

Favorable Report Made by Engineers

Route of Good Worked Out. Effort will be Made to Push Construction of Road.

The route of good grade has been worked out by the El Paso for the proposed railroad from the plains country to El Paso that in all will go through this city. This was the report made by the engineers to the committee appointed by the organization who are making effort to have the new road. After making an over-look during which the topography of the country was closely examined by the engineers, Vernon L. Sullivan and Wal-Stockell, engineers, made a trip to locate the best possible route between the Sacramento and the mountains.

Most Valuable Report.

The report and of the com- munity had been made, would have cost of dollars.

Three engineers on the former railroad com- mitters: district highway D. E. H. Manigault, James engineer at William Beau- mont, and A. L. White, for- ty engineer.

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Governor W. P. Hunt Commends C. M. T. C. for Support

San Houston, Texas, June 1. Governor W. P. Hunt, of Ari- zona, has received from the C. M. T. C. a keynote for the States when he says of the Military Training Camps: "The movement as the citizens' training camps must natu- rally be the support of every gov- ernment which is interested in carrying out military policies of the States as laid down in the defense act."

of Hunt's letter to the General of the Eighth Army is the third letter which has been received from gov- ernment in the Eighth Corps Area commander that he was deeply gratified by the whole hearted support of the leading citizens of the Corps had rendered him in placing before the young men the excellent merits of the C. M. T. C.

of 2500 applications have been received for the 1925 camps. Interested are urged to sub- mit early application as no more will be made until the 15th has been received.

WATER CUT OFF IN WELLS TEST

With the water cemented off in the W. C. Wells No. 1 test in the center of Sec. 19-20-30 at a depth of 1676 feet, this wildcat it is believed, will make a producer rang- ing from twenty-five to fifty bar- rels of low gravity oil. Located in the southeast trend the Wells test has attracted considerable atten- tion as it is between the present pro- ducing area and the Snowden-McSweeney well to be drilled on the Twin Hills anticline in the center of Sec. 4-21-30. This is on a struc- ture worked out by V. H. McNutt who located the discovery well in the local pool. Due to the loose sand, Snowden-McSweeney have been forced to build a hard surface road to their location at a cost of \$2500. Drilling, it is reported, will be pushed with all possible speed.

OPERATION FOR APPENDICITIS

The young daughter of J. A. Whin- ery, living on the Lawrence ranch, was operated upon for appendicitis by Dr. Stroup at St. Francis hos- pital in Roswell on Monday. Yes- terday she was reported to be get- ting along very nicely.

LUSK IS DISCHARGED ASST. COMMISSIONER FREED OF CHARGES

Preliminary Hearing at Santa Fe Attracts State Wide Attention. Lack of Evidence is Commented on by State Press.

Aud E. Lusk, assistant state land commissioner, charged by Commis- sioner E. B. Swope with embezzle- ment and other crimes, was dis- charged after preliminary hearing today by Justice of the Peace Manual B. Salazar. The court found no evidence to show "that the defend- ant intended to do anything wrong, or to violate any law."

It, moreover, found that "from the testimony it seems that the defend- ant has been made the victim of circumstances which have been raised by others in an attempt to discredit the said defendant, and anyone can judge for himself what motive is back of this prosecution."

Following the 4-hour hearing yes- terday afternoon, the court took the case under advisement and gave his decision shortly before noon today.

A feature of the hearing was the scathing denunciation of Swope by J. D. Atwood attorney for Lusk, who charged Swope had been guilty of a deliberate scheme to bring disrepute upon Lusk because the latter was a possible rival for the nomination of land commissioner.

No Evidence Whatever to Incriminate Lusk

Judge Salazar's decision follows in full: State of New Mexico, County of Santa Fe—In Justice of the Peace Court.

Precinct No. 18, State of New Mexico, plaintiff, vs. Aud E. Lusk, defendant.

ORDER

This cause coming on for hearing this 28th day of May, A. D. 1925, the day set for trial; the defendant entered a plea of not guilty to the charges in the complaints, he appear- ing in person and by his attorneys, Judge C. J. Roberts and Col. J. D. Atwood and the state being repre- sented by Assistant District Attor- ney J. J. Kenney and Mr. J. S. Vaught. The court after hearing the testimony in the case, FINDS:

1. That in my opinion there is no evidence whatever showing that the defendant intended to do anything wrong or to violate any law.

2. That from the testimony it seems that the defendant has been made the victim of circumstances which have been raised by others in an attempt to discredit the said defend- ant, and anyone can judge for himself what motive is back of this prosecution.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED ADJUDGED AND DECREED that the defendant is hereby discharged of all the charges in the complaints.

Done at Santa Fe, New Mexico this 29th day of May, A. D. 1925. MANUEL B. SALAZAR, Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 18, Santa Fe, N. M.— Santa Fe New Mexican, May 29th.

DANCE

There will be a dance at the Oasis pleasure resort every Wednes- day and Saturday. Music will be furnished by the Artesia Harmony Five. Come and bring your friends.

MRS. C. E. SMYER DIES AFTER A LONG ILLNESS WIFE OF S. F. OFFICIAL

Resident of Clovis for Many Years. Was Active in Social and Civic Affairs of the State—Was Well Known in Valley.

Mrs. C. E. Smyer, wife of Super- intendent Smyer of the Pecos Div- ision of the Santa Fe, passed away at the family home on Axtell Street in Clovis Wednesday morning after a prolonged illness. Mrs. Smyer had been confined to her bed for 67 days, but bore her long suffering with true Christian fortitude.

Mrs. Smyer was born at San Francisco, California, April 6, 1873. She is survived by her husband and three daughters, Misses Mary Gene- vieve, Frances and Eileen, who with her mother, Mrs. Delia Farley, and sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Lem White, of Raton, were at her bedside when the end came. She is also survived by three brothers—Dr. John Farley of Raton, Chas. T. Farley of Las Vegas, and Wm. T. Farley of South Pasadena, California.

Mrs. Smyer has been active in club and social circles in Clovis and was a member of the Civic and other clubs here. She was presi- dent of the District Federation of Women's Clubs and had always taken an active interest in the women's work in the state.

Brief funeral services were held at the home at 5:30 Thursday after- noon and were conducted by Father Honorious Lipps of Sacred Heart Church. The remains, accompanied by the family and friends, were taken on train No. 1 to Raton, N. M., where they will be buried on Saturday morning.—Clovis News.

Superintendent Smyer is well known in Artesia, having visited here a number of times and has made a host of friends, who will sympa- thize with him in the loss of his companion.

MEMORIAL SERVICE

Memorial services were held at the Baptist church last Saturday morning at ten o'clock. Rev. Hooper Adams, who was to have delivered the address, being ill, that duty fell to the Rev. L. R. Simmons, pastor of the church. Taking for his theme the text "Fight the good fight as becometh a good soldier of Jesus Christ," Mr. Simmons preach- ed an excellent sermon upon patriot- ism. He stated that if the time should come that all of the people were too busy with business and other affairs to take one day a year to pay tribute to the heroes, who gave their all in defense of the American ideals, then those ideals and the government which exem- plifies them will be in grave danger.

Special music was furnished by a quartette of young ladies—the Misses Glenda Gray, Helen Bullock, Elizabeth Adams and Elaine Feem- ster, with Miss Dora Russell at the piano.

The meeting had not been ade- quately announced and consequently the attendance was small.

DEATH OF F. M. LINELL

Fay Mortimore Linell died at Long Beach, California, May 19, 1925. The immediate cause of death was pneumonia, following an injury which he received in a machine shop some seven weeks ago. He made a gallant fight for life, but the best of care and his own keen wish to live, were unable to save him. Funeral services were held at the undertaking parlors in Long Beach, at seven p. m. on Thursday, the 21st and were attended by many of the Artesia friends, who are in southern California. The remains arrived here on Sunday, the 24th, accompanied by the wife and mother, and services were conducted that afternoon at the home of his par- ents, by Rev. Hooper Adams, of the Presbyterian church. Beautiful music was rendered by a quartette consisting of Mesdames V. L. Gates and Rex Wheatley and Messrs. Earl Bigler and Austin Brown. There was a profusion of lovely floral offerings from both Long Beach and Artesia friends. The interment was in Woodbine cemetery.

NEW BAND DIRECTOR

A. D. Barlow, the new director of the Artesia Juvenile band, will hold the first open air concert to- night. Mr. Barlow, who hails from Texas, is a musician of many ac- complishments and it is expected that under his tutorage the band will make rapid progress.

Come out and hear the band in their first open air concert.

BETTER MAILING WEEK CARELESS PERSONS COST GOV'T. HUGE SUM

Postmaster General Con- ducts Nation Wide Cam- paign to Educate the Pub- lic in Better Mailing to Get Better Service.

While it is generally accepted that this is not the age of miracles, never-the-less, there are thousands of patrons of the United States who take it for granted that Uncle Sam has many wonder-workers on his pay roll.

The very fact that there are wizards in the employ of the Post Office Department—men and women who are uncanny, to say the least, in deciphering illegible hand-writing—has caused no end of trouble and expense to the government as well as to the tax-payer, along with in- convenience in the receipt and deliv- ery of mail matter.

Yet, with all this expert handling and careful study of handwriting on the part of the postal clerks the an- nual revenue from dead mail mat- ter received by the government amounts to approximately \$300,000.

Last year, the dead letter office received \$120,000 from the sale of orphaned packages which could neither be forwarded to the addres- see nor returned to the senders be- cause of inadequate addresses. The same office turned into the United States treasury \$55,523.96 in cash removed from misdirected letters or found loose in the mails.

Postage stamps were taken from letters or found loose in the mails having a value of \$12,165.67, almost double the entire revenue of the postal service in 1789.

Three-cent fees collected for the return to senders of letters which could not be delivered totaled \$92,907.54.

But this is not half the story. Checks, drafts and money orders, whose owners could not be located, and amounting to \$3,546,542.54 finally found resting place in the dead letter office.

DR. LOUCKS GARAGE IS APPOINTED UNITED MOTORS SERVICE STATION

Dr. Loucks, this week received an appointment designating his garage as the official service station of the United Motors Corporation, for the Delco, Remy and Klaxon products. The Dr. has received a complete stock of parts and will be prepared to give factory service on the above named products.

T. A. Cleary, of Denver, Colorado, was here the latter part of April completing the arrangements for the service station and completely satisfied his company that the Dr. "knew his stuff," and has ordered out an official sign of the United Motors Corporation to be displayed at the Dr's place of business.

Among the equipment Dr. Loucks is installing to handle this service is a motor equipped test stand which he says "will do most any- thing and everything."

It is quite a compliment to Dr. Loucks' electrical ability to be made official service station for this concern as it is the only service station in the Pecos Valley.

OPENING OF ROSE LAWN INN

F. J. and E. J. Brooks announce the opening of the Rose Lawn Inn for next Monday, June 8th. This was formerly the Brooks residence and it has been completely remodeled and refurnished and another seven room house built, strictly modern in every respect and completely fur- nished with new furniture. The ad- dition of these two houses for the accommodation of visitors will help to fill a very urgent need as rooms are a scarce article in Artesia.

GOVERNOR HERE VISITS OIL FIELD

This city was honored Tuesday by a visit of Governor A. T. Hannett and party, who are on a tour of the eastern part of the state. A trip to the oil field surprised the visitors with the amount of drilling that is being carried on. Others in the party were Mrs. Hannett, former governor, J. F. Hinkle, Adjutant General Yeager and Colonel Thomas, of the governor's staff.

BABY DIES IN FIELD

Ruth Phyllis, the baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harley Casady, died in the field Tuesday, aged one year ten months and seven days. The remains were shipped to Rockwood, Tennessee, for burial.

Advocate Want Ads Get Results.

DR. C. RUSSELL ELECTED C. OF C. PRESIDENT

At the annual meeting of the Chamber of Commerce held Monday night, Dr. C. Russell was elected to the presidency of the organiza- tion for the coming year, succeeding C. W. Bartlett who has held the post of honor for the past year. Several ballots were taken before the necessary majority was cast in favor of Dr. Russell. Following the election of the president, H. E. Stone, a newcomer to this city was elected vice-president, with Dr. J. J. Clarke retained as secretary and treasurer. Dr. Clarke, who has been active in the work of this and other civic organizations for the past eighteen years, and who has been instrumental in obtaining many new industries and improvements for the city, was honored by his associates, his election being by acclamation. Directors elected were E. B. Bullock, W. E. Ragsdale, J. H. Jackson and J. B. Cecil. A vote of appreciation was given the latter on his work in obtaining many new members, the organization now having the largest membership in its history. A large percentage of the new members are oil men who have made this city their home and who are always active in civic affairs.

GROWTH OF OIL FIELD IN ONE YEARS TIME SURPRISES VISITORS

Those Familiar with Early Operations Astonished by Number of Completions and Amount of Drilling Under Way.

The rapid growth of the oil field is little short of a marvel, when one stops to consider that develop- ment work in a new field is neces- sarily slow until operations are well under way. To those who might have visited the field a year ago, the change is more apparent.

It will be remembered by those who are familiar with the operations in the field from an early date that there were only three wells, which commanded attention at this period last year. They were the Illinois No. 3, the Picher and the Tignor-Windsor. While the latter proved a disappointment to the operators, many are of the opinion that oil in paying quantities could have been found had the well been drilled deeper.

Drills Picher with Spartan Spudder

The drilling of the Picher forms an interesting episode in the early history of the field, not because it proved to be a real sensation as far as a producer, but because the drillers, Carper Brothers, we believe, proved how easy and how economical a well might be drilled in the terri- tory, and this feature, by the way, has been one of the principal draw- ing cards as well as an attractive feature for the independent oper- ator. Experienced oil men shook their heads in doubt when it was announced that the Picher would drill the well with a Spartan spudder. Maybe they would get down 500 feet and maybe they would not, but the attempt to drill to the 2000 foot level was given little considera- tion. They did, however, and what's more they found the oil. Even after the completion of the Picher and the Illinois No. 3, it was hard to vision the present day scene of operations.

Two Territories Now Command Attention

The locality of the former opera- tions would likely be passed with scarcely a look, so fast has the scene of developments shifted, and which is now under way to the east and north in the vicinity of the famous Maljamar producers. Not every operator could tell you the location of the big Illinois gasser No. 2. Still farther north, in the vicinity of the New State well No. 2, development is going forward at fever heat. While wells may never be crowded like those found in the Texas fields, an operator may soon have to look twice to locate his own well if viewed from a distance.

Much Material Carried Out During Past Year.

Still more surprising is the amount of lumber and building ma- terials used in the field during the past year. Two localities, Oil City and the Illinois camps, have probab- ly shown the most rapid growth re- cently, as the sound of the hammer never ceases during working hours. Other localities are building rapidly and bunk houses, residences and business houses can be seen at every turn.

Drillers on the Job.

Another evidence of the changing conditions may be found when one (Continued on last page, column 2)

Production Is Increased By Four More Completions

Two of the New Producers Prove Largest in the Field with No. 3 Maljamar Good for 600 Barrels Many Others Near Sand.

Four completions for the week, two of which are the largest wells in the field, has again evidenced the fact that the local oil field is a pro- lific one. The distinction of com- pleting the largest producer goes to the Maljamar Oil Co., which drilled in its No. 3 producer, located on the east line of their 160 acre tract, this being the NW 1/4 of Sec. 18, Twp. 18, Range 28.

The first sand, according to the log, was picked up at 2005 feet, this being followed by lime with the real pay encountered at 2025 feet. This drilled a distance of six feet, caused the hole to fill with fluid and late Friday night the well started flow- ing natural, causing tankers and pipe liners to work in oil to their shoe tops, the well running wild for several hours.

Shot Tuesday afternoon by Hal Dixon with 110 quarts, run between 2010 and 2052 feet, the hole cleaned itself nicely and after the first twenty-four hours showed 600 bar- rels on the gauge. A strong gas pressure is one of the chief features of the big producer.

Offsetting the Maljamar to the east, Flynn Welch & Yates also brought in their No. 13, which from all appearances should equal its big neighbor, when completed. It was not as spectacular as the Mitchell-Baish completion, due chiefly to the fact an 8-inch hole was drilled to the sand, while the Maljamar No. 3 has 6 1/2 casing set at 1850 feet. It is reported that a joint of 8 1/2 inch casing collapsed in the No. 13, fol- lowing the shot and an attempt to pull this, partly wrecked the derrick. The well however, will be on produc- tion during the next few days.

On the north end of the field, the Ohio Oil Co. have completed their first producer, this being the No. 2 well in the SW 1/4 of Sec. 4, Twp. 18, Range 28, on the property recently acquired from the New State Oil Co., of Roswell. Shot with 100 quarts from 2280 to 2310 feet, it appears to be good for about 100 barrels, no gauge of the production having been reported. Southeast of this producer, in Sec. 10, Twp. 18, Range 28, Van Welch is completing the No. 1 on the Dunn permit. This should make a nice well when completed, as con- siderable sand has been encountered. From a late report the crew have a fishing job on their hands, a bailer being lost after three torpedoes were run.

Of considerable interest to local operators is the picking up of a heavily saturated sand in the V. K. (Continued on last page, column 1)

HOPE C OF C BOOSTERS PLAN ADV. CAMPAIGN TO EXPLOIT DISTRICT

The Hope Chamber of Commerce met Wednesday night with an un- usually large crowd of both men and women attending the meeting and taking an interest in various ven- tures that were proposed as being for the good of Hope and its future progress and development. The rail- road, water and oil questions were again discussed and plans were adopted for the creation of a bigger and stronger organization.

Among the speakers of the evening were Mr. Josey, chairman, Noel Johnson, secretary, Senator Moon, Dr. Puckett, Z. Cox, various ladies and the representative of the Penasco Valley Press who explained at length the whys and wherefores of the coming illustrated booster edi- tion of the press which is now in course of preparation.

Being put to discussion and later a vote, it received the unanimous en- dorsement of the members and it was the consensus of opinion that this would react most favorably for the Hope district in as much as it would set this country and its ad- vantages before the outside world in the right light.

Music was ably rendered by sev- eral ladies, including the Misses Mary Kathleen Coffin, Lucile Morris, Hazel Bell Johnson and Mrs. Burnett. At the close of the meeting refreshments were served, the ladies presiding over this function also.

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THE NEWS

It is the purpose of the Advocate at all times to publish the news, truthful, unbiased, authentic. No individual, firm or section will at any time be exploited through the columns of this newspaper. This applies chiefly to the news of the oil field, which is obtained from reliable sources and carefully checked. Every effort is made to obtain a drilling report giving the depths of the wells on the morning of the day of going to press. The Advocate's subscribers are from 44 states and we want our readers to know the doings of the local field, whether they live in New York City or Los Angeles. Nothing gives us greater pleasure than writing about a big producer coming in. If a test is abandoned we will write about it also—with regret.

The unanimous re-election of Dr. J. J. Clarke to the secretaryship of the Chamber of Commerce is indeed gratifying. Active in this organization for the past eighteen years, Dr. Clarke has earned the highest esteem of his fellow citizens. Without thought of personal compensation, he has devoted his time and energy to the development of Artesia and he deserves the active co-operation of the members, and their support in the many problems that now face this city.

NEW MEXICO'S RESOURCES

(Extracts from an Article taken from the Southern Newspaper Service)

As the sun slowly sinks in the west and closes another day of modernized welfare, the scrutinizing eye of the banker, the manufacturer, the business man, and the farmer merchant all turn their eyes to the west. New Mexico, a baby state with its growing popularity, has branched forth in the eye of a larger number of people than has befallen many a gold rush as in the days of old.

In the opening of the famous Carlsbad Caves begins the stairway of adventure seeking tourists climb. There are many parks to be made in New Mexico, which with the driving determination that is being put behind these methods by the Hon. John Morrow, representative at large from that state, there can be no measure of comparison drawn which could in any way estimate the number of tourists that will in the next decade visit these wonderful nature scenes; a state of unsurpassed scenic beauty. As the summer season tourists begin to cross the western desert coming east, they ride through the beautiful, natural parks of this state, which are under contemplation of enormous improvements by the Interior department, to build a chain of improved highways from park to park will mean an outlay of possibly a million dollars, but this highway will travel more than a million people bent upon seeing the handiwork of a vision of a member of congress which has been worked out through natural scenery. The scenic wonders of the natural formation of the national monuments of New Mexico are but merely described in all the publications issued by the government combined, as to what one might see upon a personal visit through the state.

Passing from the beautiful scenic wonders to the next activity of this growing baby state, we must take into consideration agriculture. Well known is the fact to those who have studied the situation, that it is but a matter of time until the golden west will be compelled to clothe and sustain the enormous increasing population of the so-called great east. I believe the greatness should also be expressed of the west.

New Mexico with its many fertile valleys and its variations of climate

permits it to grow many fruits and greens and vegetables as well as cotton and animals that produce our woolen clothes. No estimate can be made at this time as to the further possibilities of any locality within the great state, except that this; The railroad companies are casting a careful eye in that direction. There are some applications at this time pending before the Interstate Commerce Commission for the extension of various branches of the railroads which traverse the state and the banking system is beginning to clarify itself. Some banks have shown enormous increases in their deposits, which means that circulating money is beginning to flow within the state. With the past season, which has been augmented by a fairly good agricultural return is the foundation for some of this activity.

Increased prices in the live stock industry is another basis upon which some claim may be made. The financial report of the leading railroad companies show an increased business. The farmer dollar, as was rated by the merchant, banker and railroad man, was worth 89 cents in 1920. At about this time in 1921, it had fallen to seventy-seven or seventy-eight cents, which was the lowest valuation in trading circles that could be estimated of a dollar valuation. But today, this same dollar's trading value has increased again to nearly its face value. In other words the rapidity with which the farm products declined after the world war closed, is righting itself and gaining on a sturdy foundation which has every indication of being a permanent fixture. New Mexico offers today more opportunities per capita than any other state in the union. The oil industry is beginning to awaken and the world's famous geologists are carefully studying formation reports of many parts of New Mexico. It is but a matter of time until derrick after derrick will be mounted by the famous flowing gold "Oil."

New Mexico's wealth today as estimated by the wealth, department and taxation survey of the bureau of census, is something over \$850,000,000. This is an enormous increase per capita as compared with many other states, when you figure that the population as shown by the census reports place the state as 44th in number of peoples. Its vast wealth is yet to be uncovered, but the name of the state will be well preserved in the history of the 68th as well as the 69th congress by the determination of its fighting representative.

HICKORY CHIPS

Read this one to your wife. A Paducah (Ky.) husband broke his collar bone while beating a rug.

Nothing like taking opportunity by the horns. A bull-fighter in Mexico has just died leaving \$1,000,000.

French will try a non-stop flight across the Atlantic. Is this a result of Hindenburg's election?

Since Dr. Eliot insists that there will be work to do in heaven, we've got to get busy and save the souls of a few efficiency experts.

An economist announces that the number of women breadwinners is growing constantly. No doubt there are more winning it than there are baking it.

American film actresses marry in haste and repeat at leisure.

Ned Nugent says a man with a billion dollars is forever shut out from the genuine fun of a penny ante poker game.

Did Young Riehligh go through that fortune his father left him? "No, he went through a windshield a week after his father died."

The final test of pure religion is to keep on loving men whom you no longer have need for.

"A man dat thinks he ain't got no need of religion," said Uncle Josh "is generally found carryin' a rabbit's foot an' worryin' 'bout not seein' de new moon over his left shoulder."

A telephone operator says she is able to keep patient only through reading the Bible. Other operators should follow suit. We recommend the book of Numbers.

Hindenburg, it is reported, received the news of his victory in silence. Evidently feeling that the election called for neither Marx nor remarks.

One of the hardest things to do these days it to find something to do that isn't against the law.

We wonder what that Louisville, Kentucky chau, who fainted three times while he was being married will do when the first month's bills come in?

A prohibition movement in Germany is finding unexpected encouragement. The "fatherland" in its perplexities is showing a willingness to try anything once.

"What I wants to know," said Uncle Moses, "is whut de North Pole is g'inter be good for when somebody discovers it sho' nuff."

WETS AND DRY. "There is just two things that breaks up most of the happy homes nowadays."

"What are they?" "Womens love for dry goods and man's love for wet goods."

HARD AS NAILS. Prospect, nervously entering car for demonstration—"Have you ever been arrested for going too fast?" Hard boiled salesman—"No but I've been slapped more than once."

"Medical science has been able to check a great many of these children's diseases."—"Yes, but children today, instead of getting scarlet fever or diphtheria, get a motor car, so we really are not much better off than we used to be."

Nashville, Tennessee woman, 116 years old, chewed and smoked tobacco 100 years. It may get her yet.

We think the rumor that Ford will grow his own rubber trees in Georgia is stretching the truth a bit.

The Prince of Wales is writing poetry, and poets seldom remain bachelors for very long.

A Salt Lake City man tells us he was a fool when he married and his wife tells us he hasn't changed.

Coolidge gets up about 5:30 every morning. Now what other little boy wants to be president?

Most of the gossips are in small towns. Those in the larger towns soon die from loss of sleep.

Trouble with having the big head is that it proves it's half empty.

Cops traced a Boston grocery store thief by a trail of beans. He certainly spilled the beans.

The reason so many persons don't vote is because they wish to remain free and untrammelled to criticize whatever side gets in.

Observations of Oldest Inhabitant: These days if a woman has one, she has so many children she doesn't know what to do.

Onion production in Canada last year is estimated at 1,095,000 bushels, but Love will find a way.

Many a small boy is kept in after school because his father worked his arithmetic wrong.

Doctors are changing people's noses. Sticking yours where it doesn't belong sometimes changes it.

HAMMOND SENT BACK TO ASYLUM

Herbert J. Hammond, Sr., former Clayton, N. M., banker was committed to the state asylum for the insane by Judge Reed Holloman of the district court yesterday afternoon in an insanity hearing.

Hammond recently was sentenced to eight to ten years in the penitentiary when he pleaded guilty at Raton to receiving deposits at his bank knowing it at the time to be insolvent, after a jury in the district court there had found him sane. Previously for several months, Hammond had been in the Las Vegas asylum.

Since his commitment to the penitentiary, Hammond has been kept in the hospital under medical observation.

Four doctors testified at the hearing yesterday afternoon that Hammond was insane. Two of them, Dr. E. W. Fiske and Dr. J. A. Massie, together with the superintendent of the asylum testified Hammond was insane at the hearing at Raton, but the jury decided otherwise.

The aged banker broke down when Judge Holloman issued the order and wept, asking those present if he was going to be killed.—Santa Fe New Mexican, Saturday, May 30th. The trial of the Hammonds at Raton was followed with interest as they were well known in many parts of the valley.

Advocate want ads get results.

DISEASES REPORTED FOR WEEK ENDING MAY 23

Diphtheria—Otero 1, Rio Arriba 3.
German Measles—Colfax 1.
Gonorrhoea—Chaves 3, Colfax 19, Grant 2, San Juan 1.
Influenza—Dona Ana 1.
Malaria—Dona Ana 2.
Measles—Bernalillo 1, Dona Ana 1, Grant 2.
Mumps—Bernalillo 4, Catron 4, Chaves 3, Colfax 1, Quay 1, Santa Fe 2, Union 2.
Pneumonia—Colfax 2, Dona Ana 2, Grant 1, Lincoln 1, Luna 1, Valencia 1.
Scarlet Fever—Colfax 1, Guadalupe 1, Lincoln 2, McKinley 1, Sandoval 1, Santa Fe 1.
Smallpox—Grant 2.
Syphilis—Colfax 7.
Tuberculosis—Bernalillo 3, Grant 12, Lincoln 2.
Typhoid—Colfax 1.
Whooping Cough—Colfax 1.

Odd Monkey Specimen

One of the most interesting specimens in the world zoos was the monkey that didn't have a tail, in Australia. He was the most human-like of all Old-world monkeys on exhibition. He did not have even the vestige of a rudimentary tail and his cry was a single wail, singularly like the cry of a child. He was all black except for a white frontal band over his eyes.

We have a complete line of samples of social stationery—Artesia Advocate.

DAIRY AND PRODUCTS ADD \$600 TO FARM INCOMES

That eastern New Mexico farmers believe in diversifying is clearly indicated by the fact that they produced over \$600 worth of dairy and poultry products per farm in 1924, if the 200 farms on which records were taken are typical of the region. More than \$400 worth of these products were sold, and \$200 worth were consumed on the farm.

These preliminary figures have just been made available by E. W. Wooten of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, from a partial summary of the farm management survey records which were taken in Curry and Roosevelt counties this spring. The survey was made in cooperation with the New Mexico A. and M. College and County Agents E. C. Helinger and Ralph Will, of these counties, for the purpose of analyzing the agriculture of this region.

The farms studied were not dairy and poultry farms, but were typical farms to be found in the community. A few more or less specialized poultry farms were included, but several of the specialized milk producing farms from which records were secured were not included in the figures just given. In the main, the 200 farms analyzed were typical crop producing farms on which a few milk cows and a small flock of poultry were kept.

The value of the poultry and dairy products sold in Roosevelt county amounts to more than \$500, while those in Curry county amount to little less than \$350. This difference can be attributed partially to difference in the type of crops grown. Roosevelt county grows practically on grain except the grain sorghums, which make excellent poultry and dairy feed, while Curry county grows considerable wheat. The value of the products sold per farm in both counties, however, is encouraging.

Most of the farmers from whom records were secured have been farming in this section for a number of years, and their present farm organization is a result of their experience under a great variety of trying conditions. Most of them feel confident of raising some feed nearly every year, and they have found that an income of several hundred dollars from poultry and dairy products is a means of adding materially to their income during good crop years as an asset in carrying them safely through the years when dry weather prevails and there are few crop sales. New settlers in this region might well study the farming systems used by the older settlers before deciding on a definite system of their own.

NOTICE

This will give the public notice that I am no longer connected in any way with Oil City, in Eddy County. 6-4-1t J. B. LOONEY.

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Reliable Drilling and Production Reports
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THAT'S OUR BUSINESS
We always do our best and our best grows better every day.
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SHEET METAL
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BATH ROOM FIXTURES
OIL WELL SUPPLIES
COLUMBIAN STEEL TANKS
JOHN DEERE IMPLEMENTS
FAIRBANKS-MORSE ENGINES
HEAVY HARDWARE
L. P. EVANS

E. B. BULLOCK

Feed, Flour, Coal and See

Artesia, New Mexico

Housewives: Warm weather soon be here. Be prepared to do your cooking with comfort by having a

Nesco Perfect Oil Cook
Stove

Ask for a Demonstration

Joyce-Pruit Comp

HARDWARE DEPARTMENT
IT PAYS TO TRADE WITH J. P. CO.

OIL LEASES

In the New Artesia Oil Field
If you have a bargain for sale, list it with me, I have the buyers.

Beecher Rowan
Artesia, :: New Mexico

Upton Board

Texaco Roof

Lowe Brothers Paints

All Quality Products, Nationally Advertised

Backed by the Manufacturer

AND

Kemp Lumber Co

PHONE 14

Quality Building Materials

STANDARD STORE NEWS

MEMBER, PRIDE OF ROCKIES FLOUR IS THE BEST
FLOUR AND THE BEST BUY AT

\$2.60

PER 48 POUND SACK OF ANY FLOUR IN TOWN. TRY
A SACK OF THIS SUPERIOR FLOUR TODAY

THE STANDARD STORE

Phone 15

Free Delivery

ARTESIA, NEW MEXICO

Flapperism
out New Coats
Dignity Feature of
ing Wraps—Follow
Flaring Lines.

The new tendencies which
last spring and then
by a killing frost, have
for the new spring coat,
correspondent in the
Tribune. There is
and more mature dig-
the new models, the smart-
the flaring lines of
The principal fea-
the new coats are tabulated

change in the coat out-
placement of the sinuous
wrap-around model with
silhouette of the new but-
Very few spring models
wrap over and it may be
that this unbecom-
passing. The straight
year have been generally
fared hounces and panels
separate the widening from
downward, always at the

characteristic coat sleeve is
straight, although some
toward the wrist
in fashion of turning back
with a flaked button is a
that is assured a vogue on
The collar is an item
of much variety. Often it
tailored and turned back
after the manner of a
But whether plain or
summer's revers are con-
sidered than they have been
the past. Many coats have
been formed by a semi-circu-
larly the shaped flounce,
is graceful folds to the
The scarf collar is another
that is extremely popular.
The collar is continued on
to form a scarf that may
be in a loose bow in front, or
may be passed round the
left to hang down the
other style is the long stole
over on one side of the col-
This is usually twisted
throat and hangs down one
front. The end may be
with monogram or motif
buffets and black satin are
used for formal afternoon
silk, reps, tulle, popeline,
silk, etamine, marocain de
silk and georgette are other
coat fabrics. Flat fur trim-
ing is popular. The favor-
ite are summer ermine,
lamb, deerskin, gazelle
Lizard skin is also used
lines that match the cloth
the coat is made. Embroid-
is used than in former sea-
when it is employed it is
tried out in wool.

of fared headline if you want
to bear the hallmark of
And steer your course
in the flappy wrap-around
is passing.

Afternoon Dress
in Black and White

appropriate and stylish is
the dress of black and
the model is of black satin,
white collar and jabot, all
samples of Engraving—Ar-

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ROSWELL INDEPENDENT BALL TEAM LOSES FIRST GAME TO LOVING

Playing in their first game of
the season, the Roswell indepen-
dents lost to Loving 7 to 4 in the
tenth inning Sunday afternoon at
Thorne park. The game was well
played considering that the men
have had little or no practice. The
play was loose at times but the team
shows promise of developing into a
well balanced outfit with a little
more practice. Wolcott pitched a
steady game despite the fact that it
was his second game in three days,
but weakened in the final inning.
He allowed but eight hits, whiffed
ten, walked two and hit two men.

Opening the fourth for Loving
Kyle threw his bat at the ball and
got a fluke hit over second base,
Fessler drew a pass and Fletcher
caught one in his ribs, filling the
bases. Gossett hit one toward sec-
ond base and Etz let it get through
his legs. Lopez was safe on an
error by Hedcoxe and when all the
dust had cleared away three men
had crossed the plate. Loving scored
again in the sixth when Gossett
singled and Nymeyer drove him in
with a three bagger.

Roswell got two of their runs
in the first when Harper singled,
and scored on Henry Etz' triple.
Etz then scored on Gobers single.
In the seventh, Rusty Etz doubled
and went home when the short stop
fumbled Harpers grounder. Hed-
coxe scored in the eighth when he
doubled and was driven home by
Rusty Etz double. Loving scored
the winning runs in the tenth when
Fessler singled, and Baker and
Fletcher were both safe on fielders
choices filling the bases followed by
Gossetts triple.
Score by innings:

R	H	E	
Loving	0	0	0
Roswell	2	0	0

NEGROES TO CELEBRATE

The negroes of Roswell and the
valley are going to celebrate Emancipation Day, the 19th of June, with
an elaborate occasion this year, with
a big barbecue, picnic and dinner at
Slaughter's grove.

At an enthusiasts meeting last
night presided over by Weyman
Gray, a financial committee consist-
ing of Walter Douglas, chairman,
with Robert Whittle and Hillie Mot-
ton were named to accumulate the
sinews of war, and generally make
arrangements.

Walter Douglas will have charge
of the eats, which will be served in
the nicest kind of way, and a good
programme of speaking and music
will be arranged.

The white people of the community
are respectfully invited to attend
the dinner and program, and special
care will be taken in serving them
and providing for their comfort.—
Roswell News, 30th.

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DID YOU EVER STOP TO THINK

By E. R. Waite

THAT newspaper advertising has
stood the test of time.
THAT it possesses unusual merits
as a business getter.

THAT it pleases the people in its
appearances, appropriateness and
service.
THAT quality goods well adver-
tised, appeal to the good sense of
all the people because of their practical
economy.

THAT the people know that busi-
ness concerns who advertise keep
step with progress.

THAT stores who keep step with
progress, carry merchandise that is
in popular demand.

THAT as these stores progress in
popularity, newspaper advertising
plays a big part in their good-will
for a business.

ADVERTISING CREATES A
BUYING CONFIDENCE; A CON-
FIDENCE WHICH MEANS THAT
BUYERS GET A DOLLARS
WORTH FOR A DOLLAR SPENT.

HOPE ITEMS

Miss Lucille Morris returned
from Artesia last week, where she
taught in the schools the past term.

Good rains are reported this side
of Dunkin Wednesday.

A light shower fell at Hope early
Wednesday morning.

Chas. Mann and wife, of Artesia,
were Hope visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. Dee Swift is spending several
days in Artesia with her daughter,
Mrs. Cal Beckett.

Mrs. Champion and children, of
Artesia, spent the week end with
her mother, Mrs. John Wake.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Reed spent
Sunday in Artesia, guests of their
daughter, Mrs. R. A. Brewer.—Pen-
asco Valley Press.

Picturesque Names for Latest Silk Patterns

Colors as they are reflected in the
late silk patterns are entertaining, and
their list names sound rather like some
sort of art game. In the browns, so
fashionable this season, there are pe-
can, cocoa, cobra, penny, autumn and
sea brown. Elephant, reindeer, wood
smoke and renfrew describe the grays
and taupes. Blue is described as gobe-
lin, honey bird, firefly, lido, pervenche
and lime house. Bisque, beige, bam-
boo, hassan and rosewood indicate
some of the neutrals, and all of the
palette colors are tempered to many
lovely shades with picturesque names.

Contradicts Herself

Ben—I never contradict my wife.
Louis—I don't either. I just wait
a bit, and then she'll do it herself.

STATE BRIEFS

TROOPS B TO ATTEND FORT BLISS ENCAMPMENT SOON

Troop B of the New Mexico Cav-
alry is preparing for their annual
encampment at Fort Bliss this sum-
mer. The troop will leave for El
Paso on July 9th and will be in
training at the fort until July 23rd.
Captain Mann is putting the men
through a strenuous period of drill
and rifle practice in preparation for
the encampment, and fully expects
the troop to maintain the high
standard they set last year when
they were awarded the cup for hav-
ing the best troop in the regiment.
The commandant last year publicly
commended Troop B, expressing his
opinion that they were one of the
best in the United States.

The troop is pretty well recruited
up at the present time, and the cap-
tain expects to take at least sixty
men on the trip, exclusive of him-
self and Lieutenant Neuman. The
camp will be made up of troops
from New Mexico, Arizona and Tex-
as, and a heavy program has been
arranged for them to carry out.—
Carlsbad Argus.

ALL READY NOW FOR START OF HIGHWAY

On Saturday of last week the
county commissioners met and for-
mally ratified and confirmed their
proceedings of Federal Aid High-
way Project 131-A, being the Carls-
bad-Malaga highway. A resolution
was passed covering the work of
the commissioners as completed so
that the right of way could be cer-
tified, and copies as certificates were
sent to the state highway engineer
at Santa Fe and the district high-
way engineer at Roswell. This resolu-
tion requested these departments to
give every attention possible to
rushing the work on this highway,
and work is expected to commence in
the near future.

This highway was provided for
financially in the bond issue which
carried by a very heavy majority
last winter, and has been held up
for months due to trouble in secur-
ing all of the right of way, this be-
ing completed a few days ago.—
Carlsbad Current.

CHANGES AT THE DEPOT

J. H. Jones, who has been with
the Santa Fe at this station for nine
years, began work Monday morning
in charge of the Santa Fe freight
warehouse at Artesia. Mr. Jones'
family will continue to live here.

W. B. Hays, who has been here
with the Santa Fe for four or five
years as utility clerk, will go to
Artesia, as freight clerk about June
1st, and his place will be taken by
George Fessler, who has been
cashier. The cashier's place has not
yet been filled.

YOUNG BAIRD SENTENCED TO THE REFORM SCHOOL

The last of the trio of boys who
robbed a Chinese restaurant in
Carlsbad the past winter, appeared
before Judge Brice, Tuesday, and
after a plea of guilty had been en-
tered, was sentenced to a term of
not less than three nor more than
four years in the reform school for
boys, located at Springer, New Mex-
ico.

Young Baird was the last of the
trio to be given a sentence by Judge
Brice, he having been one of three
who made their escape from the
county jail some three months ago.
One of the other boys who escaped
at the time Baird made his get-
away was captured and returned to

Carlsbad Argus.
THE GOVERNOR ARRIVES
Governor and Mrs. A. T. Hannett
and party arrived late last night
for the Institute finals. They have
rooms at the Gilkeson.—Roswell
News, 1st.

The arrest of these three young
men was the means of breaking up
a youthful gang of bad boys who
gave the officers much trouble.—

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Formerly Schenck's Machine Shop

NOW OPEN FOR BUSINESS

We do all kinds of Machine and Automobile Work.
Expert workmanship—all work guaranteed.

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specialize on rig timbers and builders
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Try Mother's Labor Saver

NATURE'S MIGHTIEST CLEANSER

A new washing compound, that softens the hardest
water, that will remove dirt and grease in a way
that will surprise you and will not injure the hands
or the finest fabrics.

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The Citizens State Bank

We offer absolute safety for your money. Our
aim is to give service beyond the usual meaning
of ordinary service. Our own community first.
Your business is confidential. Under state su-
pervision. Capable directors. Ample reserves
maintained. Conservation policy of officers.

Let's get acquainted. We have no room
for formality in this bank—our custo-
mers are our friends as well as our
clients.

Citizens State Bank

Main and Third Street—Artesia, New Mexico

E. A. CAHOON, President
REX WHEATLEY, Vice President
C. E. MANN, Cashier

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When in need of
SHOES
we have them—a full, complete stock of work,
dress, comfort all leather shoes, factory guaranteed.
Price in reach of all. We appreciate your business.

"OUR STORE"

J. W. NICHOLSON



Items of Social Interest In and Around Artesia

MR. AND MRS. PALM MARRIED ON MONDAY HONEYMOON ON PECOS

A quiet wedding, with only the immediate family and a few close friends in attendance was solemnized at the home of Chief Justice and Mrs. Frank W. Parker, Manhattan avenue, Monday afternoon at 5 o'clock, when their daughter, Mrs. Lillian Martin became the bride of Mr. Rufus A. Palm.

The ceremony was read by Chief Justice Parker, in the spacious living room which was decorated with a profusion of garden flowers.

Preceding the entry of the bridal party, Miss Jessie Carroll and Mr. R. L. Ormsbee sang "I Would That My Love." Mrs. Bertha Van Stone played Mendelssohn's wedding march.

The bride was given away by her brother, Frank W. Parker, Jr. She is a young woman of attractive personality and has a wide circle of friends in Santa Fe where she has spent most of her life. During the last two years she has resided in Silver City.

Mr. Palm is superintendent of schools in Artesia, N. M., and is well known in educational circles.

The bride was beautifully attired in a gown of pink crepe carrying a large bouquet of bride's roses and lilies of the valley.

Following a reception the couple left immediately for the Pecos to spend their honeymoon.

Among the out-of-town visitors who attended the wedding were Mrs. O. J. Westlake, of Silver City and Mrs. Frank T. French, of Las Cruces.—Santa Fe New Mexican.

Mr. Palm has just closed a successful school term as city superintendent of schools and has the best wishes of a host of friends.

MARRIED AT ROSWELL FRIDAY

B. G. Arnold and Miss Irene Syferd, both of Artesia were married at Roswell Friday by Judge J. Smith Lea.

The wedding was a quiet affair and came as a surprise to their friends. The best wishes of the community go with them in their new life.

B. Y. P. U. TO HOPE

The Artesia B. Y. P. U. was largely represented at the Fifth Sunday meeting at Hope—last Sunday afternoon. Miss Evelyn Bullock was on the program for a talk and the orchestra from the local church furnished music.

FAREWELL PARTY FOR MRS. FRANCIS

Mrs. Ellen Francis, who is moving to southern Texas, was the honor guest at a party given by the Presbyterian Aid Society at the home of Mrs. R. L. Paris, last Thursday afternoon. A number of games were arranged for entertainment, but the most pleasurable part of the occasion was visiting with this old and valued member of the organization, who will be greatly missed in the church. A beautiful silk scarf was presented to her as a token of esteem. Refreshments of cake and frappe were served. Mrs. Francis left this week for a visit with Roswell friends, after which she will go to southern Texas, where her son, Will, resides, to make her home.

COTERIE CLUB

The club met with Mrs. Woods at the home of her daughter, Mrs. S. L. Williams, Jr., on Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Woods, leader for the day, gave a most interesting program upon the Virgin Islands, for which because they are the key to the Panama Canal, the United States paid Denmark \$25,000,000. Mrs. Gilbert, hostess for the afternoon, served delicious refreshments with the assistance of Mrs. Williams. The club will take a vacation during the summer, the next meeting being set for September.

BABY PARTY

Little Betty Nelle Lanning was two years old last Monday and her mother, Mrs. John Lanning, invited a few other "kiddies" to help her celebrate. Their mothers accompanied them, of course. Refreshments were served by the hostess. Those present at the party were Betty Nelle's grandmother, Mrs. C. Bert Smith, Mrs. Will Linell and children, Mrs. Sam Head and child, Mrs. Landis Feather and Landis, Jr., Mrs. Walter Ferriman and children, Mrs. Lewis Story and little daughter, Wanda, and Miss Ruby Norton, who took her little niece, Helen Hutcheon.

LEGION AUXILIARY MEETS

Mrs. Ben Pior was hostess to the Legion Auxiliary for the June meeting, which was held on Monday afternoon. The Memorial Poppy committee reported \$128.35 from the sale of poppies on Poppy Day. The organization voted to give \$25 to the National Child Welfare Endowment Fund, which is designed to provide for orphans of veterans of the World

LOCAL

Born, yesterday morning to Mr. and Mrs. "Pat" Ellis, a daughter.

J. W. Blair left for El Paso this morning for a short stay.

Lincoln Feather arrived from State College Tuesday for the summer vacation.

Miss Ruth Smith returned home from Montezuma College at Las Vegas last week.

Frank Brooks came recently by auto from New Orleans, Mrs. Brooks will join him here a little later.

D. D. Bailey, age 20, working for the Maljamar Oil Co., suffered painful injuries yesterday morning when he impaled both hands on large bolts extending from a tank on the lease.

War. The Legion raised \$200 for this cause this week. It also voted to observe Flag Day, the 14th inst., and try to secure a general observance of the day in the community.

It also decided to revive the custom of summer evening picnics in the park. The first will be held in the city park on the evening of June 19th. All members of the Legion and the Auxiliary and their families are urged to be present on that occasion.

Mrs. Pior was assisted by Mrs. Ralph Rogers in serving refreshments. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. H. A. Stroup the first Monday in July.

Mrs. Robinson, of Clovis, is expected here today. She comes with the intention of starting classes in music and expression.

Mr. and Mrs. Carter, who have been here from El Dorado, Arkansas, returned home Tuesday, but expect to come back soon.

Edwin Dean, who is employed at the Vogue, is a former Artesian and son of Jim Dean, who was killed in the Columbus raid. Mr. Dean is figuring on moving his family here from Columbus.

"Mister" Jeff Hightower left this morning for Mineral Wells, Texas, where he goes to visit with his son and family. Mr. Hightower's family left for the Texas city sometime ago to spend the summer.

Rev. Arthur Boyd arrived from Plainview, Texas, Sunday to visit his sister, Mrs. C. E. Mann, and family. He occupied the pulpit at the Baptist church on Sunday evening. It was a natural pleasure to the congregation and to Mr. Boyd for him to occupy once more his old pulpit in the church, which he was so largely instrumental in building.

Clayton Stroup, Jack Terry, Jim Norris and Elwood Kaiser are expected home in a few days by auto from Oklahoma University. Tom Edward Bullock will take treatment at a hospital in Oklahoma City a short time before returning and Harold Stroup will be at the Reserve Officers' Training Camp at Ft. Sill, Oklahoma for five weeks before coming home.

Another argument in favor of that proposal to popularize the silver dollar is that bank burglars could not get away with them so easily.

See our samples of Engraving—Artesia Advocate Office.

When in Carlsbad make your headquarters at the

Crawford Hotel

Steam heat and hot and cold water in all rooms
Excellent Cafe in Connection

Before Baking

Before you start your usual Baking for the week why not take the time to come here and see how much easier and more economical you can buy what you want instead of making it yourself.

We specialize on high-grade Pastries.

City Bakery

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OIL AND GAS LEASES BOUGHT AND MAPS AND INFORMATION
Headquarters for Oil Men
OFFICES GILDER HOTEL, PHONE 5
Roswell, New Mexico

Corn Feed BEEF

the best money can buy in meats.
JUICY—TENDER—NOURISHING

Country Home Made Sausage, Like the Kind Father Used to Make.

FRESH FRUITS, VEGETABLES AND GROCERIES

The City Market

Groceries and Meats
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Peoples Mercantile Company

THE HOUSE THAT SAVES YOU MONEY

Phone 275

DRY GOODS—GROCERIES

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In the Heart of Everything

Room Without Bath \$1.00 and Up

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\$2.50 Double

Room with Tub Bath \$2.00 to \$3.00

ELEVATOR SERVICE NIGHT AND DAY

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BUY CHEAP LEASES Ahead of Development

SPREAD YOUR CHANCES. PLAY THE GAME THE SAFE WAY

I have state leases west of here in the Tularosa Basin, on the same structure that runs straight from Tampico to Farmington and Colorado. Rentals five cents per acre, on five year leases dating from May.

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7 DAYS SPECIALS

Saturday, June 6 to Saturday
June 13

Grocery Department

1 POUND MAXWELL HOUSE COFFEE.....	50c
3 POUNDS MAXWELL HOUSE COFFEE.....	\$1.50
11 LARGE BARS CRYSTAL WHITE SOAP FOR.....	50c
8 POUNDS SWIFT JEWEL SHORTENING.....	\$1.35
8 POUNDS WILSON'S ADVANCE SHORTENING.....	\$1.35

Dry Goods Department

RED HOT SPECIALS

ALL LADIES PATTERN HATS GO AT.....	HALF PRICE
ALL LADIES SILK, FLANNEL AND ENSEMBLE DRESSES AND COATS AT.....	ONE-FOURTH OFF
BIG LOT LADIES AND MISSES SLIPPERS AT.....	99c
BIG LOT LADIES SILK HOSE AT.....	49c and 79c

Hardware Department

REAL SPECIALS ON WHITE & WHITE ENAMEL WARE

Joyce-Pruit Comp

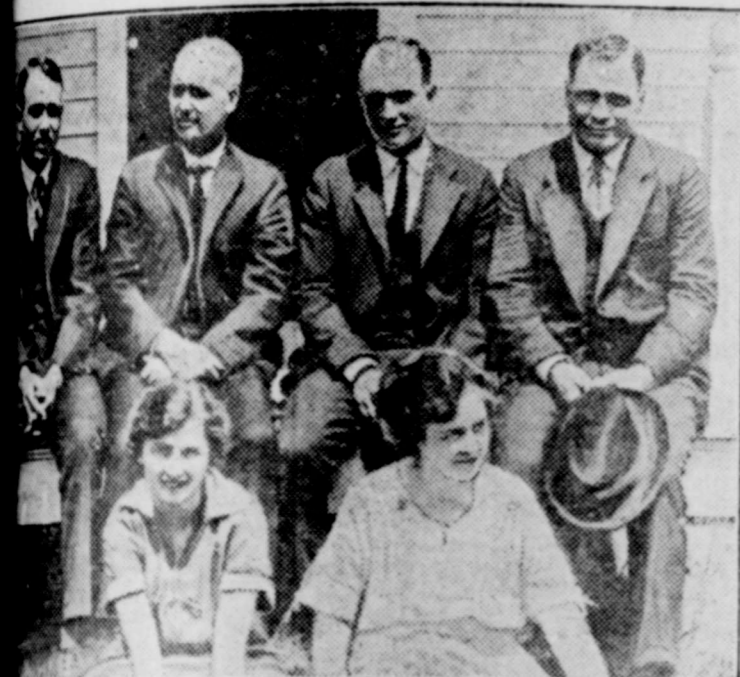
SECURE WITH CULTURE ON THE ELECTRIC FARM

Believe Also That Electric Power and Radio May Shift Cultural Centers of Future From Urban to Rural Districts.

In the last two years a conviction has been expressed among the men, such as Senator Aronson, that the farm-electricity revolution is about to bring about an economic revolution. The use of electrical methods on farms in general will mean a new era of American nation if these expectations are realized.

who will be informed, discerning, thoughtful and well developed mentally and spiritually—as well as contented with their blue-sky environment to such a degree that few will leave the farm for the city.

That, it is predicted, will mean that the future cultural stability of the nation will very likely draw much more from the farm and less from the city. If this occurs it will be due principally to electricity—and its offshoot, radio, coupled with the freedom from



United farm family on an electrified farm in the northwest.

urban distractions found in rural districts. Owen D. Young of the General Electric Company, raised as a farm boy, now a high official of an electrical manufacturing concern—and therefore familiar with both subjects—has declared that in the days of his youth "the attraction of an occupation out-of-doors, with good food and comfortable living, was not enough to offset the cultural advantages of the city, its lectures, its music and immediate access to the news of the world."

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LOCAL

will leave next week for Spirit Lake, Iowa, to stop at Denver for a few days. Dr. Thies has engagements with a competent surgeon to take charge of his absence.

Frank Lanning will leave tomorrow for his home at Ingleswood. She will be accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Dick Eaton, who is returning rapidly from her stay and who will spend the night with her daughter in California.

Member of Epworth League attended the Fifth Sunday School Hagerman last Sunday. Artesia was represented in the program by the Misses Helen Elaine Feenster, who will attend the next meeting will be at Artesia.

of the Pennsylvania Carriage with his wife and three children from Beaumont, Sunday and is occupying the D. Gates house, which was bought recently. They are accompanied by their son, Lester, and wife.

Mrs. N. H. Jones and family returned from a month's visit to their home in Mississippi. Miss Vincent, sister of Mr. Grover Jones, who was governess at the home across the river the last year, returned with them to their home.

McCoy, proprietor of the El Paso, Texas has returned here for the past few days. McCoy, after making a field and seeing the commercial wells, expressed the opinion that the Artesia pool is the best of the leading pools in the southwest.

returned at College. get a degree, again, back again, fall back is he. want ads get results.

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An unusually clever shipment of dolls, dolls' clothes, cradles, scrapbooks and children's clothes was recently sent to the tornado stricken territory of Missouri, Illinois and Indiana from the State Training School for Girls at Geneva, Illinois.

Besides dolls which represented historical characters and celebrities of the motion picture world, there was a miscellaneous assortment showing uncommon originality and skill not only in design, but in the process of making. Rag dolls and stocking dolls were in the majority, flaunting their gayly colored costumes.

Perhaps the highest achievement from an artistic standpoint was a doll baby who could open and close her eyes and who viewed life from a hand made reed cradle, dressed in exquisite, hand worked garments and with even a doll's comforter on the foot of her bed to keep her warm.

Twenty-one summer dresses and suits were made for small boys and girls, showing not only excellent taste, but skillful workmanship.

This shipment, prepared by members of the Junior Red Cross at the Geneva school, was sent to De Soto, Illinois, for distribution.

In a recent letter to A. L. Schafer, who directs from the Midwestern branch office at Saint Louis Junior activities in the seventeen middle states of the country, Miss Ella Erlwine, principal of the school said:

"I have never seen anything create such a wonderful interest among the girls. They were so happy and enthusiastic and especially since they learned that their things went to the tornado sufferers. My teachers were so delighted also."

This incident illustrates more clearly than could anything else the value of the Junior Red Cross program, not only to the little tornado victims, but also to individuals who could forget their own problems in the joy of service to others.

An old maxim has it that a fool and his money were soon parted but in these bandit days the same thing too often applies to the bank.

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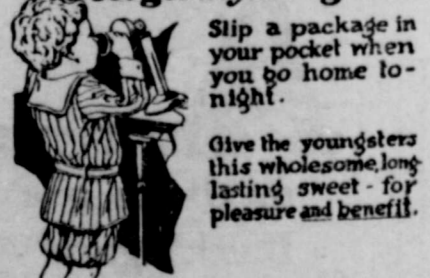
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NOTICE

In the Probate Court, Eddy County, State of New Mexico.

IN THAT MATTER OF THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF WILLIAM W. MEEKS, Deceased.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Notice is hereby given that an instrument purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of William W. Meeks, deceased, has been filed for probate in the Probate Court, of Eddy County, New Mexico, and that by order of said court the 6th day of July, 1925, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock A. M. at the court house of said court, in the City of Carlsbad, New Mexico, is the day, time and place for hearing proof on said Last Will and Testament.

Therefore, any person or persons wishing to enter objection to the probating of said Last Will and Testament are hereby notified to file their objections in the office of the County Clerk of Eddy County, New Mexico, on or before the time set for hearing.

Dated at Carlsbad, New Mexico, this 25th day of May, 1925. (SEAL)

G. W. SHEPHERD, County Clerk, Eddy County, New Mexico. 23-4t

STATE OF NEW MEXICO NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION OIL AND GAS LEASE OF PUBLIC LANDS, EDDY COUNTY.

Office of the Commissioner of Public Lands, Santa Fe, New Mexico.

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the provisions of an Act of Congress, approved June 20th, 1910, the laws of the State of New Mexico, and the rules and regulations of the State Land Office, the Commissioner of Public Lands, will offer for lease for the exploration, development and production of oil and gas, at public auction to the highest bidder, at 9 o'clock A. M. Friday, August 14th, 1925, in the town of Carlsbad, County of Eddy, State of New Mexico, at the front of the Court House therein, the following described lands, to-wit:

- Sale No. L-63. The SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ and NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 17, Twp. 16S., Rge. 28E., the NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 10, Twp. 17S., Rge. 27E., N. M. P. M., containing 120.00 acres.
- Sale No. L-64. The SW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 32, Twp. 16S., Rge. 29E., N. M. P. M., containing 160.00 acres.
- Sale No. L-65. The SE $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 32, Twp. 16S., Rge. 29E., N. M. P. M., containing 160.00 acres.
- Sale No. L-66. The NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ and SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 36, Twp. 16S., Rge. 29E., N. M. P. M., containing 80.00 acres.
- Sale No. L-67. The E $\frac{1}{2}$ of SE $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 32, Twp. 17S., Rge. 28E., N. M. P. M., containing 80.00 acres.
- Sale No. L-68. The NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 7, Twp. 19S., Rge. 29E., and SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 2, Twp. 20S., Rge. 29E., N. M. P. M., containing 80.00 acres.

All of the above described land lie within a radius of proven territory.

No bid will be accepted for less than a bonus of \$5.00 per acre which shall be deemed to include and cover the first year's rental for said land. The rental per year for each lease for the remaining years of the lease shall not be less than \$100.00, and no person will be permitted to bid at such sale except he has prior to the time set therefor, deposited with the commissioner of Public Lands, or with his agent in charge of said sale, cash or certified exchange to the amount of the said minimum bid. Deposit of all unsuccessful bidders will be returned. The deposit of the successful bidder will be held by the Commissioner of Public Lands, and by him applied in payment of such bid, but if the successful bidder shall fail to complete his purchase by paying on demand any balance due under his purchase including the cost of advertising and the expenses incidental to said sale, then in that event such deposit shall be forfeited to the State of New Mexico as liquidated damages. The Lease will be made for a term of ten years and as long thereafter as oil and gas in paying quantities or either of them is being produced from said land by the lessee and shall be made in substantial conformity with oil and gas lease form No. 35 on file in the office of the Commissioner of Public Lands, copy of which form will be furnished on application of any person interested.

The successful bidder shall be required by the terms of said lease to begin actual drilling of a well upon some portion of said lands, with an adequate drilling equipment within six months from the date of the lease, and to drill the same to a depth of 2500 feet, unless oil and gas, igneous or metamorphic rock shall be encountered at a lesser depth.

The Commissioner of Public Lands reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Witness the hand and official seal of the Commissioner of Public Lands of the State of New Mexico, this 23rd day of May, 1925. (SEAL)

E. B. SWOPE, Commissioner of Public Lands, State of New Mexico. 23-11t

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LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. William Baskin are visiting in Mississippi.

Mrs. W. M. Crockett spent Monday and Tuesday in Roswell.

Dr. Mathes came in from Clovis Monday for a few days visit with old friends.

Judge J. B. Atkeson, of Artesia, was in Carlsbad Monday—Carlsbad Argus.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Lee returned yesterday to Beaumont, Texas for a two weeks' stay.

Tom Ragsdale and Will Kissinger were visitors to the summer camp near Weed last Sunday.

Neil Schuster left yesterday for Illinois and will return soon to his home at Long Beach, California.

Mrs. Harold Atteberry is here from Hurley, this state, visiting her mother-in-law, Mrs. J. R. Atteberry, and family.

Insanity charges have been filed against Forrest L. Kyle, former editor of the Pecos Valley Pioneer at Roswell.

State Senator Z. B. Moon, of Hope, was in Carlsbad, Monday. Mr. Moon preached in Loving Sunday.—Carlsbad Argus.

Mrs. McBride, former owner of the Home Cafe of this city, is here today from Artesia on a business trip.—Roswell News, Ist.

Mrs. J. H. Jackson and son, Cavett, and Mrs. Frank Thomas and son, Gray, left Tuesday for a week's outing at the Sacramento summer camp.

Mrs. George Long, who had been here for the past month with her mother, Mrs. Newcomb, returned Tuesday to her home at Quanah, Texas.

Mrs. Daisy Beaucamp was here from Vicksburg, Mississippi, last week visiting her sister, Mrs. Newcomb, who is convalescing after a severe illness.

C. O. Brown, Jr., who has been employed by one of the supply companies, has been sent by his company to Panhandle, Texas, to work for them there.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Kinder and daughter, Katherine, returned Sunday from a short visit to Mrs. Kinder's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Eipper, at their summer home on the Ruidoso.

The Misses Nila Wingfield, Velma Smith, Margaret Henderson and Ella Brown and Chester Russell, who have been attending the State University at Albuquerque, will be home this week.

Joe Duncan, an employee of the Twin Lakes Oil Co., suffered a bruised and lacerated foot Tuesday night, being injured by a joint of casing. He was treated by Dr. Hoover.

Dr. Russell and daughter, Miss Dora, leave for Albuquerque today by auto to bring Chester Russell home from the State University. Miss Ruth Morgan will go with them for the trip.

Mrs. Cordelia Schenck, who went to California some three months ago, writes that she expects to return home about July first. Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Humphrey will return with her will occupy her house.

R. G. Knoedler expects to move this week to the house on Dallas street, which he bought some months ago. He is having various improvements made in the house, which will make it a very desirable property.

Henry Kennedy, employed by the Mann Drug company in Artesia, motored down to the county seat, Sunday, and spent the afternoon with old Carlsbad friends. Henry recently attached himself to a Ford coupe—Carlsbad Argus.

Charley Ballard, owner of the Hardwick Hotel and one of the best known men of the southwest, is reported improving rapidly from a minor operation, performed by Drs. Arthur Hertzler, of Kansas City and R. C. Hoover, of this city.

The Rev. T. M. May, who for the past five years has been in charge of the educational headquarters, being Dean of the College at Bethany, Oklahoma, is now a resident of this city, having arrived last Friday to become pastor of the Church of the Nazarene. The Rev. May will carry on the work of Mrs. Mary J. Hartline, who was forced to give up her work an account of ill health. Mrs. May, who has been head of the voice department of the college for the past three years, will be soloist.

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May 29, 1925.

Warranty Deeds: C. C. Sikes to Thelma H. Glasier \$1,000, N 2-3 of L 13; S 2-3 L 15, Blk. 108, North Carlsbad. Thelma Glasier to C. C. Sikes, \$1,000, L. 8, Blk. 27, First Addition, Carlsbad. W. H. Merchant to J. P. Watkins, \$100.00, L. 8, Blk. 48, Stevens Add., Carlsbad; L. 10, Blk. 48, Stevens Add., Carlsbad.

Quit Claim Deed: John Grant to H. A. Taylor, \$1.00 W $\frac{1}{2}$ L. 10, Blk. 5, Orig. Hope. L. D. Ladd to Consolidated Oil Co., \$10.00, NE 21-21-31.

Cemetery Deed: Woodbine Cemetery to Nora Castleberry \$15.00, E $\frac{1}{2}$ L. 13, Blk 17, in the Woodbine Cemetery, Artesia.

Certificate of Redemption: R. B. Armstrong to First Nat'l Bank "A" L 1, 2, Blk. 5, Tylers Add Artesia; L. 4, 5, Blk. 5, Tylers Add., Artesia.

In the District Court: No. 4073. The Roswell Public Service Co., a corporation, vs. Henry Tipton and Allen Tipton; NENENW 24-22-27; H. M. Dow, Atty for Ptf. No. 4074. Less Barnes Vs. Bonnie Barnes, divorce. May 28th, 1925.

Warranty Deeds: S. D. Gates, to Pueblo Oil Co., \$4500.00, L. 6, 8, Blk 21, Art Imp. Co.; L. 6, 8, Blk. 13, Chisum Add., Artesia. E. C. Jackson to Wm. H. Hill, \$1.00, NESW 8-16-27. Maud Rowan to Alfred Thelin \$1.00, SW 8-17-26. V. M. Pomeroy, to Penasco Townsite Co. \$10.00, ENW, 21-16-26.

Certificate of Redemption: R. B. Armstrong to R. F. Gayle L. 4, Blk 24, Art Hts., Artesia; to Frank Kindel, L. 5, 7, Blk 77, Lowe Add., Carlsbad.

In the Probate Court: No. 517. In the matter of the Last Will and Testament of W. B. Wilson, deceased; Order allowing withdrawal of will for purpose of taking testimony, ast will and Testament of W. B. Wilson, deceased; Pt Sec. 26-22-27. June 1, 1925.

Warranty Deeds: Daniel Lowenbruck to L. R. Conarty \$2250.00, L. 6, Blk. 25, First Add., Carlsbad. F. C. Knowles, et al to John R. Foster, \$6000, L. 2, 4, 6, and East 2 feet of Lot 8, Blk. 4, Orig. Artesia. Wm. Dowall to S. E. Ferree \$22.50, pt S $\frac{1}{2}$ L. 10,

Blk. 16, Orig. Art. Myrtle Vogel to S. E. Ferree, \$22.50 pt. S $\frac{1}{2}$ L. 10, Blk 16, Orig. Art. G. M. Nussbaum to S. E. Ferree \$22.50 pt. S $\frac{1}{2}$ L. 10, Blk. 16, Orig. Art. M. Miller to S. E. Ferree \$22.50, pt. S $\frac{1}{2}$ L. 10, Blk. 16, Orig. Art. E. L. Reynolds to S. E. Ferree, \$37.50, pt S $\frac{1}{2}$ L. 10, Blk. 16, Orig. Art. Mrs. A. H. Coffin to T. J. Dostalik, \$250.00, S 50 feet of L. 1, 3, Blk. 54, Art. Improvement Company, Artesia.

Special Guardian's Deed: E. L. Reynolds, S. G. to S. E. Ferree, \$22.50, pt. S $\frac{1}{2}$ L. 10, Blk. 16, Orig., Artesia.

Quit Claim Deed: C. P. Pardue to Jesus Trujillo, \$1.00, L. 14, Blk. 4, Loving.

Tax Deeds: R. B. Armstrong to John D. W. Veeder, L. 9, 11, Blk. 53, Imp. Co., Artesia.

Warranty Deed: J. W. Rounds to Wm. Edward Ragsdale, \$1.00, L. 19, 21, 23, Blk. 11, C. S. Artesia.

In the District Court: George H. Sellmeyer, Receiver of The National Bank of Carlsbad, Carlsbad, New Mexico, vs. Marvin Livingston, Suit to Foreclose Mortgage; Dover Phillips, Atty. for plaintiff.

ARGUS EDITOR ON VACATION

W. T. Reed and family, including his wife, son, W. C. Reed, and his wife, are to start on their vacation tomorrow, May 29th. They are driving through to Wichita, Kansas, to attend the graduation of Miss Marinett Reed at Mount Carmel, June 3rd. She has specialized in music and voice. If they have a good trip and all are enthused to the extent of going farther north they will go to Chattanooga, Tenn., where W. T. Reed has relatives and Mrs. W. C. Reed's father's youngest sister lives at Memphis. She also has an uncle, Boone Kindel, somewhere in Tennessee whom she hopes to visit. Anyway they will visit in Kansas City, going and returning via Fort Worth and Galveston, Texas. This will be a fine trip and a good rest for the entire party—Carlsbad Current.

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Preaching service at 11:00 a. m. This will be our regular monthly Sacramental Service.

Epworth Leagues each meet at 7:00 p. m.

Evening services at 8:00 p. m. Mid week prayer meeting at 7:30 each Wednesday.

We again express our delight at having strangers and visitors with us at all our services. Please linger a while after service that we may get acquainted. Make this your church home while in the city. A welcome awaits all who attend our services.

JAMES H. WALKER
Pastor.

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Trinity Sunday, June 7th, 1925.

Bible class, 7:30 p. m. Evening service and sermon, 8:00 p. m.

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Sunday school, 10:00 a. m. Preaching, 11:00 a. m. Young Peoples meeting, 6:45 p. m. Preaching, 7:45 p. m. Also preaching on Wednesday evening at 7:45.

NORMAN R. NICHOLS,
Pastor.

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LOCAL

C. C. Durden, publisher of the Carlsbad Argus, stopped in the Advocate office a few minutes Saturday morning, en route to El Paso, where he was called by the illness of a sister. Mr. Durden commented on the number of people on the streets of Artesia and cars parked saying "It looked like a sure 'nuf oil town." Mr. Durden expected to return to Carlsbad Tuesday.

G. R. Brainard is expected home from the east today. After the close of General Synod at Columbus, Ohio, he visited his children, Noble Brainard and wife and Mrs. Will Knorr and family at Ft. Wayne, Indiana. His son, Guy Reed, who went east with him to visit his brother and sister, was so taken with the Military Institute at Culver, Indiana, that he enrolled at that institution for the summer term.

J. U. McCreary, for many years one of the prominent members of the bar of Artesia, and at one time chairman of the Eddy county democratic central committee, and later postmaster, was in Carlsbad Monday looking after his oil interests. Judge is now one of the oil magnates of his part of Eddy county, having many acres of lease land and some in fee ownership, one of the latter tracts being now prospected for oil with a well which shows up wonderfully fine for its depth, a good flow of gas and some oil having already been struck. It is the intention to continue down until the oil sand is encountered. Judge McCreary's many Carlsbad friends hope he will profit handsomely by his investments, as he has stayed with the oil game since its first inception and deserves well at the hands of old Lady Luck.—Carlsbad Argus.

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LOCALS

Rev. Walker was in Roswell Saturday.

Leonard Jernigan made a trip to Roswell Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Merchant were Roswell visitors Sunday.

W. C. Bates and wife, of Carlsbad, were Artesia visitors Tuesday.

Miss Leona Allinger left Saturday to attend summer school at Silver City.

Mr. and Mrs. Ike Keller and son, Osborne, spent Sunday with relatives at Hope.

Dr. R. K. Hoover and Mr. Larry Adams made a trip to the Guadalupe mountains this week.

Mrs. Sidney Cox returned Saturday from a week's visit to Mrs. Cavendar at Roswell.

W. E. Ragsdale and son, Wilmar, drove up to their cabin in the Sacramentos and spent Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Cobble and children spent the week-end with the Joe Yarbro family at Loving.

G. T. Herrin, a prosperous farmer of the Artesia community was a pleasant caller at the Advocate office Friday.

C. C. Baker, of the Love Townsite Co., returned to Albuquerque, Sunday after spending a week here looking after business affairs.

Mr. Goldberg, of the Mogul Jewelry Co., came back Sunday from Portales, where he had been conducting a jewelry sale for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Gates moved yesterday into apartments in one of the houses on Quay street, which they are making into apartment houses.

K. C. Childress, who is connected with the Lone Star Lumber Co., was here all last week helping to get the business under way. He went home to Clovis Saturday.

George Frisch and family drove to Alamogordo Sunday to meet and bring home the Misses Vesta Frisch and Vella Spivey, who were returning from State College.

Mrs. H. B. Ellis and daughter, Rachel, arrived Sunday from Memphis, Texas, for a visit of several weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Elbridge Solomon, and Mr. Solomon.

Howard Houk returned the last of the week to Littlefield, Texas, after a visit to Melvin Jernigan. The latter accompanied him home and will be his guest for a week or ten days.

Mrs. Harry Hunton was called to Roswell Sunday by the death of her sister, Mrs. Fourcus. The funeral was held on Tuesday and the interment was at Hagerman, where the deceased resided.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Douglass have been here the past week from Columbus visiting her mother, Mrs. Jack Hastie, and family. They are en route to Indiana to visit Mr. Douglass' relatives.

Mr. Lewis Gage and his niece, Miss Jewell Gage, who has been attending school here this year, left last week for Arkansas. Mr. Gage will probably visit there several weeks before returning home.

The friends of Mr. and Mrs. Luke Gage will be sorry to learn that their baby boy, Billy, fell last Saturday and broke a leg. He was taken from Hagerman, the family home, to Roswell for surgical attention.

Mrs. John Pollard returned last Thursday from El Paso, where he had been a hospital patient for several weeks. At one time her life was despaired of, but she made a rapid recovery and comes home with health much improved.

The Misses Mildred and Vesta Frisch, Vella Spivey and Guenn Martin drove to Carlsbad Monday afternoon to see Miss Opal Martin, who is recovering from an operation for appendicitis at the Sisters' hospital. Mrs. Carr accompanied them.

Willis Morgan, who has been living at Albuquerque during his college course, graduates from the University tomorrow morning with an A. B. degree. He expects to continue his studies elsewhere next year with a view to taking a degree in law.

Mrs. Cecil Brownlie, who is visiting her parents Sheriff Shattuck and wife of Carlsbad, was in town last week en route to Hope to visit the Brownlies. They are now located at Compton, a suburb of Long Beach, California, where Cecil has the position of mail carrier.

Dr. Doss and "Pete" Jackson left for Albuquerque this morning to bring the Misses Mary and Mildred Doss and Anna Frances Jackson home from the State University. The Misses Doss are members of the graduating class, taking their A. B. degree tomorrow morning.

CALIFORNIA TO GIVE OTHER STATES DATA

Will Supply National Committee With Facts About Its Thirty Thousand Electrified Farms.

Definite activity is in progress in California, the one state where actual farm electrification is further advanced than in any other, to collect data which will be of benefit to other states interested in this subject.

The national committee on the Relation of Electricity to Agriculture will be the clearing house for the information secured. The arrangement resulted from visits to California by Dr. E. A. White, director of the committee. He informed a gathering of California agricultural and electrical men of the national committee's purpose and assisted in the organization of a California state committee.

In California, thirty thousand farms use electricity. Their consumption of energy in a typical year amounted to 554,600,000 horsepower hours.

Eighty per cent of this energy was employed to operate irrigation pumps. Nearly half of all the electrical energy expended on California farms is derived from electric motors.

At the same time, much use is made of electricity on California farms for typical farming operations. There are also many California farm homes which are completely electrified.

Several sub-committees are gathering general information on the California farms which use electricity. One committee will gather data on costs and kinds of uses of electricity. Another will investigate the question of rates for farms.

The third committee will find out how electricity is used in California farm houses and how it makes life more livable on the farm. The fourth committee will study the economic utilization of electricity on the farm.

Poultry farms and dairy farms will be given special study, as will the farm shop. Refrigeration and the spraying of plants will also be looked into by one of the committees.

It is to be expected that the investigations under way in thirteen other states will find much to aid them in the information obtained from California.

Outdoor Play at Night

Play-time is getting to be synonymous with night time. Great electric floodlights are now used in many sports—tennis, golf, croquet, trap shooting and motorcycle racing, as well as baseball and football. The moonlight, however, is still reported to be the favorite with lovers.

X-RAY FILM BY WIRE SENT IN 7 MINUTES

New Feat of Science Suggests Great Boon to Surgical Patients in Small Communities.

Surgical and medical men see wonderful possibilities in the successful transmission by wire of an X-ray negative, which has just been accomplished between New York and Chicago. The X-ray film, showing in detail the bone structure of a human hand, was sent by wire in just seven minutes, and when developed at the Chicago offices of the Victor X-ray Corporation it was a perfect reproduction of the original.

The great benefit to medical practice which this achievement foreshadows is the possibility of bringing the services of an X-ray specialist to a patient in a far-distant small town or village where such a specialist could not usually be found.

By means of the Coolidge portable X-ray, brought out a few years ago by Dr. W. D. Coolidge, of the General Electric Company's research laboratory, an X-ray picture could be taken at the bedside of the patient. This could then be sent by wire from the nearest sending station to a receiving station in a large city and then shown to an X-ray specialist who could make a diagnosis and wire back instructions for treatment.

Such a great saving of time as this in securing expert advice would undoubtedly prevent many patients from becoming permanent cripples.

Sending stations at convenient points all over the country will be necessary. These, it is predicted, will be established within a few years.

Among those press wits who have taken lately to deriding the beribboned boudoir cap is one or another no doubt who has sported a brow derby in his time.

TODD RETIRES FROM HOTEL

Something of a shake-up occurred in hotel circles today. W. M. Todd, who purchased a half interest in the Gilkeson about two years ago and has been manager since that time, retired this morning and is succeeded by Calvin Boykin late of the Crawford Hotel at Carlsbad. Mr. Todd sold his interest in the Gilkeson to Mr. Nickson who was the owner of the other half interest. Mr. Sternglanz of El Paso, who had acquired the Bankhead and Mr. Nickson, then merged the Gilkeson and the Bankhead and both hostleries will be managed by Mr. Boykin. Mr. and Mrs. Todd have leased a residence in Roswell and will take life easy, at least for a time.—Roswell News, 1st.

Mr. Todd is well known in Artesia, having lived here for a time several years ago and was for some time one of the publishers of the Artesia American, now the Advocate.

Plant for Your Fish

The best plant for aquarium purposes is sagittaria. The variety known as natans is of moderate size, says Nature Magazine. An aquarium of a size 9 by 15 by 10 inches high should be started with about a dozen such plants, well-rooted in coarse sand or grit, one and one-half to two inches deep.

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CONFERENCE GIVES NEW MEXICO SIX U. S. HIGHWAYS RECENTLY

Six highways in New York were recommended to be designated as United States Highways, following the plan of the Joint Board on Interstate Highways at a conference of state highway officials of the 11 western states and federal engineers at San Francisco.

State Highway Engineer James A. French represented New Mexico at the meeting and has just returned.

The Joint Board on Interstate highways, which is made up of state and government highway officials, at a meeting in Washington, D. C., recently adopted a plan for the naming of main trans-continental highways is what is known in this state as "El Camino Real." Beginning at Raton this follows the old Santa Fe trail to the Capital city, passing through Las Vegas, and from there goes to Albuquerque and southward through Las Cruces to El Paso, Texas.

The next is the main east and west highway which bisects El Camino Real at Albuquerque. This stretches from Clovis on the east to Gallup on the west and continues on to Holbrook, Ariz. The route passes through Willard and Tijeras canyon.

The other proposed United States highways are:

From Clovis via Roswell to El Paso, Texas.

From Las Cruces, on the Camino Real, to Lordsburg and on to Duncan, Arizona. A fork branches off at Lordsburg and runs southwest to Bisbee, Arizona.

From Hot Springs, on the Camino Real, to Silver City to Lordsburg, where it connects with highways to Duncan and Bisbee.

From Raton, on the Camino Real, to Clayton and on to Amarillo, Texas, where it connects with the highway entering New Mexico east of Clovis.

Twelve trans-continental arteries enter the region made up of the 11 western states from the east. Three of these tap New Mexico, one on the north at Raton and two on the east, one southeast of Clayton and the other east of Clovis. El Paso also may be made a gateway when the United States highways are named for Texas.

Free Speech Imperative

Free speech is to a great people what winds are to oceans and malarial regions, which waft away the elements of disease, and bring new elements of health; and where free speech is stopped, malaria is bred and death comes fast.—Henry Ward Beecher.

Ban "Fat Lady"

"Fat ladies" will be banned from future Oxford fairs, municipal authorities have decided. Corpulent women seated on a stage before scores of gawping eyes constitute "the most vulgar sort of shows," a civic committee decided after visiting a recent fair.

Cheating Inventive Talent

It is a special trick of low cunning to squeeze out knowledge from a modest man who is eminent in any science and then to use it as legally acquired and pass the source in total silence.—Horace Walpole.

Food Value of Oatmeal

Oatmeal is richer in fats and proteins than any other cereal. It is considered valuable in the diet of growing children and is of special value to those who pass most of their time in the open.

Youth in Flower

The fairest flower in the garden of creation is a young mind, offering and unfolding itself to the influence of divine wisdom, as the heliotrope turns its sweet blossoms to the sun.—J. E. Smith.

Uncle Eben

"Friendship ceases in a poker game," said Uncle Eben, "but it comes right back to life when de losers feels de necessity of borrowin' 'um de winners."—Washington Star.

Getting the True Light

Frequent consideration of a thing wears off the strangeness of it, and shows it in its several lights and various ways of appearance, to the view of the mind.

Leave Judgment to Others

Weigh not thyself in the scales of thy own opinion, but let the judgment of the judicious be the standard of thy merit.—Sir Thomas Browne.

Nature Only Lends Time

Man wants but little, nor that little long. How soon must he resign his very dust, which frugal nature lent him for an hour.—Young.

Thought Alone Is Real

Reading furnishes the mind only with the materials of knowledge; it is thinking that makes what we read ours.

The Insult

Gladys—Mother, I wish you would speak to Pussay. She is very unlady-like. She just spit at me.

Escaping Good Counsel

Youthful rashness skips like a hare over the meshes of good counsel.

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LOWER COTTONWOOD ITEMS

(Reporter Miss Margaret Bixler)

Miss Inez Blakley was the guest of Miss Barbara Denton, Sunday.

Miss Fay McClary was the guest of Miss Leonora Bradley, Sunday.

Dr. Thies was called to the bedside of Grandmother Eaker, Saturday evening.

Grandmother Bradley is staying with Mrs. Harvey West, during Mrs. West's illness.

Mel Bartlett left here Thursday morning of last week for his home in Kansas City.

The Dougheritys, Briscoes and Joe Adkins' engaged in a "42" party, Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dougherty are planning a trip to the Grand Canyon of Arizona, soon.

Miss Barbara Denton and Gene Denton attended the dance at Artesia, Saturday night.

A large number gathered at the A. D. Hill home Sunday afternoon and enjoyed a song service.

The Eaker boys went on a fishing trip, Friday, returning home Saturday afternoon. They report great success.

Miss Barbara Denton, Ernest Bixler, Miss Inez Blakley and Gene Denton were in Lake Arthur Sunday afternoon.

Miss Margaret Bixler was a guest at the C. E. Aydelotte home in Hagerman, from Wednesday of last week until Sunday.

The Jack Dougheritys', Mr. Pierce, the Aydelottes', of Hagerman and Miss Emma Briscoe were dinner guests at the Bixler home, Sunday.

Tuesday night, the 26th, a few friends gathered at the J. S. Bartlett home and gave Mel Bartlett a surprise ice cream party. "A glorious time" was the report of all present.

Cottonwood experienced a big rain last week, which was well and good. Unfortunately, however, a hail came with it on Upper Cottonwood and hailed out all of Mr. Wells' cotton. Others also reported damages.

N. M. M. I. NAMED ONE OF TEN HONOR SCHOOLS IN U. S.

ROSWELL, N. M.—A telegram has been received from the secretary of the war department announcing the selection of the New Mexico Military Institute as one of the ten honor military schools of the United States. This designation for N. M. M. I., has continued for sixteen years, the first being made in 1909 when there were only six designated schools in the United States.

A speaker on traffic conditions used a checker board to show how the automobile has the king row and the pedestrian cornered. It looks like the pedestrian's turn to jump.

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WM. G. SOWELL, JR., DIES AS RESULT OF WAR GAS

The soldier plot, dedicated as the resting place for those boys who gave their all for their country, in the great world war, will receive this afternoon in the beautiful Rose Hill cemetery, the body of William G. Sowell, Jr., private in the 36th transport company, R. T. C. Honoring the memory of the dead, the casket will be borne by friends, selected from among the members of Taxarkana post, American Legion, which organization will have charge of the services at the grave.

Taxarkana has been the home of William G. Sowell, Jr., since his birth. It was from Taxarkana he responded to the call of duty, and it was in this service that he was gassed, while on the front in France, and it was this gassing that was the direct cause of his death. He was 30 years of age.

Since four years ago he had been a resident of El Paso, Texas, where he was forced to go for his health. It was on the trip en route home overland with his father, to see his mother, that he died, at Bowie, Texas about 7:30 o'clock, Saturday night.

The body arrived here Sunday afternoon, and was taken in charge by the Reverra-Fewell company, and afterward conveyed to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. G. Sowell, Sr., at 521 State Line avenue.

Besides his parents he is survived by three brothers, Lyle, of Tulsa, Texas; Ross, of the United States navy, and Howard, of Taxarkana. Three sisters also survive, Mrs. D. G. Burch, Taxarkana; Mrs. K. K. Lovell, Columbia, Tenn; Mrs. George Miller, of Fort Worth, Texas.

Funeral services will be held this afternoon at the family home at 3 o'clock. They will be conducted by Rev. Addison L. Cole, pastor of the Central Christian church.—Clipped from Taxarkana paper.

Mr. Sowell was in Artesia visiting just prior to his death, he having died en route home.

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OIL NEWS

(Continued from first page)
F. Drilling Co. No. 1, in the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 17, Twp. 18, Range 28, at a depth of 1999 feet. When drilled to 2025 feet the hole was standing 1000 feet in fluid, this being the finest oil in the field apparently carrying no trace of sulphur. Superintendent Meyers reported the hole will be carried down to the 2100 foot pay from which the big production was obtained in the Danziger producer a quarter mile to the west. Between the two wells, fast time is being made on the No. 1 of the C. J. & W. Oil Co. and the next few days should see them the owners of a nice producer.

Many other wells are rapidly nearing the pay. Sandburg Petroleum Co., Snowdon-McSweeney, Danciger, Twin Lakes and Compton Bros, all drilling close to the 2000 foot level. W. C. Wells, whose test in Sec. 19, Twp. 20, Range 30, has attracted considerable attention, reports the water cemented off with the well good for from 25 to 50 barrels. Encouraging news is also received from the test on the east of the field, with the formation softer in the California No. 1 of A. R. Goodale in Sec. 30, Twp. 18, Range 29. A steel line measurement gives the bottom of the hole close to 2330 feet.

Before active operations can be carried on by Snowdon-McSweeney on the No. 1 McNutt permit wildcat in Sec. 4-21-30, a hard surface road will have to be completed. This will cost the company close to \$2500.00, it being necessitated by the deep sands that overlay the structure.

Drilling Summary
Arnott and Gross No. 1, of the New Mexico-Los Angeles Oil Co., in NE corner SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 8, Twp. 18, Range 28, drilling below 1600 feet.

Bailey & Cragin No. 1, Randolph permit, in the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of the NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 23, Twp. 18, Range 29, drilling water well.

Brainard No. 1, Brainard permit in the NE corner of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of NE $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 29, wp. 17, Range 27, drilling below 1575 feet.

Geo. Bobb, Thompson No. 2, in the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of the SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 18, Twp. 17, Range 28, drilling at 250 feet.

Geo. Bobb No. 1, on the Thompson permit in Sec. 18, Twp. 17, Range 28, waiting on casing to set at 711 feet.

Geo. Bobb, Marion Oil Co. acreage in the SW corner of the NE $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 26, Twp. 18, Range 28, drilling below 500 feet.

C. J. & W. Oil Co., No. 1, in SW corner of NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 17, Twp. 18, Range 28, drilling below 1950 feet.

Colorado Drilling Co., Irvin No. 1, in the SE of the SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 8, Twp. 16, Range 17, drilling.

R. D. Compton No. 1, Hinshaw lease, in SW corner NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 16, Twp. 18, Range 28, drilling at 1800 feet.

California No. 1, A. R. Goodale permit in the SW corner of the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 30, Twp. 18, Range 29, drilling below 2329 feet.

Compton and Compton, in the SW corner SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 16, Twp. 18, Range 28, drilling in at 2000 feet.

Cheesman-Merchant No. 1, in the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of SE $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 25, Twp. 18, Range 28, drilling below 2300 feet.

Daughterly No. 1, Ohio New State, in the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 4, Twp. 18, Range 28, fishing.

Danciger Oil and Refining Co., Kaseman No. 1, in SW corner of NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 4, Twp. 18, Range 28, drilling at 1950 feet.

Danciger Oil and Refining Co., Cummings No. 1, in SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 17, Twp. 18, Range 28, drilling in 1940 feet.

Danciger Oil and Refining Co., No. 1, in the NE of the SW Sec. 20, Twp. 18, Range 28, drilling below 1000 feet.

Hugh Burch in NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 19, Twp. 17, Range 30, setting casing at 450 feet.

Hogan California-Reiff No. 1, Reiff permit, in NW corner of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 8, Twp. 20, Range 28, drilling below 1700 feet.

Illinois-McNutt, Simpson No. 1, in SW corner of SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 7, Twp. 18, Range 28, shot at 1621 feet. 60 barrel pumper.

Illinois Producers No. 11, in NE corner of NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 29, Twp. 18, Range 28, on pump.

Illinois Producers No. 12, in SE corner SE $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 29, Twp. 18, Range 28, drilling below 1400 feet.

Illinois Producers No. 13, in NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 28, Twp. 18, Range 28, collapsed pipe following shot.

Illinois Producers No. 15, in the NW corner of SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 29, Twp. 18, Range 28, spudding in.

Livers No. 1, Cronin permit, in SE corner NE $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 1, Twp. 18, Range 27, drilling at 800 feet.

Marland-Hogan-Johnson No. 1, in NW corner of NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 34, Twp. 19, Range 28, drilling at 1300 feet.

Maljamar No. 3, Sec. 28, Twp. 18, Range 28, on east line of lease, making 600 barrels.

Miller Olson No. 1, Olson permit,

in NW corner NW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 4, Twp. 20, Range 27, drilling below 1900 feet, oil showing reported.

Maljamar Oil and Gas Corp., Ross Malone permit in Sec. 5, Twp. 20, Range 29, drilling below 200 feet.

Ohio No. 2, in center of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 4, Twp. 18, Range 28, shot, good for 100 barrels.

Ohio Oil Co. No. 1, Merchant lease in the S $\frac{1}{2}$ of Sec. 1, Twp. 19, Range 28, drilling below 2600 feet.

Ohio Oil Co. No. 1, Tracy permit, in Sec. 34, Twp. 21, Range 26, drilling below 2650 feet.

Ohio Oil Co., Toomie Allen No. 1, in the NW corner of the SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of below 800 feet.

Ohio Oil Co. No. 1, McCullough permit, in NE corner Sec. 1, Twp. 20, Range 27, skidding rig.

Pioneer Oil and Gas Co., in SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 36, Twp. 20, Range 30, drilling at 800 feet.

Royal Duke No. 2, in the NE corner of the NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 29, Twp. 18, Range 28, producing.

Rotary Oil Co. No. 2, in SE corner of NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 29, Twp. 18, Range 28, drilling below 2100 feet.

Twin Lakes No. 4, 500 feet south of Maljamar No. 1, drilling below 1500 feet.

Sandburg Petroleum Co., in NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 17, Twp. 18, Range 28, drilling below 1950 feet.

Sandburg and Mills No. 1, in NW corner of the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of the NE $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 9, Twp. 18, Range 28, drilling 1600 feet.

Seven Rivers No. 1, in SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of NW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 29, Twp. 18, Range 28, dry at 2250 feet.

Snowden-McSweeney No. 1, in SW corner of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 21, Twp. 18, Range 28, drilling in at 2005 feet.

Snowden-McSweeney No. 1, on McNutt permit, in Sec. 4, Twp. 21, Range 30, building road.

Snowden-McSweeney No. 2, in NW corner of NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of NW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 33, Twp. 18, Range 28, drilling below 1800 feet.

Twin Lakes No. 5, NE corner of the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 28, Twp. 18, Range 28, spudded in.

Texas Production Company No. 1, in the SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of the SE $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 5, Twp. 18, Range 28, drilling at 600 feet.

V. K. & F. Drilling Co. No. 1, in SW corner of NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 17, Twp. 18, Range 28, set casing at 250 feet, drilling in, sand topped at 1999 feet.

Van Welch No. 1, Dunn permit, in NE corner SW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 10, Twp. 18, Range 28, shot.

Wells & Son No. 1, in SE corner NW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 19, Twp. 20, Range 30, cementing off water.

Williams Petroleum Co., of Los Angeles, California, in the SW corner of the S $\frac{1}{2}$ of the SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 17, Twp. 18, Range 28, drilling below 600 feet.

Chaves County.
Arkansas Gas and Fuel Co., No. 1, Manning Dome in the SE corner Range 17, running 20-inch casing.

of the NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 14, Twp. 15, Range 17, drilling at 400 feet.

New Locations.
Mesa Oil Co. No. 1, in the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 4, Twp. 19, Range 28.

Ramage et al., SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 31, Twp. 16, Range 28.

Bradford Oil Co., NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of the NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 17, Twp. 16, Range 28.

GROWTH OF OIL FIELD

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asks the workmen about the neighboring wells, sometimes almost within a stones throw of the well on which they are working. While it may often times be reticence on their part, they are often frank to tell you that they know nothing about what their neighbors are doing. Many do not even know the name of the company, drilling within a short distance of where they are working. Such a condition is not a peculiar incident in an oil field, but serves to show, in a measure, the rapid development, which has grown to such an extent that it is practically impossible for any one man to keep in close touch with all of the operations of the field. It may be explained in another way by saying that the workmen are too busy with their own affairs to pay much attention to what their neighbors are doing.

More People Stay in Field.
More workmen with their families are living in the field as the building increases and the accommodations are made better. There are now practically 500 or 600 people, who are residents of the oil field. The number will increase as the drilling activity spreads.

I will rent 4 furnished rooms and bath in my rectory at Carlsbad for first reasonable offer. One-half mile from splendid bathing beach. Almost as near the oil field as Artesia. Call Saturday or Sunday till 3 p. m. Rev. F. A. Eller. 24-ltc

Reasserting herself as a style leader, France points to the fact that Paris is producing a number of the most fashionable divorces.

A FAVORABLE R. R. REPORT WAS MADE

El Paso to Lubbock by either north or south route and 410 miles to Mac-Bain.

The south route is by Guadalupe point, Carlsbad caverns and the city of Carlsbad, and the north route by Hope and Artesia, the route being much the same from there east. There is no difference in the mileage either way. Either route would tap the Artesia oil development section.

Not considering at all the tonnage to be developed, taking only one-tenth of El Paso's tonnage, one-third of Lubbock's (which has only the Santa Fe), and graduating the tonnage from other points, the engineers find the new railroad would get 30,000 carloads of freight annually.

Thus the road would get 10,000 car miles of freight for every mile of road to be constructed, which compares most favorably with business of southwestern railroads, the observation of the engineers revealed.

If the Santa Fe should be interested in the project, the following is submitted by the engineers as an interesting possibility for that system:

Extension of the Silver City line through the Gila river of New Mexico and Arizona to Phoenix, from where the Parker cut-off, already in, would give a complete line to the west coast from El Paso.

As it is now the Southern Pacific has a corner on traffic west by a direct route.

Shorter Mileage.
Not only that, but a road from El Paso to Seagraves would shorten the Santa Fe's mileage to Kansas City 200 miles, and the mileage to Temple, its main line, by 300 miles from El Paso.

In this way the Santa Fe would be in competition with the S. P. east and to the Gulf as well as west.

The Burlington has announced building into Plainview and Lubbock from a point on the Fort Worth and Denver. Plainview has raised \$200,000 for terminal, right-of-way, etc., and Lubbock has raised \$175,000.

State capital authorities report that the Santa Fe will fight the Burlington's bill of necessity both before the state railroad commission and interstate commerce commission.

The Santa Fe's attitude, it is stated, will be that "I am already in the Lubbock and Plainview territory, therefore no other railroad is needed in the section."

Need Another Road.
It remains, however, that Plainview, Lubbock and other points need another railroad and want it very badly, as is evidenced by their money subscriptions and real estate donations.

If the Santa Fe will not give a trunkline, a transcontinental line through the section, then some other system should be allowed to give it.

With the completion of the Orient in the west coast of Mexico, or the Port Yaveros-Navajoa line to connect with its present track, the distance from New York to the Pacific coast, through El Paso, would be shortened 400 miles, the engineers' report declares.

That is not a remote possibility either, as Col. Edgar K. Smoot is working with former president Alvaro Obregon on the Navajoa extension.

The major developments between El Paso and Lubbock on the north line railroad would be west of Hope and around Lovington.

On the southeast slopes of the Sacramento, forest supervisor O. Fred Arthur estimates there are 1,600,000,000 feet of merchantable timber. This is most difficult to mill now and handle over the mountains to the Southern Pacific on the west.

This is enough timber to mill 20,000,000 feet a year for 75 years, and in the interim more merchantable timber would be coming on.

The railroad on the north route would run up Cornucopia draw right by the forest area.

Penasco Development.
There is immediate prospect of greater truck development in the irrigated Penasco Valley around Hope, where 10,000 acre feet of storage is being worked out.

At Lovington, in Lea county northeast of Carlsbad and Artesia, there is a shallow water belt of 750,000 acres at least. This is five times as large as the irrigated valley under Elephant Butte.

The water is only 15 to 50 feet under the surface, and much farming, cotton growing and other activity is going on there now, fifty miles from a railroad.

With the advent of a railroad, agriculture there would be second to none in the southwest.

In seventeen counties around Lubbock, the engineers point out, the area in cultivation is only 1,747,000, while the total area is 10,330,820 acres, showing the potential possibilities of the section.

Caverns on South Route.
On the south route Carlsbad

LOCAL

Homer Dunagen was in town from Roswell yesterday.

Frank Miller made a business trip to Roswell yesterday.

Rev. Walker is in El Paso this week attending a board meeting of the Methodist church.

Rev. Simmons moved this week to the new Baptist parsonage, the Francis house, on Dallas street.

A big "bunch" of Artesians were called to Carlsbad last week in connection with the two murder trials.

The Misses Zanaida and Helen Mann are expected home today from Simmons College at Abilene, Texas.

W. R. Hornbaker and family, Mrs. Emmert and son, M. L. Emmert, spent Sunday with relatives in Amarillo, Texas.

D. E. Bryant returned Sunday from the Ruidoso, where his family is established in their mountain cabin for the summer.

Miss Lillian Meadows is here from Texas for a visit of several weeks with her brother, Ovie Meadows, and wife.

C. O. Norton and family are expected today from Hereford, Texas to visit his father, R. H. Norton, and family, for a few days.

W. E. Ragsdale and Tom Ragsdale received the sad news Tuesday that their brother, Roy had passed away that day at Columbus, Indiana.

The store building occupied by the Golden Rule Variety store was sold this week by Mr. Boellner, of Roswell to Mr. Boyd, of the same place.

Miss Gertrude Cunningham, of Hillsborough, Tennessee, came in this week to visit her nephews, Carl Cunningham, and family and Wade Cunningham.

Mr. and Mrs. George Welton spent last Sunday at their cabin on the Ruidoso. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Henderson, of Long Beach, California, accompanied them.

Mrs. J. J. Clarke and daughter, Miss Katherine, arrive home today from Wichita, Kansas, where Miss Katherine graduated from Mt. Carmel Academy this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Merchant are enjoying a visit from their son and his wife and their two children, who arrived Tuesday by auto from Imperial Valley, California.

Mrs. Aubrey Dunn, who came here some six weeks ago, with her husband from Ballinger, Texas, is severely ill at the home of her father-in-law, Preston Dunn.

Preston Dunn drove his son, Ben, over to Hot Springs, the first of the week in order that the young man might take the baths. His wife went with them and remained there with her husband.

LAKWOOD ITEMS

(Mrs. M. C. Lee, Reporter)

Edna and Ernest Millman were in from the ranch, Monday of this week. Don Lyman has been on the sick list, the past few days.

Little Vera Angell is visiting relatives in Carlsbad this week.

Mrs. Ole Gosset and two children, visited with friends and relatives here the past two weeks.

Wicher Angell and family moved into the Adams property. Wicher is working in the oil field.

Wm. Howell and wife, of Roswell, visited the Howell relatives here, last week.

Mrs. Emily Riley, of Roswell, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Landy Howell, this week.

Mrs. Schier, a cousin of Mrs. Webb, visited here a part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lucky, parents of Mrs. Landy Howell, visited relatives here last week. They are old timers from Texas.

Mrs. Smith and son, Jesse, sister and nephew of George McGonagill, who have been visiting here for some time, left for home, Tuesday.

A crowd of Lakewoodites enjoyed a very pleasant evening of dancing, at the home of J. H. Angell, on Seven Rivers, Saturday, May 30th.

Dick Nelson, brother of Mrs. D. E. Webb, came down from Dexter and went to Carlsbad to have a cancer, on his lip treated. Dr. Culpepper cut a piece out of his lip and applied a salve to remove any roots left there.

Mrs. Grant Knepple went to caverns form the greatest immediate attraction. It is estimated that upon development by the federal government, the caverns would draw 100,000 to 150,000 tourists annually.

Then there are the salt, tungsten, potash, sulphur and other mineral possibilities on the south route. It is believed the oil development will extend south from Artesia into Texas.

Four Mile gap on the north route between Sacramento and Guadalupe mountains is only 100 feet higher than the divide east of Guadalupe point on the south route, 5700 feet, compared with 5000 feet; but the engineers believe the long approach on the north route would be in its favor.

Wichita, Kansas, on a short visit. She went with Mr. and Mrs. Eppenauer, oil people, who have been living in Lakewood a short time. The Eppenauers went to Cleveland, Ohio, on a short trip.

Wm. Nelson has accepted a position as tool dresser with the Illinois Co., and is erecting a house in Oil City. He will move his family there when the house is completed. The house will be real convenient, as the company will put gas, electric lights and water in it.

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NEW MAP OF THE ARTESIA OIL FIELD

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