolator, only
8 quart Aluminum Water Pail, only

Toilet Articles

- We carry a line of well known Toilet Articles. Such reductions are not found every where and we advise you to stock up on these items:
50c Djer Kiss Face Powder
50c Ingram's Rouge (all colors)
\$1.00 Bottle Hinds H. & A. Cream
25c Box Colgates Face Powder
10c bar Hardwater Castile Soap

French Ivory

- Brushes, Combs, Mirrors, Picture Frames, Manicure Sets, Infant Sets, Nail Files
1-3 Off

Enamelware

- Our line is complete on enamelware we are naming low prices to turn them over quickly:
50c, 10-quart Gray Enameled, dish
\$2.25 value White & White, 7-quart Teaettle, only

Chinaware

- 9-inch Plain White Plates, per set of six
- 25c Value Cup and Saucer, only
- 50c Plain White Bowls, large sizes, only
- 45c Plain White Bakers, only
- 15c Plain White Oatmeal, only

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CAUSE AND TREATMENT OF BLOATING OF COWS.

Cows often bloat in the spring when the foliage is young and tender, especially if the foliage is damp or the animals are grazing toward the wind. Contrary to the opinion that alfalfa is the only thing that bloats cattle, they bloat on various kinds of foliage.

Bloating can be prevented in two ways, according to the livestock specialist of New Mexico State College. First, do not turn the stock into a luxuriant growth of foliage while they are very gaunt. Second, when starting cattle to a green pasture allow them only a few minutes first day, and increase the time a few minutes daily until they are accustomed to the feed.

Treatment of bloat: First, get the animal to stand with fore feet on some high object, such as a ditch bank. Then put a gag in its mouth. To aid the gas to escape massage the cow's sides, pour cold water over her back, or put on cold wet packs, if the weather is not too cold.

If the gas continues to accumulate internal treatment is necessary. Give a drench at one dose one ounce of ammonia and one ounce of turpentine in eight ounces of raw linseed oil. (Cottonseed or olive oil may be substituted for the raw linseed). This dose may be repeated in thirty minutes. In case these ingredients are not available, use four ounces of ordinary kerosene in a pint of milk. Or one ounce of formaldehyde in a pint of milk may be given. These three remedies may be used alternately if the case is persistent, but do not give them under thirty minutes apart.

Sticking of cattle is only recommended when the case is very obstinate or when the animal has been observed too late for medical treatment. If sticking must be done, use a trocar and canula. The proper point for tapping is the center of a triangle formed by the last rib, the point of the hip bone, and the ends of the short ribs.

TREATMENT OF HORSES FOR INTESTINAL WORMS.

There are several different species of small, round worms which infect the intestines of horses, but they all yield to a general treatment. Dr. Hurst, livestock specialist of New Mexico College of Agriculture, gives these directions.

Fast the horses for twenty-four hours. Then administer turpentine at the rate of one in five ounces of raw linseed oil, for a pony, and up to two ounces of turpentine in ten ounces of raw linseed oil for a large draft horse.

Four hours after administration of this dose give the animal a good physic.

This dose may be repeated in a week if there should be indications of a lack of complete success. An animal receiving such treatment should not be put to heavy work for two or three days.

White Liniment.

The following liniment is recommended by Dr. Hurst for use on farm and range: Strong ammonia water, sometimes called hartshorn, one ounce, turpentine one ounce, oil four ounces. These ingredients shaken together, make a very satisfactory white liniment, at a very low cost. The kind of oil used is not particularly preferable, but if this is unobtainable, the same materials may be mixed with the same quantity of melted lard, and used in cases of emergency. This liniment is especially good for all bruises on stock, except where the skin is broken.

How to Improve The Chicken Crop Thru Care And Selection of Eggs.

One of the quickest ways to secure uniformity in chicks is to select large eggs of the color for hatching.

Abnormal, small, or poorly shaped eggs should not be set.

Eggs should be set when fresh, if germination starts in the egg before it leaves the hen's body, so the sooner the egg is set the less germination is retarded or checked. Setting eggs may be kept, however, for fifteen days, altho it is not advisable to keep them longer than ten days and then only under the best conditions. In cold weather, eggs should be gathered three or four times a day to prevent chilling.

Brood hens allowed to sit on eggs in the nests may hurt the hatching qualities of the eggs.

A cool, clean room, such as a basement or cellar, is the best place to keep eggs. When in large numbers, they are generally kept in a cabinet or turning rack for convenience in handling. The temperature of the room should be between fifty to sixty degrees Fahrenheit. Altho the eggs will stand considerable variation, the temperature should not go above sixty-five degrees because germination will start at sixty-eight or seventy.

All eggs saved for hatching should be turned each day.

Remember that neither the hen nor the incubator will hatch strong chickens from eggs which have not received proper care.

WHO PROFITS MOST?

(By Helen E. McDonald.)

Who profits most?

'Tis not the man
Who, grasping every coin he can,
Unscrupulously crushes down
His weaker neighbor, with a frown;
He is not worthy of his trust,
And, friendless, knows his gold dust.
He loses what he sought to gain,
And finds, instead of pleasure, pain.

Who profits most?

It is not he
Who shirks responsibility,
Who, hermit like, himself withdraws
To live removed from human flaws.
Scornful of other's frailties
He turns away, no vision sees
Of life's great opportunity.
He is not mourned--why should he be.

Who profits most?

It is the one
Who's on the square in all that's done.

Who trusts and helps the other man
And gives a boost where e'er he can
Who puts his task above mere self,
And values friends, and counts them wealth.

Who profits most? Is that your quest?

It is the one who serves the best.

—The Rotarian.

THE BEST VARIETY OF SEED.

A large number of varieties of any annual crop cannot exist in a community without deterioration. In this location, as in every other. Farmers should endeavor to plant this variety in order to prevent deterioration as much as possible. Under average farm conditions even the best selected and bred-up strains suffer enough deterioration without the gin and threshing help.

There is often such a small difference between the two or three favored varieties in some crops that farmers should be willing to accept the second best, in their estimation, if the majority favor it, in order to standardize the commodity and demand recognition for a quality product. For example, if Acala cotton is the predominating variety grown locally, and a good supply of pure seed is obtainable, every patron of the local gin should use Acala.

Farmers are not inclined to select their plants for seed, and few are apt to rogue. However, when any crop develops to a considerable local commercial importance, seed breeders are born and reared over night. Of this number who have developed a "seed fever" a few remain to become the originators of many of our most important varieties of the different field crops. This local seed improvement work is usually good for the community since the breeders are men interested in local problems and work with the local varieties. Their seed is produced where the farmer can see for himself the crop grown and judge its quality and value under local conditions. Every farmer should always be careful to select the best pure local seed available.

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NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

In the District Court, Eddy County, New Mexico.

No. 3752.

Josephine Kruse, Plaintiff,

vs.

L. G. Syferd and Anna Syferd, Defendants.

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to a decree of foreclosure made in the above entitled cause on the 16th day of January 1924, in which the amount awarded to plaintiff together with interest to date of sale is Nine Hundred Forty-Nine and 95-100 (\$949.95) Dollars and costs and for the foreclosure of a certain mortgage described therein upon certain real estate hereinafter described and ordering said real estate sold to satisfy said judgement I, the undersigned Special Master appointed under said decree, will sell at public vendue to the highest and best bidder for cash at ten o'clock a. m. on April 19th, 1924, at the front door of the 1st National Bank at Artesia, Eddy County, New Mexico, to-wit:--All of Blocks twenty-four (24) and twenty-five (25) and a strip of land 46.9 feet off the south side of block nineteen (19) and strip of land 46.9 feet wide off the south side of Block Eighteen (18) at the west end and 50 feet wide at the east end thereof all of said blocks being in Fairview Addition to the town of Artesia, according to the recorded plat thereof to satisfy said judgement, costs and costs of sale.

J. B. ATKESON,
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Lots of folks don't know that we sell paint---but we do---lots of it. House Paints, Varnishes in colors, White Enamel, "Effecto" Enamel for automobiles.

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Hardware

Walace Anderson made trip to El Paso this week with a truck load of produce for Wilson Anderson.

STOP THAT ITCHING

Use Blue Star Remedy for Eczema, Itch, Tetter or Cracked Hands, Ring Worms, Chapped Face, Poison Oak, Sunburns, Old Sores or Sores on Children. It relieves all forms of Sore Feet. For sale by

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MRS. A. A. KAISER FOR COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT.

We are authorized in this issue of the Advocate to announce Mrs. A. A. Kaiser of Carlsbad as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Superintendent. Mrs. Kaiser who is at present serving her first term is well acquainted with all of the school patrons of the county.

The success of any aspirant to a public office should rightfully be judged by the progress made, if they have previously held the office. Much improvement has been noted in the public schools of Eddy County since the administration of Mrs. Kaiser, not only in the housing problem, the improved building equipment, but those who are interested in the educational affairs of the county feel that the educational standard has been lifted. This improvement has been made in the face of the most trying conditions; a shortage of funds. Only those who have been actively connected with our public schools for the past few years realize what a serious handicap it has meant to the educational system. Such has been the condition under which Mrs. Kaiser has served the public, yet the steady progress made along educational lines during the past two years, bespeaks for her a record be cherished by any one.

Gus Bennett and R. L. Hall have returned to Oklahoma after spending a few days here looking after their interests. They report the Pitcher Oil and Gas Company, which is located 6 miles east of Artesia drilling at 550 feet.

E. T. JERNIGAN

Formerly of Clovis, N. M.

Has Purchased the Jewelry and Watch Repairing business of A. F. Roselle, and has opened a repair shop in the C. Mann Drug Store. He has had twenty-two years of actual experience in repair work. Fifteen years of this time has been spent in railroad watch service.

He Knows Watches Come in and See

LAKE ARTHUR NEWS.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Urton of Dexter spent the week end at their parents home with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Reeves.

Mrs. Bob Bailey, who underwent an operation in the Carlsbad Sanatorium, last week, is home and doing nicely.

D. E. McKinney and family have moved to a farm out on Cottowood. We miss these good people very much.

Mrs. W. A. Sturman, teacher of the primary room is very ill at the Roswell Infirmary.

Annie Joe Pate who has been real sick is better.

Mrs. M. W. Evans received a message Friday that her mother, Mrs. Hearth was very low at her home in Pasadena, Calif. Mrs. Evans left on the night train, and word has been received since that Mrs. Hearth died.

E. L. Selby and family moved back from Roswell, to their farm near here, last week. We are very glad indeed to have them make their home among us again.

Mrs. R. F. Beasley is teaching the primary room in Mrs. Sturmans place this week.

Clint Nail, who was very seriously hurt by falling from a derrick, some time ago is improving. He was brought home from the Roswell Infirmary last week.

Miss Lois McKinney and Etta Brown are staying at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Evans, and attending school here since their parents have moved to the country.

Little George Milo Murphy, who has been sick for the past week is better.

Rev. Falls who is in traveling in connection with the American Sunday School Union delivered a morning and evening sermon here last Sunday.

"COME ON OVER" folks and hear Phillis Polk, sing medley of Irish songs, at the Majestic Wednesday and Thursday, March 26-27.

LAKEWOOD ITEMS.

Miss Mabel Robinson and mother and Mr. Luther Wilcox were in Lakewood Sunday, visiting Mrs. Larramore.

Mrs. Belle De Autremont has a radio installed. She says it gives them a great deal of amusement.

Verne De Autremont is working on the road near Carlsbad.

Mr. D. E. Webb has bought the old barber shop with two rooms attached from Mrs. Wilder and will move into them as soon as he gets it repaired.

Mrs. Romah Thompson and baby of Taylor, Texas are here visiting her father, Mr. H. D. Cass, and sister, Miss Florence.

M. C. Lee, wife and daughter, Miss Bernice were Artesia visitors Saturday.

Dr. B. L. McAleer must have been recently bereaved as he has crepe on his door, but we have not heard of any deaths in his family. The Dr. has our sympathy, any way.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Shafer were Artesia visitors Saturday.

Mr. Richard Hartman of San Francisco, California is visiting in Lakewood, the guest of Miss Florence Cass.

Uncle Bill Arnold is seriously ill at his ranch home west of Lakewood. He is suffering from a stroke of paralysis and pneumonia. As he is getting up in years, little hope is entertained for his recovery.

Mrs. Addie Henry, widowed daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hellyer died at their home in Lakewood, Tuesday. Interment will be made in the Roswell cemetery. She leaves three children who are at present in the Odd Fellow's Home at Roswell. She was a member of the Rebecca Lodge.

Wish to have a public sale?
W. E. RAGSDALE, Auctioneer.

FOR SALE OR TRADE--Dodge touring car in good condition. See Dr. Loucks.

NOTICE!

I, A. F. Roselle of Artesia, N. M. have sold all interest in the Jewelry and watch repair business as I have been conducting it in Artesia, to Mr. E. T. Jernigan and I earnestly recommend him to the people of Artesia, as a business man and as a workman he is efficient. I wish to thank all the people of this community for the loyal patronage I have enjoyed these 4 years I have been in business here. I will remain a citizen of Artesia, producing Bees and Honey.

Respectfully,
A. F. ROSELLE.

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He has a late model Ford Touring Car in good condition for sale, battery, starter and all.

Come around and say hello anyway, if you do not want to buy cars.

He Still Has a Few Used Tires for Sale

Saturday and Monday

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BLUE BIRD DISHES

Plates, 9 inches, each	25c
Plates, 7 inches	20c
Plates, 6 inches	15c
Plates, 11 inches	35c
Plates, 10 inches	30c
Bowls, Deep 9 inch	35c
Bowls, Deep 7 inch	20c
Bowls, Deep 6 inch	15c
Bowls, Oatmeal, 7 1-2 inch	20c
Fruit Dish, 5 1-2 inch	15c
Teacups and Saucers	25c

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WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY, MARCH 26-27

PROLOGUE--Phyllis Polk in the costume of Monya, the character played by Colleen Moore, will sing a medley of twelve Irish songs

"COME ON OVER" With COLLEEN MOORE

And an All-Star Cast

"It's a Sad Day I Put Foot on the Ocean"

Monya had waited weeks and weeks for him to send for her, then she came without notice. The very first thing she heard was her sweetheart promising to meet another at the priest's. No eternal triangle, but everlasting fun--Rupert Hughes combining the laughs of his "Scratch My Back" with the heart tug of "The Old Nest." The punch of a shillalah, the sweetness of an Irish rose, fun fresh from the "Ould Sod."

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