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## ROBT. B. MELLARD OF HOPE BURIED HERE SUNDAY AFTERNOON

Funeral services for Robert B. Mellard, age 42, Hope rancher, who died suddenly Thursday evening were held at the graveside in the Woodbine cemetery, Sunday afternoon, Rev. James F. Dew, pastor of the First Baptist church officiating.

Mr. Mellard was well known in the Hope community, where he had resided for a number of years. A widow and one child survives the deceased in addition to a father and a number of brothers and sisters, practically all of whom were here at the funeral. Relatives attending from a distance included two brothers from Marfa, Texas, a brother from Los Angeles, Mrs. Hutton and two daughters of Fort Worth, Texas, mother-in-law of the deceased.

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## ARTESIA GIRL IS CHOSEN QUEEN

Miss Mae Wilson of Wayland College has been chosen queen to represent that school at the West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention in Lubbock, May 15 and 16.

Miss Wilson's home is Artesia, New Mexico, and she is one of the most popular coeds on the Wayland campus this year. She is a member of the junior class and maintains an excellent scholastic record.—Plainview (Texas) Herald.

## COTTON MAY HAVE TO BE REPLANTED

Approximately seventy-five percent of the cotton crop in this area had been planted before Friday evening's rain according to a preliminary estimate. While the rain has been very beneficial to the farmers generally, farmers have expressed the opinion that a large percentage of the cotton in the ground at the time the rains fell will have to be replanted. In many instances replantings will be necessary because the ground has baked.

## OILERS JOURNEY TO ROSWELL SUNDAY

Sunday afternoon the Artesia Oilers will journey to Roswell, after administering a 12-0 defeat to the north valley team, here last Sunday in the initial game of the season.

## 5,000 Goats Killed In The Area By Hail And Rain

The goats to the shed and as a result lost practically the entire bunch. Six other herds were driven to safety.

Newly shorn goats suffered from both rain and hail. In some instances many were trampled to death in the pens along with the kids. The roof of one goat shed was blown in and caused the death of several head. Other losses reported were 109 head for Mr. Jernigan and 200 head for W. E. Smith. Several sheep were killed by the heavy hail in the Picacho section west of Roswell.

## CLOVIS GETS NEXT CONVENTION WOMEN CLUBS 3RD DISTRICT

### Session Closes With A Nature Study Talk By Supt. Smoll At Central Auditorium On Saturday Evening.

The high point in the Women's club year was reached last week. Months of anticipation culminated in a splendid meeting in which eight towns and eleven clubs were represented. Visitors from outside the district were Mrs. Tom Charles, Alamogordo, state president; Mrs. George Ruoff of Albuquerque, federation director and Miss Margaret Reeves, of Santa Fe, director of Child Welfare Bureau. One past state president, Mrs. Grace Bear of Roswell, who is state chairman, was also present. Other state chairmen present were Mrs. Margaret Jones of Tucumcari, Mrs. Clyn Smith of Clovis, Mrs. Oscar Sandusky of Tucumcari, Mrs. J. W. Lewis of Carlsbad and Mrs. F. E. Plymate of Roswell.

The convention began with a reception at the home of Dr. J. J. Clarke on Friday evening. A deluge of rain caused many to miss this charming social affair, which was in charge of the Junior department, with the President Miss Catherine Clarke at the head. The spacious Clarke home was beautifully decorated in the state federation colors, yellow and white, lovely yellow snapdragons and white carnations combining with asparagus ferns to make a very pleasing effect. Light refreshments were served by the young ladies from the dining table, which was centered with a large bouquet of yellow snapdragons, flanked by four tall yellow cathedral candles.

Music of a superior quality comprised the short program, which was in charge of Mrs. M. A. Corbin, chairman of the club music committee. The numbers on the program were given by Mrs. G. U. McCrary, piano; Mrs. Fred Cole, soprano; Miss Virginia Egbert, violin; Mrs. M. A. Corbin, alto; Mrs. V. L. Gates, soprano and a quartette composed of Mesdames Gates, Cole, Rex Wheatley and Corbin, Miss Clarke accompanying all numbers.

The first business session was held in the Central auditorium on Saturday morning with the district president, Mrs. T. E. Mears, of Portales in the chair. It consisted mainly of reports. The outstanding talk was by Miss Margaret Reeves of Santa Fe, director of the Child Welfare Bureau, which came between reports of committees and clubs. Rev. Harold Scoggins, pastor of the Methodist church, gave the invocation and Mrs. Clyn Smith of Clovis, gave the response to the words of welcome by the president of the local club. Assembly singing led by Mrs. Corbin, enlivened the meeting.

A colorful event of the convention was the New Mexico luncheon given the delegates and visitors in the roof garden of the Artesia hotel at 12:30 under the direction of the social committee, Mrs. J. H. Jackson, chairman. Mexican and Indian bowls as flower containers, ladies of the committee adorned in the picturesque black lace Spanish mantilla, the brilliant yellow and red state flag and the state song, "O' Fair New Mexico" were some of the things that combined to give the typical atmosphere of the southwest. The striking and beautiful stalk of yucca plant in bloom completed the picture, the effect being enhanced when the incoming club president, Mrs. F. G. Hartell, read a poetical tribute to this, New Mexico's gorgeous state flower. The white carnations and the yellow snapdragons contributed the colors of the state federation, jonquil nut cups paid tribute to the springtime, in this three course luncheon at which over a hundred ladies were guests. The club president, presided and announced the program, which was published last week. A toast to the higher officers of the organization present was given by Mrs. G. R. Brainard, state treasurer, and a member of the local club. This was responded to by Mrs. Charles, state president, Mrs. Mears, district president and Mrs. Ruoff, federation director. These ladies were each presented with a beautiful bouquet of white carnations and ferns.

The afternoon session followed the luncheon. The outstanding feature was the presentation of the (Continued on last page, column 2)

## BISHOP HOWDEN TO MAKE ANNUAL VISIT HERE NEXT SUNDAY

The public is cordially invited to attend the Sunday evening service at the St. Paul's Episcopal Mission, beginning at 7:30 p. m., conducted by the Right Reverend Bishop Howden of Albuquerque, assisted by the regular rector, Fredrick B. Howden, Jr. This will be Bishop Howden's annual visitation to the Artesia church, a visit which members and friends of the Episcopal church look forward to with pleasure. Bishop Howden is well known to many of the older church members, having been a welcome visitor here for more than seventeen years and to other churches in this diocese, designated as West Texas and New Mexico west of the Pecos. This territory is larger than several eastern states, however, notwithstanding the sparse population, the church membership has steadily grown under the direction of Bishop Howden.

## STATE BANKERS WILL MEET IN CARLSBAD APRIL 24TH AND 25TH

The State Bankers Association which will be held in Carlsbad April 24 and 25, promises to be unusually rich in interest. Artesia banks will be represented. Included in the program of entertainment is a banquet to be held at the close of the first day in the Carlsbad Methodist church, with Mark Corbin of Artesia, as toastmaster. The opening session will be held at the armory Friday morning, beginning at 10 a. m. with G. K. Richardson of Carlsbad presiding. The following is the program.

**FRIDAY MORNING**  
Invocation—Rev. A. G. Tozer, pastor of the Carlsbad Presbyterian church.  
Addresses of Welcome—  
For the city—Mayor L. A. Swigart.  
For the Chamber of Commerce—Victor L. Minter, secretary.  
Response—Charles R. Keyes, of Artesia, vice-president of the New Mexico Bankers' Association.  
The President's Annual Address—G. K. Richardson, Carlsbad.  
Report of the Treasurer—A. R. Huntsinger, Vaughn.  
Report of the Executive Secretary—Margaret Barnes, Albuquerque.  
Address—Mr. Stevenson.  
Appointment of Special Committees—Auditing, resolutions and nominating.

**FRIDAY AFTERNOON**  
"Business Outlook For 1931—And Beyond"—L. N. Hauter, extension economist, New Mexico College of Agriculture and Mechanical Arts.  
Report of meeting of executive council, American Bankers' Association in Augusta, Georgia, April 13-16—E. M. Brickley, Carrizozo.  
"Our Banking System Structurally"—at the Crossroads.—Lynn P. Talley, governor of the Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas.  
"Rebuilding on New Foundations"—W. A. Vincent, president of the Western Lithograph and Office Supply Company, Wichita, Kansas.  
**SATURDAY MORNING**  
"Justifiable Farm Loans"—Dan H. Otis, director of the agricultural commission, American Bankers' Association, Madison, Wisconsin.  
"Limitless Opportunities of the Trust Field"—George Waverly Briggs, vice-president of the First National Bank, Dallas.  
"Making the Account Pay"—Floyd Childress, auditor of the First National Bank, Roswell.

The session Saturday afternoon will be devoted to committee reports, a general discussion led by W. A. Foyil, president of the American National Bank, Tucumcari; the reports of the special committee, the election of officers and selection of the next convention city.

The members of the American Bankers Association will meet for the election of A. B. A. officers and there will be a meeting of the New Mexico Bankers Association to close the business of the afternoon.

At 7:30 Saturday evening there will be an informal agricultural meeting.

Stephen Lanning returned yesterday from Santa Fe, where he attended a session of the state highway department.

## RECENT RAINS BRING BEST SEASON SEEN FOR SEVERAL YEARS

### Two Inches Rain Falls Here Friday Night — General Rain visits This Section Last Night And To-day.

The biggest spring rain of several seasons fell here Friday night amounting to two inches and brought the total precipitation for the storm period up to 2.40 inches. Thursday night the Roswell section experienced a 2.35 inch rain, while some hail fell northwest of the city. Hail and cold rain did some damage to livestock in the Pinon section Friday evening.

The rain appears to have been fairly general over the eastern section of the state. Highway traffic was held up in some localities but the principal roads escaped damage from high water.

While the heavy rains packed the ground on many farms, necessitating replanting of seeds, the ranges are in the best condition seen in years, with grass and weeds growing rapidly. Wild flowers are blooming in profusion in many sections of the ranges.

A slow drizzle fell here practically all night. While the rain was light it will add materially to the moisture. Precipitation has been fairly general over this section. The farming section southeast of town appears to have received more of last night's shower than fell here. Rain in the area to the southeast was described as heavier and fell more regularly.

Good rains extended west into the Sacramento mountains. Motorists returning from Mayhill last night report that a slow rain fell in the foothills yesterday afternoon. The western highway is in good condition except the stretch of road between Elk and Mayhill.

## CAMP DIRECTORS MEET

The annual meeting of the Artesia Sacramento Camp Co., directors was held Tuesday night and plans discussed for the coming year. At this meeting also, the directors were selected for the coming year, all of the former directors were re-elected except Edward Stone, resigned. The personnel of the directors includes L. P. Evans, E. A. Hannah, Ray Bartlett, J. S. Sharp and W. C. Martin.

Camp directors and Artesians generally are more optimistic toward the possibilities of the Sacramento area as a summer recreational center, especially in view of the recent developments. Good roads in the mountains have added much to attractiveness of the mountain section and this more than anything else is expected to bring added numbers of people to the Sacramento camp section.

## GRANDMA WITHERS DEAD

R. C. Withers, who recently moved to a ranch near Carrizozo, was here Sunday on his way to the bedside of his mother, Mrs. C. Withers, who was very ill at the home of relatives near Breckenridge, Texas. Tuesday morning J. W. Withers received a message this his grandmother had passed away and left immediately to attend the funeral. Grandma Withers had made her home here most of the time for the past five years, with R. C. Withers, who was her only child, and only a few weeks ago, when the Withers family moved to the Carrizozo ranch, went to visit the Texas relatives.

## A WOLF, DOG AND RABBIT RODEO SUN.

Lovers of excitement and thrills will find something different in the wolf, dog and rabbit rodeo, which is to be staged at the Haymaker ranch, five and a half miles south of Roswell on the Artesia highway, Sunday afternoon from 2:00 to 5:00 p. m. One of the features of the rodeo is a bunch of wild wolves which will be released and chased with dogs in a large oval shaped arena. Hachberry Slim Johnson, manager has brought along a lot of black tail rabbits for the rabbit dogs and has arranged for a bronc busting contest also. The rodeo is being staged under the auspices of the Roswell Elks charity fund. See the announcement elsewhere in this issue.

## Mc ADAMS POULTRY SPECIALIST TO MEET POULTRYMEN 27-28

W. D. Jones, territory salesman for the Purina Mills announces that arrangements have been completed for a visit of J. H. McAdams, poultry expert with the Ralston Purina Mills, here on April 27, 28 and 29. A poultry demonstration will be held on the L. N. Barley farm at Hope on April 27th, beginning at 2:00 p. m. On the 28th a similar meeting will be held on the Woods farm, east of town, beginning at 1:30 p. m. The meeting on the Woods farm will be a joint affair with the Chamber of Commerce officials, County Agent W. A. Wunsch and Mr. McAdams and in addition to a discussion of the poultry problem, the operation of the demonstration farm will be discussed. On April 29th, Mr. McAdams will hold a poultry meeting at the Acala farm, south of Carlsbad.

In Mr. McAdams poultry talks, particular attention will be given to preparing turkeys for the market, as well as a discussion of the general poultry problems.

## I. O. O. F. TO CELEBRATE 112TH ANNIVERSARY AT ROSWELL MONDAY

Some three or four hundred Odd Fellows of the Pecos valley are expected to assemble at Roswell, Monday for the 112th anniversary celebration by the Pecos Valley I. O. O. F. Association. In addition to a large number of valley Odd Fellows, a number of prominent officials will be present including L. W. Irick of Gallup, grand master.

Following is the program for the day:

10:00 a. m.—Registration of visitors at I. O. O. F. hall.  
1:30 p. m.—Assembly Women's club building, 5th and Ky.  
Invocation.  
1:45 p. m.—Address of Welcome—Rev. C. C. Hill.  
Response—C. Bert Smith, grand secretary.  
Music—selected.  
2:00 p. m.—Address—Grand Master.  
2:30 p. m.—Address—Mrs. Belle McCord.  
2:45 p. m.—Memorial by Artesia Rebekah lodge.  
Music—Miss Pearl Cole.  
Intermission.  
3:15 p. m.—Business session.  
4:00 p. m.—Visit I. O. O. F. Home.  
6:30 p. m.—Banquet at Women's club building Frank Talmage, Toastmaster.  
7:30 p. m.—Old time program. Under auspices Women's club.  
8:30 p. m.—Dance—music by Lemps Night Owls.

You are requested to register at I. O. O. F. hall as soon as you arrive in Roswell. The I. O. O. F. hall is located at Corner Main and Third streets.

All Rebekahs and Odd Fellows are invited to attend these meetings.

## TO RECEIVE DEGREE FROM STATE COLLEGE

Among the seniors who will receive degrees at the thirty-eighth annual commencement at State College, Las Cruces is Miss Jewel Flowers of Lake Arthur, who will receive the degree of bachelor of science.

## \$50,000 Fish Hatchery to Be Located At Dexter

### To Start Condemnation Proceedings—Will Use Water From Canal And Will Drill An Artesian Well Also.

New Mexico's \$50,000 warm water fish hatchery will be located east of Dexter, it was announced at Roswell yesterday by officials of the state game and fish department.

The location just east of Dexter was selected by officials of the federal bureau of fisheries after a careful consideration of all available sites within the state. The site east of Dexter is believed by officials of the federal bureau to combine all the advantages necessary to a warm water hatchery.

Formal condemnation proceedings to acquire the section of land south and east of Dexter now owned by the state game and fish commission have been instituted and work on the new hatchery, which will be one of the largest in the United States, will start at once, it was said.

This hatchery is expected to provide sufficient fish to again make fishing most excellent in all public warm waters of the state.

Information received here this morning relative to the proposed hatchery is that 2,500 acre feet of water will be appropriated out of the canal at Dexter to supply the hatchery in the winter months, while plans have been made to drill an artesian well to furnish water for the project in the summer. Just when the work will start is contingent on when the condemnation proceedings have been finished.

## MANY POUNDS OF CARP TAKEN FROM LAKE

Over 2,800 pounds of carp have been taken from the Clark lake, it was said the first of the week. The carp traps have been run fairly regularly, but the large carp have not come out of the deep water yet.

The game department has done some improvement around the lake in the planting of trees. Local sportsmen are figuring out a plan to drag in some tree trunks to be used as fishing places.

## POULTRY EXPERT VISITS FARMERS

W. M. Ginn, extension poultry expert, accompanied by W. A. Wunsch, county agent of Carlsbad, spent Saturday visiting with the poultry raisers of the Artesia and Hope communities, assisting them with the brooding and feeding problems.

## ELLIOTT BARKER ON VISIT

Elliott Barker, the new game warden spent Friday visiting with a number of sportsmen down the valley. Barker was tendered a dinner in Roswell, Thursday evening, but failed to arrive in time to participate due to muddy roads. In company with M. Stevenson, deputy game warden he spent a short time here Friday before going on to Carlsbad.

## Advocate Want Ads Get Results

## Search Renewed For The Bank Robbers—Ford Stolen Tuesday

Officers have taken a fresh interest in the search for the two Tularosa bank bandits, who held up and robbed the First State Bank of Tularosa Thursday of \$11,000 cash and bonds, after the bandits were reported to have stolen a Ford coupe belonging to R. H. Welty, rancher near Socorro, Tuesday. Officers had previously traced the robbers to a place near Montecello and had given up the search after efforts to locate the men had failed. Sheriff P. E. Kinney of Sierra county dispatched deputies to patrol every highway in the county in the hope of catching the robbers. The Welty ranch is located only about twenty miles from where the bandits were discovered camping Friday and were forced to leave their red Chevrolet coupe.

The robbers entered the First State Bank at Tularosa Thursday afternoon about 1:30 and forced Cashier Jack Spence and wife and a customer to lie on the floor while they scooped money and bonds from the bank vault. This done they drove the three into the bank vault while making their escape. Both Mr. Spence and wife are well known here. Mr. Spence is the son of J. R. Spence of Lake Arthur and a former student of the Artesia schools.

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### BAR THE DANGEROUS DRIVER

During 1930, 32,500 people were killed in automobile accidents, as compared with 31,215 in 1929, according to the Travelers Insurance Company.

During 1930, 12,600,000,000 gallons of gasoline were consumed, as compared with almost 14,000,000,000 in 1929.

In other words, automobile fatalities increased over four percent, while the use of gasoline—an accurate barometer of mileage—decreased about ten percent. The only possible conclusion is that each year the highways grow more dangerous.

This may be laid to a multitude of reasons. Car speeds are increasing and in many instances highways are inadequate for modern, congested, fast-moving traffic. Of greater importance, there are unquestionably thousands of people now operating cars who are temperamentally or physically unfit.

In states which have adopted strict examination laws for drivers, licenses have been refused to an appreciable percentage of applicants. As a result, the accident rate in those states has usually gone down while increasing in states where licenses are issued to all who wish them. The overwhelming percentage of drivers are reasonably careful and competent. The small percentage who are congenitally careless and incompetent cause our gigantic death record, and are a constant menace to lives and property of all who drive. Every state should take steps to make certain that every possessor of a driving license is reasonably fit to use public highways.

### WHERE IS THE RADIO LEADING TO?

The Panhandle Press Association in session at Plainview, Texas last week raised the question of the radio as a competitor of the newspaper. Rarely now days is the radio listener privileged to enjoy a radio program without hearing the merits of the seamless sock, the non burn tobacco or some other national product discussed. Its the sort of advertising that you have to listen to whether you want to hear it or not.

Possibly the worst feature of the competition is that the newspaper is restricted, while the radio is not. Broadcasting stations generally enjoy the right of free speech, while the freedom of the press is a beautiful theory, but impractical to follow as every editor knows, who does not want to court a libel suit. Another unfair discrimination that the newspapers will seek to remedy is the fact that they are not permitted to carry advertisements of the nature of a lottery, while station WYX or BLAH can give away anything from a puppy dog to a million dollars in gold and still get by with it.

Of course the radio can never interfere seriously with the field of the small newspapers. But regardless of circumstances, the radio should be regulated in the same manner as the newspaper.

### FIFTY MILLION HANDS GO TO SCHOOL

Parents of school children all over the country should be grateful to Cleanliness Institute for calling attention, as it recently did, to the importance of adequate handwashing facilities and practices in the schools of all grades. Fifty million hands go to school every day in the United States. Fifty million eager hands of boys and girls busy and dirty themselves daily with textbooks, pencils, paper, maps, chalk and erasers. And at luncheon time fifty million hands carry food to 25,000,000 hungry mouths.

The studies made by Cleanliness Institute show that the majority of those childish hands go unwashed throughout the school day, at meal time as well as at other intervals. The reasons for this are various but can be put under the two general heads of inadequate supplies of water, soap and towels, and of inadequate supervision and encouragement on the part of instructors who do not realize the possible relationships between germ-laden hands and communicable diseases. Health statistics indicate that the mouth and nose are the gateways through which there enter and leave the human body the micro-organisms which cause 92 out of every 100 deaths from communicable disease—sufficient reason for the absolute cleanliness of hands which travel constantly to these important facial doorways.

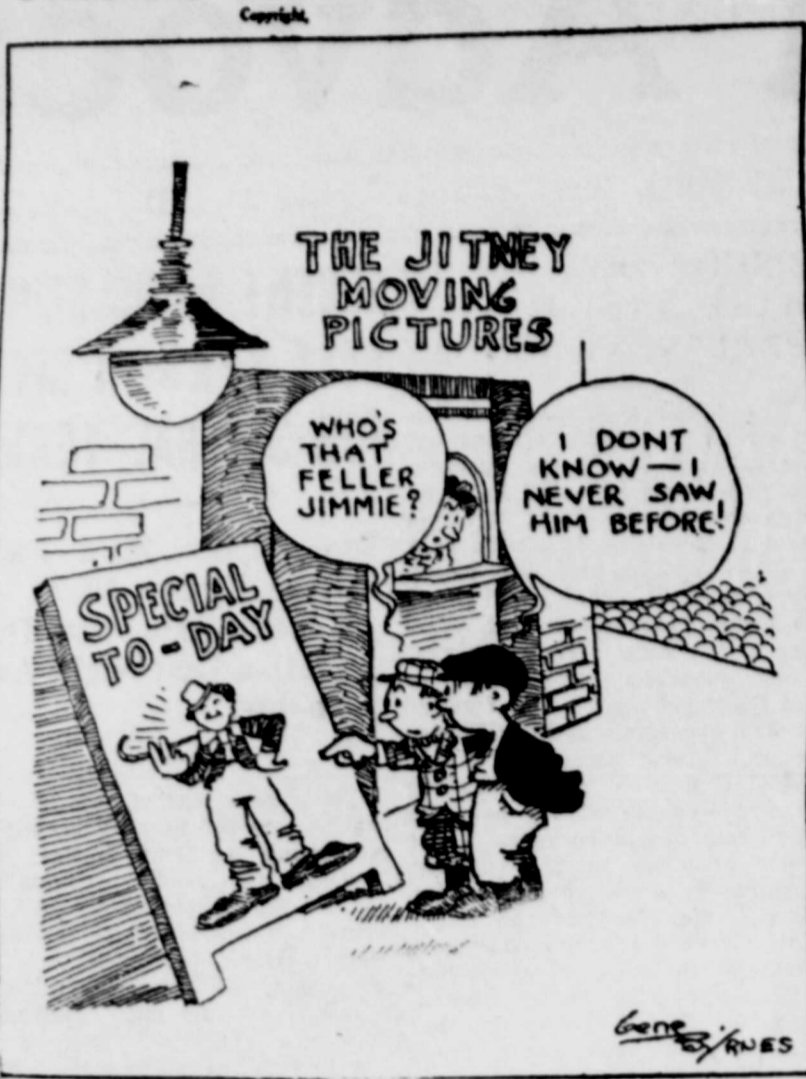
It is too soon to prophesy the general reaction to the findings of this handwashing study, but it seems inevitable that conscientious school boards, teacher groups and parents will scrutinize the provisions made for the children under their care. In a matter that is so vital to health as well as to good manners and self respect, let us hope that it will need little more than a comprehension of the neglect to awaken a public and private response. Certainly the school officials and the parents of this country would do well to acquaint themselves with the handwashing facilities and practices in the schools in their own communities.

### DELINQUENT TAXES

J. D. Mell, delinquent tax collector for the state tax commission, thinks the state will be lucky if it collects 33 1/3 per cent of the delinquent taxes now outstanding, the total of which is \$6,000,000 in the state. He estimates after a survey that 75 to 80 per cent of the personal property taxes are lost to the state. He expects to collect something like 90 percent of the delinquent taxes on real estate.

New Mexico has long faced the delinquent tax problem and heretofore has not been able to place into operation, a practical working system. Its just like trying to solve a Chinese puzzle to make an attempt to clear up back taxes on the delinquent property. The collection of delinquent taxes has never been systematized and until such a system is evolved, just that long will the substantial tax payers carry the tax burden of New Mexico.

## THINGS THAT NEVER HAPPEN



### SCHOOL CHILD SHOULD HAVE HOT BREAKFAST

The child of school age should start the day out right with a hot breakfast says Miss Veda Strong of the New Mexico Agricultural College. This is especially true where the school is such a distance from the home that the child is forced to carry a lunch and can not return home at noon for a hot meal.

The meal should be light but well balanced and may consist of a hot cereal, fruit, buttered toast and either cocoa or milk. Fruit juice or tomato juice may be substituted for the fruit, altho prunes and other dried fruits such as figs, raisins, apricots or peaches, make a very palatable dish when stewed and slightly sweetened. The toast should be well browned, and top milk should be used on the cereal.

Eggs are especially good in the diet of growing children as they are one of the best sources of vitamin D and also because of the protein and minerals they contain. When an egg is served at breakfast, the cereal may be omitted from the menu.

If the child is to receive full benefit of the morning meal, he should be allowed plenty of time in which to eat so as to masticate his food thoroly and thereby avoid acquiring that greatest aid to indigestion, the habit of bolting his food. Children should be taught to remember that the stomach has no teeth and should chew their food thoroly.

Doughnuts, pie, pancakes, fried foods or any rich sweets should have no place in the breakfast of a child, as should neither tea nor coffee.

The child who is just beginning school usually finds the periods between breakfast and lunch uncomfortably long. An extra apple, orange or sandwich to be eaten at the morning recess is a welcome addition to the lunch.

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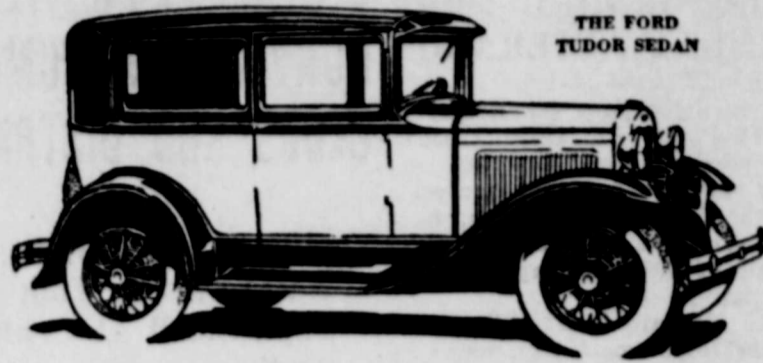
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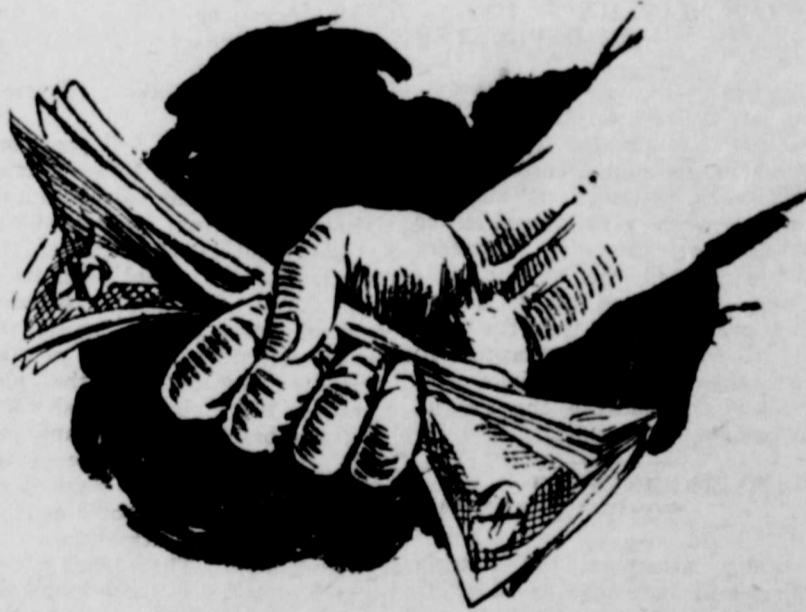
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### SCHOOL OF MINES STUDENTS VISIT HERE

A School of Mines bus bearing six senior students and Dr. Talmage of the N. M. School of Mines of Socorro, passed thru Artesia on a tour of investigation of the oil fields of the Artesia and Hobbs districts. Coming in Friday afternoon, they first visited the Artesia refinery and journeyed on to Carlsbad to spend the night and be ready for a trip thru the Carlsbad Caverns Saturday. Sunday they visited the potash plant of the American Potash Co., and the Hobbs oil field. Sunday night was spent in Artesia. Monday a visit to the Phillips Petroleum Co., casing-head plant and the return to Socorro. The students were well pleased with their visit and appreciated the courtesy extended them.

Those in the party were: Dr. Talmage, professor of geology; R. K. Valentine, George Wesler, Wm. Crabtree, James Mallory, Martin Speare, and W. A. Tarbet.

While in Artesia W. A. Tarbet and friend R. K. Valentine visited at the home of Mr. Tarbet's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Tarbet.

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### LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Glasser were Roswell visitors Friday.

Harry Woodman returned Friday from a two weeks business visit to Los Angeles, California.

Mr. and Mrs. Sim Newman of Carlsbad, visited Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Young here last week.

Mrs. Leon Barker, Mrs. Lucy Robinson and Miss Wilma Robinson motored to Roswell Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy McLane of Lakewood and Miss Violet Middleton of Globe were shopping in Artesia Saturday.

Mrs. Ed Watson is recovering nicely from an emergency operation performed at the St. Francis hospital at Carlsbad Friday afternoon.

Messrs. C. J. Dexter and Hugh Burch returned Monday morning from a business visit to Fort Worth and points in the east Texas oil fields.

Carl Joiner, formerly with the Illinois Pipe Line Co., has accepted a position with the Southwestern Public Service Co., and is now on duty.

R. G. Knoedler, manager of Joyce-Pruit's hardware department went to Amarillo, Texas Sunday to attend the Panhandle Hardware Dealers' convention, which was in session until to-day.

Mrs. L. L. Clark, who was called to Plainview, Texas, last week by the serious illness of her father, H. W. Garrett, returned Monday and reports her father much improved. Mrs. Fred Curry of Willard, former employee of the dry goods department of the Peoples Mercantile Co., assisted Mr. Clark in the operation of the store until Mrs. Clark's return.

### FARM HINTS

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Make a rhubarb betty for dessert, just as you would make apple betty. Alternate buttered bread crumbs and fruit, with sugar to taste. You can use either stewed or uncooked rhubarb. If you use uncooked rhubarb, cover the baking dish for the first part of the cooking, then remove the lid and brown the top crumbs. Sift a little cinnamon or nutmeg over the top.

Have many Saturday or week-end picnics this spring if you own a car. Take the whole family along. Keep a special box or picnic kit equipped with paper or unbreakable plates, cups, silver, paper napkins and waxed paper. Then a lunch can be picked up in not time at all and put together after the picnic spot is reached. On your emergency shelf in the pantry keep a few things always in stock, such as canned or package goods suitable for these trips.

"Yes, my friends," said the theological lecturer, "some admire Moses, who instituted the old law; some, Paul, who spread the new. But after all, which character in the Bible had the largest following?"

As he paused, a voice from the back bench shouted, "Ananias!"

### PLANT MORE PECAN TREES

A number of pecan trees have been planted on the Col. Woods farm, just east of town, as part

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# Social Activities

PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY

## Social Calendar

TELEPHONE 217

The Presbyterian Women's Missionary Society met last Thursday at the home of Mrs. Wheatley with Mrs. Sinclair presiding. This being the first meeting of the church year the budget was presented and adopted and the new officers installed. Devotionals were led by Mrs. B. A. Bruce.

The subject for the afternoon was, "The Negro in America and Africa," and was led by the president.

Those present were, Mesdames R. G. Knoedler, R. L. Paris, S. W. Gilbert, J. P. Sinclair, R. Shugart, M. Schultze, J. Montgomery, L. A. Bruce, G. R. Brainard, Welsh, G. Hamilton, G. Hoagland, Miss Clark and the hostess, Mrs. Rex. Wheatley. Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting.

### E. H. PERRY HONORED

E. H. Perry was honored with a surprise party on Monday evening, by some fifty of his friends, as an expression of appreciation before his departure for east Texas, where he will be stationed. The party was arranged by Mrs. C. R. Vandagriff and Mrs. H. S. Williams and the company took dishes for a bountiful supper. The evening was passed delightfully with dancing and cards, there being eight tables of bridge, and some of the company participating in both pastimes. Mr. Perry was the recipient of a handkerchief shower to serve as a reminder of his Artesia friends. He left yesterday to report at the Ft. Worth office of the Illinois Pipe Line Co., for which he has been a superintendent for some years. He will be sent to the east Texas field, but the exact location is not known at this time. The family remains here for the present.

### ARTESIA GIRL SCOUT COUNCIL MEETS

The Artesia Girl Scout council met with the Roswell Girl Scout Council this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Chamber of Commerce. The object of this inter-city meeting was to better understand the functions ideals and plan of work for girl scout councils. Mrs. W. H. McCullough, commissioner Roswell girl scouts presided. Miss Mary L. White national official gave valuable suggestions and help.

Immediately after the joint meeting the Roswell council entertained the Artesia group at a charmingly informal tea at the attractive home of Mrs. Harold Hurd on the southside.—Roswell Record, Monday.

Mrs. Rex Wheatley, president and Mesdames Ray Bartlett, W. H. Cobble, M. W. Evans, Gail Hamilton and W. E. Kerr, attended the meeting.

### TWELVE O'CLOCK DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Perry were honor guests at a two course dinner at twelve o'clock on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Brown.

### P. E. O. MEETING

The P. E. O. met for its regular meeting at the home of Mrs. W. C. Martin last Friday afternoon. Only routine business was transacted and light refreshments were served.

### THE DORCAS CLASS

The Dorcas class met with Mrs. Less Barnes last Friday afternoon. There was a good attendance, a good time and good "eats."

### FIRST AFTERNOON BRIDGE CLUB

The First Afternoon Bridge club met with Mrs. M. A. Corbin at half past two o'clock on Tuesday. Delicious refreshments were served in two courses by the hostess. Substituting were Mesdames Beecher Rowan, F. G. Hartell and R. D. Compton.

### IDLEWHILES BRIDGE CLUB

The Idlewhiles Bridge club was entertained by Mrs. H. Q. Haley on Tuesday afternoon, there were five substitutes, Mesdames Roy Hurd, Chester Dexter, John Bristow, and C. R. Vandagriff and Miss Helen Green. Miss Marylynne Haley and Miss Lillian Heflin assisted the hostess in serving lovely refreshments.

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## NAZARENE YOUNG PEOPLES' SOCIETY

The Nazarene Young Peoples' Society was re-organized at a meeting at the home of Mrs. E. A. Paton last Monday night. The old officers were retained. Means were discussed for bringing the young people into the society and it was decided to have a weekly social meeting on Wednesday evenings.

### SIX O'CLOCK DINNER

Mrs. Jeff Hightower and daughter, Mrs. S. W. Blocker entertained at six o'clock dinner on last Friday evening. Covers were laid for Mrs. J. C. Compton, Mrs. T. E. Mears, and Mrs. Lucy Armstrong, of Portales, Mrs. Clyn Smith of Clovis, all of whom were here attending the Women's club convention, and Stanley Blocker, and the hostesses.

### TELEPHONE PARTY

Employees of the Mountain States Telephone Co., with Manager Gail Hamilton, enjoyed a get-together social Tuesday evening at the office. Sandwiches, pickles, olives, ice cream and cake were served throughout the evening. A special guest of the evening was F. J. Campbell of Denver, Colorado, with the Western Electric Co.

### B. & P. W. CLUB MEETING

The Business and Professional Women's club met with Mrs. Myron Bruning last evening. Dr. Seale completed the appointments of chairmen of committees, which number fifteen, a requirements of the club constitution. The following were named chairmen: finance, Miss Catherine Clarke; research, Miss Lucille Morris; legislation, Mrs. Bruning; international relations, Mrs. Howard; associate editor of Turquoise, Mrs. Grimm; independent woman, Miss Bradley; public relations, Mrs. Hamann; transportation, Miss Dungan.

Next Wednesday evening a club dinner will be served at the Artesia hotel. Members will please make reservations with Miss Lavon Brown.

Dr. Seale and Mrs. C. R. Blocker were elected as delegates to attend the state meeting at Raton, with Mrs. Roy Pior and Mrs. Mary Grimm as alternates. A standing vote of thanks was given Miss Clarke and her committee, in appreciation of their efforts, which made the benefit dance of last Saturday evening a success.

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Tuesday evening, prayer meeting.

Friday evening young people's services.

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### CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY

613 W. Main Street

Sunday, April 26, 1931.

Wednesday services at 7:30 p. m.

Subject for Sunday, April 26, 1931 is: "Probation After Death."

In this lesson the following scriptural selection is found: "Fear not, O Land, be glad and rejoice; for the Lord will do great things." (Joel 2:21).

Also the following citation from Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures, by Mary Baker Eddy, page 569: "He that touchest the hem of Christ's robe and masters his mortal beliefs, animality and hate, rejoices in the proof of healing, in a sweet and certain sense that God is love."

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6:30 p. m. Senior B. Y. P. U.

7:30 p. m. evening services.

7:30 p. m. each Wednesday prayer meeting.

Y. W. A. will meet at the home of Mrs. W. C. Martin tonight at 7:00 p. m.

Both circles of the Woman's Missionary Union will meet at the church this afternoon at 2:30 p. m.

The public is invited to all services, where a welcome awaits you.

### EPWORTH LEAGUE

At the League services next Sunday Walter Cave will be the leader. We would like to have more people out to the League who will enter into the discussion and help make the meeting more interesting. There are only two Sundays left before the close of the contest.

League services 6:30 p. m. Sunday at the Methodist church.

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9:55 a. m. Sabbath school. 11:00 a. m. morning worship. Sermon subject: "The Message of the Spring," or "Some Thoughts on Springtime in the Soul." The high school girl's quartette will sing their contest song, "I Know a Lovely Garden." Come to this service in anticipation of May day.

6:45 p. m. Christian Endeavor Societies. Jeanne Wheatley will lead the senior meeting. Subject of discussion will be, "How Can Churches Work Together?"

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from the worship in His house regarding which Jesus said: "Where two or three are gathered together in My Name there am I in the midst of them."

### THANK YOU

The W. O. W. in convention in your city April 13-14 desire to present our congratulations to the citizens of the city of Artesia, complimenting them on their wonderful hotel, wide streets and cleanliness, also wish to thank the Artesia Chamber of Commerce, Artesia newspapers, The First National Bank and Judge J. H. Jackson, past head consul for their efforts in making our convention a great success, while in your city. We also wish to extend our thanks to those who took part in the programs that were rendered, and also to the local camp No. 26 Artesia. 19-1tc

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## ARTESIA STUDENTS WIN EIGHT OF NINE PLACES ENTERED

Press dispatches from Las Cruces did not list all of the winners in the state music meet, held at State College Saturday. Artesia won places in eight out of nine events. One of the events not listed was the miscellaneous playing of Miss Grace Sinclair, which won second place. In this she contested with a cello against other instruments and received honorable mention from the judges in doing good work. Another event not mentioned in which the local girls took third place was the mixed chorus composed of Jeanne Wheatley, Ruth Graham, Katherine Filbert, Mable Cham- pion, Marjorie Kerr, Dawn Horn- baker, Evelyn Cobble, Laura Belle McCaw, Mona Sinclair, Martha Sinclair, Glenna McLean, Eliza- beth Gage, Harry Gilmore, Thos. Kuykendall, Ed Wilson, Glen Stone, Rowland McLean, Edgar Bishop, John Bill Collins, Harold Naylor, Britton Coll, and Edwin McCaw.

The girls quartette composed of Jeanne Wheatley, Ruth Graham, Elizabeth Gage and Evelyn Cob- ble took third place.

The Artesia orchestra, which took first place was one of the few orchestras to broadcast Sat- urday night, rendering several numbers. Of the orchestra Grace Sinclair broadcast a cello solo and John Bill Collins, a cornet solo. Mrs. Harp accompanying. Mrs. Willis Morgan, director of the school music, accompanied the other numbers. E. L. Harp direc- tor, conductor the orchestra and Miss Doris Deter, a violinist with the orchestra, accompanied Edgar Bishop's violin solo.

Other valley young people taking high honors were Norman Savage of Roswell, 1st in clarinet and Janet Hoose of Carlsbad, 1st in piano.

Artesians who drove over with the young people were Supt. and Mrs. Kerr, Prof. E. L. Harp and Mrs. Harp and Miss Doris Deter, Mrs. Willis Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. Alf Coll, John Boans and Mr. Gordon.

The directors of the music in our schools deserve much credit for the success of their pupils and acknowledge the valuable assist- ance of Mrs. V. L. Gates, who helped train the girls' quartette and Mrs. M. A. Corbin, who gave like assistance with the boys' quartette.

The Artesia orchestra won the cup, considered the most handsome ever given by the organiza- tion. They will have to win it three years in succession in order to keep it.

Artesia won fifth place in the state music meet held at State College in Las Cruces, Saturday, competing against sixteen high schools. Three hundred contestants participated in the meet. Silver City won first place, Las Cruces, second place; Las Vegas, third; Santa Fe, fourth; Lordsburg, sixth; Carlsbad seventh; Alamo- gordo, eighth; Roswell, Socorro, Hobbs, Tucumcari and Tularosa tied for ninth.

Winners of the following events were:

Tenor Solo—Max Gallegos, So- corro.  
Contralto Solo — 1st, Dorothy Williams, Las Cruces; 2nd, Nadine Causland, Lordsburg.  
Lyric Soprano Solo—1st, Eileen Bassett, Silver City; 2nd, Shir- ley Smith, Santa Fe.  
Mezzo-Soprano Solo—1st, Con- suelo Duarte, Las Cruces; 2nd, Harrita Thornhill, Las Vegas.  
Bass Solo—1st, Tom Bill Insul Las Cruces; 2nd, Ralph Board, Hobbs.

Baritone Solo — 1st, Martin Thorpe, Las Cruces; 2nd, Dale Scott, Lordsburg.

Piano (under 15)—1st, Robert Cox, Las Vegas; 2nd, John Dend- hall, Santa Fe.

Violin (under 15)—1st, Johna- than Lancaster, Las Vegas. No second.

Violin (over 15)—1st, Edgar Bishop, Artesia; 2nd Betty Fry- mire, Silver City.

Clarinet Solo—1st, Norman Sav- age, Roswell; 2nd, Isabel Jud- kins, Carlsbad.

Flute Solo—1st, Diantha Lan- caster, Las Vegas; 2nd, Edward James, Silver City.

Saxophone Solo—1st, Murray Cramer, Las Cruces; 2nd, Bob Briscoe, Tularosa.

Cornet Solo—1st, John Collins, Artesia; 2nd, Albert Rosen, Santa Fe.

Thornbone Solo—1st, Basil Ful- ler, Lordsburg. No second.

Girls vocal duet—1st, Dorothy Kaser and Harriet Thornhill, Las Vegas; 2nd, Consuelo Duarte and Dorothy Williams, Las Cruces.

Orchestra—1st, Artesia; 2nd, Las Cruces.

Band—1st, Lordsburg; 2nd, Sil- ver City.  
Boys Vocal Quartet—1st, Phil- lip Leigh, Daniel Anderson, Albert Rosen and Alphonse Dominguez of Santa Fe; 2nd, Harry Gilmore, Edgar Bishop, Roland McLean and Edgar Wilson of Artesia.  
Mixed Quartet—1st, Las Cruces

## Drilling Report

**EDDY COUNTY**  
J. O. Hammond and son, Gillett No. 1, sec. 34-18-26; Drilling below 800 feet.  
Oilwell Drilling Co., Baker No. 1, 1115 feet from the north and 205 feet from the east line sec. 21-21-26; No report.

**LEA COUNTY**  
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.  
Continental Oil Co., A. E. Meyer No. 3, 1650 feet from the north and west lines sec. 17-21-36; Derrick up, shut down for orders.

Conrad and Culherson, State No. 1, sec. 22-18-34; Rigging up rotary.  
Midwest Refining Co., Capps No. 26, sec. 3-19-38; Drilling below 300 feet.  
Western-Texas State No. 1, 2310 feet from the north and west lines sec. 17-17-34; Testing production.

Western Republic, State No. 1, NE SE sec. 13-17-36; Shut down at 1890 feet.  
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; Location.  
Western Drilling Co., State No. 1, NE NE sec. 16-20-32; Shut down at 935 feet.

**OTERO COUNTY**  
Pasotero Oil Corp., Dexter No. 1, sec. 22-24-12; Location.

**COTTONWOOD ITEMS**  
Ruby Waldrip, Reporter

Little Helen Parker is ill this week.

Mrs. W. H. Rambo has been ill the past week.

Carl Middleton motored to Roswell Monday on business.

A group of Cottonwood young folks went up on the Felix kodak- ing Sunday.

Miss Minnie Lee Smith of Lake Arthur was visiting on Cotton- wood Monday.

M. Stevenson and wife were attending to business on Cotton- wood Thursday.

Marion Brown's two eldest sons came here to attend their father's funeral Sunday.

Miss Ruby Waldrip spent Tues- day night with Minnie Lee Smith of Lake Arthur.

Tom Terry and family motored to Dayton Sunday to visit with Rev. J. D. Terry.

Joe Bachman motored to Carls- bad Saturday to attend to some business matters.

Mrs. White was called to Ft. Worth, Texas Monday by the death of her brother.

Ben McLarry and family of Lake Arthur were visiting the Norris family Sunday.

Jess Huff and family spent Sunday with his cousin, Mr. Callin

with Consuelo Duarte, Dorothy Williams, Tom Graham and Tom Bill Insul; 2nd, Silver City with Eileen Bassett, Betty Frymire, Al- bert Posner and Stewart War- rick.

Mixed Chorus—1st Silver City; 2nd, Las Cruces.

Girls Vocal Quartet—1st, Las Cruces with LaVon Carr, Con- suelo Duarte, Josephine Lucero and Dorothy Williams; 2nd, Silver City with Louise Bassett, Eileen Bassett, Betty Frymire and Helen Smith.

Boy and Girl Duet—1st, Las Vegas with Franklin Ballinger and Evelyn Johnson; 2nd, Artesia with Jean Wheatley and Edgar Bishop.

Girls Glee Club — 1st, Silver City; 2nd, Santa Fe.

Girls Trio—1st, Las Vegas with Evelyn Johnson, Dorothy Kaser and Lillian Miller; 2nd, Las Cruces with Consuelo Duarte, Josephine Lucero and Dorothy Williams.

Boys Glee Club — 1st, Silver City; 2nd, Santa Fe.

## SCOUT NEWS

Boy Scouts, who attended the annual jamboree in Roswell, Fri- day, were put to a real test when they battled inclement weather to pitch camp Friday night. Not- withstanding the cold, disagree- able weather Artesia scouts at- tending made grade A on inspec- tion. Some of the troops present spent the night in the armory but most of the boys stayed in their pup tents.

Following are the results of the jamboree:

First Aid—Tucumcari 1st; Ros- well 2nd; Dexter 3rd.

Semaphore Signaling—Tucum- cari 1st and 2nd; Clovis 3rd.

Wigwag Signaling—Clovis 1st; Artesia 2nd; Hope 3rd.

Knot Tying—Portales 1st; Mes- calero 2nd; Portales 3rd.

Wall Scaling—Hope 1st; Por- tales 2nd; Elida 3rd.

Fire by Friction—Claire Girard, Troop 4, Roswell, 1st; Kit Car- son Heffner, Troop 19, Roswell, 2nd; Henry Thorne, Troop 3, Ros- well, 3rd.

Fire by Flint and Steel—Henry Thorne, Troop 3, Roswell 1st; Leonard Stolaroff, Troop 4, Roswell 2nd; Paul Schultz, Troop 3, Ros- well 3rd.

Harmonica—Henry Thorne, of Troop 3, Roswell 1st; Tony King, Artesia 2nd; Glen Capps, Tucum- cari 3rd.

Bugling—Leon Pogue, Tucum- cari 1st; Leonard Stolaroff, Troop 4, Roswell 2nd; Wilbur Brown of Clovis, 3rd.

Stunts—Tucumcari 1st; Hope 2nd; Carlsbad 3rd.

Three contests run off Satur- day are as follows:

Model Airplanes—Perry Bean, Troop 3, Roswell, 1st; Claire Gir- ard, Troop 4, Roswell 2nd; Don La Pell, Troop 19, Roswell 3rd.

Archery—Claire Girard, Troop 4, Roswell 1st; Perry Bean, Troop 3, Roswell 2nd; James Funk, of Troop 16, Tucumcari 3rd.

Hatchet Throwing—Glen Capps, Troop 15, Tucumcari 1st; Rannell Jones, Troop 33, Hope 2nd; Ben- nett Baca, Troop 27, Mescalero 3rd.

## COMMITTS SUICIDE

Ray Haynes, age 31, a world war veteran of Roswell committed suicide at the home of his mother, Mrs. Katherine Haynes, Tuesday night by drinking whiskey in which poison had been dissolved. Ill health was given as the cause of his act. The deceased leaves a mother, several brothers and sisters.

The young wife was heart- broken.

"What's the matter?" asked a friend.

"Oh my husband is so absent- minded. After breakfast he left a tip on the table, and when I handed him his hat he handed me another tip."

"Well, that's nothing to worry about. It's just force of habit."

"That's what worries me. He kissed me when I gave him his coat."

and family of Dayton.

Mrs. Harvey Harrell and fam- ily of Hope have been visiting relatives on Cottonwood.

Joe Bachman and family stay- ed at the Rambo home Friday night on account of the storm.

There will be Sunday school every Sunday at ten o'clock. Everybody is invited to attend.

Luke Ray, Jimmie and Virgil Drennin went fishing Saturday evening below Carlsbad returning Sunday.

J. O. Garner and family were visiting E. E. Woods Sunday and J. C. Garner and family were there also.

There were several men and wo- men gathered at the Jess Funk home Sunday where they had a big fish fry.

Messrs. Jess Funk, Monroe How- ard, Ira Burgess, E. P. Malone and son, Ernest, H. V. Parker and Roy Remillion went fishing below Carlsbad Friday morning returning Saturday evening.

The Lake Arthur baseball team played Cottonwood Sunday at the Upper Cottonwood diamond. Cot- tonwood won by a high score. They expect to go to Lake Arthur next Sunday for a return game.

## DAYTON AND ATOKA ITEMS

J. H. Sherbit, Reporter

Miss Catherine Cox spent Sun- day with Miss Nola Laskie.

Miss Eunice King spent Sunday with Miss LaVerne Sherbit.

Little Wayne Rowland was out of school Tuesday on account of illness.

Rev. and Mrs. J. D. Terry spent Sunday with their son, Tom Ter- ry on Cottonwood.

A number of boys from Dayton went to Lakewood Sunday after- noon and played base ball.

Little Miss Edna Carder spent Saturday night with her brother, Lawrence Carder and wife.

Messrs. Guy Smith and J. P. House were dinner guests of Law- rence Burroughs Sunday.

Messrs. Joe Sherbit and Wilmer Smith made a business trip to

Carlsbad Saturday evening.

Mrs. Lake Martin and daughter of Clovis were visiting in the D. S. Martin home last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Sherbit and their two sons were dinner guests in the J. O. Sherbit home last Sunday.

Joe Sherbit who is working on a ranch west of Lakewood spent

the week-end with his parents near Dayton.

May 1st is designated by Pres- ident Hoover as Health Day. Watch your merchants windows on that day.

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## The Occasion May Arise

When your life will be placed in the hands of your physician and druggist. Most everyone faces this situation before life's curtain is drawn. How important it is therefore that your prescription be filled to the exact detail. That's what our pharmacists do regardless of the nature of your illness.

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4:40x21	---	---	\$ 6.50
4:50x20	\$ 8.05	\$10.95	6.75
4:50x21	8.30	11.35	6.90
4:75x19	8.60	11.70	7.65
5:00x19	9.45	12.85	8.60
5:00x20	9.70	13.25	8.90
5:25x21	11.35	15.50	10.20
5:50x18	11.30	15.40	---
5:50x19	11.70	15.95	10.60
6:00x18	12.45	17.00	11.50
6:00x19	12.90	17.55	11.45
6:00x20	13.10	17.85	11.55
6:00x21	13.55	18.50	11.65
7:00x20	16.95	23.10	---
7:00x21	17.55	23.90	---

FEDERAL STANDARD 4 Ply		FEDERAL STANDARD Truck Tires	
Size	Our Cash Price	List Price	Our Cash Price
4:40x21	\$4.40	\$5.50	\$ 3.85
4:50x20	5.00	6.25	6.60
4:50x21	5.05	6.35	6.90
4:75x19	5.90	7.40	9.90
5:00x19	6.20	7.75	15.55
5:00x20	6.35	7.95	27.25
5:25x21	7.75	9.45	---
5:50x19	7.75	9.75	33.49

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Artesia, New Mexico

# My Experiences in the World War

By General John J. Pershing

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### CHAPTER VII

As the French authorities wished to honor our national holiday they requested that some of our troops parade in Paris July 4, 1917. We were not prepared to make much of a military impression, as our men were largely recruits. But to stimulate morale the French wanted to demonstrate that the Americans were actually coming, so a battalion of the Sixteenth Infantry was brought up from Saint Nazaire.

The untrained, awkward appearance of this unit, which was accepted as the cream of our regular army by the French officials, no doubt tended to confirm their belief that it would be some time before we should be able to organize an effective army.

If they could have foreseen the triumph of this same battalion at the peak of the great counter-offensive on the field of Soissons just one year later we might have been spared many delays and difficulties in carrying out our plans.

Troops Bring Joy to French. Nevertheless, the first appearance of American combat troops in Paris brought joyful acclaim from the people. On the march the battalion was accompanied by a great crowd, many women forcing their way into the ranks and swinging along arm in arm with the men. With wreaths about their necks and flowers in their hats and on their rifles, the column had the appearance of a moving flower garden.

With only a semblance of military formation the animated throng pushed its way through avenues of people to the martial strains of the French band and the still more thrilling music of cheering voices. Many dropped on their knees in reverence as the column went by. The battalion marched to the cemetery where the tomb of Lafayette is located. The ceremony there consisted of a few speeches, the principal speaker being Brand Whitlock, our ambassador to Belgium. I had been asked to deliver an address but had designated Col. C. E. Stanton of my staff, an old army friend and something of an orator, to speak in my place. However, I was prevailed upon to speak extemporaneously.

"Lafayette, We Are Here!" It was on this occasion that utterance was given to an expression that could be born only of inspiration, one that will live long in history: "Lafayette, we are here!" Many have attributed this striking utterance to me, and I have often wished it could have been mine. But I have no recollection of saying anything so splendid. I am sure those words were spoken by Colonel Stanton, and to him must go the credit for so happy and felicitous a phrase.

The parade of our troops through Paris doubtless fortified the morale of the people to a certain extent, but we all knew that eventually something very much more effective would have to be done. The real question was whether the allies could hold out until we were ready. It was clear that no halfway measures on our part would answer and that allied hopes lay in American military assistance on a vast scale at the earliest moment.

Cables for 1,000,000 Men. The allies thought an American force of 500,000 men the maximum that we could have in France in 1918, but in my opinion that would not be enough to meet the situation. If we could have had half a million fighting men in France in the early spring it would have been a different matter. But looking ahead it was necessary to allow from 35 to 40 per cent for the services of supply, which would leave out of this number only approximately 300,000 fighting troops. Although this would aid, we could not be content merely to lend a helping hand but must prepare to strike a decisive blow.

In the technical branches of the army there were many officers with theoretical training in special lines, but with some notable exceptions they generally lacked broad constructive or administrative experience. From the very start I determined to obtain the best talent available, and was fortunate in practically every field to find able men who were anxious to do their part.

The earliest application of the principle was in connection with timber and lumber procurement. The call for lumber would be enormous, and since it would be impossible with our limited tonnage to bring a great quantity across the Atlantic, most of it would have to be obtained in Europe.

A cable to the War department early in July, 1917, recommended the immediate organization of a forestry service, consisting of saw-mill units, to be composed of experienced lumbermen and 8,000 to 10,000 unskilled laborers to build roads and transport lumber. Special request was made for the appointment of Prof. Henry Graves, chief of the United States forestry service, who was then on the ground, as the man to take charge of this service. A number of other specially qualified men were requested as we entered the task of building up the supply service, but as this was the first intimation given to the War department that such a force would be needed naturally it was some time before it was actually set on foot.

Heavy Work for the Staff. During the first two months in France the work imposed upon the few staff officers who had accompanied me was very heavy. After urgent and repeated requests I was fortunate in having at my disposal later in the summer a small group of men which included some of the most brilliant and highly educated officers in our army.

In addition to those already with me, the officers included in the following cable I regarded as especially fitted for the duties for which they were desired: "Request Robert C. Davis, adjutant general, be sent these headquarters earliest date. Request Frank Moorman or J. O. Mauborgne be sent these headquarters earliest date for duty as code expert. Request Samuel T. Hubbard, Jr., signal corps, now here, be called to active service and ordered to report to me. Request ten of following named officers be sent to report to me by second convoy for general staff duty: Frank R. McCoy, George Van Horn Moseley, Malin Craig, Alfred W. Bjornstadt, H. B. Fiske, Allen J. Grear, Paul B. Malone, Edgar T. Collins, Samuel R. Graves, Laurence Halsted, Nicholas W. Campanole, A. R. Moreno, Preston Brown, LeRoy R. Ellings, W. B. Burt, Frank T. Hines, Edward L. King, J. P. McAdams, W. C. Sweeney, J. B. Barnes, Kerr T. Riggs, W. H. Winters, Walt C. Johnson, Stuart Helntzelman, Up-ton Birnie, Kirby Walker, Berkeley Enoch. . ."

Having this nucleus and selecting the best features of the French

United States. As it seemed probable that we should operate in proximity to their armies we adopted the French types for the usual calibers and sought their assistance in obtaining the guns needed, at least for the first two years. We secured an agreement that our troops as they came along would be provided with French guns and ammunition, including not only the 75 and 155s but 37 mm. guns and 58 mm. trench mortars as well.

It was most fortunate that we were able to get these guns from the French, as up to the end of the war no guns of American manufacture of the types used, except twenty-four 8-inch mortars and six 14-inch naval guns were fired in battle.

Trench guns of the three-inch and six-inch mortar types, with ammunition, were purchased from the British, as they were considered superior to those used by the French. The Red Cross resorted to excellent progress at this time, especially in its first efforts to assist the French as agreed upon with General Petain. Its organization by Maj. Grayson M. P. Murphy for war work with our own armies was now about completed. The establishment of canteens and huts at the ports and other important points had already begun and the numbers increased as fast as needed.

These centers of service later maintained dispensaries and provided beds and bathing facilities for men traveling under orders or on leave. When the necessity arose the Red Cross actively co-operated with the medical corps in the field, contributing large quantities of supplies and often additional nurses. The work of the society, directed from a central office in Paris, eventually embraced practically every endeavor touching the health of the armies.

CHAPTER IX I left Paris July 20, 1917, for a visit with Field Marshal Sir Douglas Haig, the British commander in chief, whose headquarters were in an old chateau half hidden away in a magnificent grove at Beldiquet. I was accompanied by Colonels Harbord and Alvord and Captain Patton of my staff.

At dinner the subject of conversation naturally turned on the military situation of the allied armies, our own in particular. They were keen to know about our army, its organization and size, and the prospects of our putting troops in the field. As our active participation depended on many factors, such as training, equipment and shipping, my replies, of course, were indefinite and no doubt disappointing.

In turn we asked many questions, and it was especially interesting to hear the importance of artillery emphasized by its chief, Major General Birch, who spoke of the difficulties they had experienced in supplying themselves with guns that matched the enemy's.

Referring to their lack of artillery in the beginning, General Birch said there was reason to believe that they had finally attained a superiority over the Germans.

Real Teamwork Lacking. Sir Douglas told me some of the details of Nivelle's unsuccessful attack in the spring, how it was known far and wide beforehand, and spoke particularly of the consequent serious disaffection among the French troops. Although he had placed himself under Nivelle's command for these operations, he had, he said, little confidence in the outcome from the start. He also commented on the failure of the French to co-operate fully on various occasions. His remarks en-

The cordial relations and good understanding established between Sir Douglas Haig and myself and between the corresponding members of our staffs and with a number of the leading British officers with whom we were later to have official dealings proved very advantageous. In London, Sir Douglas, in an after-dinner speech, referred to this visit, which happened during a period of depression, and said that our timely appearance at his headquarters had aroused in them a strong feeling of hopefulness for the future.

Meets Other Leaders. My diary at this time notes the following: Paris, Thursday, July 26, 1917. Had breakfast yesterday at the Crillon with Lloyd George. He is alert and energetic and has a clear conception of allied problems. Took lunch with Mr. Balfour, who thinks we have reason to feel easier regarding submarines. Representatives of the various allies met for conference on general situation. In the evening M. Ribot, the prime minister, gave a state dinner to officials attending conference.

Today attended luncheon to allied representatives given by the President and Mme. Poincaré at the Elysee palace. In conference this afternoon with Petain, Cadorna, Robertson and Foch at latter's office. Discussed military plans, talked about tonnage possibilities and shortage of personnel. All pessimistic and reserved. James Stillman, just returned from a tour of France, confirms reports of serious depression.

Situation Not Hopeful. The meeting of the allied military leaders July 26, which was my first, brought out little that was hopeful. The political relations of the allies were touched upon in a general way, but only so far as they might affect the military situation. The most significant recent event, of course, had been the crisis in Russia.

With reference to American assistance, I gave in detail the situation as to our man power, immediate and prospective, especially in the light of the latest plans of the department, and laid particular emphasis on the necessity of additional shipping. A cablegram had just been received in response to mine of July 6 in which I had requested that at least a million men reach France by the following spring.

This message, indicating that the War department foresaw small chance of securing the necessary tonnage, was read to the conference in part as follows: "By using all shipping which is now in sight for the purpose and which will be available after month of November, the plan proposes to transport to France by June 15, 1918, twenty-one divisions, comprising about 420,000 men, together with auxiliary troops and replacement troops, and others, amounting to 214,975 men, making a total of 634,975 men."

More Tonnage Needed. Although short of my recommendations, even this schedule could be carried out only by a very large increase of tonnage. The other members of the conference were of the opinion that if new adjustments could be made there might be shipping for nine or ten of our divisions before spring. So for the moment there did not seem to be the slightest chance of transporting a million men to France by the following June.

After canvassing the whole situation, the conference expressed the unanimous opinion that a defensive role should be adopted on all secondary fronts. The British and French representatives hoped that the surplus troops resulting from this course might be available to strengthen their armies in France and General Cadorna, of course, thought the Italian armies should have their share.

(Continued next week)

### WINS PRIZE IN CHEMISTRY ESSAY CONTEST RECENTLY

Horace Wayne Hornbaker, Artesia high school student was among the prize winners in the annual essay contest of the American Chemical Society, according to a recent announcement of Dr. John Clark of the New Mexico State University at Albuquerque, chairman of the award committee.

### WIND BLOWS RACK AGAINST WINDOW

A freak wind Monday whipped a magazine rack of the Palace Drug Store against a plate glass window of Mount's, breaking the glass.

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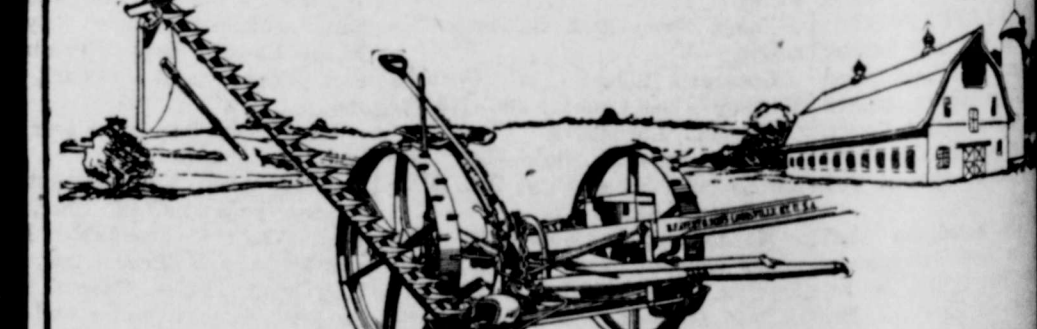
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### AMERICAN RED CROSS CANTEEN

Red Cross Canteen Girls. tirelessly confirmed the belief that I had long since held that real teamwork between the two armies was almost totally absent. Scarcely anything more strikingly impressed upon me our unpreparedness than what I saw during a few hours spent with General Trenchard at the British flying field, where we witnessed flyers doing every imaginable stunt, and saw planes of all classes, bombing, pursuit and observation, motors of different types and the thoroughly equipped repair shops. The outstanding thing, however, which it was gratifying to note later on in our own aviation personnel, was the incomparable spirit and alertness of the young officers and the enlisted personnel. Every man seemed to be disappointed when a flight of planes departed for the front without him. Conferences Valuable. This visit to British headquarters was most instructive, as every opportunity was given us to study intimately the details of their wartime organization. After similar studies of the French system we selected from each those features best suited to perfect a well-balanced staff for our own army.

## Awake Half the Night Weak and in Pain

"Night after night I could not sleep," writes Mrs. Mary J. Roberts, 117 West Franklin St., Raleigh, N. C. "I would lie awake half the night. I was dizzy and weak, suffered frequently with pains in my side and small part of my back. "When I was a girl, my mother gave me Cardui, and it did me so much good, I thought I would try it again. I took five bottles, and I feel like a new person. "I think it is fine. I would advise every woman who is weak to try Cardui, for it has certainly put me on my feet."

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Be nonchalant. When you finally get the errand you want to do hours ago, storming outside, telephone do it. Extensions at points in the house. They cost just a few days. TELEPHONE

EDS GIVE EIGHT NEW POWER

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Let Hot Sandwiches Add Zest to Your Breakfast

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

A HOT sandwich, with a crisp salad, and a beverage, makes a splendid luncheon or supper course. In fact, the sandwich has developed in so many directions and adapted itself to such greatly varied needs that its recent appearance on the breakfast table is not at all surprising. The breakfast sandwich recipe given below shows how appropriate and delicious such a sandwich can be.

Hot sandwiches can be made in an almost endless number of ways. They may consist of a snappy filling between slices of plain or French toast; of white or whole wheat bread with a filling, covered with a hot sauce; and very attractive ones may be made from hot biscuits or toasted crackers.

You will find these hot sandwiches especially good, and no doubt they will suggest many other combinations:

Breakfast Sandwich: Buttered toast thin cuts of cooked sausage; Grated American cheese; Strips of bacon.

Butter 1 slice of toast for each person to be served. On each slice place thin cuts of cooked sausage, cover with Tomato Sauce, and sprinkle with grated cheese. Lay a strip of bacon on each sandwich, and bake in a hot oven until the bacon is crisp.

Tomato Sauce: 2 tablespoons butter; 2 tablespoons flour; 1 small can Cream of Tomato Soup. Melt butter and blend with flour. Add Cream of Tomato Soup, and stir until thickened.

Fried Oyster Sandwiches: 1 pint large oysters; 2 beaten eggs; 1/2 teaspoon salt; Dash of pepper; 1/4 teaspoon Worcestershire Sauce; Cracker crumbs; Slices of buttered whole wheat bread; Tomato Ketchup or Chili Sauce.

Dip oysters into beaten eggs, seasoned with salt, pepper and Worcestershire Sauce, and then into cracker crumbs. Fry in several tablespoons butter until crisp and deliciously brown. Place oysters on slices of buttered whole wheat bread and sprinkle generously with Ketchup or Chili Sauce. Cover with another slice of bread, cut in half, and serve with Preserved Sweet Gherkins.



Variety Sandwiches: 1/2 lb. assorted cup Mayonnaise Salad Dressing; 1 teaspoon Evaporated Horseradish soaked ten minutes in 1 tablespoon cold water. Chop meat together and moisten with Mayonnaise Salad Dressing, to which has been added the Evaporated Horseradish. Spread a generous layer on hot buttered toast, and serve. Garnish with Spanish Queen Olives.

Savory Sandwiches: Graham or whole wheat bread, toasted; Fresh Cucumber Relish; 1 teaspoon Evaporated Horseradish (soak in 1 tablespoon cold water for 10 minutes); Sliced bacon. Butter toast and sprinkle with Fresh Cucumber Relish and a small amount of Evaporated Horseradish. Top with slices of crisp hot bacon and serve at once.

Hot Biscuit Sandwiches: Make plain baking powder biscuit, and while hot, break apart and butter the halves. On one half place a thick slice of tomato and spread with Mayonnaise Salad Dressing. Sprinkle with crisply cooked hot bacon. Cover with the other half of the biscuit, press lightly together and serve at once.

BUSINESS PITFALLS IN FARM DISTRICTS

Bankers Point Out Hazards of Unsound Practices—Help Farmers to Avoid Them

WAYS in which bankers may discourage unsound farm practices are described by President F. D. Farrell of the Kansas State Agricultural College in the American Bankers Association Journal. He says:

"In Kansas in connection with the importation of dairy cattle, a large shipment of very inferior animals came into a county to be sold at auction to local farmers. The county agricultural agent informed the bankers that the cattle would be a detriment to the community. The bankers refused to finance the purchase of the cattle and the sale was abandoned. The cattle were shipped to another county. The county agent and the bankers there did as was done in the first instance and the second county escaped.

An Unneeded Industry

"A year ago creamery promoters began trying to capitalize the Kansas farmers' desire to improve his markets by inducing communities of farmers to purchase creamery plants before production and local conditions justified them. Informed of this by the State Agricultural College, the bankers association sent warnings to every bank in the state, leading many to refuse to support the creamery promoters until the college approved the plan for the community concerned. This saved many communities loss from the premature establishment of plants.

"A third way bankers can discourage unsound practices is to refuse to finance farmers who wish to pyramid their enterprises, a temptation difficult to resist. This is illustrated among farmers who buy cattle for feeding purposes. A farmer feeds two or three cars of cattle one year and makes a good profit. This induces him to buy twice or three times as many the second year, still more the third and so on until he finally loses more by having too many cattle on feed in a year of bad prices than he made in several previous years with smaller numbers and better prices. When bankers discourage bad practices their action is a positive benefit to the farmers concerned."

THE WHY of SUPERSTITIONS

By H. IRVING KING

BABY'S TOOTH

ALL old-time nurses and mothers in the rural districts were very careful when a child lost its first milk tooth that the tooth should be burned in the fire; for if it were thrown away and a dog happened to get hold of it the child would have a "dog's tooth" grow in its place when the new teeth came. Inquiry reveals this superstition to still be surprisingly common even among people who ought to know better. But its absurdity is equaled by its antiquity and our barbarian ancestors regarded it as a perfectly reasonable proposition.

It works by "contagious magic" upon the principle that what has been a part of a man retains, though dissevered from him, a magical sympathy with his person, and what happens to it will happen to him. This is especially true of teeth, the hardest and most indestructible part of a man. Young children were always regarded as being particularly susceptible to magical influences of all sorts. Therefore if a dog gnaws the cast milk tooth of a child a contagion is set up and the tooth which grows in its place is a "dog-tooth." Many an old woman can point to a "dog-toothed" neighbor as proof of this. The superstition appears to be universal and in some countries the cast milk teeth are deliberately placed where rats can get at them in the belief that if they do the child's new teeth will be as strong and sharp as the rodent's.

HEFLIN DWELLING GOING UP

Substantial progress has been made on the new six room tile residence of Tom Heflin, located on Ninth and Main. Workmen have added the roof this week to the building and the finishing touches will be added to the structure within the next month.

Advertisement for VICKS VAPORUB featuring the text "Millions More avoid dosing children's colds VICKS VAPORUB" and a small illustration of a child.

DON LYMON DECEASED

Miss Cora Rogers has received word from relatives that Don Lymon, who was a resident of the Lakewood community for some twenty years, had passed away at Long Beach, California on the 11th. Mr. Lymon went to Long Beach some two years ago. His wife and daughter, Miss Mary, and other children are living there.

SILVER CITY COURT HOLDS COURT AT CARLSBAD MON.

Judge George W. Hay of Silver City was in Carlsbad Monday hearing arguments on a demurrer in the case of the Peoples Mercantile Co., against the Farmers Cotton Finance Corporation.

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WOULD YOU BE WILLING

To return to the tallow candle, or even the kerosene lamp for lighting, and all the old awkward contrivances for housekeeping, the horse-car or a horse and buggy as your sole means of transportation?

—You would not! Ask any householder and his wife to give up their automobile and other modern appliances, and see what they say.

—Then why continue old-fashioned methods of heating and cook which are inefficient and laborous, when Gas will perform them for you? There is no excuse for operating your home in the most difficult, dirty and time-consuming way, when this great fuel is at your command.

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Pure Home Made Lard

(That's really good)

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THE CITY MARKET

PHONE 37—FREE DELIVERY

How It Started

By JEAN NEWTON

"TO MAKE THE NIGHT HIDEOUS"

WE HAVE all heard or read this phrase which is practically always associated, and correctly so, with sleep which is disturbed by the howling of those who, by their howling, boisterousness and other noises, make slumber impossible.

While this phrase seems apt enough to be modern, we owe it, in fact, to no less a person than our own Will Shakespeare, in whose work, "Hamlet," we find what is probably its earliest recorded use in the sense indicated.

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SMILES

GABBY GERTIE



"Marvelous screen pictures are produced in the open spaces—also eyestrain and goose pimples." (WNU Service.)

A Protest

"The Dayang Muda of Sarawak," a poet fresh from Europe said, "keeps open house for modern poets and painters in her beautiful apartment on the Promenade des Anglais in Nice. She's very rich, you know. She was a Palmer—the Huntley and Palmer biscuit people. "She's very rich and she's very witty, too. She said to me one day on her return from her dress-maker's:

"Women's clothes are ever so much dearer than they were in the past; yet in the past it took two sheep to make a dress, while it only takes one skin now."

Fatal Climbing Feet

The Matterhorn was first conquered on July 14, 1865, by E. Whymper's party, three members of which perished with the guide on the descent.

FILED FOR RECORD

April 7, 1931. Warranty Deeds: Pecos Valley Trust Co., to W. D. Wilburn \$450.00 L. 1, B. 83, Lowe Add. to Carlsbad. Warranty Deeds: Pecos Irrigation Co. to Southwestern Hotel Inc. Pt. NWSE 7-22-27.

April 13, 1931. In The District Court: No. 5173. In the Matter of the Correction and Adjustment of Assessments and Tax Matters of Chas. E. Gage, et als, L. 8, B. 49, Artesia Imp. Co Add to Artesia, etc.

April 14, 1931. Warranty Deeds: Teresa G. Armendariz to German Lopez \$10.00 L. 9, B. 14, Orig. Carlsbad. Nancy M. Nymeyer to T. A. Wood \$10.00 Pt. SE 1/4 SE 1/4 7-22-27 etc.

In The District Court: No. 5172 Divorce. Edith Harris vs. W. V. Harris. No. 5174 Judgment. United States Fidelity & Guaranty Co., vs. Fred S. Parks. April 16, 1931.

Deed: T. H. Flint to John J. Kuntz, et al W 1/2 25-17-25. Warranty Deeds: First National Bank Artesia to Jesse F. Cook \$100 L. 1, B. 5, Tyler Add. to Artesia. April 18, 1931. No. 5175 Divorce. Tinnie Perrin vs. Jessie Perrin.

3,000 MARK IS PASSED SALE CAR LICENSES

Eddy county is still about a thousand short on its volume of automobile licenses taken out for 1931, as compared to 1830, the check up by Collector E. V. Albritton last evening showing: Passenger cars .....2,163 Trucks ..... 599 Trailers ..... 50 Motorcycles ..... 3

Total licenses .....3,102 Mr. Albritton retains his office at the court house, and will do so as long as the conditions justify, which is a great accommodation for the people of Carlsbad and Artesia, as it saves the delay and bother of sending to Santa Fe for the plates.

Mr. Albritton is still called upon occasionally to supply New Mexico plates to motorists who had the idea that they could go over in Texas and buy cheaper plates and use them in this state, which they cannot legally do.—Cavern City Chronicle.

The shades of night were falling fast As thru the park a bootlegger passed; He carried bottles filled with gin, And all were safely packed within—Excelsior!

Adding Machines For Sale or Rent—The Advocate.

WHAT A KEY BANKER D.D. FOR HIS COUNTY

The farmers of one county in Tennessee are receiving \$400,000 additional annual income from new farm enterprises started since 1926 through the efforts of a "key banker" and the county agent, according to estimates from the Tennessee College of Agriculture. A "key banker" is a part of the state bankers' association voluntary field force cooperating with the American Bankers Association in its nation-wide plan for bringing about better agricultural conditions through combined banker-farmer effort. New projects started in this particular county are tobacco, Irish potato and cabbage production for cash crops, and dairying and poultry raising for livestock.

The key banker, looking for something to do to better his community, first attempted to procure a county agent but was unable to get the county to make the necessary appropriation, so he and other leading citizens made up the requisite funds through private subscription among farmers and business men and an agent was employed.

New Crop Ideas

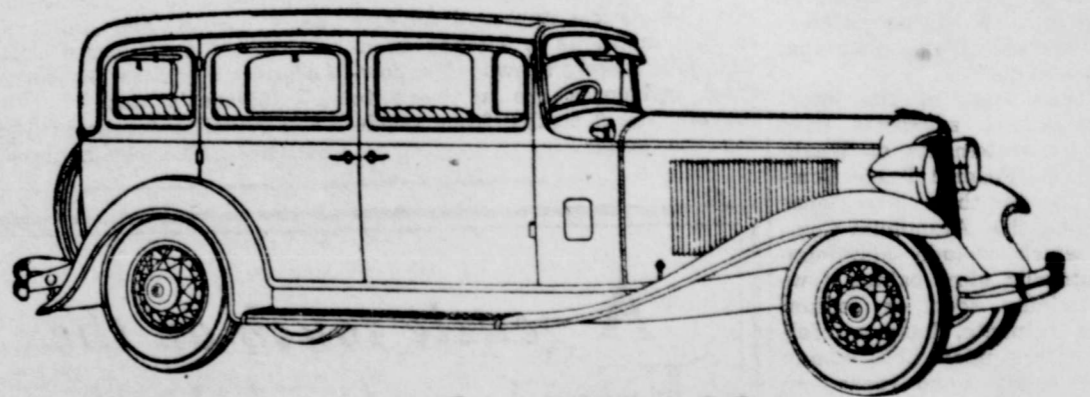
Up until 1926 grain was the principal farm production in the county. The banker recognized the disadvantages of this. It afforded a low cash income, and the land was too hilly and rough for profitable grain raising. His idea was to introduce cash crops that offered more return per acre and were better fitted to the county. It was decided that the county should standardize on the Green Mountain potato and to market it in car-load lots. Through his bank he sponsored the buying of a car of certified seed potatoes. He likewise bought some high quality tobacco seed and several hundred settings of colored eggs. These supplies were distributed at cost through the banks to the farmers.

After considerable effort a market for dairy products was assured the farmers when in 1928 a national cheese company located a factory there. A county appropriation was secured for county agent work in 1928.

In 1929 the cash crop program resulted in farmers selling \$45,000 worth of milk, \$150,000 worth of tobacco and fifty-five carloads of potatoes and cabbage, mostly through cooperative sales. "This was some step from the \$25,000 worth of cash crops in 1926," the county agent says, "and indications are that this amount will be doubled."

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Engineering is different—more advanced. The Chrysler Eights have the exclusive Multi-Range 4-speed transmission with Dual High gears and a quick, quiet gear shift. One high gear for flashing pick-up in traffic sprints—another high

gear for the open road—both internal-mesh type gears.

Performance is different—more fascinating. Only a Chrysler will give you Chrysler speed, Chrysler acceleration and Chrysler smoothness.

Chrysler performance speaks for itself. The Chrysler Imperial Eight, for instance, now holds twelve A. A. Contest Board stock car speed records for one to five miles.

Drive a Chrysler—any Chrysler—and learn for yourself the differences that make Chrysler cars so completely outstanding on the road, the masters of every situation.

CHRYSLER SIX . . . . . \$885 to \$935 CHRYSLER "70" . . . . . \$1245 to \$1295

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### ALUM. CHEMISTRY

Mrs. J. D. Bewley, wife of the late Dr. Bewley, has submitted the following article relative to the harmful effects of using aluminum cooking utensils and we are reproducing it in full:

Lawrence Bewley, who is attending University in Tulsa, Oklahoma, requested his mother to procure some literature on Aluminum Chemistry, which he desired to have in his work, for his examination on same.

For the good of suffering humanity, Mrs. Bewley is desirous of having the public know these facts. Following is a portion of a letter from a chemist doctor of science:

#### ANTI CANCER CLUB OF AMERICA

Ohio Division  
320 Superior St., Toledo, Ohio  
March 31st, 1931.

Mrs. J. D. Bewley,  
Box 536,  
Artesia, New Mexico.

My Dear Mrs. Bewley:

I have read your valued letter with much interest and pleased to note that you desire information regarding the aluminum question.

I have made a special study of this work during the last eighteen years, the first twelve principally devoted to the inimical effects due to my patients eating from cooking ware made of this metal. Much stir was caused by my first article which appeared in the "Toledo Time" of our city. That brought to light many facts concerning the investigation of scientists throughout the world, which is now being disseminated in the book called "Aluminum Poisoning."

I have spent much time and money in preparing this material for those who wish that service. This is a 250 page illustrated work for \$2.50 per copy. About forty of our foremost scientists of America gave testimony in Washington under oath pertaining to these matters and they are quoted in this book. I am sure that is what your son would appreciate more than anything else because there he would be getting the exact facts untarnished which were given when the facts were required and not opinions.

I am inclosing several re-prints which I am sure will arouse your interest in forming your opinion or decision to do something for better national health. Many are becoming real crusaders like myself after getting the facts.

If I can be of further service kindly advise.

Most sincerely yours,  
C. T. BETTS.

Dr. Betts is internationally known and is considered one of the leading scientists of the world.

Below will be found portions of some reprints, regarding aluminum compounds, which were published by the Research Publishing Company, 320 Superior St., Toledo, Ohio:

"It is an interesting coincidence at least that the head spokesman of the American Medical Association, Dr. Fishbein, made statements suggesting that there must have been some sinister motive or reason behind the writer's brochure "An Opinion Upon Aluminum" directly after it was printed for public distribution in 1926, he has continued writing syndicated articles giving the public the information that there is no harm in consuming the drug alum, as contained in alum baking powders or as dissolved from aluminum cooking utensils."

More than forty of the internationally known scientists have made sworn statements at Washington, D. C., Federal Trade Commission, as to their experience and opinions, that Aluminum Compounds, which include aluminum cooking utensils, alum baking powders, aluminum soda or sodium aluminum sulphate, have a "detrimental effect upon the human body and there is no reason to believe that a man of Dr. Fishbein's intelligence is not as familiar with the subject of aluminum poisoning as the members of his association."

"In some foreign countries it is prohibited by law to place alum in food stuffs for public distribution. No doubt can be entertained but that the scientists in various countries were called upon for his statements as were those of the United States."

"Not only is aluminum a direct corrosive agent upon living tissue of the alimentary canal; but it is said to destroy vitamins in the food, which makes them valueless or nearly so, when consumed."

Docket No. 540, Federal Trade has some very interesting testimony from noted scientists along this line.

"The man in charge of the treasury department of the United States, is one who practically owns the Aluminum Trust. The highest authority upon health matters of this country is the 'Hygienic Laboratories,' in Washington. This institution is directly under the supervision of the treasury de-

**SALE OF OIL AND GAS LEASES**, Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, Las Cruces, New Mexico. Notice is hereby given that the following described land in Eddy County, New Mexico, is offered for lease under Section 17, of the act of February 25, 1920 (41 Stat. 437), at the customary royalty schedule in the standard lease form, and subject to the following conditions: 1. Unit No. 1: T. 18-S., R. 27-E., N. M. P. M.—Sec. 8, NE¼, NE¼, NW¼—200 acres. 2. The lessee shall agree to unite with others in adopting and operating under a cooperative or unit plan of development or operation of said field whenever determined and certified by the Secretary of the Interior to be necessary or advisable in the public interest, and 3. The lessor consents that, if the oil and gas resources of said land can be recovered adequately by means of wells drilled, or to be drilled on adjacent lands, in lieu of drilling and producing wells on the leasehold, the lessee may pay a sum estimated to reimburse the United States for current loss of royalty, such sum, unless determined under a cooperative or unit plan of operation approved by the Secretary of the Interior, to be fixed monthly by the supervisor of oil and gas operations, subject to approval by the Secretary of the Interior whose decision shall be final. Said lease will be offered for sale at public auction in the United States Land Office, Las Cruces, New Mexico, at 10 o'clock A. M., on May 23, 1931 to the highest qualified bidder on the terms specified. The successful bidder must deposit on the date of sale with the officer in charge of the sale, a certified check on a solvent bank, or cash, for one-fifth of the amount bid by him and file the showing of qualifications to receive a lease required by Section 15 of the said regulations. Bidders are warned against violations of the provisions of Section 59, U. S. Criminal Code, approved March 4, 1909, prohibiting unlawful combination or intimidation of bidders. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids in the discretion of the Secretary of the Interior. V. B. MAY, Register. 18-5t

A country school board was visiting a school and the principal was putting his pupils thru their paces.

"Who signed the Magna Charta, Robert," he asked, turning to one boy.

"Please, sir, 'twasn't me," whimpered the youngster.

The teacher with disgust told him to take his seat; but an old tobacco chewing countryman on the board was not satisfied, so he said: "Call that boy back. I don't like his manner. I believe he did do it."

#### TAX NOTICE

Second-half of 1930 tax will be delinquent May 1st, after which date interest will be charged, and if not paid by November 1st, an extra penalty of ten per cent will be added on that date. 18-3tc

partment. Can we hope as American citizens to have our health protected from such a source, if the subject under examination is aluminum? Can we expect to get our legislators to act for public welfare under a condition whereby the aluminum genius of the world is in the president's cabinet and most likely his chief advisor?"

"The managing editor of the 'Toledo Times' of Toledo, Ohio, lost his position with this great paper within twenty-four hours after an article appeared adverse to this metal as a kitchen utensil. This merely shows what powerful influences are at work to prevent these truths from reaching the public."

### Why Boys Leave Home

BY JOE ARCHIBALD



#### HOPE ITEMS

(J. W. Reed)

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Reed were Roswell visitors Saturday.

Rev. John Kassen brought his wife home from El Paso this week.

The Hope schools will close four weeks from now. The teachers have recently enjoyed a week's vacation.

Farmers are jubilant over the rains and ranges are greening. Most everybody in these parts have been busy planting crops.

J. H. Bridgeman has recently returned from Denver, Colorado, where he went for medical attention. Mr. Bridgeman reports rains along the entire route home.

Oscar Presse is visiting with his brother-in-law, Oliver Allen a few days while en route from Odessa, Texas to the Sacramento mountains.

#### BARN BURNS

Lightning struck the big hay

#### TIRES STOLEN

Officers are on the lookout for two new tires stolen from two different automobiles on Monday night, but so far have been able to find no trace of the missing tires. A new tire was removed from the spare rack of J. L. Bentley's auto and one from the car of Fletcher Owen.

My wife says if I don't give up golf she'll leave me. Hard luck, old chap. Yes, I'll sure miss her.

Calling Cards, 100 for \$1.75, on best grade paneled or plain stock. —The Advocate.

burn of Henry Russell during an electrical storm last week and ignited the building, which was a total loss. About 700 tons of hay was also lost with no insurance.

#### Sore Bleeding Gums

Only one bottle LETO'S PYORRHEA REMEDY is needed to convince anyone. No matter how bad your case, get a bottle, use as directed, and if you are not satisfied druggists will return your money. Mann Drug Co.

## How One Woman Lost 20 Pounds of Fat

Lost Her Double Chin  
Lost Her Prominent Hips  
Lost Her Sluggishness  
Gained Physical Vigor  
Gained In Vivaciousness  
Gained a Shapely Figure.

If you're fat—remove the cause! KRUSCHEN SALTS contain the six mineral salts your body organs, glands and nerves should have to function properly.

When your vital organs fail to perform their work correctly—your bowels and kidneys can't throw off that waste material—before you realize it—you're growing hideously fat!

Take half a teaspoonful of KRUSCHEN SALTS in a glass of hot

water every morning—cut out pastry and fatty meats—go light on potatoes, butter, cream and sugar—in 3 weeks get on the scales and note how many pounds of fat have vanished.

Notice also that you have gained in energy—your skin is clearer—your eyes sparkle with glorious health—you feel younger in body—keener in mind. KRUSCHEN will give any fat person a joyous surprise.

Get an 85c bottle of KRUSCHEN SALTS at McAdoo Drug Co., Mann Drug Store or Palace Drug Store, (lasts 4 weeks). If this first bottle doesn't convince you this is the easiest, safest and surest way to lose fat—if you don't feel a superb improvement in health—so gloriously energetic—vigorously alive—your money gladly returned.

A gentle touch on the Frigidaire Quickube Tray and out pop eager ice cubes!

The Quickube Ice Tray which releases ice cubes instantly and without effort is one of the many outstanding advantages of Frigidaire Advanced Refrigeration. There are many others. It is these major improvements, developed by Frigidaire, that have made household refrigeration so healthful, convenient and economical.

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### MARTIN HEADS SANTA BARBARA ROTARY CLUB

News comes from Santa Barbara, California that G. A. Martin, who was district governor of this rotary district in 1923-24 and organized the Rotary club in this city at the time, has just been elected president of the Santa Barbara Rotary club.

It is said to be the only instance on record where a man, after becoming a district governor, again served as president of a club.

Martin left El Paso and the southwest in 1924 and has been in Santa Barbara since 1925, where he is managing editor of The Morning Press, the oldest newspaper in Southern California.

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# PERSHING SPEAKS



## My Experience in the World War

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Commander-in-Chief of the American Expeditionary Force

The first true and complete account of America's participation by the man who directed it.

Great Story which will be available to readers of the

# Artesia Advocate



SNAPS

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...ative task of the ... per editor to-day ... discussion of the ... adjusting the in- ... or recovery from ... der. Members of ... society of News- ... who met at the ... club for a three- ... were assured by ... that "there is no ... other than the ... for the adequate ... national problem. ... newspapers of the ... united against any ... the British "dole" ... United States was ... opening session. ... declared that con- ... pression call for ... a demonstration ... patriotism on the ... rs. "This period ... ll pass, he said, ... again. It will ... y, therefore, to ... A feature of ... was an informal ... e White House ... were received ... ver in a round- ... characterized as ... and ever held, and ... r informally ex- ... a variety of top- ... of the Society. ...

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... of Milk sup- ... value of 8 eggs, ... beef steak and ... chicken? If ... old budget has ... increased use ... ilk creates an ... opportunity to ... and improve the ... ry and at the ... ou will be help- ... institution. ...

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tistical point of view," Mr. Babson told newspapermen.

The business depression has been the worst and most far-reaching in the history of the world, James C. Stone, chairman of the Federal Farm Board, declared in an appeal to cotton and tobacco growers of the south to make drastic reductions in acreage in order to save themselves from financial ruin. "In the past twenty months," Mr. Stone said, "industrial activity has declined fully 40 percent, with its consequent increase in unemployment. As has always happened in periods of depression, the demand for cotton has been greatly reduced and prices have declined sharply."

There is no doubt that at this moment Governor Roosevelt is in the lead for the 1932 democratic nomination. But at this period in 1923 ex-secretary Wm. G. McAdoo was similarly in the lead for the democratic nomination for president in 1924. A similar poll of the delegates of 1920 would probably have given Mr. McAdoo as much advantage as Mr. Strauss gives Mr. Roosevelt. But Mr. McAdoo was not nominated. He had at one time in the 1924 convention 530 votes, almost a majority, but he never got near the two-thirds vote necessary to nominate.

It is interesting to note that the fallacious proposals for federal old-age pensions or insurance receive no support from William Green, president of the American Federation of Labor. At the recent meeting of the American Association for old age security he did speak for and pledged the resources of the federation to aid the efforts being made to secure relief for the aged—but state aid, not national. It is a healthful sign in the midst of much clamoring to let Uncle Sam do it, that the Federation of Labor realizes there are some functions and duties that still must remain with the states. This country is not ready to repeat the disastrous experiences of other nations with federal doles and general pensions.

CHEVROLET COACH STOLEN

A 1928 Chevrolet coach, belonging to Russell Rogers was stolen Sunday night while parked in front of the Majestic theatre. The car was left unlocked. Officers at first believed that the theft might have been the work of some local boys and that the car would be recovered near town, but it appears that the thieves have taken the car on a long journey and appeals to officers in the surrounding counties have been of little avail.

Woodstock Typewriters for sale at The Advocate.

Things WORTH KNOWING

Do not sow soybeans too deep. Poor stands of this crop often result from seeding too deep, especially with the large-seeded varieties.

Unwisely or old buildings on the farm may sometimes be covered in a single season and made attractive by planting Kudzu vine, scarlet runner bean, or other climbers. Clematis paniculata is excellent for covering fences or other low objects.

Do not plant potato "runts" for seed, says the U. S. Department of Agriculture. Tests show that potatoes less than 1 ounce in weight do not give as large a yield as those weighing from 2 to 5 ounces, even if the latter are halved or quartered and the former planted whole.

"One year's seeding makes seven years' weeding." Weed plants produce from a hundred to several thousand seeds to a plant. Some weeds such as wild carrot, burdock and sowthistle, may produce 20,000 or more seeds on one plant. Control weeds by preventing the ripening of seeds, by preventing the introduction of weed seeds on the farm and by preventing perennial weeds from making top growth.

Dairy cows should have all the salt they want. Ordinary cows in milk need about one ounce a day. Heavy producers should get more. Many dairymen mix salt with the grain mixture, using from 1 to 2 pounds of salt to each 100 pounds of concentrates and also keep additional salt where the cows have access to it. Salt in cake form may be kept in each feed box in the barn, or placed in convenient places in the lot or pasture. Put it in a sheltered place to prevent rain from dissolving it.

Good green range is invaluable for the poultry flock. Allow from 220 to 260 square feet of land per bird if the soil is fertile. The chicks will need more space on poor grass-land. Poultrymen often keep many more fowls on sandy soil by using double yards and cultivating the land frequently. A desirable arrangement—especially where green feed can be grown throughout the year—is to have three yards of equal size for each poultry house, one

in front and two in back, the rear yards extending beyond the house. The birds may be alternated from yard to yard and a green crop grown in the vacant one.

COALSON'S MOTHER DEAD

Word was received in Carlsbad Friday of the death of Ossia Coalson's mother, which occurred at the family home in Brownwood, Texas, Thursday evening. Mrs. Coalson was 86 years of age and had been ill several months. Mr. Coalson was called to the bedside of his mother several days previous to her death.

The Coalsons are well known here. Mr. Coalson served as manager of the Peoples Mercantile Co., dry goods store for some three years.

ORGANIZATION OF A BASEBALL CLUB IN THE VALLEY DEFERRED

A meeting of the various valley towns, called by Eddie Crozier, manager of the Artesia Oilers, for the purpose of forming a Pecos Valley baseball league has resulted in deferring the organization. Representatives from Roswell and Hagerman met with Artesia in the Artesia Auto Co., office Monday night, but little was accomplished and another meeting has been called for the latter part of the week here, at which time it is hoped to have more representatives present. Roswell, Hagerman, Lovington, Carlsbad, Artesia and Ft. Stanton are among the prospective teams for the league.

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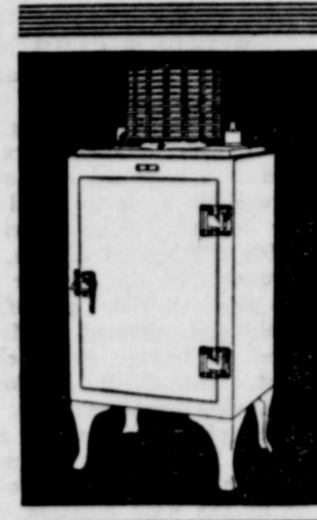
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**ROTARIANS HEAR HOW PREVENT SPREAD OF COMMON DISEASES**

Dr. O. E. Puckett, county health officer of Carlsbad was the principal speaker at Tuesday's luncheon of the Artesia Rotary club and discussed briefly some communicable diseases common to this section of the country.

There is little danger of an outbreak of small pox in our schools because all but two pupils have been vaccinated, he said. There are a few cases of whooping cough in the community, but this situation can be controlled if parents will prevent contacts with other children.

The most common communicable diseases and those which are the least thought of are the two forms of venereal disease, gonorrhea and syphilis. One million cases were reported to the health department last year in the United States. Forty new cases were reported in Eddy county recently in one month. Under the law a physician attending a venereal patient is required to report the case to the county health officer, the report is made, however, by number only. There are a number of ways which this venereal disease affects the human race, the most common is blindness among the new born babies.

Dr. Puckett also called attention to Mothers' Day, May 10th and its proper celebration. In this connection he touched on the high mortality rate among mothers in giving birth to a child. Sixteen thousand mothers died from child birth in the United States last year. The United States has the highest mortality rate from child birth of twenty-two civilized nations. One of the best ways to prevent a fatality is for the mother to get attention of a physician early.

Dr. Russell also touched on the subject of venereal diseases in a short talk.

George Frisch was elected as a delegate from the local club to the district convention of the Rotary clubs, at El Paso, April 30th and May 1.

Visitors at Tuesday's luncheon included J. R. Ogden of Carlsbad and Kenneth Oliver of El Paso.

**PECOS VALLEY ORCHESTRA**

The Pecos Valley Orchestra, that splendid organization of valley musicians, under the direction of Prof. Harp, with Mrs. Harp accompanist and Miss Doris Deter as violinist, gave a concert in the Central auditorium Tuesday morning. The concert was of a high order and was thoroughly appreciated by the audience, composed of people from Roswell, Carlsbad and other valley towns, as well as local citizens. The value of such an organization in the valley can scarcely be estimated, and the leaders are to be congratulated upon the splendid results they have achieved.

Col. A. T. Woods returned from San Antonio, Texas Thursday, coming by train to Clovis, from where he made the trip nicely overland to Artesia. Col. Woods is rapidly recovering from the effects of an appendicitis operation.

**WOMEN'S CLUB**  
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There were the talks by the state president, Mrs. Charles, Mrs. Ruff and Mrs. Atwood of Roswell, vice-president at large, and Mrs. H. B. Jones of Tucuman and Mrs. Ida Finley of Clovis, who gave reports of the Denver biennial. The election of officers was held and resulted in Mrs. E. C. Reed of Dexter being chosen president, Mrs. C. E. Blocker of Artesia, vice-president; Mrs. Donald Gillespie of Roswell, secretary and Mrs. J. W. Crume of Elida, treasurer. Clovis was selected as the next meeting place.

The final event of the convention occurred at the Central auditorium Saturday evening, when P. A. Smoll, superintendent of the Blind School at Alamogordo, gave his beautifully illustrated lecture, "Notes From a Nature Lover's Notebook." Nature study is a hobby of Mr. Smoll, who has been with the National Park Service a number of years and the lecture shows what good use he has made of his opportunity to study plant and animal life in its natural state. The audience was surprised at the interest and the beauty inherent in the many common things about them and especially at the richness of the plant resources of our own state, which has twenty varieties of evergreen trees as against Colorado's thirteen. The lecture was highly educational and very much worthwhile.

**SENIOR CLASS DAY**

The Senior class, with Miss Ruth Morgan and George Wilkins faculty members, as chaperones, celebrated Senior Day at Black River Village Tuesday. The weather was fine and the class members had a splendid outing, boating, swimming and hiking. A steak fry furnished the noon meal and the party went up the river to the falls, where they enjoyed a regular picnic supper. Members who went on the outing were Virginia Goodell, Mable Champion, Ruth Graham, Marylynne Haley, Alma Pearson, Wymona Phillips, Mark Caraway, Donald Burch, Britton Coll, Don Cowan, Wallace Gates, Lawrence Goodell, Croyle Heard, Wayne Hornbaker, Delbert Jones, Herman Dick Jones, Allen Perry, T. J. Pollard, Ila Walker, Turner Smith, Richard Wheatley, Woodrow Wilson, Lawrence Clarke and Harry Woodman.

This morning the regular class day exercises were held in the auditorium. Laurence Clarke presided and announced the program. Wayne Hornbaker, president, presented the trophy case to the school and T. C. Bird, principal, accepted on behalf of the school. Ila Walker gave the class history; Wallace Gates delivered the will; T. J. Pollard, gave the prophecy and Mary Jackson, as girtorian, presented the gifts to the faculty and the class. There were quite a number of visitors, despite the rainy weather.

**PROFESSIONAL MEN'S GOLF TOURNAMENT**

Full details are now available relative to the professional men's golf tournament to be completed by May 31st, on the course of the Artesia golf club. Winning teams will have the highest percentage after five or more matches have been played. Practically all classes of professional men have entered except those classed as extra-skilled such as hijackers, bootleggers and bank robbers.

If you are a professional man and can rake up a team, see the tournament committee composed of Willis Morgan, T. C. Bird and Ray Bartlett.

The following teams have entered:

- Bankers: Bill Linell and Landis feather.
- Teachers: T. C. Bird and J. C. Bruce.
- Oil Men: Hugh Burch and Jim Berry.
- Oil Producers: Van Welch, Jr., and Wendell Welch.
- Engineers: Bill Cheney and Dick Gardner.
- Financiers: J. S. Ward and B. E. Spencer.
- Pen Pushers: C. E. Bildstone and Willis Morgan.
- Salesmen: Jim Bates and E. N. Bigler.
- Chauffeurs: Ray Bartlett and Joe Clayton.
- Wind Jammers: Mark Corbin and C. Bert Smith.

The last named team is expected to talk the opposition out of several holes.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Streeter of Dayton left last week to make their home in Lusk, Wyoming. Mr. Streeter was formerly employed by the Illinois Pipe Line Co. Mrs. Streeter is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Ramuz of Dayton.

**LAKE ARTHUR ITEMS**  
Miss Ella Ohlenbusch, Reporter

A. V. Flowers motored to Tatum on business Tuesday.

Misses Ruby Smith and May Brewer motored to Artesia Saturday.

E. C. Jackson has been attending the grand jury at Roswell this week.

Supt. C. E. Bernard and wife were transacting business in Artesia Saturday.

Miss Gerdie Moots has been confined to her bed for several days with the flu.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lane and Rev. Slade were business callers in Roswell Tuesday.

The farmers are all rejoicing over the nice rain that fell here Thursday and Friday.

Misses May Brewer, Ruby and Minnie Lee Smith spent Sunday in Artesia on business.

W. R. Adkins of Plainview, Texas accompanied by two friends were here Sunday on business.

Miss Ruby Waldrip of Cottonwood spent Tuesday night with her friend Minnie Lee Smith.

Miss Alma Lane who has been teaching school near Tatum returned home Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. W. W. Weston was entertained with a dinner at the home of Mrs. Clyde Nihart Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Roberts had as their guest the first of the week, their son-in-law, J. E. Brazael from Rincon, this state.

Rev. Slade held his regular monthly appointment at the Methodist church Sunday, with a large attendance and a good program.

Mr. A. J. Thomson, a member of the Southwestern Irrigation Cotton Growers Association was here Thursday, Friday and Saturday on business.

The 4-H club members will meet at the home of Mrs. B. C. Moots Friday evening, May 1, at 2:00 o'clock to re-organize. All those who are interested in this work are invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Spence, Rev. T. F. Thomason and Mr. Jacobs of Cottonwood were transacting business in Roswell Monday. While there Mr. and Mrs. Spence visited their daughter, Mrs. J. D. Smith.

The B. Y. P. U. met at seven o'clock last Sunday with a well arranged program. After the program new members were enrolled, including Vick Walden, Herbert Newton, Ernest Mahan and Rupert Pate.

We are glad to note that the ladies of this community are interested in their club work. Twenty-seven ladies brought presents last meeting, which was held at the home of Mrs. R. Hams. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. W. L. Bradley.

**500 TRACKSTERS ARE EXPECTED FOR MEET**

ROSSELL — More than 500 track stars from 14 New Mexico high schools will be in Roswell April 25th for the annual invitational track and field meet under sponsorship of the New Mexico Military Institute. In connection with the interscholastic meet at Roswell, the University of New Mexico and the Institute will meet in dual swimming and boxing contests.

at Thomas' Mill. The picnickers returned in the early evening all reporting they had an enjoyable time.

**KOB STATION MEN HERE CHECKING THE RADIO RECEPTION**

G. S. Northcutt, manager and R. W. Collier, advertising manager of the KOB radio station at El Paso, were in Artesia Thursday checking the station reception in this section. KOB is owned and operated by the State College at Las Cruces and is one of the most powerful radio stations in the southwest and plans have been made to increase the power of the station as soon as practical. Daily programs are broadcasted from 7:00 to 9:00 a. m., 12:00 m. to 1:00 p. m. and 5:00 to 9:00 p. m.

**LOCALS**

S. W. Hale returned Friday from a visit with his family at San Antonio, Texas. Driving thru in his auto, Mr. Hale encountered some rain, but was fortunate enough to escape the greater part of the heavy rains, which fell over Texas, the latter part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McCarty of Clyde and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Eldringhoff and Miss Wilma McCarty of Beloit, Kansas, who have been visiting at the Harry Goodell home departed Monday morning for their homes going by way of Raton, N. M. and Trinidad, Colorado.

Mrs. Lewis Lutz and children and her brother, Robert LaDue, who have been visiting their sister, Mrs. Chester Russell and brother-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. Chester Russell, left Monday morning for McFadden, Colorado, where Mrs. Lutz' husband is pastor of a Presbyterian church.

Junior Gilbert, the small son of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Gilbert, has returned home from a two weeks' visit with his grandmother, Mrs. Ethel James, and his uncle, Edgar Williamson and wife, in El Paso. The Williamsons took the little fellow home with them after their visit here.

Mrs. John Shearman and two sons, Junior and Lee, spent last Friday and Saturday at Roswell where the boys attended the jamboree of the eastern area of the Boy Scouts. Mrs. Shearman visited her mother-in-law, Mrs. John Shearman, Sr., and Miss Grace Shearman while there.

Mrs. E. N. Bigler is in Albuquerque, where she is visiting her mother, Mrs. Edward Spitz and daughter, Miss Ruth, a student at the University. She is also representing St. Paul's Episcopal church at the state convention, which began Tuesday and continues thru tomorrow.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Moorhead at the Eddy county hospital, Tuesday morning, a son. Mr. Moorhead is superintendent of the Tatum schools and Mrs. Moorhead is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Wilson of the Cottonwood. The new arrival has been christened, John Franklin.

Rev. Dew, pastor of the Baptist church, left Monday morning for the Texas Panhandle, where he is delivering lectures at Baptist churches in the vicinity of Amarillo on the "Second Coming of Christ." He expects to return tomorrow. Mrs. Donham, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Cecil House, for several months, went with him as far as her home in Clovis.

The Legion Auxiliary in its effort to raise money for the forthcoming state convention have hit upon some clever plans. The latest is a sample supper, in which the "ets" are to be samples donated by different manufacturing firms and a social touch will be given to the supper, which will be held next Thursday evening in the Schuster building, by the souvenirs, which will be little sacks of flour donated by flour manufacturing firms.

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