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Most all property owners are interested or should be interested in any proposal that may increase the cost of government. Because you live ten or fifty miles from your trading center does not mean that the problems of your trading point do not concern you. The Portales News brings the proposition a little nearer home by a plain statement of fact. The burden of paying the cost of county and state government rests on the people of the county. The farmer pays his portion of taxes, the merchant is called upon to pay his.

This money is used to keep the schools and other institutions of the county and community. Sending money out of town lessens the home merchant's ability to pay his part of the home government; sooner or later he is forced into bankruptcy and the burden of taxes becomes heavier on the farmer. By doing your buying from the home merchant you are aiding the development of the entire county.

THE GOVERNOR'S APPOINTMENTS

There seems to be some unrest over the state on account of Governor Seligman's delay in making his appointments. The governor has been criticised because he notified all employees of the former administration to resign and is still letting some of the heads of the departments stay on after they have divorced their interest from the departments which they serve. Some feel too that the governor will purposely delay his appointments until after the legislature adjourns, thus eliminating the senate's right to approve his appointments. Others feel that the governor should grit his teeth and make the appointments even though he does make some mistakes.

We decided several weeks ago that Mr. Seligman was going to be governor. Most people rather like the idea.

A California Rotary club and exchange clubmen have had a little battle with eggs, for the purpose of reducing the number. We always thought eggs should be used for principals of the stage plays.

THE UNEMPLOYMENT

This section of the country is fortunate in that it has escaped a greater part of the unemployment problem. There are the unemployed in our midst and some are in want, but the number are not as great here as in other places. The opinion has been expressed if ten heads of families could be given steady work that the local unemployment would be largely relieved. We doubt if this number would relieve the unemployed of our community, but it would go a long way toward stabilizing conditions.

There is a lot of work even around one's home that could be given to the needy and would help the cause along. Some of the local people have been trying out the plan of letting the outside laborer do little odd jobs around the home for a few hours each week and thus relieving the situation somewhat.

We heard of a farmer in the south end of the county, who is feeding 2,700 head of steers, it is said. Eighteen men are employed about the feed pens, working in two shifts, nine men work three days a week and the other nine finish out the remaining days of the week. Thus the laborers are able to live notwithstanding the fact that they are not getting top wages.

A CHICKEN AS EDITOR

Horace Greeley, the epic hero of American journalism, had probably the world's worst handwriting. Only one man in the Tribune offices could read it, an old typesetter who had for 30 years set up Mr. Greeley's daily editorial. Never once in all that time had he asked Mr. Greeley to decipher a word for him, and he was justly proud of his herculean achievement.

The reporters, tired of hearing about it, one day captured a chicken, dipped its feet in ink and let it track back and forth over the sheets of copy paper. Then one of them rushed to the typesetter, crying: Set this editorial for Mr. Greeley, quick! The typesetter started in confidently, and got half way down the page without any trouble. At last he came to a word he could not seem to make out. Finally he went into Mr. Greeley's office, much distressed. "Mr Greeley," he said, "for 30 years I've been setting your editorials and never had to bother you with a question. But there's one word here, I just can't make out." The great editor looked up patiently, adjusted his spectacles and focussed his attention at the end of the typesetter's dirty forefinger. "In this time of stress," he read, "it is the government's duty to—duty to—humanity, of course. That's the word—humanity. What do you mean you can't read it? Shame on you."

The typesetter went back and completed the job without further difficulty. —The Golden Book Magazine.

Charges involving corruption have been filed against the state game commission. While the public does not take stock in any such charges, most of us will be glad when the cloud over the acts of the commission has finally been cleared away. The game commission, a non-political organization, has no objective save to promote wild life in the state. Its members have served faithfully, many times at their own expense and in every instance on their own time. It is hardly possible to conceive of an unselfish organization of this sort, guilty of corruption.

Acknowledging that business conditions are bad, there are still some people who, now that things are on the up-and-up did not realize how bad they were, as in the instance of the young man of Jewish extraction who, when he was informed that there had been a fire in the White House in Washington, exclaimed, "My God, I didn't things were that bad." —Bindery Talk.

A girl, 15 years of age, in Joliet, Illinois, was stricken with infantile paralysis. Through misunderstanding of a telephone conversation, "parrot's" blood, instead of "parent's" blood, was injected into the veins of the patient. The girl and the parrot are both recovering. The parrot probably regrets the mistake even more than the girl does.

INSIDE INFORMATION

To get iron rust stains from an enameled sink, bleach them with a solution of oxalic acid. Repeat until the stain disappears, then rinse very thoroughly.

When first teaching a little boy to dress and undress himself, it is a good plan to make all his trousers exactly alike so that he will always find the buttons and button-holes in the same positions.

Apple betty and others made with fruit are usually popular with the family and are easy to prepare. Mix soft bread crumbs from the center of the loaf with enough melted butter to moisten, and place them in alternate layers with fruit, spices, and sugar in a baking dish. Serve hot or cold, with or without cream or hard sauce or custard. Apricots, prunes, and in season, rhubarb, make especially good "betties."

Biscuit dough is useful in many ways other than for hot bread. Fruit shortcakes of fresh or stewed fruits, chicken shortcake, crust for meat pie or fruit cobbler suggest some of these uses. Sweetened and spiced with raisins or nuts or both added, biscuit dough is transformed into tea cakes. Pinwheel buns are made by sprinkling the surface of the rolled dough with sugar, cinnamon, nuts and raisins, and then rolling it up, to be cut across like jelly roll. Sprinkle the tops of the pinwheels with more granulated sugar and bake.

To make jellied prunes, first cook the prunes as usual. Wash half a pound of plump prunes and soak them overnight in water to cover. Simmer until tender in the same water. Remove the stones and chop or cut the fruit very fine. Soak 2 tablespoons or one envelope of gelatin in 1/2 cup of cold water. Add 2 cups boiling water and stir until the gelatin is dissolved. Add 1 cup of sugar, 1/2 cup lemon juice, 1/2 teaspoon salt, and the cooked, chopped prunes. Stir until well blended. Chill, stirring occasionally until the fruit is well mixed. When set, serve with whipped cream. The pulp of one orange may be added if desired.

Lawyer (handing check for \$100 to client who had been awarded \$500): "There's the balance after deducting my fee. What are you thinking of? Arn't you satisfied?" Client: "I was just wondering who got hit by the car, you or me?" —Border Cities Star.

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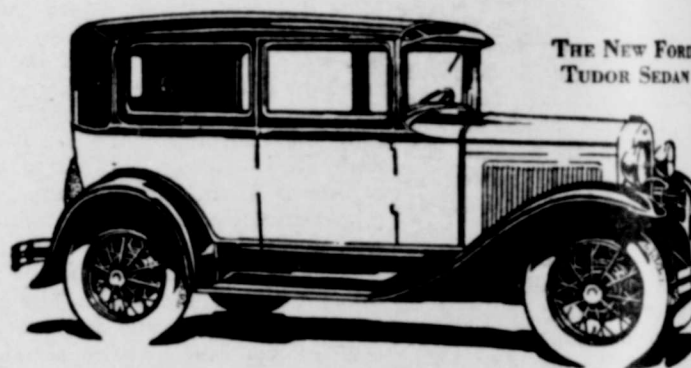
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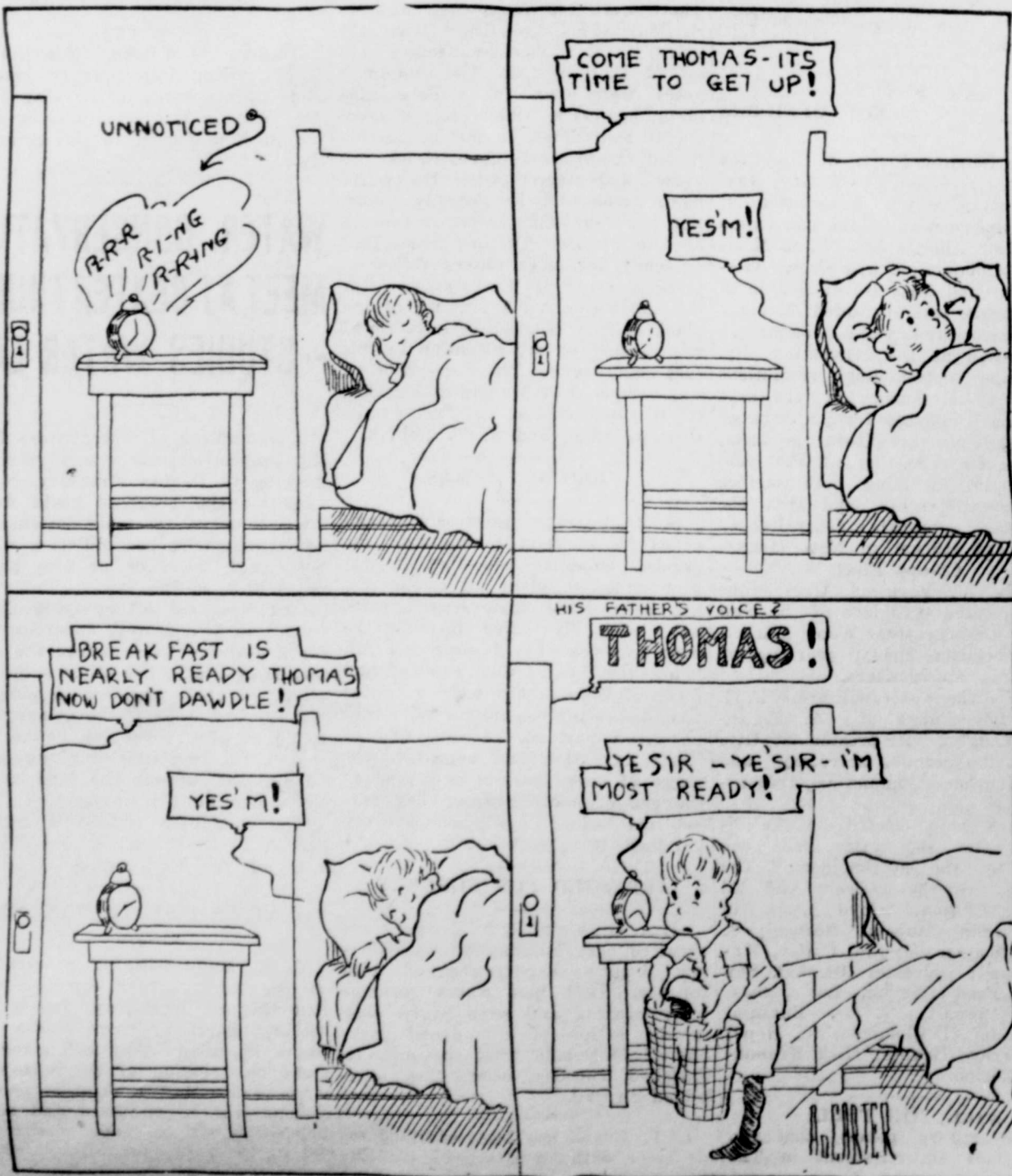
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By Ad Carter



COMMITTEE HIGH VALUE U. S. WILD LIFE



Red squill is a bulb something like an onion. Ground to powder, it is deadly to rats and relatively harmless to other animals and to birds.

Veterinary medicine is one profession that is not overcrowded today, and the schools are not graduating as many veterinarians as are likely to be needed.

Wild life is valuable. In the eastern part of the country, it has a meat and fur value of about 14 cents an acre; birds are worth more than 26 cents an acre as destroyers of insects and other pests.

Since 1917 state and federal agencies have slaughtered more than two-thirds of all the cattle in the country infected with tuberculosis.

Bone meal is a very good commercial fertilizer for lawns. It is safe to apply and gives fairly quick results. Apply it in late winter or early spring, using from 10 to 15 pounds to 1,000 square feet.

Geese can be raised successfully in small numbers and at a profit on farms where there is plenty of grass or pasture land with a natural water supply. Geese are the closest grazers known and both mature geese and partially grown goslings will get their entire living from good pasture when it is available. Moist pasture land makes especially good grazing. Young and old geese are very hardy and are rarely affected by disease or insect pests.

Experiments by the U. S. Department of Agriculture to discover the effects of various fertilizer ingredients on building up chlorophyll (green coloring matter in plants) show that fertilizers high in nitrogen readily cause plants to become a very deep green. Potash, which has pronounced effects on some phases of plant growth, has relatively small influence on the "greening" of plants, says the department. A fertilizer high in phosphorus seems to produce plants with more chlorophyll than those fertilized chiefly with potash and with less chlorophyll than those fertilized mainly with nitrogen.

LINCOLN TICKET
The indebted to John Martin Lincoln ticket of 1856. The nominated in Stephenson Illinois in 1856 shows Linbe among the presidential It is reprinted from Cap- eckly and follows:

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AUTO DEATHS IN N. M.
UP DURING LAST YEAR
SANTA FE—Deaths from automobile accidents in New Mexico during 1930 increased 47 per cent over those reported during 1929, Dr. F. E. McIntyre, state vital statistician said Monday.

In 1929 the rate was 23 per 10,000 population which ranked New Mexico half way down the list of states. During 1930 the rate rose to 33.2 per cent. The Isleta bus wreck in April 1930 in which 22 lives were lost contributed largely to this increase, Dr. McIntyre said.

PUBLIC SALE

At my farm 1/4 mile north of Pecos Bridge east of Hagerman

Tuesday, Feb. 17, 10 A. M.

LUNCH WILL BE SERVED ON THE GROUNDS

- 1 Sorrel Horse, 8 yrs. old, Wt. 1200 lbs.
 - 1 Bay Horse, 8 yrs. old, Wt. 1150 lbs.
 - 1 Sorrel Horse, smooth mouthed, 950 lbs.
 - 1 Dun Horse, 6 yrs. old, Wt. 1450 lbs.
 - 1 Bay Mare, 9 yrs. old, Wt. 1500 lbs.
 - 1 Bay Mare, 6 yrs. old, Wt. 1250 lbs.
 - 1 Brown Horse, 1250 lbs, age 7 yrs.
 - 1 Sorrel Mare, 8 yrs. old, Wt. 1100 lbs.
 - 1 Brown Mule, 8 yrs. old, Wt. 1100 lbs.
- The above are all good farm work stock, and hardened to work
- 1 Jersey Cow, 5 yrs. old, giving milk
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 - 4 Cultivators with Cotton Sweeps
 - 3 Riding Listers
 - 1 Walking Lister
 - 2 14-Inch walking plows
 - 2 Flat Bottom Sulky Plows
 - 1 Single Disc Sulky Plow
 - 2 Big Six McCormick-Deering Mowers
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 - 1 Two Section Harrow
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KITCHEN LORE

by
JANE ROGERS

ALL foods can be listed under one of three main headings, and the health of your family depends upon a proper balance between the foods in these groups. Meats, eggs and dairy products are builders and repairers of body tissues. Cereals, sugars and fats are the chief fuel foods, the source of heat and energy. Regulating foods—chiefly fruits, the outercoverings of grains, and green vegetables—keep the body in good running order.

The last is the group most likely to be neglected. Make sure that your menu provides fresh fruit, and two or more green vegetables every day. Serve dishes prepared with such cereals as bran and whole wheat, which retain the mineral salts and fiber of the grain. Watch for new recipes and you'll be surprised at the appetizing variety of such dishes you'll be able to prepare.

Bran Waffles

Sift one and a half cups flour, four teaspoons baking powder, one teaspoon salt, two tablespoons sugar. Beat the yolks of two eggs and combine with one cup of milk. Add to the dry ingredients and mix well. Add one-half cup melted shortening and three-fourths cup bran. Add the stiffly beaten whites of two eggs. Bake in a hot waffle iron until mixture ceases to steam.

LOST CHICKENS RECOVERED

Sheriff John C. Peck and his deputies continued their raid on law breakers Monday when they arrested R. T. Peck and Leonard Estes in connection with several chicken thefts near Roswell recently.

The men were arrested as a result of the sale of chickens taken from Vance Wilkins' place February 2 to the produce house in Artesia. A Roswell produce house bought the chickens from the Artesia house and they were identified by Wilkins. When taken to the Wilkins place, the chickens went immediately to a water trough and drank, and a few minutes later went directly to a roost.

Officers traced the chickens to Artesia where they learned that a man calling himself R. D. Peck had sold the chickens. From the description officers picked up Peck and Estes. The men admitted the crime, officers say.

Peck and Estes also said that they took chickens from Mrs. Pollard's place at the east edge of the city and from other places.—Southwestern Dispatch.

UNITED STATES POST OFFICE ASKS FOR BIDS

The Post Office department will receive sealed proposals for furnishing suitable quarters for the local post office for a term of five or ten years, from April 30, 1931, or date of occupancy. All bids must reach the department at Washington, D. C. not later than March 3rd, 1931. For information and details see the postmaster.

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February 2, 1931.
Warranty Deeds:
Dennis Lattion to R. C. Horner, et al \$4,500.00 S 1/2 NE 1/4; NW 1/4 SE 1/4 23-18-26. Pumping plants and wells. Transcript Of Judgment Docket:
Case No. 2802 J. A. Lewis to J. J. Gregg \$366.00.

In The District Court:
No. 5128 Divorce. Emma Elizabeth Parnell vs. Frederick C. Parnell.

February 3, 1931.

Warranty Deeds:
Francisca Ybaben to A. B. Lujan \$1.00 L. 8, B. 2, Town of Loving. Paulino Lara to A. B. Lujan \$1.00 L. 1-P B. 2, Loving. Nathan Landau to O. A. Pearson, et al L. 1-2-3-6-7-8-9-11, 3-16-23. W. R. E. Y. Gilbert to V. L. Wells \$2,000.00 L. 8, B. 17, C. & S. Add to Artesia. W. U. Bannowsky to D. A. Calhoun \$10 E 1/2 SE 1/4; SW 1/4 SE 1/4; SE 1/4 SW 1/4 15; etc., 21, 10 and 22-20-25.

February 5, 1931.

Patent:
U. S. to O. S. Laxson S 1/2 S 1/2; NE 1/4 SW 1/4; N 1/2 NW 1/4; SE 1/4 NW 1/4; NE 1/4 33 etc. 34, etc. 27-24-28.

Warranty Deeds:
O. S. Laxson to C. P. Pardue \$1.00 same as above except N 1/2 NW 1/4 34-24-28 to John Queen.

In The District Court:
No. 5130 Divorce. Augustine Najera vs. Jose Najera L. 6-8, B. 50, Stevens Add. to Carlsbad. No. 5131 Mandamus. Farmers Cotton Finance Corporation vs. Walter McDonald.

In The District Court:
No. 5132 Suit on Account. Swift to Co., vs. Richard H. Judkins, et al \$315.00.

Warranty Deeds:
John E. Clark to Albert Boegalin \$10 L. 9, B. 82, Lowe Addition to Carlsbad.

In The District Court:
No. 5133 Suit on Account. Given Bros. vs. Judkins and Wheeler \$575.

No. 5134 Suit on Contract. U. S. Potash Co., vs. J. D. Atwood, administrator of the estate of J. W. Mitchell, deceased, et al L. 1-2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9-10-11-12-13-14-15-16; S 1/2 2-21-29.

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Social Activities

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATED

The fiftieth anniversary of the founding of the Christian Endeavor was fittingly celebrated last Sunday evening at the local Presbyterian church. The Christian Endeavor Societies merged with the regular evening service. Reminiscences of early endeavor societies were given by members who joined the movement years ago. Mrs. A. M. Tarbet joined in 1886; S. W. Gilbert in 1888, Dr. Chester Russell in 1892, Mrs. J. P. Sinclair in 1896, Rev. J. P. Sinclair in 1898, Prof. W. E. Kerr in 1903; R. L. Paris in 1904; Mrs. M. D. Brannon in 1906. Grace Sinclair representing the present senior society and Joan Wheatley of the Juniors spoke on "What Christian Endeavor Means To Me In 1931." Martha Sinclair rendered a violin solo which was greatly appreciated.

THE NEVIN CLUB

The young musicians, who recently organized a music club under the direction of Mrs. G. U. McCrary, have named the organization, the Nevin club. The club held its second monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. McCrary last Saturday afternoon beginning at 1:30 o'clock. The program was given by Josephine Payne, Joe Bill Funk and Glenna McLean. After the program the young musicians spent a pleasant hour with musical dominoes and the hostess served light refreshments to the twelve members present and four visitors.

IDLEWHILES BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. Langston and Mrs. Elzie Swift were substitutes at the meeting of the Idlewhiles club at the home of Mrs. Jim Berry last Tuesday afternoon. Delicious refreshments were served.

ELECTION BOARD ENTERTAINED AT LUNCH

The members of the election board were surprised to have a bountiful lunch, from Tommy's Sandwich Shop nicely served with a snowy cloth, etc., at their quarters in the city hall at noon on election day. When the reporter happened around they were still in the dark as to the perpetrator of this agreeable surprise.

FIRST BRIDGE CLUB

The annual entertainment given by the low score members to the high scores and substitutes, occurred at the home of Mrs. C. Bert Smith on Tuesday when a delicious two course luncheon was served by the unlucky ones, who this time were in addition to the hostess, Mrs. Smith, Mesdames G. R. Brainard, M. A. Corbin, Jeff Hightower, S. D. Gates, Ferree and Brooks. The lucky members were Mesdames Welton, Yates, Bigler, Clarke, Wallace Anderson and Lowry, with Mrs. J. B. Atkeson and Mrs. John Lanning as special guests of the absentee members, Mesdames Ferree and Brooks. The Valentine motif made very pleasing decorations.

TURKEY DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. William Gissler entertained their children and grandchildren at turkey dinner at noon on Sunday. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kissinger and son, Edward, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Gissler and baby, June Ann, Mrs. Kissinger and the host and hostess.

ANNIVERSARY DINNER

Mrs. N. J. Brown celebrated her seventy-second anniversary last Sunday as guest at a turkey dinner prepared by her daughters, Mrs. George Lewis and Mrs. Ernest McGonigill. When Mrs. Brown returned from church she was surprised and pleased to find the splendid dinner already to serve. The families of Mrs. Lewis and Mrs. McGonigill were present to enjoy the feast.

THE P. E. O.

The P. E. O. met at the home of Mrs. E. M. Phillips last Friday afternoon. A splendid program was given by Mrs. R. L. Paris, who gave a character sketch of the noted American writer, Edna Ferber. The Ferber novel reviewed by Mrs. Paris was "Cimarron," that stirring tale of the opening of Oklahoma, and those hectic days were so faithfully presented as to leave a vivid impression on the mind of the listener. Regular routine business was disposed of in the business meeting and the hostess served delicious refreshments, assisted by her daughter, Miss Wyoma.

Guaranteed Typewriter Repairing—The Advocate.

Social Calendar

TELEPHONE 217

THURSDAY (TO-DAY)

The Y. W. A. will meet with Mrs. W. C. Martin at 7:30 p. m.

FRIDAY

The Dorcas Class will meet with Mrs. John Simons at 2:30 p. m., with Mrs. W. F. Walker as co-hostess.

The Young Mothers' club will meet with Mrs. Margaret Ellis at 2:30 p. m.

TUESDAY

The T. E. L. and Dorcas classes of the Baptist Sunday school will give a George Washington party at the church beginning at 7:30 p. m. The Men's Bible class will be the guests of the two classes.

The Second Afternoon club will meet with Mrs. F. G. Hartell at 1:00 p. m.

The Fortnightly Bridge club will meet with Mrs. John Lanning at which time the lows will entertain the highs at one o'clock luncheon.

The Passtime club will meet with Mrs. Charles Morgan at 2:30 p. m.

The Sunshine class will give its annual colonial tea at the home of Mrs. Frank Miller from 2:30 until 5:30 p. m.

WEDNESDAY

The Women's club will meet in the music room at the Central school. Program by the music committee.

Business and Professional Womens' club meets at 7:30 p. m. in Chamber of Commerce office.

THURSDAY (NEXT WEEK)

The Methodist Missionary Society will meet at the home of Mrs. I. C. Keller at 2:30 p. m.

FRIDAY (NEXT WEEK)

Union meeting at 2:30 p. m. at Christian church. "The Worlds Day For Missions."

AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY

The American Legion Auxiliary is a live organization, which keeps up the interest of the members as shown by the attendance. The meeting at the home of Mrs. Calvin Dunn on Monday afternoon preserved the tradition and many members were present. Among other matters of business a constitution and by-laws were adopted to conform to the changes in the department constitution. A committee composed of Mesdames C. R. Vandagriff, Gail Hamilton, John McCann, Jim Haskins and Edward Willingham, was appointed by the president, Mrs. J. L. Truett, to co-operate with the Legion in a community program. Mrs. E. N. Bigler reported that her circle had raised \$36 toward the convention fund. Other circles are planning activities to raise money for this meeting, which is scarcely six months away. Mrs. Myron Bruning was appointed to assist with the Girl Scout work, as lieutenant of one of the troops, the Girl Scouts being one of the projects sponsored by the Auxiliary.

The local unit is leading the state with a membership of 93 and its goal is 100 by March 1st. Several application blanks are out and the applicants are urged to get their papers in promptly and help the unit keep its lead in the department.

The program for the afternoon consisted of a report by the department committeewoman, Mrs. Albert Richards, of the National Committee, which she read of her trip to the National Committee meeting in Indianapolis last month. The report gave the little interesting experiences of the trip and was much enjoyed by the unit. Among other things Mrs. Richards mentioned a phone conversation with Mrs. Irma Deane formerly of Artesia, now a resident of Elkhart, Indiana, who still holds Artesia in kindly remembrance.

The hostesses for the afternoon, Mesdames Dunn and Grover Kinder served lovely refreshments in a color scheme of pink and white. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Fred Brainard, with Mrs. C. V. Brainard, joint hostess.

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VALENTINE PARTY

Mesdames Skelt Williams and Howard Gissler entertained with a Valentine bridge party yesterday afternoon complimentary to Mrs. William Mead of Youngstown, Ohio. The guests were nearly all old classmates of Mrs. Mead in high school and the party was in the nature of a class re-union. It was given at the handsome new Spanish style home of Mrs. Williams, which was decorated in the Valentine motif. A beautiful lace cloth over red, decorated the dining table and the refreshments in two courses and all the appointments were in harmony with the Valentine theme. Mrs. Fred Cole won high prize in the playing and a guest prize was presented to Mrs. Mead. Those present were the honoree and Mesdames Hugh Kiddy, Margaret Ellis, Fred Cole, Buford Chunn, of Amarillo, Texas, Carl Jenks and the Misses Vesta Frisch, Opal Martin and Marjorie Wingfield and the two hostesses.

GIRL SCOUT PARTY

The High school patrol under the leadership of Miss LeVon Brown, with their boy friends had a party at the home of Miss Jack Ward after the Clovis-Artesia basket ball game Friday night. The refreshments in a color scheme of red and white carried out the Valentine motif. The amusements were dancing and cards, with bunco for the non-card players. Fifteen couples enjoyed the party.

ONE O'CLOCK DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Jackson entertained at a two course dinner on Sunday, their guests being, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Knoedler and children, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Buckles, Mrs. Laura Welsh and Mrs. William Mead and baby daughter, Laura Lu, of Youngstown, Ohio.

"CHEVIE SIX" BRIDGE CLUB

The club met with Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Martin last Thursday evening. Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Flint substituted and delicious refreshments were served.

AID SOCIETY MEETS

Circle Three of the Presbyterian Aid Society met with Mrs. Gail Hamilton last Thursday for its business and social meeting. Light refreshments were served by the hostess.

LOCALS

Miss Margaret Perry was at home from El Paso Gap over the week end.

Mrs. Tex Henson has been confined to the house by illness this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Brown of Hobbs, were visiting in Artesia on Tuesday.

Jeff Hightower arrived in Artesia last night and expects to spend several days at home.

C. R. Vandagriff has been in El Paso, Texas and Las Cruces the past week on business.

Mrs. J. P. Sinclair and son, Johnnie are spending a few days visiting friends in Roswell.

Frank Whitted returned to his home in Amarillo, Texas Monday after a visit to his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Whitted.

Mrs. A. L. Mount left Sunday for a visit with relatives at Los Angeles, California. She will probably be gone three or four weeks.

Howard Beecham, federal prohibition officer and John Peck, of Roswell, Chaves county sheriff, passed thru Artesia Friday evening en route home.

F. B. Van Horn, of Carlsbad, land man for Snowden-McSweeney, oil operators, was visiting friends and attending to business matters here Tuesday.

Miss Esther Morgan was at home from Roswell for the week end. She was accompanied by a friend, Miss Rosella Kropp, Latin teacher in the Roswell high school.

A. T. Woelk of Denver, Colorado, relief man of the Western Union Telegraph Co., is operating the local Western Union office while Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Mulphurs are spending a short vacation at Denver.

Mr. and Mrs. March Knepple and baby, of Wichita, Kansas, and Mrs. Alma Watsabough of Omaha, Nebraska are expected the last of the week for a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grant Knepple.

Rev. W. G. Jones came in from Grady Monday to meet his daughter, Miss Myrtle Jones, and take her home with him. Miss Jones has been teaching at the Log Wood school near Clodcroft for the past five months, which is two months longer than the school usually continues. So many families have moved away that it is impossible to continue the school. Miss Jones visited friends here over the week end.

LOCALS

R. E. Horne transacted business in Roswell Monday.

Rev. A. J. Cox of Hope was trading in town Saturday.

Mrs. Andy Teel, of Hope, was shopping in town Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Feildmeyer were in town from Roswell Sunday.

C. Bert Smith and son-in-law, John Lanning made a trip to Roswell Tuesday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Trimble Monday evening, the 9th inst., a daughter.

Jess Withers had the misfortune to break his hand in an airplane propeller Sunday.

Mrs. Ralph Shugart was in Roswell as the guest of Roswell friends the first of the week.

Mrs. John Lanning made a trip to Roswell Saturday to see her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Lanning.

Miss Grace Shearman, of Roswell, spent last week here with the family of her brother, John Shearman.

Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Taylor, of Amarillo, Texas, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Dunn over the week end.

Joe Fanning and family who have been ranching in the Y. O. Crossing country, moved Tuesday to Flagstaff, Arizona.

Jim Haskins, superintendent of the Phillips Petroleum plant, went to Las Cruces Sunday on a short business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Renfro, of Melrose, spent the week end here with Mrs. Renfro's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Spivey.

Miss Opal Martin was in the city shopping yesterday. She is cashier for the J. C. Penney Company of Artesia.—Current Argus.

Judge McCrary and Martin O'Brien manager of the Pueblo Oil Co., were in Hobbs Saturday on business connected with the company.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Clark accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Ossie Coalsan of Carlsbad, Sunday on a trip to the Coalsan ranch, near Lovington.

George D. Dixon, local agent for Phillips Petroleum Co., attended a district meeting of the Phillips Petroleum Co., men at Clovis Tuesday.

Mrs. Homer Dunagan who underwent an operation at St. Mary's hospital in Roswell for tumor, is reported to be improving satisfactorily.

Lee Brown left last week for his home at LaPlant, South Dakota, after a week's visit with his mother, Mrs. N. J. Brown, and other relatives.

Mrs. W. T. Blakey and little daughter, Maxine spent last week in Roswell visiting Mrs. Harral. Miss Katherine Blakey spent Friday and Saturday in Roswell also.

Rev. Slade pastor of the Lake-Arthur-Loving circuit, attended the Monday evening session of the teachers' training school, being held at the Methodist church this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Heflin returned last Thursday from a visit at Nevada, Missouri. Their daughter, Miss Lillian, accompanied them home and has entered high school here for the second semester.

Paris Damewood returned the first of the week from a visit to his brother, Gerald Damewood and wife at Lubbock, Texas. It was incorrectly stated last week that he had gone to take a position there.

Mr. and Mrs. Buford Chunn expect to leave tomorrow for their home in Amarillo, Texas, after a visit to Mrs. Chunn's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Frisch. They will stop en route to visit a brother of Mr. Chunn at Texico. Miss Vesta Frisch will accompany them home for a longer visit.

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LOOK FOR FARM PRICES NOT BRIGHT FOR 1931

Annual outlook reports say there are prospects for gradual recovery in the domestic demand for products the latter half of this year and for lower production costs. In the case of wheat and products, some recovery in foreign demand also seems likely. This year's improvement is based on the belief that the world-wide depression will have run its course by the summer of 1931, as consumption of many farm products is now outrunning production. Prospects also will be affected by the volume of agricultural production in 1931. Although production credit may be curbed, marketing credit is expected to be the lowest since 1920. Farm wages are the lowest since 1914 and building materials and fertilizer prices are lower than they were a year ago.

Growers are faced with discouraging market prospects. Unless yields throughout the country be materially below normal, prices are likely to continue to be low. World production has increased faster than consumption in many years and burdensome surpluses are piling up so that prices are over on July 1st next. The 1931-32 season are expected to average somewhat lower than the current season, but some improvement in cash corn prices is expected for the 1931 crop is probable. There will be tendency to increase acreage in the corn belt and to reduce stocks. There is a depressed market demand for less strength in the demand for barley. Prospect for a reduction in hog production is regarded as a favorable factor in the long time outlook for the hog industry.

Prices the first half of 1931 are expected to average considerably above those of the first half of 1930. It is believed that prices of most farm products will improve during the second half of the year. The stock industries will have the advantage of relatively cheap feed. Producers are faced with the problem of reducing breeding stock and disposing of a large proportion of their annual production thru slaughter channels in order to improve the economic condition of the industry. World production continues near record levels, and present world stocks are high.

The dairy industry expanded to the extent even with the expected improvement in the business situation. The former favorable relations between dairy products and the prices of other farm products will be restored this year. Domestic production of dairy products has declined to the world level and markets do not afford an adequate outlet for American production.

Improvement in the price of eggs may be expected during the first half of 1931. Poultry prices for the first half of 1931 are expected to be somewhat above those of the same period a year ago. Increased supplies of potatoes are expected in the 1931 crop year and more than offset any improvement in demand. A large increase in potato production is expected. Growers in the late states receive lower prices than in the north where acreage is reduced. Let-growers must guard against expansion in production. Late crops should be reduced and the acreage of the 1930 acreage of potatoes should be reduced and manufacturing season may result in excess supplies.

Prospects for apples justify maintenance of the present acreage in commercial apple areas and possibly some increase in the trend of orange acreage upward, the increase in fruit production is in the citrus areas and promises to be over-production unless acreage should be increased. In producing areas outside the prospective changes in acreage are moderate. Strawberry acreage for 1931 promises to be smaller than 1930. Grape production is difficult marketing conditions the next several years. Market outlook for tobacco is favorable than it was last year. Domestic demand for the foreign demand is high.

Prospects in the southern states are maintained at about the same level without depressing prices. High relative to wheat has brought high relative to wheat. The last few years the levels are not likely to change during 1931.

FRED DANIELS,
Agr. Statistician.

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GRANO ONION CAN BE GROWN SUCCESSFULLY

Since the Grano onion has already proved to be well adapted to the southern and irrigated parts of the state, it was included with the Crystal Wax, White Globe, late Valencia and other vegetable crops in the experimental work being started in the Middle Rio Grande Conservancy district, in order to see whether this new onion would do as well as other varieties.

According to Dr. F. Garcia who conducted these experiments, these different varieties of onions were all transplanted at the same time and treated in the same way. There was quite an infestation of thrips on the late varieties and the grasshoppers were very bad. At harvesting the yield from Grano exceeded all three of the other varieties, being at the rate of 23,836 pounds where the growth was not affected by the highway table, compared with 22,194 for the White Globe, 21,164 for the Valencia and 9,588 for the Crystal Wax. No doubt the thrips as well as the grasshoppers reduced the yield materially.

This year's preliminary data show that the Grano onion can be grown successfully in the conservancy district when the seedlings are transplanted by March 29. Under normal weather conditions and when the seedlings are transplanted early, the data indicate that this variety may be harvested during the last two weeks of July.

The Grano onion is a new Spanish variety belonging to the Valencia type, but maturing usually from three to five weeks earlier than the late Valencia. The preliminary test made of its keeping qualities indicates that the Grano keeps much better than the Crystal Wax and will produce a heavier yield. The data collected on this onion from many different parts of the state show that this variety is well adapted to the lower as well as the higher altitudes. Since the Grano has so many good qualities, it is quite possible that it may take the place of many other sorts which are now being grown, just as soon as there is seed enough to supply the demand.

MAYBE HE CARRIES A RABBIT'S FOOT

Oil men call him "Lucky Lancaster" and are wondering if J. L. Lancaster, president of the Texas & Pacific Railroad, carries a rabbit's foot in his pocket or possesses a magic shoe from an "iron horse" which serves as a divining rod to locate oil fields.

Ten major Texas oil fields have been discovered along the line of the Texas & Pacific in the last 15 years, since Lancaster became president of the road. These fields include Ranger, Breckenridge-Stephens County, Crane-Upton Counties, Big Spring, Pecos, Odessa, all in west Texas. Then in 1929, the Van field in east Texas was discovered, and now comes the lucky break for the railroad at Longview.

One prominent oil operator called at Lancaster's office to ask for a "working map" of the railroad company's lines.

"Say, I've just about decided to abandon all wildcatting," he explained, "and instruct my geologists to locate only in the vicinity of your railroad. When I'm working thru new territory and run across a railroad, all I want to know is if it belongs to the Texac & Pacific. If it does, then I am going to dig as close to the right-of-way as possible."

Loose-leaf Binders, Special Ruling and Stock Forms.—The Advocate.

150 FAMILIES AT HOBBS ARE TO BE RETURNED TO LEGAL RESIDENCE

SANTA FE—Chief Tax Commissioner Byron O. Beall of New Mexico announced Tuesday morning that sufficient funds have been raised to care for the destitute families of Hobbs. The money will be used to transport 150 families back to their legal residences in other states.

Mr. Beall said the funds were assembled thru co-operation of the state health department, the state comptroller's office, Governor Arthur Seligman, the tax commission and the county commissioners of Lea county.

"By scraping small amounts from various funds," Mr. Beall said, "we have been able to raise enough money to take care of the immediate needs of Hobbs."

The sum will be sent to Hobbs this week. Mr. Beall said, however, that it will be impossible to raise any more funds in addition to this amount to meet any further contingencies.

The Hobbs survey revealed 375 families of unemployed of which 150 were destitute.

CUB PACK MAY BE ORGANIZED HERE

A cub pack, a junior branch of the Boy Scout movement may be organized in Artesia as result of the efforts of Minor Huffman, of Roswell, Boy Scout area executive, who has spent several days here, making a preliminary survey. Tuesday nine mothers met with Mr. Huffman and Rev. Scoggins at the Methodist church building and discussed the details connected with a local organization. Another meeting has been called on February 26th at which time a definite decision will be made on the local organization. Parents are invited to be present. All boys between the ages of nine and twelve years are eligible to become cub members.

Mr. Huffman, who was accompanied by Tom Hall of Roswell, went on to Carlsbad to attend a father and sons banquet, which was held Tuesday evening.

DOUGLAS BUILDING NEW RESIDENCE

A six room stucco dwelling with breakfast room and bath is now under construction for Walter Douglas. The new residence is located east of the Wallace Anderson home on Quay Street. The Douglas residence is the fourth new home under construction in Artesia. A. R. Company is remodeling a four room residence moved from Dayton. The Company residence is located south of Frank Miller's.

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SHERIFF'S NOTICE OF SALE
SOUTHWESTERN DRUG CORPORATION,
 Plaintiff,
 Vs.
J. L. LYNCH, N. M. SCHUSTER,
C. L. WOOD,
 Defendants,
N. M. SCHUSTER,
 Cross-Complainant.
 No. 5085.

WHEREAS, in the above entitled and numbered cause a Judgment and Decree was duly rendered by the Honorable G. A. Richardson, Judge of the 5th Judicial District of the State of New Mexico, in and for the county of Eddy; said Judgment and Decree being recorded in the office of the District Clerk of said Court in the said county of Eddy; said judgment and decree being in favor of N. M. Schuster, cross-complainant, and against the defendants, J. L. Lynch and C. L. Wood, for the sum of \$600.00 together with \$75.00 attorneys fee and all costs of suit, and for the foreclosure of said Cross-Complainant's Landlords lien upon all the right, title and interest of the said J. L. Lynch and C. L. Wood in and to the following described personal property, to-wit:

All of the goods, chattels and fixtures owned by the said J. L. Lynch and C. L. Wood consisting of drug store fixtures, drug stock and all other property located in the two front rooms on the ground floor in the West Half of the two-story brick building on Main street being situated on Lot 11, in Block 9, of the Original Town of Artesia, New Mexico, used as a Drug Store and Soda Fountain, also an electric drug sign displayed and attached to the front of said premises.

NOW THEREFORE, Notice is hereby given that on the 16th day of March, 1931, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock A. M., at the front door of the above described premises in the town of Artesia, Eddy County, New Mexico, I will sell all the right, title and interest which the said J. L. Lynch and C. L. Wood had or owned in and to the above described property on the 10th day of January 1931, or any time thereafter, in and to the above described property, at public auction to the highest bidder for cash to satisfy said Judgment and Decree, and the cost of said suit and the cost of making this sale.

G. U. McCRARY,
 Artesia, New Mexico
 Attorney for Cross-Complainant.

WITNESS my hand this 10th day of February, 1931.
WALTER McDONALD,
 Sheriff,
 By J. M. JACKSON,
 Deputy.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

Whereas, in cause No. 5030 pending in the District Court of the Fifth Judicial District of the State of New Mexico, in and for the County of Eddy, wherein E. P. Bates, is plaintiff, and E. P. Fuller and Bertha M. Fuller, are defendants, the plaintiff on the 23rd day of October, 1930, obtained a judgment and decree in said cause foreclosing a mortgage executed by the defendants, in favor of the plaintiff, and against the defendants for the principal sum of Eight Thousand Seven and 98/100 (\$8,007.98) Dollars, and Seven hundred Eighty-Seven and 40/100 (\$787.40) Dollars, for attorney's fees, upon the following described real estate located in Eddy County, New Mexico, to-wit:

The Northwest Quarter (NW¹/₄) of Section Thirty-two (32) in Township Sixteen (16) South of Range Twenty-six (26) East, N. M. P. M. also a one-half interest in three artesian wells located on said quarter-section, except a right of way for ditch sufficient to carry the water from the artesian wells situated on the Northwest Quarter (NW¹/₄) of the Northwest Quarter (NW¹/₄) of the above section, township and range, said right of way to run due East from said wells across the North half of the Northwest Quarter (N¹/₂NW¹/₄) of the Northwest Quarter (NW¹/₄) of the above Section, Township and Range, together with all improvements thereon and the appurtenances thereunto belonging; reserving and excepting all of the oil, gas or other minerals that may be contained in the East Half of the Northwest Quarter (E¹/₂NW¹/₄) of the above Section, Township and Range, with the use of such of the surface of the said land as may be necessary in searching for, drilling or otherwise mining, therefor, on any part of the above mentioned East Half of the Northwest Quarter (E¹/₂NW¹/₄) of above described land;

And which said judgment at the date of sale hereinafter mentioned will amount to the sum of Nine Thousand Fifty-Eight and 32/100 (\$9,058.32) Dollars, together with the costs of said action in the sum of Sixteen and 25/100 (\$16.25) Dollars, plus the accruing costs of sale, and such other costs as the court may lawfully tax herein;

And, whereas, in said decree the undersigned, James P. Bates, was appointed special master and directed to advertise and sell said described real estate as provided by law and by said decree; and whereas, said defendants have failed to pay said judgment or any part thereof.

NO. OF BILLS PASSED AND PENDING IN THE STATE LEGISLATURE

Senate

Killed HB 12 (Committee substitute).
 Killed SB 36, requiring non-resident attorneys to take examinations before admission to the bar, 13 to 10.
 Passed SB 27, relating to the appraisal of decedent's estates.
 Passed SB 44, fixing penalties for embezzlement by guardians.
 Passed HB 25, to place oil royalties in a suspense fund pending settlement of litigation. Relates to the Terry-Midwest suit.
 Passed HB 23 relating to sale by guardians of oil and gas leases held by mental incompetents or minors.

New Senate Bills

SB 52, (Bryant and Jones) to amend the sheep sanitary inspection law to provide that inspection is not necessary when transportation of animals or carcasses is within the county boundary. (Livestock).
 SB 53 (Jones) to define banks. (Banking).
 SB 54 (Edwards and Remley) to permit retirement of justices of the supreme court and district judges who have served for 24 years and are more than 65 years old. (State affairs).
 SB 55, (Remley) relating to redemption within nine months of real property sold under execution. (Judiciary).
 SB 56, (Remley) relating to publication of legal notices of district courts, notices of sale of property under execution. (Judiciary).
 SB 57 (Edwards, Remley and Hutchison) state liquor dispensary bill. (State affairs).
 SB 58, (Salazar) appropriating \$1,000 from permanent reservoirs fund for preliminary survey for dam and reservoir site on the Rio Puerco above Cuba. (Irrigation).
 SB 59, (Hughes) to disqualify judges in civil and criminal cases by affidavit. (Judiciary).
 SB 60, (Hughes) providing for salary for district judges of \$1,500 for their work in capacity of juvenile judges. (Judiciary).

House

Passed HJB 6 requesting congress to pass the Couzins bill to suspend authority of the interstate commerce commission to approve railroad consolidations and unification.
 Killed HB 100, for appointment of deputy mine inspectors.
 Killed HB 86, making the jurisdiction of justices of the peace co-extensive with county lines.
 Killed HB 91, for board of architects examiners.
 Killed HB 97, restricting board of county commissioners in creation of new precincts.

New House Bills

HB 125, (Woods) providing penalties for offenses by cattle sanitary inspectors, including bribery and filing false reports. (Judiciary).
 HB 126, (Bryans and Rivera) setting up form for oil and gas leases issued by state land office, following generally what is known as form 42; enlarging restricted area. (Judiciary).
 HB 127, (Ulibarri) requiring state institutions and schools to prefer domestic corporations in purchasing supplies and hiring labor. (Judiciary).
 HB 128, (Branson) creating state liquor dispensary commission. (Judiciary).
 HB 129, (Bryans and others) requiring state officials to post lists of all employees stating salaries and duties. (Judiciary).
 HB 130, (Hudgins) giving municipal authorities power to impound animals running at large and to kill them after publishing notices giving descriptions of animals held. (Judiciary).
 HB 131, (Torres) amending election code.

Therefore, pursuant to said judgment and decree and the power vested in me as special master, I will on the 9th day of March, 1931, at the hour of 2:00 p. m. of said day at the front door of the First National Bank Building in the town of Artesia, Eddy County, New Mexico, offer said property for sale, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, for the purpose of applying the proceeds of such sale to the amount due upon said judgment, together with the costs of this action and accruing costs.

Dated this 10th day of February, 1931.

JAMES P. BATES,
 8-5t
 Special Master.

Department Of The Interior, United States Land Office, Las Cruces, New Mexico, January 10, 1931.

Notice is hereby given that the State of New Mexico has filed in this office its Indemnity School Land Selection List 9380, Serial No. 040526, for the following land:

Lot 4 Sec. 7, Lot 1 Sec. 18, T. 16-S., R. 30-E., N. M. P. M.

The purpose of this notice is to allow all persons claiming the land adversely, or desiring to show it to be mineral in character, an opportunity to file their protests against the approval of the selection.

V. B. MAY,
 6-5tc
 Register.

UPPER COTTONWOOD ITEMS

8th Grade English Class—Reporters

Mrs. L. B. Stevenson is ill at the present time.
 W. O. Boone has been on the sick list this last week end.

Mrs. A. C. Penson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Cullens.
 Mrs. E. P. Malone and son, Ernest have been ill the last few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Mills spent Sunday afternoon with L. L. O'Bannons.
 Mr. and Mrs. Coleman and daughter have gone to Texas for a short visit.

Miss Williams spent the week end with her father and mother, at Carlsbad.
 Judge Doering has been very ill the last week, but seems to be improving.

W. M. James and Will Summers made a business trip to Roswell Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Garner and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Woods.

The attendance at Upper Cottonwood school has been very good the last week, reaching one hundred Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Wilson celebrated their twenty-sixth wedding anniversary Saturday evening with a six o'clock dinner.

DAYTON-ATOKA ITEMS
 (J. H. Sherbit, Reporter)

J. O. Sherbit who has been ill for the past week is improving nicely.

Miss Zella B. Schoolcraft of Roswell is visiting Miss Treve Phillips at Atoka community, this week.

Leonard Smith returned home last week from Texas where he had been visiting relatives for some time.

Miss Dena Rogers spent last Saturday with Miss Velma Burroughs who is visiting her sister in Dayton.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Sherbit and two sons, Lloyd and Olav Sherbit spent last Sunday with J. O. Sherbit and family.

Rev. Gordon Sterling will fill his regular appointment at the Dayton church next Sunday at both morning and evening services.

The young people of Dayton community were entertained last Friday evening with a party in the home of Messrs. Guy and Claude Smith.

A group of fourteen young people of Dayton visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Sterling, Tuesday evening. They were delightfully entertained and were served delicious refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. John Smith of Dayton community returned home last week from Wichita Falls, Texas where they had been visiting Mrs. Smith's people. They were called there by the death of Mrs. Smith's father.

KOB BROADCASTING
DAILY PROGRAMS NOW

Station KOB at the New Mexico College of A. and M. A., is now broadcasting regular daily programs from its studio in El Paso.
 The studio in the El Paso Post building was dedicated last week and its dedication marks a new era in radio broadcasting in New Mexico. KOB has entered the commercial field and is now equipped to offer programs which will compare favorably with those of other large commercial stations.

Daily programs from the El Paso studio are being offered between 7:00 a. m. and 10:00 a. m., and between 5:00 p. m. and 9:00 p. m.
 KOB is the only large broadcasting station in New Mexico and is the largest station operated by an educational institution in the United States.

ROTARY SPEAKER

A. R. Tillman of Albuquerque, safety supervisor of the Santa Fe railway, is scheduled to speak at the Artesia Rotary club, next Tuesday at noon.

Typewriter Ribbons—The Advocate

tion code, authorizing chairman of each dominant parties to name the agents to receive ballot boxes, after election, in company with county clerk and remain in charge of boxes in the county clerk's office until after the time for contests has expired. (Judiciary).
 HB 132, (Hogrefe) permitting annexation of adjacent territory to municipal school districts for school purposes only. Only by election. (Education).
 HB 133, (Trigg) appropriating \$5,000 a year to be spent by state engineer upon authority of state board of finance. (Irrigation-appropriations).

COTTONWOOD ITEMS

Alva Southard and family spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Tom Caffall and family.

Last week, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Krukenmeir spent a short time visiting at the Rambo home.

Miss Mary Jane Terry spent the week end with her grand parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. D. Terry of Dayton.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Pearson and son, Melvin, left for Los Angeles, California Wednesday and will spend several days visiting in the various California points.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Howard and children with Mrs. Howard's father motored to Lakeside, Arizona last week, returning Saturday. Mrs. Howard's father remained in Arizona with another daughter.

WOMAN'S CLUB

On account of the illness in the Burgess family, the Cottonwood Woman's club met at the home of Mrs. H. V. Parker, Tuesday instead of Mrs. Ivan Burgess. New officers recently elected took charge of the meeting. The new officers are: Mrs. Jess Funk, president, succeeding Mrs. E. P. Malone, who has served the club as president for the past five years. Mrs. J. H. Felton, secretary-treasurer, succeeding Mrs. W. L. Bradley, who moved to Lake Arthur. Three new members, who have recently affiliated with the club are: Mrs. Julius Robertson, Mrs. Carl Manda, Mrs. Taylor. Visitors were: Mrs. V. Briscoe and Berry of Artesia.

At the close of the business meeting, members present enjoyed a social hour and refreshments. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Glenn O'Bannon, March 5th.

EX-SERVICE EXEMPTIONS
ARE \$8,806,434

SANTA FE — Exemptions from taxation annually to ex-service men in New Mexico total \$8,806,434 according to a compilation by counties made in the state tax commission offices.

This data give some numerical appreciation of the move by State Senator Floyd Lee to repeal the constitutional provisions and state laws governing soldier's exemptions with a view to introducing new measures to increase the restrictions on service men entitled to exemptions.

The tax commission figures show that exemptions to heads of families total \$9,308,005 and that total exemptions for ex-service men and heads of families total \$18,114,439. These figures represent the exemptions allowed for 1930.

ROTARY MEETING

The Artesia High school debating team, composed of Ila Walker and Tommy Hoffman were guests of the Rotary club, at the weekly luncheon Tuesday and gave a practice debate on whether or not the chain store system was detrimental to community progress.

One other visitor, Jack Wright of El Paso, was present.

Woodstock Typewriters for sale at The Advocate.

DR. EDWARD STONE
 Optometrist
 Artesia, N. M.

Lose Fat
SAFELY AND QUICKLY

Kruschen Salts—(a perfect combination of the six mineral salts your body should have to function properly) purify your blood of harmful acids, and aid the kidneys and bowels to throw off waste material—the continual formation of which is probably the cause of your fat.

In this modern age of living, it's impossible to get these salts from the fancy foods you eat—but don't worry just as long as you have Kruschen Salts.

Take a half teaspoon every morning before breakfast in a glass of hot water—little by little that ugly fat disappears, you'll feel better than ever before—years younger, more energy. You'll soon possess that enviable beauty, clear skin, sparkling eyes, superb figure which only perfect health can impart.

An 85c bottle (lasts 4 weeks) at McAdoo Drug Co., Mann Drug Store, Palace Drug Store or any progressive druggist in America. Money back if Kruschen doesn't convince you that it is the safest, quickest, easiest way to lose fat.

A Hartford woman writes, "I'll tell the world Kruschen Salts is wonderful stuff to reduce." An Ohio woman lost 10 pounds with one bottle.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
 Rev. Dew, Pastor.

Rev. Dew, the newly elected pastor will be here next Sunday and will preach at both morning and evening services.

Morning service at 11:00 a. m. Evening service at 7:00 p. m. The public is urged to be present and meet the new minister and welcome him to Artesia.

The Sunday school is gaining each Sunday, having 163 present last Sunday. The attendance goal for Sunday is set at 200. Be there and help reach this goal.

The mid-week prayer service at 7:00 p. m. Wednesday.
 Junior B. Y. P. U. at 5:00 p. m. Senior B. Y. P. U. at 6:00 p. m. Everyone is welcome at all services.

Wedding Announcements and invitations, Engraved or Printed—Advocate

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Get these fine quality bred Chicks at lower prices before. Get them early and have fine early pullets, ready for you this fall and winter, when egg prices are higher.

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Talk about easy gear shifting and real action — you ought to drive a New CHRYSLER EIGHT!

CHRYSLER EIGHT — Coupe (with rumble seat) \$1495; Sedan \$1595; Roadster Coupe \$1665; Roadster \$1495. Six wire wheels, \$80 extra. Roadster (including six wire wheels and trunk rack) \$1595. CHRYSLER IMPERIAL EIGHT — Five-Passenger Sedan \$2745; Close-Coupled \$2845; Seven-Passenger Sedan \$2945; Sedan-Limousine \$3145. All prices f. o. b. factory.

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CLASSIFIED

A rate of ten cents per line will be charged for classified for the first insertion and five cents per line thereafter. No ad for less than 50c. An average of 5 words ordinarily constitute a line. Charges will be based on space used. Cash must accompany all ads sent by letter, otherwise they will not be inserted.

FOR SALE

SALE—20 acre chicken ranch, fenced with chicken wire, well, windmill, foundation for house barn. Price \$600.00. See A. Pasco or write Box 503, Artesia, 4-6tc

SALE—One pair mules, 8 years, located at Green Valley ranch. Phone 6573. 9-2tp

SALE—Fresh eggs at D. H. 1201 Grand Ave. 7-3tc

SALE—One 25 to 40 horse team. Good condition. Miss Lovington, N. M. 8-3tp

SALE—A few Rose Comb and Red, state accredited priced very reasonable. Guaranteed. L. N. Barnew Mexico. 8-3tp

SALE—Acala Cotton Seed. 3c from cotton that made per acre. Mrs. Georgia Phone 013F4. 8-3tp

SALE—Two old Trusty 220-egg incubators, in good condition. \$10.00 each. Write M. C. Lee, 9-31x

SALE—Parks Strain Barred Rock Pigeons. Wonderful breeding stock. 15 eggs 75 cents. P. O. Box 18, annual Hubam Clover seed, 15 cents pound. Emil P. Phone 013F12, Artesia, N. M. 9-3tp-tfc

SALE—Small typewriter table, regulation height, price \$4.00. At Advocate office.

FOR RENT

RENT—Furnished apartment, modern, two blocks south Joyce-uit Co. Mrs. Margaret Threlkeld. 7-tfc

RENT—Four room house, modern, gas, garage and good view. On Roselawn Ave. Call 18, Birmingham Brothers. 9-tfc

RENT—Three room furnished apartment, modern, gas heat. Electricity and water furnished. Mrs. Rex Wheatley, Phone 19th St. 9-1tp

RENT—Furnished room, connecting bath, outside entrance. Phone 299, or call at 15 West Main Street. 50-tfc

MISCELLANEOUS

MODERN RUG CLEANING
We clean rugs, overstuffed furniture, auto cushions and upholstery. We use the most modern and scientific methods, this method removes dirt and restores the original color to their original luster. All work guaranteed. Phone 614, Mattress Company, Roswell, 51-tfc

WANTED

WORK—Will wash, iron, house in motherless home, laundry or hotel. Any kind wanted. Ada Cook at Dick residence. 9-1tx

BOARD OF THANKS

Sincerely thank our friends for assistance and sympathy during illness and death of our father, Thomas. We especially thank members of the Assembly of God. Edna Thomas, Solon Thomas, Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Willie. 9-1tp

CARD OF THANKS

Wish to express our thanks and appreciation for the kind acts shown by our friends in our sorrow. Loy Nicholson, C. D. Nicholson, Mrs. G. C. King, Mrs. Ruby Prescott, Mrs. C. Nicholson, Robert Nicholson, Glenna Nicholson, Mr. and Mrs. W. Vandever. 9-1tp

RESIDENCE UNDER CONSTRUCTION

J. D. Jackson is building a five room frame residence on the lot west of the Dude Dunn dwelling. The block west of the Dunn Garage building looks like Artesia is in the midst of a building boom. The residence is the third new one to be started in this block. Clayton Brothers are building two dwellings on the east side of the same block.

DRILLING REPORT

EDDY COUNTY
R. D. Compton, Brainard No. 4, 990 feet from the south and east line sec. 5-18-27:
Location.
F. W. Y. Oil Co., State No. 59, NW NE sec. 5-19-28:
No report.

LEA COUNTY
Atlantic Oil Producing Co., Coleman No. 1, SW corner NE 1/4 sec. 17-21-36:
Drilling below 3800 feet.
California Co., Meredith No. 1, 2316 feet from the north line and 330 feet from the east line, sec. 19-21-36:
Drilling below 3250 feet.
Continental Oil Co., State No. 1-E, 1980 feet from the north line and 1980 feet from the west line, sec. 25-18-37:
No report.

Midwest Refining Co., State No. 1, 2310 feet from the west line and 330 feet from the north line sec. 5-19-38:
No report.
Midwest Refining Co., Terry No. 8, 660 feet from the north and west lines sec. 9-19-38:
Drilling below 4050 feet.
National Securities Oil Corp., Thelma Lian No. 1, 990 feet from the south and 2310 feet from the west lines sec. 33-18-37:
Drilling below 4025 feet.
Texas Production Co., McKinley No. 1, NW SW sec. 4-19-38:
No report.
The Shell Petroleum Corporation State No. 1-B, NW NW sec. 33-18-38:
No report.
Western-Texas State No. 1, 2310 feet from the north and west lines sec. 17-17-34:
Making swabbing tests at 4753 feet.
Western Republic, State No. 1, NE SE sec. 13-17-36:
Preparing to set 15 1/2 inch and move in rotary.
Western Republic, State No. 1-A, 1980 feet south of the north line and 660 feet west of the east line, sec. 15-18-37:
Derrick up.
Western Drilling Co., State No. 1, NE NE sec. 16-20-32:
Drilling below 470 feet.

LOWER COTTONWOOD ITEMS
By Correspondent
I. P. Johnson was ill last Saturday and Sunday.
The Matadors and girls lost their games with Artesia last Friday evening.
Mrs. Lee Boyce and all the children have been down with the mumps the past week.
Quintilla Briscoe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Briscoe, is improving after a recent illness.
Little Joe Junior Bachman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe R. Bachman, has been ill with the flu the past week.
Mr. and Mrs. Trison Burgess and children spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Joe R. Bachman.
The Matadors will play Lakewood at the Lower Cottonwood school Friday evening at 2:30. They will play on the outdoor court.
Miss Stephens went to Carlsbad Tuesday afternoon to bring her sister home from the hospital, where she had undergone an operation. Ulas Golden and Doyle Calahan taught her room until recess when Mary Jane Terry and Naomi Taylor took charge, until school was out. Miss Stephens was back in school Wednesday morning.

LOCALS

Born to Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Cloud yesterday morning, the 11th, a son.
J. E. Hooten, Lower Penasco merchant was trading in Artesia yesterday.
Mrs. Will Wilson and Miss Mary McCaw drove to Roswell Tuesday with Elvy Barker.
Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Curry spent Sunday with Mrs. and Mrs. Hugh Roberts in Roswell.
Mrs. Jo Anderson of El Paso, Texas, is visiting at the home of her son, Wallace Anderson and family.
Mrs. F. W. Sewell and Mrs. Thurman Davidson were here from Hobbs a couple days this week visiting friends and shopping.
County Superintendent Rodgers of Carlsbad was in town Tuesday evening en route to the Cottonwood, to make an official visit to the schools.
Ed Matteson of Breckenridge, Texas, former Artesia resident, is visiting his brother, O. S. Matteson and Mrs. Matteson. Mr. Matteson has recently been stationed at Porterville, the new oil town, this side of Pecos.

LAKE ARTHUR ITEMS

Miss Ella Ohlenbusch
Andrew Sims of Washington, D. C. is visiting with his son, H. A. Sims.
Little Burdick McCasland had a severe case of croop last Saturday and Sunday.
Mrs. Geo. Wilkins, primary teacher, was unable to teach Thursday on account of illness.

Miss Ruby Smith, another one of our primary teachers is also on our sick list for Wednesday.
L. C. Dalton went to Roswell Wednesday to take the civil service examination in animal husbandry.

Mrs. Ollie Smith spent Thursday and Friday last week with her daughter, Mrs. Lonnie Chester in Artesia.
R. H. McCasland and Z. R. Stevens who have been at Levelland, Texas on business returned home Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Merle Porter of Dexter, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. D. A. Goode for the past week returned home Saturday.

The men of Lake Arthur are very busy fixing up the town park. They have set more than a hundred trees out and are fixing the land to plant flowers.

Quite an interest was taken in the school election Tuesday. The largest vote ever cast in Lake Arthur, at any election heretofore was polled. The old board was re-elected by a large majority.

Tuesday February 10, the ladies of Lake Arthur served a dinner to raise money to help improve the town park. The sum of \$25.00 was raised. This will be a good beginning for the improvements which they have planned.

The B. Y. P. U. Social was held last Saturday at the Baptist church and a large crowd was present and games were played until a late hour. Refreshments were served of ice cream and cake. A good time was reported by all.

A Safety First club was organized at the Lake Arthur school last Friday. Wayne Norris was elected president, Ola Roberts, vice-president, Ruby Waldrup, secretary, Geo. Miles Murphy, reporter, Mervyn Worley and Murbeth Thomason, marshals. Their duty is to watch the children on the play ground and on the bus.

Last Friday evening, the Lake Arthur high school girls basketball team defeated the Artesia high school team by 15-26, in the last game of the season with Artesia. Mattie Derrick and Ruby Waldrup were the stars for the team; Waldrup having made 17 of the team's points. Evelyn Cobble was by far the outstanding player for the visiting team.

The team has had a very successful season, losing only one of seven games. Below are the season's results:
Lake Arthur 28—Dexter 23
Lake Arthur 19—Dexter 30
Lake Arthur 31—Artesia 23
Lake Arthur 21—Hope 8
Lake Arthur 31—Dexter 24
Lake Arthur 27—Dexter 18
Lake Arthur 26—Artesia 15

Friday night, February 13, Lake Arthur Plays Hope in the Lake Arthur gym. This is the last scheduled game before the tournament. Plans are now being made for the tournaments to be held here sometime in March. The exact date will be announced later.

SACRED SONG SERVICE AT LAKE ARTHUR

Artesia singers are invited to participate in a sacred song service to be held at the Lake Arthur Baptist church, Sunday afternoon, beginning at 2:30 p. m. A large number of singers from both Chaves and Eddy county are expected to attend and the event promises to be an enjoyable one for those who love sacred songs.

DEBENTURE MEASURE Tabled

SANTA FE—The \$2,000,000 highway debentures bill, which was up for final passage Tuesday was laid on the table without prejudice on motion of Senator Vesley, democrat with second by Senator Charles Hutchinson, republican.
Governor Seligman, earlier in the day had said that he would request that the highway debentures bill be held up until his new motor vehicle taxation measure, reducing license fees is considered. Governor Seligman wants the measures to be considered simultaneously in order that there may be no conflict between the motor vehicle license bill and the bill authorizing sale of debentures, if the debentures measure is passed.

A. S. and J. N. Foster of Lakewood attended the New Mexico Wool Growers Convention, which closed the annual session at Albuquerque Friday. Messrs. Foster were in Albuquerque at the time the city experienced a slight quake, but escaped uninjured.

Adding Machines For Sale or Rent.—The Advocate.

PICKED UP ON MAIN

Bootlegging is a popular term applied not only to the manufacture of liquor, but to many illegal acts. For instance last week we heard of a few who were bootlegging their auto license from Texas and other nearby states in order to save money. The practice said to be worse near the state line is even found in the Pecos valley and among the illustrious and more particularly among the pedagogues, so the report goes. The act in itself is an evasion of the law, which is bad morally, but worse it shows poor loyalty to one's adopted state and to the place where one's bread and butter comes from. Regardless of the law, if we all did this, New Mexico motorists would be riding on country roads rather than the splendid system of highways we now enjoy.

Modern days demand speed. A high-powered advertiser, soliciting for a neighboring paper, spent a short time here yesterday phoning the merchants a nice ready-set ad for ten dollars, placed in a space that would ordinarily cost about one dollar and six bits if purchased at the regular advertising rate. Probably he has sold a thousand other merchants the same thing and they thought they were getting something original. You have to be well versed in high-pressure salesmanship, if you get by the city slicker. A bird like this always calls his prospect over the phone because he hasn't the guts to face him.

We have had several solicitations to write some red-hot editorials on a few community enterprises that need adjusting. The requests have been particularly numerous this week and along with the usual "Will you publish such and such, if I will write it, to which we have invariably replied, "yes, if you will sign it." Of course signing an article ended the argument. Nobody seems to want to shoulder the burden, but it would be fine if the writer would assume the responsibility and risk getting the sap beat out of him. Now listen readers, perhaps a few adjustments may need be made, but the public has stood for impositions for several years, so why bring up anything new, why not have a general clean up day and raise h— with everything and everybody that needs it. The trouble with the ordinary individual is that he never "hollers," until the shoe he is wearing begins to pinch, as Old Man Henderson says.

And yes, to-day is the birthday of Abraham Lincoln and W. E. Ragsdale. We wonder what Lincoln would think of this if he were alive today.

Rev. Harold Scoggins exchanged pulpits Sunday evening with Rev. Meadows of Roswell, who preached here and began his instruction in the teachers' training school that evening. Mrs. Scoggins and small son, Grant, accompanied Mr. Scoggins to Roswell.

Guaranteed Typewriter Repairing—The Advocate.

THE GAME COMMISSION ACTED HONESTLY SAYS REPORT OF THE SENATE

SANTA FE — The New Mexico legislative committee investigating the affairs of the game and fish commission in a report for the house and senate prepared Friday hold that the state game commission acted honestly, in good faith, with regard to economy with consideration of the best interests of the state in matters brought as special charges before the committee. It holds that the question of increasing the salary of game specialist Edgar L. Perry is a matter which only the courts could determine.

McKINLEY WINS DECISION LEA COUNTY OIL CASE

SANTA FE—Holding that the New Mexico blue sky law was applicable to organization of the Royal Holding Corporation, Federal Judge Colin Neblett Saturday found in favor of H. D. McKinley, Lea county farmer and others in their suit to dissolve the holding company.
McKinley and the others now recover full title to the oil rights of the land on which the suit was brot. The McKinley land is in the Hobbs oil field and has a producing well on it. The court found that the blue sky law had been violated in the organization of the holding company to pool oil royalties.

Dayton Reser is attending a tractor school of the International Harvester Co., which is being held in Roswell this week.

Adding Machines For Sale or Rent.—The Advocate.

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Alfalfa Hay
\$10 per ton and up
Some Extra Nice Cow Hay
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Dec. 18, 1930

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By GENE BYRNES



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9:45 a. m., Bible school. C. O. Brown superintendent.

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2 Blocks North of Post Office
Rev. A. Davis, Pastor.

10:00 a. m. Sunday school.
11:00 a. m. morning worship.
6:45 p. m. Christ's Ambassadors.
6:45 p. m. Bible study for adults.
8:00 p. m. evening worship.
Tuesday evening, prayer meeting.
Friday evening young people's services.

Everyone welcome, we invite you to come and worship with us.

ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Rev. F. B. Howden, Jr., Rector

Services held every Sunday evening except the first Sunday in the month at 7:30 p. m.

The church school meets at 7:00 p. m., preceding evening prayer.

Holy communion, second Monday of each month, and at other times as announced.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY

613 W. Main Street

Sunday services at 11:00 a. m.
Wednesday services at 7:30 p. m.
Subject for Sunday, February 15, 1931 is: "Soul."

In this lesson the following scriptural selection is found: "The Lord is good unto them that wait for Him, to the soul that seeketh Him." (Lam. 3:25).

Also the following citation from Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures, by Mary Baker Eddy, page 390: "It is our ignorance of God, the divine principle, which produces apparent discord and the right understanding of Him restores harmony. Truth will at length compel us all to exchange the pleasures and pains of sense for the joys of soul."
Visitors always welcome.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Fourth and Grand
Rev. John P. Sinclair, Pastor
Phone 249

Sunday, February 15th, 1931.
9:55 a. m. Sabbath school.
11:00 a. m. Morning worship.

Sermon subject: "Series of Sermons on the Future Life." No. 4 "Shall we know our loved ones in heaven?" Does personal identity continue beyond the grave? Many systems of religion and philosophy hold to immortality but not to the continuance of personality. These sermons are helping people to get the sane Bible teachings on this important subject. A Christian who has no sure reason for the hope that is within him will be miserable. There is revealed truth on this vital subject.

5:00 p. m. orchestra rehearsal.
6:15 p. m. Junior and Senior Christian Endeavor societies.

7:00 p. m. Popular peoples' service. Anthem by Junior choir and special music by orchestra. Sermon subject: "The Man Who Burned Up." A sermon on the Christian enthusiast, with special reference to the enthusiasm of Abraham Lincoln in every good cause. Who was the enthusiastic apostle of Jesus?

Wednesday, 7:30 p. m., praise prayer and Bible study.

A though for Lincoln's birthday, to-day: Ten presidents have attended the New York Presbyterian church Washington, D. C. known as the 'Church of the Presidents,' only two and a half blocks from the White House. Sunday always found Lincoln in his pew there. It was Dr. Gurley, pastor of the church, who attended Lincoln's deathbed, preach-

ed the funeral sermon and accompanied the body to its final resting place. The pew occupied by Mr. Lincoln and his family still bears a silver plate with the inscription, "Abraham Lincoln 1861-1865." Attend your church next Sunday as all worthy men should do.

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Bible school at 10:00 a. m.
Pete L. Loving, superintendent.

A talk on prayer will be given by David Southard at the 11:00 o'clock hour, followed by the regular communion service.

We were favored with two good sermons last Lord's day by Brother Young from Texas who was passing thru our city.

Our Bible school is holding up fine and new members are being added most every Lord's day. Mrs. Eubank who teaches the young people's class meets every Thursday evening at the church at 6:30, and they invite any young people who are interested in studying the Bible. We hope to have a large attendance next Lord's day at Bible school. Visitors are always welcome at any of our services and you will receive a most hearty welcome. You will go away with that friendly feeling and you will be glad you were there. Come and let us worship together.

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9:45 a. m. Sunday school. George Frisch, superintendent.

11:00 a. m. worship, sermon theme: "Trumpet Call of Worship."
Epworth League 6:00 p. m. All young people invited.

Evening worship 7:00 p. m. sermon theme: "Use of the Abundant Life."

Orchestra rehearsal, Tuesday 7:30 p. m. Miss Virginia Egbert director.

UNEMPLOYMENT AT HOBBS AFFECTS 325 FAMILIES SAYS REPORT

HOBBS—Declaring that local unemployment relief funds were nearly exhausted and that they would be unable to take care of over three hundred families who are suffering from unemployment in Hobbs and New Hobbs unless outside aid was received, the American Legion Good-fellow club of Argonne Post No. 26 has applied to the state welfare bureau for funds.

A survey made by the local charity organizations revealed that 325 families are suffering because of unemployment and 100 of these are said to be destitute. The legion is taking care of 25 of these families; the Associated Charities, 45; and the Salvation Army and Elks club are providing for the remaining 30 families.

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DALAS, Texas—Dining car menus printed on cotton have been introduced by the Texas and Pacific Railway Company to encourage more extensive use of the southern staple. The cotton makes a comparatively smooth printing fabric. On it the railroad company reproduces Texas scenes in colors.

CHOIR REHEARSAL, THURSDAY 7:30 P. M.

Miss Katherine Ragsdale director.

Sunday evening, February 22nd, Dr. Linebaugh will preach and conduct the second quarterly conference.

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR MISSIONS, FEB. 20th

At a meeting of the representatives of the Woman's Missionary Societies of the various local churches held in the Presbyterian Church last Friday afternoon at the call of Mrs. J. P. Sinclair, arrangements were formulated to hold the annual world's day of prayer for missions which this year fall on Friday, February 20th. The united meeting of the women of the churches will be held in the Christian church on the day appointed at 2:30 p. m. Mrs. M. D. Brannon will preside and the special program will be used.

SUNDAY SCHOOL TRAINING CLASS

Rev. Meadows, of Roswell, preached at the Methodist church last Sunday evening, the sermon being the introduction to a course of study upon the subject of "worship." The course is especially fine and is being taken by many in the Sunday school with numbers of others attending, who are not enrolled for study.

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COTTONWOOD ITEMS

(By Ruby Waldrip, Reporter)

Miss Ruby Waldrip was the guest of Mrs. R. L. Vogel Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Vogel were visiting at the Waldrip home Sunday.

Mrs. Glenn O'Bannon was a guest at the W. L. Bradley home Sunday.

Miss Alva Garner spent a very pleasant evening at the Huff home Thursday.

Miss Ruth Mahan spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. Nelson of Cottonwood.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Bradley of Lake Arthur were visiting friends on Cottonwood Monday.

The county health officer and county nurse were visiting the Cottonwood schools last week.

Messrs. C. R. Bernard and John Haven were attending to business matters on Cottonwood Sunday.

Sam Franks of Malaga, was visiting at Mr. and Mrs. Roy Vermillion's home on Cottonwood Sunday.

Miss Alice Norris returned home from Norman, Oklahoma, where she has been attending school this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Watson and son, and Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Southard were visiting at the Watson home Sunday.

CHAIN LETTER KEEPS FAMILY TOGETHER

A chain letter is used to keep family ties of the Bullock family connected. Recently E. B. Bullock told how the chain letter system kept him in touch with his relatives. Once a year the Bullock and Barcus family exchange letters, telling of the family activities. Fifty-four years ago three Bullock and eleven Barcus children were living under the same roof. To-day after more than a half century has lapsed, thirteen of the fourteen children are living, a remarkable coincidence.

The past summer H. R. Barcus of Corona, California, uncle of E. B. Bullock decided that he would visit his kinfolks and he did. After arriving home, he did a bit of figuring and found that he had driven over 7,000 miles, had visited eleven different families and had seen 124 of his kins people.

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THE FRIEND OF SINNERS

TEXT—Luke 7:36-50.

TEXT—This is a faithful and worthy of all acceptance. Jesus came into the world to save sinners, of whom I am chief.

TOPIC—Jesus and Those Who Wrong Him.

TOPIC—Jesus and Wronged.

IMMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—The Friend of Sinners.

PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Transforming Sinners.

Important Woman's Act of Love

place (v. 37). It was in the home of the Pharisee, while sitting at meat. When she heard of the pardoning grace of Christ and God had opened to receive Jesus as her per-

son. There is no good ground for the Pharisee's displeasure. The Pharisee's Displeasure

felt scandalized by such a man. For Jesus to tolerate familiarity on the part of a woman of such evil reputation greatly per-

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Jesus Teaches the Pharisee

light him by means of the or a creditor and two debtors. He noted that Jesus made it ar that he not only knew the out knew Simon also.

a common debt (v. 41). The was a sinner—so was Simon, he was not the same kind of a hat also was. There were two though the one owed ten times as the other. This is still tative of all sinners. The Bible all to be sinners, yet recog-

re a severe rebuke to the re- Pharisees who are sitting ment against sinners of a type.

e common insolvency (v. 42), hen they had nothing to pay," reely repented the difference in ree of the woman's sins and of the Pharisee, but drove home the fact that they were both and had nothing with which (Rom. 2:23). As sinners we it our sinning and hate our out that does not make satis- for the sins of the past. What e done is irrevocable—it has from our reach. Every trans- shall receive a just recom- reward (Heb. 2:2). We must e our Redeemer, the Almighty d acknowledge our insolvency who bore our sins in his own e time (1 Pet. 2:24).

e relation of forgiveness and e- 44-50). Simon's reluctant an- Jesus' question showed that he point of Jesus' teaching. In e make his teaching concrete, turned to the woman, calling e attention to what she had e contrast to what he had done, had neglected to extend to e common courtesies of a re- de- but this woman had e and she had her affections and e measure of one's love is de- e measure of the appre- e of forgiveness. The one most, frequently the sinners make the best saints.

Be Like Him

all-important thing is not to art from God, but as far as e to be consciously with him. e needs be that those who look into his face will become like e.

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CAPITOL SNAPS

By Fred Holmes, Our Washington Correspondent

WASHINGTON, D. C.—For the past week, from the discriminating epicure's point of view, political Washington has been a cross between chop suey and Hungarian goulash.

Take one wagon-load of senatorial renegeing on power commission confirmations, one car-load of proposed paternalism, one train-load of prohibition, a couple of ship-loads of hot air, three and a half billion dollars worth of war veterans' relief, one extra session of congress, season with vituperation to taste, cook slowly up until the gas is turned off on March 4, and you have the recipe for the stew which, it is threatened, is about to be placed before old man depression. If it's going to taste like it smells, self-respecting drought sufferers and involuntary idlers will vote unanimously for starvation.

A late-comer at the chef's conclave on Capitol Hill demonstrated that the dish might be made more palatable by adding a pinch of Borahic acid. Borah, of Idaho, as he is known the country over, silver-tongued and persuasive, reached the oratorical estate of Patrick Henry, Webster, Clay and Bryan as he stood beside his desk in the senate and sounded the call to arms on the proposal to appropriate money to relieve distress.

"I accept the challenge of the gentlemen from the other end of the capitol," he declared, referring to statements by Majority Leader Tilson, of the house, and Chairman Snell, of the house rules committee, that there would be no compromise. "Let us have it out. * * * We will either feed these people or we will stay here and tell the American people why we do not feed them."

Time and again during Senator Borah's speech, he was interrupted by applause from the floor in which the galleries joined without the usual reprimands. As he sat down, a scene was enacted seldom, if ever, witnessed in the senate. The democrats arose and one by one marched over to shake his hand. When it was all over, there were some cynical observations that the whole demonstration was framed. If so, Vice-President Curtis must have been a party to it, and it was certainly not framed insofar as Senator Caraway, of Arkansas, the state hardest hit by the drought, was concerned. As he walked over to Borah the tears were streaming down his cheeks.

Senator Borah said that he had heard a lot of talk about a dole, about how the British government was unable to get rid of it—he said this as he alternately ran his hands thru his hair and pounded the table; and he talked like a man inspired.

"It is said that England established the dole system, and that England can not get rid of it," he asserted. "England can not get rid of the dole system because she can not get rid of the economic conditions which superinduced the dole. England is feeding men because they have not work to do. Let the work come, let normal economic conditions be restored, let the people have an opportunity to get their old jobs and parliament will end the dole system in England with the consent of those who have been receiving it."

Senator Borah, insisting upon the relief of suffering by the federal government, apparently takes the position that only those who believe as he does are against human suffering. It is submitted that the Idaho senator is woefully mistaken. The individual American citizen who contributes to the Red Cross in this emergency is quite as much against human suffering as is Senator Borah, or even Senator Caraway.

It is not difficult for an orator to appeal to the sympathies of a nation for the relief of hungry and ragged women and children. It is not difficult to state the case against human suffering. However, the unfairness of Senator Borah and Senator Caraway lies in the fact that they are disposed to attribute to other members of congress and to the president of the United States indifference to human suffering because they favor the traditional method of dealing with distress in the United States and are against the establishing a precedent of having the federal government enter into the handling of charity in this country on a huge scale.

Possibly the most unfortunate phase of the whole situation is the difficulty of ascertainment of the real state of affairs in the drought-stricken regions. Certainly there is no better source of information than the Red Cross agents in the field. A senator from one of the afflicted states declared this week that a thousand persons were dying of starvation every day. Later, upon inquiry, Red Cross authorities informed President Hoover directly that except for a possible individual here and there, temporarily overlooked or not brought to the notice of the agents of relief, "no one is going hungry and no one need go hungry or cold."

The deadlock between the administration and the senate was strengthened when President Hoover asserted that to accept the principle of the dole as advocated in the sen-

LAKEWOOD ITEMS

(Mrs. M. C. Lee, Reporter) (Delayed Items)

J. V. Collins is ill with the mumps.

H. R. Rodgers, county superintendent visited our school Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart were dinner guests of J. W. Dauron Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Holly and Mrs. M. C. Lee were Carlsbad visitors Tuesday.

Troyce Heard is driving the school bus a few days while J. H. Angell is caring for his cattle.

George McGonagill and family of Carlsbad spent Sunday, January 31st at the J. H. Angell home.

Miss Viola Cosper of Hagerman is visiting her sisters, Mrs. Jim Foster and Mrs. Arthur Scarbrough.

Mrs. Alice Angell and daughter, Mrs. Fannie Johns spent Tuesday of last week with Grandma Larremore.

Mrs. James King of Dayton returned home Sunday after spending a week here caring for Mrs. R. L. House.

Roy Moore spent the week end at the Foster ranch west of Lakewood. Albert Foster came in after him Friday evening and brought him home Sunday.

The family was seated at the table with a guest who was a business acquaintance of Dad's, all ready to enjoy the meal, when the five-year-old son blurted out: "Why, mother, this is roast beef."

"Yes," answered the mother, "What of it?"

"Well, pop said this morning that he was going to bring that big fish home for dinner tonight."

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ate's \$25,000,000 relief bill would strike at the roots of self-government. In effect, the president, in a lengthy statement, asserted that the administration would not surrender its position to the threat of a special session of congress. He declared that the American people "doing their job" in adequate relief work and should be given opportunity to "show whether they wish to preserve the principals of individual and local responsibility and mutual self-help before they embark on what I believe is a disastrous system."

It is thought here that democratic supporters of the dole are going far afield. They no longer look with regard, for example, on the opinion of Grover Cleveland whom they twice elected president of the United States. President Cleveland in 1887 vetoed a bill appropriating federal money for a free distribution of seeds in the drought-stricken counties of Texas. In his message returning the bill to congress, President Cleveland said: "Though the people support the government, the government should not support the people. The friendliness and charity of our countrymen can be relied upon to relieve their fellow citizens in misfortune. This has been repeatedly and quite lately demonstrated. Federal aid in such cases encourages the expectation of paternal care on the part of the government and weakens the sturdiness of our national character, while it prevents the indulgence of that kindly sentiment and conduct which strengthens the bonds of a common brotherhood."

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About every ten years, this section of the county experiences a change of rainfall, says R. W. Bruce, weather observer. One year in the past thirty years has exceeded 1930, this being 1920, when the total rainfall reached 14.87 inches. According to these findings we may have two or three years where the rainfall is about the average before dropping back to the normal precipitation. The following represent the measurements of the precipitation: 1892, 9.51 inches; 1901, 14.50 inches; 1910, 9.46 inches; 1920, 14.87 inches; 1930, 14.64 inches. Lowest average precipitation was experienced in 1892, which was 9.51 inches; 1902, 9.97; 1917, 9.49 inches.

So far in February the moisture has amounted to almost half an inch or .49 inches. The lowest temperature experienced was 28, while the highest was 65. During the year just passed, the heaviest rainfall occurred in October when 4.28 inches of moisture fell. February of 1930 had only a trace of moisture.

The latter part of January and the early part of February has been unusual weather for this section of the county in that the mornings are damp and foggy and the temperature has remained fairly even. A year ago the temperature was fluctuating more or less between cold and warm. Because of the even temperature which has required fire during the entire day, the fuel bills have been more than usual.

The moisture has made it ideal for the farmer and ranchman. Farmers are breaking land without irrigation and pastures are greening up. Alfalfa fields are also beginning to green up.

A slow rain has fallen here the greater part of the morning and has added more moisture to the ranges.

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FUNERAL SERVICES FOR J. R. THOMAS HELD AT GRAVESIDE SUNDAY

J. R. Thomas, age 83, died at his home at the Thomas camp in north Artesia Friday evening near 9:30 o'clock following a short illness. While Mr. Thomas had been in ill health for a number of years, his death was a shock to members of the family. He had been a sufferer of asthma for an extended time, which with his advanced age had weakened his condition so that he could not withstand an attack of bronchial pneumonia.

Mr. Thomas a resident of Artesia for the past five years came here from Cuervo, this state. He operated a camp ground in north Artesia. Previous to his residence in Artesia, Mr. Thomas was a newspaper editor and publisher for twenty years. He had owned and edited newspapers in Texas, Oklahoma and New Mexico.

Funeral services were held at the graveside in the Woodbine cemetery, Rev. J. A. Davis, pastor of the Assembly of God church, officiating. Surviving the deceased are three sons, R. W. Thomas, Shawnee, Oklahoma; J. L. Thomas, El Dorado, Oklahoma; Solon Thomas, Roswell; five daughters, Miss Edna Thomas, Artesia; Miss Cora Thomas, Las Vegas; Mrs. A. L. Wheeler, Cleveland, Texas; Mrs. L. L. Burns, West Plains, Missouri; Mrs. W. J. Ferguson, Cuervo, New Mexico.

Relatives attending the funeral of J. R. Thomas were, a daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Ferguson, of Cuervo, N. M., two sons, J. L. Thomas of El Dorado, Oklahoma and S. Thomas of Roswell, and Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Lane and Mrs. J. J. Lane of Roswell, and Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Lane, of Greenfield. All left for their homes immediately following the funeral, excepting the son, J. L. Thomas of Oklahoma, who remained until yesterday morning and on Tuesday he and his sister, Miss Edna Thomas, visited in Roswell with their brother S. Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Oliver returned Tuesday from the western part of the state, where they have been since the close of the deer season. Mr. Oliver went to the mountains to act as deputy game warden during the season.

Mrs. I. D. Brown and Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Pinkard arrived last Friday from Coleman, Texas, for a week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. John McCann. Mrs. Brown is the mother and Mrs. Pinkard, a sister of Mrs. McCann.

Mrs. Laura Ferguson and daughter, Mrs. Curry, of Ft. Stockton, Texas were here last Thursday and Friday visiting the Dunn families. Mrs. Ferguson is a sister and Mrs. Curry, a niece of Preston and R. W. Dunn.



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ROAD MACHINERY TO BE MOVED TO MAYHILL PROJECT THIS WEEK

Road machinery will be moved to the stretch of road between Elk and Mayhill Friday or Saturday to start work on the last link of the western highway, which has not been repaired. All of the right-of-way between the two communities has been secured and the road survey completed. Tuesday at Denver, the forest service let a contract for the construction of the remaining six miles of road between Elk and Mayhill. The forest service has also established a road camp between Cloudcroft and Mayhill and will start widening and surfacing the road. Reports say that placing in the road up James canyon have been impossible on account of the mud.

JUNIOR WOMEN'S CLUB GIVE DANCE AND BRIDGE PARTY AT ROOF GARDEN

Celebrating the Valentine season the Junior Women's club gave a dancing and bridge party in the roof garden last evening. The room was attractively decorated in the Valentine color scheme and Valentines decorated the card tables. A salad course harmonizing with the general scheme was served and little Misses Kitty Flint and Lois Cavins dressed in Valentine costumes presented each guest with a tally at the door.

During refreshments guests were favored with several vocal solos by C. A. Bulot, whose singing is always received with enthusiasm. Miss Catherine Clarke accompanied the singing. The Artesia orchestra furnished music for the dancing. There were eighteen tables of bridge and seventy-three were present, including several out of town people.

The following guests were entertained: Messrs and Mesdames J. K. Wallingford, Col. A. T. Woods, J. H. Wilson, C. A. Bulot, Jack Clady, Sidney Woods, Leslie Martin, W. E. Flint, Stanley Blocker, Boone Barnett, Cecil House, John Lanning, Steven Lanning, L. B. Feather, Will Linell, Willis Morgan, Ben Dunn, Walter Douglas, George Walton, H. S. Williams, Charlie Martin, Richard Attebery and Mesdames Mary Grimm, George Williams, Jim Berry, Myron Bruning, Ethel Lewis, Bernard Cleve, of Elk, and Misses Opal Schroeder, Ethel Bullock, Mary McCaw, Mary O'Neil, Ruth Scott, Margaret Phillips, Catherine Clarke, and Alice Ruth Williams, Mary Catherine Coffin, of Hope and Messrs. Ed Shockley, Ned Martin, John Richards, Elvy Barker, John Wright, Al Woelk, L. C. Dalton, Thelbert French, Pat Coffin and Thomas Coffin of Hope.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Clark Bruce have moved to the Paris-Robertson apartments on East Dallas street. Mr. and Mrs. George Williams are moving back to their house on West Missouri, vacated by the Bruces.

She: "Let's go to the zoo Thursday afternoon?" He: "No sir, if they want us, they'll have to come and get us."

LOCAL CAGERS DEFEAT FAST CLOVIS FIVE HERE SATURDAY EVENING

The Artesia high school cagers definitely placed themselves in the race for the Pecos valley basketball championship by downing the Clovis Wildcats, 1930 state champions by a count of 37 to 29, at the Central gym, Saturday evening. It was the smoothest basket game seen here this season and one which the local boys demonstrated their superior goal throwing and defensive power. Playing the lanky Clovis five off of their feet during the first quarter, the commanding lead of Artesia was never seriously threatened during the entire game. The visitors were able to make one count with a free throw during the first quarter, while Artesia amassed thirteen, the number 13, however, almost proved to be unlucky for Clovis had crept within five points of the locals with the end of the first half as the score stood 18 to 13.

Ransbarger, the most dangerous man on the Artesia line up, again led his team-mates in scoring with a total of eleven field goals and one free-throw, but went out of the game during the last half on account of personal fouls. Wells for the visitors was high point man with six field goals.

Summary:

ARTESIA (37)	FG	FT	P
Ransbarger, rf.	11	1	4
Spivey, rf.	0	0	0
Burch, lf.	0	0	0
Clarke, c.	2	0	1
Gates, rg.	3	0	3
Pollard, lg.	1	2	2
Totals	17	3	10

CLOVIS (29)	FG	FT	P
Turner, lg.	1	0	0
Wells, rg.	6	3	2
Winton, c.	3	2	3
Smith, c.	1	0	0
Andrews, lf.	1	0	0
Marks, rf.	0	0	2
Totals	12	5	7

Officials: Eubank, referee; Archer, umpire.

Friday evening, the Artesia Junior and Senior cagers will meet the Junior and Senior cagers from Carlsbad. Both games promise to be interesting and more especially the Junior game.

The town team game between Artesia and Carlsbad was not played as scheduled, but followed the Clovis-Artesia game. In this game, Artesia won a one-sided contest 41-10. Rideout led the local scoring with 17 points. The summary:

ARTESIA (41)	FG	FT	P
Archer, f.	1	0	1
Renfro, f.	1	0	0
Clayton, f.	5	2	1
Rideout, c.	8	1	0
Jackson, g.	4	0	1
Wilkins, g.	0	0	0
Bryan, g.	0	0	0
Totals	19	3	3

CARLSBAD (10)	FG	F	T	P
Waldon, f.	1	0	1	1
Jones, f.	1	1	1	1
McCall, c.	2	1	2	2
Wheeler, g.	0	0	0	0
Montgomery, g.	0	0	1	1
Totals	4	2	5	5

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Holomon drove to Carlsbad Sunday to visit their nephew, Hamp Wilson and wife and see the new baby in the Wilson household.

Mesdames Richard Attebery, Willis Morgan and C. R. Blocker, attended the concert of the German Grand Opera troupe, given in El Paso, Thursday evening. While in El Paso, Mrs. Attebery was the guest of Mr. Attebery's sister, Mrs. Lee Paddock and Mr. Paddock. Mrs. Morgan visited at the home of her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Oakes until Saturday, when Mr. and Mrs. Oakes accompanied her to Artesia for a week end visit.

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It Always Pays to Even a Lone Home Lunch

By JOSEPHINE B. GIBSON Director, Home Economics Dept., H. J. Heinz Company

Too often, women who are alone for the noon-day meal either neglect to eat anything, or just take a few bites of cold food and then hurry right back to their tasks. This is a serious mistake! A full noon hour of relaxation and rest—both mental and physical—is needed to avoid distressing fatigue at the close of the day. And the luncheon itself, no matter how light it may be, should include at least one hot dish.

It is amazing, too, what can be done to left-over food, in just a few minutes, to make it attractive and appetizing. Very often the refrigerator will yield a small quantity of food that requires only a bit of hasty "dressing up" to become just the dish that a busy woman requires for lunch.

Below are a number of recipes for one. Try them and see how easily they will suggest yet other ways to obtain a better noon-day meal for the woman who lunches alone!

Let us suppose you have some of these left-overs in the refrigerator: 1 broiled meat cake 1 spoon Oven Baked Beans 1 serving cold roast pork or veal 1 spoon Cooked Spaghetti 1 serving cold broiled or baked ham 1 spoon apple sauce 1 serving Cream of Tomato Soup 1 sausage cake

Now for some successful ways to use these left-overs:

a. **Meat Cake with Tomato Sauce:** Pour a small can of Cream of Tomato Soup over the meat. Allow to simmer until the sauce is thick and rich, adding a few drops of onion juice and a small amount of thickening, if desired. Serve with hearts of lettuce and French or Mayonnaise Salad Dressing.

b. **Oven Baked Beans with Poached Egg:** Heat the beans, then place them on a slice of buttered toast, and top with a poached egg. Serve with whole wheat bread and fruit to make a well-balanced luncheon.

c. **Roast Veal or Pork Salad:** Chop the meat, season well with salt and pepper, and add an equal amount of shredded apple sauce in ery. Moisten with 1/2 cup of Salad Dressing and combine in for a Stuffed Tomato with No. 1, mound attractively in a line and 33 sec. 19-21-30-2,000-0 several slices of bacon to 2000 feet crisp. Drain off almost number of fat, add a spoon of hetti, and cook until No. 1 of the is heated through. 30, sec. 33 our million e. **Scrambled Eggs and Chili Sauce:** ham and combine it the well ham spoon Chili Sauce. Add a strong hetti, when partially in the Li stir gently until finished according to increase in t f. **Apple Sauce** alternate layers of R with No. 1, apple sauce in a serv apple sauce at ce area at flow meas her Emme 1 of the At sec. 17-31-34 showing from hundred Te ting in the

g. **Tomato Rarebit:** to Soup, add a small grated cheese, and all over a slow fire. Stir egg. Serve on a slice toast.

h. **Cuban Egg:** Chop sausage cake and add spoon Tomato Ketchup skillet, add 1 beaten egg and pepper, and stir Garnish with parsley

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