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Mexico Crude Is Cut 10 Cents Barrel

Oil Now Buys Cigar—Proration At Hobbs Extends For Another Six Months Period.

Operators who thought that the bottom had been reached in the New Mexico crude market, are finding out that there is no bottom. A new posted price of \$1.25 per barrel was announced yesterday at 7:00 a. m. and it affects both the Hobbs and the present price means a loss of \$5,000,000 per day for operators of this section, on the basis of the 40,000 barrels a day. It is a loss of \$150,000 per day for operators alone, the price being based on the price of the Continental Reserve. The lowest in the history of the field is said to be of east Texas operators, who at that time were selling at \$1.125 per barrel.

Proration Extended

The Hobbs proration for another six months has been approved by Commissioner James H. Ragsdale. The present agreement of July 10th and represents all oil companies unanimous in requesting that it be renewed, it was un-

Shut In Field

The market, however, may be affected by developments in the area, according to opinion expressed here yesterday. Men will not be surprised to say, if orders are re-issued in operations in practice of the southeastern proration. The market is quiet. The state No. 1 of drilling Co. Lea county, is drilling below 3,150 feet. The other Lea county, the Conrad and Cul- State No. 1 sec. 22-18-34 is below 3,125 feet. In any, J. O. Hammond and reported waiting to set their Gillet No. 1, sec.

Worth Star Telegram

Production during the month of July in the Hobbs area, is to be 35,000 barrels daily, according to the schedule issued by the state. The area is producing 144 wells in the pool having average production of 1,156,834 barrels of field potential of well 100,000 barrels daily. (Continued on last page, column 3)

COUNTY TAX APPROVED 2 EXCEPTIONS

The tax budget of Eddy county has been approved by the commission with two exceptions. The allowance for county officers is \$2,200,000 and \$2,750,000 to \$2,200,000 and has been sliced from the county. The county ended the fiscal year on June 30th, and the fact that tax payments have been slower than last year, Mr. Mann reports, is about 75 per cent payment during the month. At the meeting of the county commissioners were paid except a few bills.

Ball Team To Be Here Sunday

Artesia Oilers will meet at the Brainerd park at 2 p. m. for the second game of the season between the Oilers and the Oilers. It will be recalled that the Oilers defeated the Oilers six weeks ago by a score of 21.

YOUNG SON OF MRS. McCLELLAN DROWNS IN WATER RESERVOIR

Little Bobbie McClelland, nine-months old son of Mrs. Rebekah McClelland, a resident of the Cottonwood community, was accidentally drowned in a concrete water reservoir at an early hour Friday morning. While complete details as to how the tragedy occurred are lacking as this is written, it seems that the lad walked upon the reservoir from a plank and accidentally fell into the reservoir. It was said that two other children were playing near the scene of the accident, but were not old enough to realize just what had occurred. They returned to the house to report that Bobbie was swimming in the reservoir. The child had only been out of the house a few minutes when found floating on the water. All efforts to resuscitate him failed.

Funeral services were held at the graveside Friday afternoon in the Woodbine cemetery, Rev. J. F. Dew, pastor of the Baptist church officiating.

Mrs. McClelland makes her home with her father, J. M. Cantrell, who lives on the Hartel farm in the Lower Cottonwood community.

COTTON MARKET HITS SLUMP AS NATION'S ACREAGE ANNOUNCED

The first government estimate of the nation's cotton acreage sent the cotton market scurrying down, although later rallies were made. The 1931 estimate 41,491,000 acres is actually less than any estimate made in the past four years and is 9.4 per cent less than the 1930 acreage. The New York December market opened at 10.06 after the estimate was made known and dropped to 9.99c at the second call.

The acreage estimates including 1927 follow:

1927	42,700,000
1928	46,996,000
1929	48,427,000
1930	45,815,000
1931	41,491,000

The area in cultivation July 1 and the 10-year average abandonment by states include:

Texas	16,126,000	3.8%
N. Mex.	121,000	9.9%
Arizona	178,000	1.4%

SPENT 4th AT CARLSBAD

A large number of Artesia people spent the 4th of July at Carlsbad; witnessed the fire works display and a score or more of the younger set attended the dance. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Ragsdale and daughter, Miss Katherine, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Jones and son; Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Blocker, Mrs. J. J. Clarke, Miss Catherine Clarke, Lewis Walker, Laurence Clarke, Miss Ruth French, Thelbert French, Harry Woodman, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jernigan, Melvin Jernigan, Miss Sue Flint, Miss Virginia Goodell, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hamann, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Clady, Boone Barnett, Tom Spivey, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Woodman, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Compton, Miss Louise Compton, Stuart Compton, Miss Frances Eaton, Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Buford, Miss Margaret Phillips, Edward Shockley, Miss Alice Ruth Williams of Hope and many others whose names it was impossible to secure.

LAST OF WOOL LOADED OUT

The last of the annual wool clip shipped from Artesia was loaded out yesterday. The wool amounting to 16,255 pounds, was shipped direct to Boston, Massachusetts. G. C. Salter, the buyer, bought enough wool from Roswell to finish out the car. The last remnant of wool brought the total amount of wool handled by the Bullock warehouse to over 600,000 pounds.

SOUTHERN CLUB UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT

Mmes. Frank Miller and Bertha Saunders have recently taken over the Southern Club Cafe and are serving delicious home cooked meals. The new managers have prepared a special Sunday dinner, which should appeal to the folks who want to get away from home Sunday. See the announcement of the Southern Club appearing in this issue.

MILLION ACRES IN NEW MEXICO HAS BEEN WITHDRAWN

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Secretary Wilbur ordered the withdrawal from entry of about 1,000,000 acres of public land in northwestern New Mexico and eastern Arizona, adjoining the Navajo Indian Reservation.

THE EDDY TOURIST CAMPS ARE CLEAN SAYS DR. PUCKETT

Dr. O. E. Puckett, county health officer, who finished the inspection of the tourist camps here Tuesday has completed the examination of all tourist camps in the county except the one near the Caverns and states that he found all camps in excellent sanitary condition.

Dr. Puckett also cautions against drinking milk from cows that have not undergone the tuberculin test. All licensed dairies have undergone the required tests and have been pronounced free from danger.

WELCH ATTENDS OIL MEETING IN AMARILLO

The Oil States Advisory Committee Meets Tues. To Discuss Problems.

Seven members of the oil states advisory committee, including Chairman Cicero Murray of Oklahoma met in closed session at Amarillo, Texas Tuesday.

Chairman Murray said the "general oil situation," would be discussed. Besides the chairman, those attending were Marvin Lee, Wichita, Kansas, representing Thurman Hill of the Kansas public service commission; Walter M. Downing, Denver, Colorado; W. Scott Heywood, Jennings, Louisiana; Van S. Welch, Artesia, New Mexico and Carl M. Cox, public land commissioner, Cheyenne, Wyoming.

Mr. Welch left to attend the Amarillo meeting Monday night and expects to go east on a business trip before returning home.

Proration of the east Texas field is still a big problem before the committee Murray said. He predicted that the price of crude would go up in ten days if Governor Sterling would call a special session of the legislature to curtail production in the field and that the present price of crude would be a dollar a barrel if the east Texas field had been properly handled.

SINCLAIR SPEAKS TO ARTESIA ROTARIANS

The Artesia Rotary club began its new year Tuesday with the new president, George Frisch in the chair. The program for the day was in charge of Boone Barnett, chairman of the program committee. Rev. J. P. Sinclair, pastor of the First Presbyterian church was the principal speaker of the day and gave an interesting comparison of how Scotland and the United States gained their independence.

CONSTRUCTION ON MALCO REFINERY IS STARTED YESTERDAY

The site of the new plant of the Malco Refineries, Inc., presented a busy scene yesterday morning when about twenty-five to thirty workmen gathered to start construction of the plant. Materials are arriving as needed according to M. E. Baish, superintendent and the construction will be continued without interruption unless some unforeseen difficulty occurs.

BIG INDIAN DISTURBS QUIET 4th HERE

1200 ACRES SIGNED UP FOR EXPERIMENT

Some 1,200 acres have been signed up by the Alfalfa Association for the control of the cotton boll worm and leaf worm, according to W. R. Hornbaker, manager. It has been proposed that 3,000 acres of cotton be secured as an experiment and import a parasite known as the tricogramma minutum, said to destroy the eggs of the cotton eating insects. It was first thought that 3,000 acres would have to be secured in this vicinity, but later it was learned that the 3,000 acre limit applied to the entire county. About 1,000 acres have been signed up on the Carlsbad project it was understood.

COTTON GROWING RAPIDLY

Cotton continues to show a rapid growth and its growth is described as being on par with the corresponding period of last year. Practically all of the crop is now in bloom and number of bolls have appeared in the earlier fields. Black aphid has not done extensive damage as yet, but some damage has been done by the boll worm and some farmers may spray as result of the ravages of the worm. Farmers do not anticipate that the worm will make serious inroads on the cotton unless wet weather sets in.

J. H. BAIRD PASSES AWAY THURS. AFTER A LINGERING ILLNESS

Body Shipped To Houston For Burial—Had Lived In Artesia Since Days Of Early Oil Development.

J. H. Baird, 41, passed away at his home in the oil field Thursday at midnight, following an extended illness. Altho friends and relatives had given up hope for Mr. Baird's recovery, his death which followed a hemorrhage of the lungs was a distinct shock.

Mr. Baird came to Artesia in 1925 as agent of the Pueblo Oil Co. About a month previous to his arrival here he suffered a bruised chest and crushed lung in an auto accident. The accident inflicted permanent injury to Mr. Baird from which he never recovered, altho he was sent to the Artesia territory from the Houston office of the Pueblo Oil Co. with the hope that he might regain his health.

Mr. Baird was a native of Scotland and landed in Canada twenty-five years ago, later coming to Texas where he became interested in the oil industry. Notwithstanding the fact that Mr. Baird was not privileged to enjoy good health during his residence here he was always cheerful and his attitude in times of adversity made for him many friends.

The deceased leaves to mourn his loss, a widow, Mrs. Pansy Baird, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Baird of Houston, Texas; four sisters, Mrs. J. L. Evans, Mrs. Herbert Murch and Miss Molly Baird, all of Houston, Texas; Mrs. Tom Frisby of London, England; four brothers, James Baird of Singapore, Federated Malay States, N. M. Baird of Artesia, Dunbar and Murray Baird of Houston, Texas. The body was shipped to Houston for burial on the north bound passenger, Friday afternoon.

CONSERVANCY DIST. PETITIONS READY TO BE FILED WITH COURT

Petitions asking for the formation of a conservancy district in the Artesia basin of the Pecos valley have been signed by the required number of property owners and are now ready to be filed with the district court according to information from Roswell the first of the week. Both the city governments of Artesia and Roswell have approved the conservancy plan and the petitions have been accompanied by a bond signed by a number of Roswell citizens, guaranteeing the court cost. A hearing will be ordered by the court on the proposed petition soon it was said.

Those who are sponsoring the proposed district want the plan approved in time for it to be included in next year's tax budget.

BRAINARD RESIGNS AS PRESIDENT C. OF C.

At the last regular directors meeting of the Chamber of Commerce Fred Brainard, who has been acting manager of the organization since the resignation of L. N. Kremer, tendered his resignation as president of the chamber. In resigning as president Mr. Brainard stated that he had decided that such a move would reflect favorably on the Chamber of Commerce activities since he had been serving the body in a dual capacity for several weeks and did not wish to leave the impression with the public that he was trying to take the entire affairs of the organization in his own hands.

Mark Corbin who has served as vice-president was made president and the office of vice-president was left vacant for the present, but a vice-president will likely be selected at the next directors meeting.

TWO MEN JAILED AFTER A PINON MAN IS STABBED FRIDAY

R. T. Callison of Pinon was painfully injured Friday evening at Pinon as result of an altercation with two other men, it was reported here. Callison received a stab in the arm near the elbow from a knife the blade of which came near proving serious. Callison was rushed here for medical treatment and at the last report was resting well. Two other men, whose names we did not learn were jailed at Alamogordo as result of the fracas.

THE BAPTIST REVIVAL CLOSING LAST SUNDAY

Nine Are Baptized—The Bible Lectures To Be Continued This Week.

The revival meeting, which was conducted at the First Baptist church during the past two weeks, closed with baptismal services last Sunday evening. Eight candidates for baptism were received into the church at this service, making a total of twenty-two additions to the local church, during the series of meetings.

Rev. John W. Williams, state evangelist for New Mexico Baptists left Sunday for Albuquerque, where he has been elected state Sunday school secretary of New Mexico Baptists.

Large crowds heard Rev. Williams at all services, when he preached from the Bible, giving Biblical proofs for his fearless attack on present day activities and corruption of leaders, which characterized his pastorate at Hot Springs, New Mexico. Rev. Williams will be remembered by many readers of the newspapers as the man who led the attack against the city officials and law enforcement officers there last year, which gained statewide publicity.

Mrs. Chester O'Brian, of the First Baptist Church of Ft. Worth, Texas has been conducting a Bible class at the Baptist church each morning for the past ten days. So many interested persons desired the classes to continue that Mrs. O'Brian consented to conduct this class during the present week. The book of Revelations is being studied each evening at 7:45 at the First Baptist church with a class of over one hundred present. Members of all denominations are attending these classes.

NURSES' MEETING

The regular meeting of District No. 5, New Mexico State Nurses Association will meet at the Crawford hotel in Carlsbad July 10th.

CONSTRUCTION ON THE FOREST SERVICE ROAD PROGRESSING

Substantial progress has been made on the forest service road between Mayhill and Elk. More than thirty-five per cent of the grade has been constructed and the blasting work which has been underway since the start of the project will soon be completed. The entire roadway, however, will not be ready for travel before next fall.

WILLIAM MCAODO WAS UP FROM HIS HOME IN CARLSBAD YESTERDAY LOOKING AFTER BUSINESS MATTERS.

J.S. WATTS SERIOUSLY INJURED IN AN AUTO ACCIDENT FRIDAY P.M.

J. L. Watts, laborer and painter sustained serious injuries in a mysterious auto accident which occurred on the highway two miles south of town Friday evening. A passing motorist observed Mr. Watts lying by the side of the oiled road near a wrecked car and thought that he was dead. Rushing into town the motorist told E. V. Eubank at the McAdoo Drug Co., he had found a man lying beside of the road apparently dead. Mr. Eubank with Ike Ogg left immediately for the scene of the accident and found Mr. Watts lying on the oiled road unconscious and suffering from a badly lacerated hand, a bruised chest and other internal injuries.

Mr. Watts was given first aid here and at the last report was slowly improving. The unfortunate man has not been able to tell just how the accident occurred, altho it is surmised that he was blinded by a light and accidentally overturned while trying to right his car, a model T Ford. He lost the power of speech and has been able to talk but little since he was found in an unconscious condition.

CREDITOR NATIONS TO ACCEPT THE HOOVER PLAN OF SETTLEMENT

WASHINGTON, D. C.—America's plan to help the world by helping Germany has been accepted at last by all the important creditor nations.

Obviously relieved, President Hoover smilingly announced the agreement in principle Monday for a year's moratorium of intergovernmental debts springing from the world war.

France accepted finally to the United States contentions of what major points had to be respected. Reminding that the terms are subject to the approval of the other interested powers, the president said that under these—while certain payments are to be made by Germany for reparations account—the substance of his proposal "is retained as the sums so paid are immediately re-loaned to Germany."

The exact text of the Franco-American accord was not made public here.

The agreement was one in principle, with an understanding that the details would be worked out by financial and technical experts.

Solution of details involved in the complexities of the situation will take many weeks, but the president remarked the moratorium was already "in effect morally as of the first of July."

The settlement contemplates a continued payment of Germany during the moratorium year of her unconditional annuities under the Young plan. These sums in turn will be loaned to the German railway, which may re-loan them to the Reich for budgetary uses.

Conditional annuities will be suspended. France, meanwhile, will not be obligated to cover the suspended annuities by depositing a guarantee fund with the bank for international settlements.

BERTIE MAE BERRY DEAD

Mrs. John Beckett of Wilmington, California, Mrs. George Williams and Mrs. Roy Muncy drove to El Paso Monday to attend the funeral of Bertie Mae, eight years old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Berry (Willie Lee Sinclair) of Los Angeles, formerly of Artesia, which occurred in El Paso that afternoon. The child, who was a grandchild of Mrs. McCord and a niece of Bert Sinclair, passed away on the 2nd, after a three months illness with kidney trouble and heart disease. The remains were interred beside those of other relatives in El Paso and the last sad rites were attended by the mother and grandmother, who came from Los Angeles, the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Berry of Dexter, the uncle, Bert Sinclair, who went from Ruidoso, where he is spending the summer with his family, an uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Berry of Wichita Falls, Texas, Mrs. Beckett, Mrs. Williams and Mrs. Muncy.

HIGHWAY 83 NOT FEDERAL AID ROAD

The association of highway officials meeting in Chicago recently refused the request of local people that highway 83 running east and west thru Artesia be designated as a federal aid road, according to word received here by the Chamber of Commerce. The failure of Texas officials to support claims of 83 was given as the reason for refusal to recommend 83 for federal aid.

Legion Set To Entertain Big State Convention

Asks Co-operation Of Artesia Business Men In Putting Over Best Convention — In Need Of More Rooms.

The American Legion posts in the various cities and towns throughout the state have given appropriate programs in memory of the fathers of our nation and in celebrating the 155th anniversary of our nation on July 4th. Clarence Kepple Post joined the Roswell and Carlsbad posts making the valley programs co-operative and these cities in return will assist our local boys in the coming convention.

Last year when our local delegates were departing for the American Legions convention at Gallup, our business men asked them to bring the 1931 convention to Artesia, in which they were successful in doing. This is one of the greatest honors to be given to any city and for the first time the citizens of Artesia and community will, on August 4th at 4:00 p. m. view the remaining heroes in a marching body who represented the state of New Mexico in the World War and with them will be buddy Legionnaires from other states representing union and the co-operative strength that meant victory for our nation once again.

The city of Artesia will welcome the heroes, their wives, mothers and friends with open arms, decorated stores, shops, streets and an unsurpassable hospitality in honor of their service rendered for maintaining the freedom of our country. The annual convention dates are claimed by the Legionnaires to report the annual business of their organization for the passing year, outline business for the new year, bring back memories of the old army days, exchanging stories and cracking jokes. The business session will be open to all spectators and a surprising report will very likely meet the ears of those who do not understand the principals for which it stands. Be sure to take advantage of the opportunity and attend as much of the business session as possible.

Overflow Crowd

Convention Chairman Fred Brainard is receiving favorable reports that the largest number of Legionnaires ever assembled together in the state of New Mexico will be present at the state convention to be held in Artesia August 3, 4, 5. The number is estimated at from six to one hundred delegates and visitors. Practically every city and town in the state and may of our neighboring states will be represented and we hope they can retain a pleasant memory of Artesians.

Legion-Auxiliary Working Hard

The Legion and Auxiliary are working overtime preparing programs of entertainment, and accommodations to put over the first real convention ever held in Artesia. (Continued on last page, column 5)

WORK STARTED ON SANTA FE EXTENSION TO POTASH REFINERY

Grading work on the proposed extension of the Santa Fe railway east from Loving toward the potash refinery, is underway it was learned in Carlsbad recently. One of the first projects to be completed in connection with the extension is a bridge across the Pecos river which will have seventy-one piles bents, spaced fourteen feet with the piles set in concrete and rock. As soon as the bridge has been finished the laying of the track will begin and the contractors do not anticipate that more than two weeks will be required to do this. The entire branch is expected to be ready to have trains operate over it within ninety days. As soon as the construction is well underway about 100 men will be employed with a maximum of 150 men on the job when the construction job reaches its highest point. Local labor will be used. The contractors do not anticipate that they will need any labor outside of the state.

STATE DRY FORCE IS INCREASED TO 12

Two field agents will be added to the New Mexico force of the federal prohibition enforcement director on July 15. The two new men, working out of headquarters at Albuquerque, will bring the total of the field force to 12 men.

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TELEPHONE NO. 7

BELLYACHERS

The critical financial condition of the nation has given rise to a new society and fraternal order known colloquially as the Weeping Brotherhood of Calamity Howlers and Royal Order of Bellyachers.

Artesia, of course, has its share of this genius homo in the form of men who are forever wailing about one thing and another. We are all more or less guilty and should correct this fault. Bemoaning our fate will never take the thorns from our paths, but fighting courageously with our backs to the wall will avail much. Henry Ford once said that a man's courage is measured by his debts, thus implying that one of the greatest battles of life is that which is waged against financial odds.

There is another class of men who are saving the nation from disaster. It is composed of those who never admit defeat, and are willing to speak a cheery word to the one in distress.

Let's lead not kick!

WHEN TO SAY NO

No is a pretty hard word to say sometimes and the fact that it has been a difficult word for the average individual to utter has not only been responsible for many a young person forming a bad habit, but it has caused numbers to have to use red ink on the wrong side of the ledger in writing off a financial investment. The ordinary youngster seems to be imbued with the idea that he or she must follow the crowd in order to be a good fellow and that it would be an impropriety to even suggest that he or she would consider doing anything that might be contrary to what the leader may suggest. By following enough of these suggestions a habit is formed which is often a detriment to the physical and moral well-being of the individual. Whether the habit sticks with the individual depends on the will power, but is an exception rather than the rule when a person deliberately breaks a well founded habit.

This particular phase of human nature is often overlooked by the parents of the youngster, who may permit their children unlimited freedom without any restriction. The idea of denying the youngster any wanted pleasure appears to be foreign to the nature of a good many parents and yet those parents bemoan the way the "younger generation carry on," without any thot of the individual responsibility.

A high type of citizenship is not built on permitting the youngsters to have their desires fulfilled to the utmost, but by teaching the child that personal gratification isn't his chief aim in life.

IS CRIME NEWS ESSENTIAL?

The Chicago Tribune, located in the center of a city where crime has flourished, should know something about the re-acton of crime news on the general public. The following comment from the Chicago Tribune has been widely commented on:

Some remarks upon this subject that ought to be read and pondered by comfortable citizens who rebuke the press for the "prominence" given crime news are to be found in the current issue of the Panel, a very meaty and interesting publication of the Association of grand jurors of New York county, devoted to the exchange of news of public officials and citizens in the effort to prevent crime and secure the "true administration of practice." The article we refer to is entitled "The Importance of Publishing Crime News," and the writer is Thomas S. Rice, member of the statutory crime commissions of New York state and of the New York commissions on crime preventions.

"If the newspapers," writes Mr. Rice, "did not play up crime news and arouse the public to the necessity of fighting back at organized crime we would be going about our daily tasks in bullet-proof vests." Far from favoring the playing down of news of crimes and criminals, as urged by many well intentioned people, Mr. Rice says that thirty-odd years of experience in the study of crime has convinced him that we should have "more and better" crime news, particularly in the papers of Greater New York and other centers where some newspapers "seemingly are being swept off their feet by theorists and sentimentalists and are tending to minimize crime news."

Sensationalism, Mr. Rice points, has its place when used for a constructive purpose. We deprecate gresswome details. More obnoxious, we think, is the sickening sentimentality and appeals to perverted hero worship or false sentiment which is a part of the special practice of certain newspapers. But sensationalism in the sense of giving to the news of a crime its proper emphasis is not only justifiable as an exercise of the newspaper's function but desirable for its results. Mr. Rice is supported by facts when he says that "every determined effort to reduce crime in the United States in modern times has originated, has been sustained, and has been carried to more or less successful conclusion by its playing up of crime news systematically and persistently in newspapers or periodicals." And he cites the formation of the Chicago crime commission as a result of the publicity given notorious conditions of organized criminality, which publicity alone could have awakened business men to the gravity of the situation and to the determination to attack it.

Eastern newspapers, which the critics of "sensationalism" are wont to hold up as models of propriety for their failure to realize the importance of considering crime as a persistent symptom of the bad health of society and not merely sporadic incidents of the daily news.

CAPITOL SNAPS

By Fred V. Holmes, Washington
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Advocate

When the United States government balanced up its books for the fiscal year which ended on June 30, it found that federal expenditures during the year had exceeded receipts by \$903,000,000 and that the nation's debt in the twelve-month period had grown \$616,000,000. This deficit, the largest in peace time in the history of the country, was the first federal government has had since the fiscal year 1919, which includes part of the last year of the World War. Since 1919 the annual surpluses have aggregated \$4,551,000,000.

Two widely known leaders in the democratic party, speaking to large audiences gave their approval to the plan of President Hoover for a suspension of international debts for one year as a means of restoring economic stability in the world. Senator Pat Harrison, ranking democratic member of the senate finance committee, after describing the conditions in Germany which threatened a collapse of that country financially and governmentally, said of the president's proposal: "It was a fine stroke and a gracious and constructive move on the part of President Hoover." J. J. Shouse, the chairman of the executive committee of the democratic national committee, declared it was gratifying to be able to commend "without hesitancy or reservation" the president's proclamation, and added: "His position shows statesmanship, courage and decision."

Under the provisions of the Hawley-Smoot tariff law, with relation to the products of Soviet, forced or indentured labor, the treasury department will adopt a policy of excluding a large share of the products of Russia, it was asserted by Senator Reed Smoot, of Utah, chairman of the Senate Finance Committee, who has been in conference with the treasury authorities. Senator Smoot indicated that, while the exclusion would not apply to products of the soil, it would apply to Soviet products which are manufactured, mined or produced by means of forced labor of any kind and which are competitive with products here. He mentioned lumber and pulpwood especially as products which would be shut out.

Senator Simeon D. Fess, of Ohio, has announced that he expected to retain his post as chairman of the republican national committee until the national convention next June. Senator Fess added that he anticipated no important changes in the leadership of the committee until that time, at least. The statement not only put to rest again rumors that Senator Fess would resign, but indicated also that Robert H. Lucas, who was under fire following the November congressional elections because of his interest in the Nebraska campaign, would retain his post as executive chairman of the republican national committee. Reports had been current that Mr. Lucas would retire early this fall.

The information office of the Soviet Union has become the most popular establishment in the capitol as far as American aviators are concerned. Because of the desire to span the Pacific, apparent in the aviation world this year, the Soviet office had had to keep up a constant exchange of cables with Moscow to secure permits to fly over Russia and arrange fueling facilities. Three groups of flyers, including Colonel and Mrs. Charles A. Lindbergh, already have received permits, while two other groups are awaiting permission. Wiley Post and Harold Gatty, who recently ended their around the world flight, also had been given a permit.

Chairman Smoot, of the senate finance committee, gave the impression here, before leaving for his home in Utah, that in some congressional circles there is a thot about increasing corporation income taxes if an increase is found necessary to meet prospective deficits. Mr. Smoot calculated that restoration of the 12 per cent tax, cut 1 per cent in the last tax revision, would raise something more than \$100,000,000 additional revenue to offset the prospective \$350,000,000 loss should the foreign-debt payments be suspended, as is proposed; which would be added to next year's deficit. It is apparent from what the finance committee head said, that the question of increasing corporation income taxes is being broached, but only as an alternative to borrowing on short-term loans, which also has been

Things WORTH KNOWING

Direct sunlight injures leather of certain types. Keep leather-bound books, leather-upholstered furniture, and other leather articles destined for long service out of direct sunlight.

Silage made from corn, alfalfa, sweetclover and soybeans; and green alfalfa, cabbage, turnips, rape and kale markedly affect the flavor and odor of milk if fed just before milking time. Give these feeds soon after milking.

An experiment in producing baby beef, conducted at the Harve, Montana field station of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, shows that calves fattened on barley and alfalfa are likely to bloot when they receive up to 5 pounds of barley a head daily.

Horse and mule breeders in many states are now protected against inferior types of stallions and jacks such as were used 25 years ago, because 24 states now have legislation on public-service sires. One of the most common requirements is that stallions and jacks must be sound and free from hereditary and transmissible defects and diseases. Some states allow only purebred stallions and jacks to be used, while others permit grade and scrub sires.

Forage crops are more likely to be profitable on alkali lands than crops grown for fruit or seed, says the U. S. Department of Agriculture. Certain meadow and pasture grasses, sorghum, barley and rye, as hay crops, sweetclover and rape give fairly satisfactory results where the salt content of the soil is not excessive. Alfalfa will stand a moderate quantity of alkali if the grower can get a stand. Sugar beets are somewhat tolerant, but the size and quality of the roots are inferior when much alkali is present. Cotton is fairly resistant, but in strong alkali soils the fiber suffers in length and strength. There is more chance of getting a good stand if the crop is planted as soon as possible after a rain or heavy irrigation.

suggested as one way out of governmental financial difficulties.

With a roar of twenty-one guns from the navy yard batters on the water front, Old Ironsides, pride of the American Navy was recommissioned at Boston after a lapse of forty-four years. The famous old forty-four-gun frigate, originally built at Constitution Wharf, 1794-1797, and restored at the Charleston Navy Yard, 1927 to 1931, has departed on an exhibition tour of American ports.

CARBON PAPER—The Advocate

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A family of 14, traveling in one vehicle, is on the way to Carlsbad from Spokane, Washington.

In the party are H. S. Hawely, their five daughters and two sons, their daughter-in-law, and four of their grand-children, a total of 14.

They are making what is described as a "de luxe motor coach tour" of the Rocky Mountain states, in a bus equipped with Pullman car-type facilities and capable of traveling 50 miles an hour over good roads. They left Spokane June 27.—Current-Ar-gus.

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LOCALS

Wide made a business Monday.

Mrs. Fred Cole were visitors Friday.

Hayhurst was down at Penasco Monday on business.

Howell brot a load of hay from his ranch in the county Monday.

His family enjoyed a picnic in the Sacramento mountains on the Fourth.

Mr. and Mrs. Birmingham and daughter, returned Saturday to relatives in Tennessee.

Mr. J. E. Atberry, Mr. Fred Henderson, Misses Elva and Mollie King and Mrs. Barker and Elva returned to the Fourth at Cloudcroft.

Mr. J. P. Lowry drove to the Artesia Sacramento on the 4th and were the guests of Mrs. L. P. Evans and Mrs. Evans returned to the Fourth with Mr. J. P. Lowry.

Ballard and Norman who had been spending the week at the Boy Scout camp returned home for the Fourth.

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A SURPRISE FOURTH OF JULY CELEBRATION OCCURS AT CARLSBAD

Nine thousand people were treated to a surprise Fourth of July fireworks display at Carlsbad Saturday night when approximately half of the city's fireworks display accidentally exploded at once.

The display of fireworks, which was to have been the greatest ever seen in this part of the state, exceeded all expectations when nearly half of it exploded at once. The banging and cracking of the fireworks made waves on the shores of the Pecos caused the ground at the municipal bathing beach to tremble, according to those who witnessed the premature display.

Blazing weeds, along the river edge and in the background, added their brilliancy to the outburst.

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SAYS BOARD NOT TO CHANGE POLICY

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Chairman Stone of the farm board Monday informed Vice-President Curtis and Senator Capper, republican, Kansas, that the board would not make any further changes in its sales policy for stabilization of wheat.

After conferring with Stone for nearly two hours, Curtis said that the sale of wheat would be conducted in such a way as not to depress prices.

He added he would have preferred a definite pledge to hold the wheat until the price had reached 85 cents or \$1 but that the July announcement made by the board was the best that could be obtained at present.

MISS BRATTON MARRIED

Miss Emma Lee Bratton, daughter of United States Senator and Mrs. Sam G. Bratton and Mr. John Cavett Thompson, son of Mrs. J. H. Dorroh, were married at seven o'clock Thursday evening at the home of the bride's parents.

The Reverend C. K. Campbell officiated and the marriage was performed before an improvised altar of ferns, palms, white gladioli and lillies. Senator Bratton gave his daughter in marriage.

Garlands of greens festooned the doorway and flowers were used profusely thru the rooms.

Senator and Mrs. Bratton were hosts to fifty guests at a reception immediately following the ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. Thompson will reside in Santa Fe, and many social events have been planned for them there. Mrs. N. B. Laughlin and Mrs. E. W. Fiske have scheduled entertainments for next week.

Professor and Mrs. Dorroh arrived Wednesday to attend the wedding and were accompanied by Mr. Jack Dorroh, the best man and Mrs. W. B. Hamilton and Miss Henrietta Patton of Jackson, Mississippi, relatives of Mr. Thompson. Miss Bratton's younger sister and brother were present at the ceremony.—From State Tribune.

Typewriter Ribbons—The Advocate

PICKED UP ON MAIN

Chester Dexter writes from Los Angeles that times are so hard there that even the gentiles are having fires. Los Angeles is not alone in her plight at the present time either.

The most extravagant man we have heard of since the Hoover depression set in was a man that deliberately swallowed a \$50.00 bill the other day at Hagerman when about to be captured by an officer. Nothing but a Billy goat would have prevented the recovery of that bill if we had been an officer for we would have certainly used a stomach pump over time, or even an air hose.

We understand that the heartless corporation of which C. O. Brown is agent, the Santa Fe Railway Co., has the nasty habit of leaving Artesia off the Santa Fe routing books. J. H. Jackson, who has called the attention of the Santa Fe to the omission for the tenth consecutive time says he is growing weary. Jack told some ladies about the omission

the other day en route home from Buffalo and of course the omission gave him a lead to approach the ladies on, otherwise he may have never been able to strike up a conversation with the fairer sex, when Mrs. Jackson was absent. We'll wager that other people in the coach knew of the omission before Jack got thru telling about it.

Department Of The Interior, United States Land Office, Las Cruces, N. M., June 19, 1931.

Notice is hereby given that the State of New Mexico has filed in this office School Indemnity Selection list No. 9462, serial No. 044028 for the following land: E½SE¼ Sec. 30; E½NE¼ Sec. 31, T. 18-S., R., 21-E., NMPM.

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

V. B. May, Register. 29-5t

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Out it goes!—In line with our policy of presenting, always, clean, fresh, seasonable stocks, all remaining Spring and Summer merchandise must now make way for new Fall and Winter goods. So—throughout the store—you will find a wide selection of things you need and want repriced and regrouped for quick, positive clearance.
There are many weeks of Summer still to come during which this merchandise will be desirable and useful for you to have, especially at the extremely low prices at which it is offered. For us, however, it is too late in the season—our stocks must soon be ready for Fall Openings. So—again—All Summer goods must go!
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Social Activities

YOUNG PEOPLE'S PICNIC

The United Young People's Society of the various city churches enjoyed a picnic at the Hornbaker ranch Tuesday evening. Cars left the Presbyterian church at 6:30 p. m. and after the young folks arrived at their destination a picnic supper was served. Those present were: Thelma McCaw, Hannahabelle McCaw, Johnnie Bill Collins, Richard Wheatley, John Gates, Virginia Gates, Lydia Caraway, Velma French, Roland McLean, Elizabeth Gage, Herman Dick Jones, Elsie Jernigan, Dorothy Gleghorn, Wayne Hornbaker, Boyd Wright, Edgar Bishop, Modine Faulkner, Laura Bullock, Averil Stewart, Beth Bishop, James Dew, Margaret Muma, Ed McCaw, Dawn Hornbaker, Mona Sinclair, Britton Coll, Marion Coll, Martha Sinclair, Kenneth Williams, Mattie George, Ernest Harn, Gladys Osborne, Catherine Filbert, and Grace Sinclair. Mr. and Mrs. Hornbaker and Rev. Sinclair chaperoned the picnic.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mrs. Skelt Williams entertained a score of little people last Monday afternoon for her little son, Lowrey, whose birthday anniversary occurred that day. The children played games and had a good time in the park and later went to the party's home, where there was a splendid birthday cake with five candles, ice cream and ice cream cones. The children enjoying this happy time were Darleen Dunn, Charline and Rosemary Martin, Meredith and Irvin Richard Martin, Virgil and Virginia Lee Tucker, Donald and Sybil Fior, Marshall and Bobby Morris, Guinevere Ellis, June Ann Gissler, Dicky and Margaret Attebery, George Lee Williams, Wanda and Lewis Story, Delbert Muncy of Hope and the little host.

YOUNG PEOPLES' MEETING

Last Sunday evening the United Young Peoples' meeting was held in the Presbyterian church with the President, Thelma McCaw in charge. The program was given by the young people who had just returned from the Sandia conference and the following took part: Grace Sinclair, spoke on the "Recreation and Inspiration of the Camp," Virginia Gates told her class on "Story Telling to Children," Mona Sinclair showed how the class on "Solving Young Peoples' Problems" had been helpful to the young people; Mattie George told of the class on "National Missions," while Martha Sinclair told of the location, membership and faculty of the conference. All were agreed that it was a good place to return in 1932.

BIRTHDAY SURPRISE

Mrs. C. R. Vandagriff gave a birthday surprise party for her young nephew, Allen Gelwick, Jr., of Oklahoma last Tuesday afternoon, which was a complete surprise to the youngster and a source of much fun to all the other boys present. There were lively games and refreshments of ice cream, lemonade and cake, accompanied by the ten candies, which announced his age. The boys who helped him celebrate were: Marshall Morris, Harry Woodell, Jr., Charles Preston and Clyde Dunn and Wayne Jess, Jr., and Johnnie Truett. Mrs. Truett assisted Mrs. Vandagriff in entertaining the children.

PICNIC AT THE PARK

A bunch of townspeople had a picnic in the park the evening of the Fourth and after the picnic supper enjoyed the fireworks, which was a joint contribution to the festivities. The party included Mr. and Mrs. C. Bert Smith, John Lanning and family and S. A. Lanning, Charley Martin and family, Mrs. "Col" Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Grand Nepple, H. S. Williams and family, Pearl Morris and family, Lewis Story and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Story, and L. B. Feather and family.

DANCING PARTY

Miss Emily Woods entertained with a dancing party Monday evening complimentary to her house guest, Miss Ruth Virginia Perdue of Amarillo, Texas. The other young people were the Misses Sue Flint, Glennis Smith, Oma Cadman of Roswell and Ruth Scott and Leon Clayton, Howard Stroup, Wallace Gages, Hugh Donald Burch, Harry Woodman, Malcolm Mitchell, Melvin Jernigan and Tommy Adams of Roswell.

PICNIC PARTY

There was a picnic party at the Wm. Gissler home at noon on the Fourth. The fried chicken dinner was eaten under the shade trees on the lawn and practically the same company was present for a cafeteria supper at the same place with fireworks after dark. The party included besides the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Skelt Williams, and children, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Gissler and baby, Mr. and Mrs. Tex Polk.

A CREED FOR 1931

Polyanna has returned in the New York Sun and H. I. Phillips, who pulls the following in the Sun Dial, ought to get a job as G. O. P. chairman or assistant movie czar the Rev. Willie Hays: I believe in the United States of America.

I believe in the American ability to beat any beatable set of circumstances and come up smiling. I believe in the ability of the American citizen to swim upstream, hit fast ball pitching, break out of a half-nelson and have a pretty good time in the bargain.

I believe that in the long run fair weather over-balances the bad that "breaks" are subject to the law of averages, that the expression "Good old days" is relative and that everything comes out all right in the wash.

I believe a little optimism never hurt anybody and can be taken straight.

I believe in the capacity of the American industrial leader and in the common sense of the American workman.

I believe that Uncle Sam is still at the old stand with a brave heart and a clear head and I do not believe he is in any danger of losing his pants, coat, vest or shirt.

I believe in the total inability of Russia to change the course of the stars, to re-arrange the general appearance of the heavens, to eliminate the constellations, to discontinue the daily rising of the sun, to subject the rainbow to a five-year plan or to make the American of normal backbone jump into a hole and pull it in after him.

I believe American railroads are worth considerably more than a dime a dozen.

I believe the United States Steel Corporation, the American Telephone and Telegraph Company, the General Electric Corporation and other big industrial institutions will stay in business and that none of them is in danger of having to take on a side line of lead pencils or apples.

I do not believe there is any danger of seeing John Pierpont Morgan, Owen D. Young, General Atterbury, Charles Schwab or James A. Farrell throwing their jobs overboard and deciding to make a living as ferryboat musicians.

I believe that what the country needs more than anything else is a restoration of the business stool for calamity howlers and confirmed grouches.

I believe in the ability, instinct, capacity and power of the average American to fight his way out of any difficulty to scale any reasonable heights, to make the final payments on the automobile, to put something in the bank and look adversity in the face and tell it to go to hell.

I believe the American people will continue to own automobiles and that there is not a Chinaman's chance that conditions will arise which will make them decide it is a good idea to go back to the bicycle and the buggy.

I believe the American housewife will continue to have an electric ice-box and will never again be satisfied to spend a half day mopping up the kitchen after the visit of the old-fashioned ice-man. I believe the old-fashioned wash tub has gone for good and that anybody who thinks the American housewife is going back to the old days of drudgery and inconvenience is two-thirds cookoo and one-third army mule.

I believe three square meals a day will always be the American standard, but that even if we miss one or two it won't hurt us.

I believe in common sense and natural vision as opposed to the "fidgets" and the use of smoked glasses when anything goes wrong.

I believe in the silver lining, the rainbow after the storm, the plunge thru center, the infallibility of the slogan "Never lead with your chin," and the potency of the cries "block that kick!" and "hold 'em, Yale!"

I believe that much of the world depression is "done by mirrors." I believe the worst is over and that it never was as bad as it was advertised.—Santa Fe New Mexican.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks for the many acts of kindness during the illness and death of our son Waldo. We especially appreciate the floral offering from the American Legion and Auxiliary.

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LOCALS

Judge and Mrs. S. E. Ferree spent Sunday on Rocky Arroyo.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Crozier left Monday for McNary, Arizona, where he has employment.

R. E. Brewer and daughter, Miss Evelyn of Albuquerque spent the 4th at Hope visiting friends.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Fred T. Province of Cottonwood, yesterday morning, the eighth inst., a daughter.

Miss Katherine Walterscheid returned to Carlsbad yesterday after spending several days here, guest of Mrs. J. J. Clarke.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Johnson, of Tucson, Arizona, arrived Tuesday for a few days visit with Mr. and Mrs. Jess Truett.

Mrs. Lloyd Cooper of Lovington is spending a few days here visiting her cousin, Miss Ruth French, Mrs. W. L. French and family.

J. E. Lehman, of Opelousas, Louisiana, was here from Friday until Monday, visiting his sister, Mrs. J. B. Atkeson and family.

Mrs. Oliver Crozier, who underwent an operation at the Sister's hospital in Carlsbad several days ago was able to return home Monday.

Messrs. and Meses Albert Richards, Aubrey Watson and C. R. Blocker are trying out their luck as fishermen in the northern part of the state this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Wheatley were hosts at dinner at half past six o'clock last evening, their guests being Mrs. Frank Middleton, Miss Mary Middleton and Will Middleton of Marion, Indiana and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Shugart and children.

Wayne Withers, Boyd Wright and Paul Bruce returned Saturday from Ft. Bliss, where they spent six weeks at the Citizens' Military Training Camp. Wayne went on from here Sunday to the ranch out from Carrizozo, where his parents moved some months ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Wheatley took their daughter, Joan, up to the Girl Scout camp in Bear canyon on the Fourth. Richard Wheatley, who returned from California last week, and little Barbara accompanied them. On the way Mr. Wheatley visited the Hope and Weed stores.



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GIVE PULLETS GOOD CARE THRU SUMMER

A well developed, healthy pullet this summer indicates egg profits for next fall and winter says W. M. Ginn of the New Mexico Agricultural College. A poor, underfed, wormy pullet is a forecast of no eggs, no profits, and discouragement for the future. Mr. Ginn gives a few suggestions about the care of growing stock in summer which, if practiced, will bring the farmer more profits next fall and winter.

Cleanliness is the first essential for growing good, healthy pullets. Where possible, poultry should be kept on open range and not in pens. This is not only more healthful but more economical as bugs and grass which are furnished by the range offer protein and vitamins, thus reducing the feed costs. Rotation of range is very valuable in keeping it clean. Planting the last year's range in crops and putting the pullets on well cultivated, clean ground is one of the best ways of controlling worms and also diseases. A second essential is clean drinking water and the prevention of puddles around the drinking fountains. Most parasites and germs can not develop without water or a damp habitat.

A growth of tender plants on the range furnishes the fowls with protein, vitamins and health. Alfalfa, clover or any of the adapted grasses are excellent for this purpose. A few shade trees about the yard for the chicks to rest under during the heat of the day will be beneficial. If there are no trees, set some for future use and in the meantime, plant a few castor beans which, while not permanent, will give an excellent shade within a few weeks of planting.

It is important that the poultry house be so constructed that it may be moved to clean soil when necessary. One of the cheapest and most satisfactory types is the low, gable-roof house, with side walls and floor made of poultry meeting. All feed and water is placed outside the house, making it only a place to sleep in and an escape from storms and enemies.

A mash containing a protein supplement should be given in

open hoppers. Grain should also be fed in hoppers. The pullets will likely make the proper balance between mash and grain if both are available at all times. Of course, water should always be before the chicks.

"Papa, who was Izaak Walton?" "What? Do you mean to tell me you don't know who Izaak Walton was? What do I send you to Sunday school for?"

CARD OF THANKS

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LAKE ARTHUR ITEMS

Miss Ella Ohlenbusch, Reporter Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Goode spent Sunday in the Bob Bailey home. Arnold Webb and mother, who have been at Ruidoso returned to Lake Arthur Monday. J. R. Spence and sister left the first of the week for Amarillo for a few days visit. Mrs. Mammie Walden, Mrs. Jerry Williams and son, Ray, were shopping in Artesia Tuesday. A number of the people of this community attended the Fourth of July celebration at Roswell. P. Z. Stephens who has been visiting in the R. R. Jorden home returned to his home in Texas Monday. Elmo Cantrell who has been visiting with his grandmother, Mrs. Webb, returned home the first of the week. Edd Price and W. L. Bradley who have been working near Ruidoso, returned home Monday for a few days visit. Mr. and Mrs. Orin Smith and Mrs. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Turner left for Colorado where they will visit with relatives this week. Mrs. J. W. Slade and daughters, Margaret and Anna left on Wednesday for Loving where they will attend the meeting conducted by Rev. J. W. Slade. Mr. and Mrs. Tony Mahoney of Ruidoso and a friend, Mrs. Annie Smart of Artesia are spending a few days with Mrs. Mahoney's mother, Mrs. Mammie Walton. Mrs. Chapman of Las Vegas drove to Lake Arthur, accompanied by Mrs. George Wilkerson, to attend to business. She also spent several days in the W. L. Bradley home. Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Doyle and Mr. and Mrs. K. A. Bivens attended the singing convention and basket dinner held at Dexter Sunday. Butler Louis Johnson the young nephew of Mrs. Ned Hedges, stopped in Lake Arthur, Friday for a short visit, en route to his home in Portales from the Boy Scout camp. Clyde Nihart accompanied by the Misses Wilma Walden, Lois Bivens and Pauline motored to Cloudercroft the Fourth for a short visit with Mr. Nihart's daughter and son, Mary and George. Quite a number of young people of this community gathered at the home of Mrs. Luke Alexander to Charivari Mr. and Mrs. Fred Eddington. The evening was spent in dancing, after which cake and punch were served. Quite a number of the young people of this community attended the Fourth of July picnic on the Felix. After dinner was served the party went to the Cottonwood falls to enjoy the rest of the afternoon swimming and k-daking. Miss Pauline Alexander and Fred Eddington both of Lake Arthur were quietly married at Roswell Tuesday. They were accompanied by the bride's mother, Mrs. Luke Alexander. Miss Alexander was the oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Luke Alexander. Mr. Eddington is the son of Mrs. J. R. Spence. Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Williams entertained a group of the Senior B. Y. P. U. members with an ice cream supper at their home Saturday night. The time was spent in playing indoor games until a late hour and lemonade cake, ice cream and sixteen members served to some sixteen members present. A most enjoyable time was reported by all. The Senior B. Y. P. U. met last Sunday at the regular hour. This being the regular quarterly business meeting the time was spent in electing officers. The new officers elected were: Ella Ohlenbusch, president; Nannie McLarry, vice-president, Alma Bradley, secretary and treasurer, Lois Biv-

ens, quiz leader; Anna Slade, pianist; Margaret Slade, chorister; Vick Walden, group captain No. 1; Lee Williams, group captain No. 2. Mrs. J. W. Slade was elected sub-sponsor. Twenty-four members were enrolled.

LOCALS

J. H. Bridgman of Hope was transacting business here Tuesday. Miss Helen Sage is spending a few days in Roswell visiting with friends. Mr. and Mrs. Ike Keller spent the Fourth and Sunday on the Ruidoso. Mrs. H. C. Moorehead and Miss Mae Wilson of the Cottonwood community were shopping in Artesia Tuesday. Calvin Dunn and family spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Dunn at the latter's cabin on the Ruidoso. Glenn Stone, Fletcher Hornbaker and Ray and Don Cowan are spending this week at the Stone cabin in the Artesia-Sacramento camp. Mrs. E. M. Phillips and daughters, the Misses Margaret and Wyoma, are planning to leave for a two weeks trip to Denver, Colorado and Lusk, Wyoming. Mr. and Mrs. John McCann left yesterday for a business trip to Ranger, Texas. They will also visit home folks and expect to return the first of the week. Frank Miller and daughter, Miss Mary Ann drove over to Alamogordo Tuesday to bring home Miss Virginia Egbert, who is preparing to give a musical recital here within the next ten days or two weeks. Mrs. J. K. Wallingford and little daughter returned last week from an extended visit with relatives in Kentucky. Mr. Wallingford met Mrs. Wallingford and daughter at Big Spring and drove them home. Kenneth F. Priest, former high school athletic coach stopped off here a short time yesterday en route to Washburn, Wisconsin from the University of New Mexico, at Albuquerque where he has been attending summer school. Mrs. Frank Seale and daughter, Carolyn, returned yesterday evening from a six weeks' visit to relatives in Clarendon, Arkansas. Mrs. Martha Harris, who has been visiting her daughters in Memphis, Tennessee, returned home with them. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Vickers and children of Clovis, were here from Friday until Sunday evening, visiting Mrs. Merle Roady, twin sister of Mrs. Vickers. On Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Vickers, accompanied by Eulis Roady, made the Cavern trip. Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Jernigan, and baby daughter Jeanine, of Clovis, spent the week-end here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Jernigan. On Saturday the whole family, including Harry Jernigan and wife, drove to Carlsbad for the fireworks. Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Sharp had as their guests at the Sharp cabin in the Artesia-Sacramento camp for the week-end, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Blakenay of Dexter and their daughter, Jean Marie, also Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Cowles of Albuquerque. Mr. Blakenay is a brother and Mrs. Cowles a sister of Mrs. Sharp. Mrs. Oscar Pearson returned Friday from a five weeks' trip to the Pacific coast. Mrs. Pearson went with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Senter, of Pampa, Texas and the party took in the Grand Canyon and points of interest in California, Yellowstone Park, Salt Lake, Denver and Colorado Springs.

FARM HINTS

Put large buttons and not too many of them on small children's clothes so they can learn to dress themselves. All the arguments and persuasions in the world won't make some persons like spinach if it is "mushy" and brown, which are signs of overcooking. Cooked spinach should be green and chewy which makes it attractive to the eye and pleasant to the palate. Fruit stains on white napkins and tablecloths can usually be removed by pouring boiling hot water on the stained spot after stretching the material over a bowl. The teakettle should be held three or four feet above the cloth. Don't use soap on fruit stains; for the alkali in the soap sets the stains, especially those of red and purple fruits. Ham should be simmered, never boiled. Cover with water and keep water over it. Cook it gently for 25 or 30 minutes to the pound until it is tender, and if possible, let it cool in the broth. To give an attractive finish, mix 2 cups of brown sugar and 3 cups of fine soft bread crumbs, 1 teaspoon of prepared mustard, and sizer or vinegar enough to moisten. Spread the paste over the fat covering of the ham, after removing the rind, and stick whole long-stemmed cloves into the surface. Bake for 10 minutes in a hot oven 500° F.

COTTONWOOD ITEMS

Mrs. Wayne Norris, Reporter Mrs. W. W. Burk is reported ill this week. Mrs. Sophia Swartz is on the sick list this week. Carl Gordon of Artesia was attending to business on Cottonwood Monday. Landis Feather and family were guests at the Wittkopp home Sunday evening. Miss Alice Norris was visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. I. Funk of Carlsbad Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Waldrip and family spent the Fourth with her daughter, Mrs. Wayne Norris. W. A. Wunsch, county demonstration agent, organized a Cottonwood boys and girls club Monday at the home of Mrs. Tom Terry. Those present were Miss-

es Mary Jane Terry, Helen Vera Funk, and Margery Bell Funk, and Joe Bill Funk, Truman Howard and Ernest Malone. Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Vogel of Artesia were visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Waldrip Sunday. A cowboy dance was given at the Diamond A ranch Saturday and several of the Cottonwood young folks attended. Messrs. Roy Vermillion, Frank Allen, George and Will Waldrip went fishing on Black river, below Carlsbad last week. I. R. Burgess and family and guests motored to the Washington ranch on Black river Sunday and to Hobbs on Monday. Mrs. Harshy of Hagerman and Mrs. Ward of Pasadena, California, formerly Miss Robertson of Hagerman, were visiting at the Pearson home Monday. Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Wells spent Saturday and Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. J. H. Felton and family, returning to their home at Tucumcari, Monday. Mrs. Glen O'Bannon with her son, Douglas and daughter, Miss Mary Frances and brother, Buster Knowles returned from a short visit with friends and relatives in Texas. Mr. and Mrs. O. C. McElyea and family and H. F. Stuart and family of Las Cruces are guests of Ira Burgess and family this week. H. F. Stuart is a brother of Mrs. Burgess. J. H. Felton and family with Mrs. Felton's father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Wells motored to the home of Mrs. Briscoe and daughter, Miss Hannah Briscoe for dinner Sunday.

AGRICULTURAL CONFERENCE

An agricultural conference of especial interest to New Mexico farmers and stockmen will be held on the campus of the New Mexico College of A. and M. A., August 24 to 28, according to W. L. Elser, director of the extension service. The conference will include a short course for farmers and a series of meetings for teachers of vocational agriculture in New Mexico high schools. Frank Wimberly, state director of vocational agriculture, is arranging the program for the vocational agricultural meetings. It is probable that a meeting of the agricultural committee of the State Bankers Association will be held at the college during the conference. This meeting will be scheduled if the agriculture director of the American Bankers Association can be present.

CHARTER NO. 7043—RESERVE DISTRICT NO. 11 REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF ARTESIA, IN THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON JUNE 30, 1931 RESOURCES Loans and discounts \$304,066.80 Overdrafts 3.87 United States Government securities owned 114,400.00 Other bonds, stocks and securities owned 26,800.00 Banking house, \$10,000.00 Furniture and fixtures, \$1,250.00 11,250.00 Real estate owned other than banking house 7,593.36 Reserve with Federal Reserve Bank 26,647.12 Cash and due from banks 82,774.64 Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer 2,500.00 Total \$576,035.79 LIABILITIES Capital stock paid in \$50,000.00 Surplus 10,000.00 Undivided profits—net 3,608.40 Circulating notes outstanding 50,000.00 Due to banks, including certified and cashiers' checks outstanding 4,113.00 Demand deposits 323,097.40 Time deposits 85,216.99 Bills payable and rediscounts 50,000.00 Total \$576,035.79 State of New Mexico, County of Eddy, ss: I, L. B. Feather, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. L. B. FEATHER, Cashier. CORRECT—ATTEST: J. E. ROBERTSON, MARK A. CORBIN, J. H. JACKSON Directors. (SEAL) Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of July, 1931. STEPHEN W. GILBERT, Notary Public. My Commission Expires April 22, 1933.

SCHOOL CENSUS FOR STATE SHOWS GAIN

The New Mexico school census for 1930 just completed shows a total of 141,091 children of school age in the state, an increase of 8,040 over 1929. State school auditor R. H. Grisom said the per capita apportionment for this fall will show a decrease in view of the increase in school population and falling off in revenues of the current school fund. The census includes all youngsters between the ages of six and twenty-one. Twenty-seven of the thirty-one counties show increases in school population.

tion. Lea county leads with a gain of 1,077. Four counties showing losses were, Colfax, Dona Ana, Mora and Socorro.

GERELINE PRICE DIES

Gereline six year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Price of Artesia died at the Price home Tuesday evening near 10:00 p. m. following an illness of six or eight weeks duration. Her death was due to heart trouble and other complications. Funeral services were held in the Price home yesterday afternoon.

Typewriter Ribbons—The Advocate

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My Experiences in the World War

BY GENERAL JOHN J. PERSHING

CHAPTER XXXIII

Secretary Baker and I had frequently discussed the question of a supreme allied commander, and we were both ready to accept it in principle when proposed.

In response to a notice from Premier Clemenceau I went, April 3, to Reims to meet with the supreme war council. Arriving early, Colonel Boyd and I had to wait an hour at the Hotel de Ville before M. Clemenceau and Lloyd George came into the conference room. Marshal Haig, General Foch, Petain, Sir Henry Wilson, Bliss, Weygand and myself were the others participating.

Brigadier General Spiers acted as interpreter, and Lieut. Col. Sir Maurice Hankey, who usually accompanied Mr. Lloyd George, as recorder. The meeting was finally called to order by M. Clemenceau, who stated its purpose, saying in substance:

"We have come together to settle a very simple question regarding the functions of General Foch. I think we are all in agreement as to the co-ordination of allied action, but there is some difference in the understanding of General Foch's powers as conferred upon him at the Doullens conference of March 26. General Foch will explain his difficulties."

Lloyd George Pleads for Unity.

Mr. Lloyd George then entered the discussion, saying substantially: "We have had more than three years of this war and we have not had unity of action during that time. During the last year we have had two kinds of strategy, one by Haig and another by Petain, both different, and nothing has been gained. The only thing that was accomplished was by General Nivelle, when he was in supreme command."

"General Foch is now empowered to co-ordinate the action of the allied armies, but this does not go far enough, as he has no authority to control except by conferring with the respective commanders in chief. He wants authority to prepare for action. I think the resolution made at Doullens should be modified so that we may have a better understanding. I should like

should be included as an entity like the British and French armies."

"There is no American army yet as such," General Petain interjected, "as its units are either in training or are amalgamated with the British and French."

Pershing Has U. S. Included.

"There may not be an American army in force functioning now," I replied, "but there soon will be, and I want this resolution to apply to it when it becomes a fact. The American government is represented here at this conference and in the war, and any action as to the supreme command that includes the British and French armies should also include the American army."

The foregoing account of the conference may not be an exact record of the language used, but it is given as my aid took it down. The following resolution was then read and adopted:

"General Foch is charged by the British, French and American governments with the co-ordination of the action of the allied armies on the western front; to this end there is conferred on him all the power necessary for its effective realization. To the same end the British, French and American governments confide in General Foch the strategic direction of military operations. The commanders in chief of the British, French and American armies will exercise to the fullest extent the tactical direction of their armies. Each commander in chief will have the right to appeal to his government if in his opinion his army is placed in danger by the instructions received from General Foch."

Allied Commander in Chief.

The idea of an allied commander in chief had been suggested and discussed many times unofficially, but for various reasons, political and otherwise, it had never been definitely adopted by the supreme war council. With the distrust that existed among the allies, it was not easy to bring about the decision in favor of a supreme commander, and it was made possible only by the extreme emergency of the situation.

The designation of General Foch

called upon to send large groups of their trained soldiers to other duties.

Inspect Available Divisions.

In view of their possible early employment I wanted especially to look into the general state of efficiency of our available divisions and give some personal instructions about training. Going the rounds

I met General Hirschauer, who was one of the able French generals and found him very enthusiastic about the Second, which had been in line at Sommedeu under his command, confirming my own opinion formed from observation and reports. He said that without doubt it was then as efficient as any of his French divisions. The First was further advanced than any of the others and its morale was high at the prospect of going into the battle line.

Recent developments had brought the question of the employment of American troops into immediate consideration. The President's qualified approval of the recommendation of the supreme war council, as embodied in joint note No. 18, was seized upon by the allies and construed as a concession for the unlimited absorption of our troops in their armies.

No doubt my offer to General Foch lent encouragement to the allied view. Mr. Baker's visit to our armies during this critical period was fortuitous, as the problems that confronted us could then be seen in their true perspective. He had an opportunity to meet the allied leaders, both civil and military, and get in touch with conditions in the different countries.

Of still greater importance, we saw with his own eyes the building of our organization. He was a keen observer, with clear understanding and a logical mind, and obtained in a short time an accurate conception of our task and its difficulties.

Before Mr. Baker sailed for home I had sent him the letter quoted below, and, although we later discussed its contents briefly, it is given as showing the reaction of at least part of the British press at the time:

"April 5, 1918.—Dear Mr. Secretary: I noticed the other day that one of the British papers, in referring to the fact that plans had been made to send American troops to the assistance of the allies, stated this would relieve the British of the necessity of depleting the strength of the forces kept at home for defensive purposes. 'This suggests to my mind a certain political phase of the British situation which may give us additional explanation as to why Mr. Lloyd George and British representatives are so urgent in their appeals for assistance from America.'"

"Following this further, may I suggest that you give the matter serious thought? There is so very much at stake for us that it seems to me very frank representations should be made to the British government as to the urgency of their putting into the army every possible man that can be mustered to meet the immediate emergency. . . . 'It may be that you would think it advisable to go to London, or else to intimate to the President by cable the urgency of Great Britain's putting into the ranks every possible man to withstand the present German onslaught, even if they have to promise to withdraw them in six months, and of their doing so without waiting on us or counting on us in the slightest degree. There will be few enough men even with the best we all can do. It will be time enough for Great Britain to consider the defense of England after she has put forth every possible energy on the continent. Here is the place to beat Germany, not on British soil. In writing this I have in mind what you told me regarding available men in England.'"

(Continued next week)

BURSUM WON'T ACCEPT

H. O. Bursum will not accept the chairmanship of the republican state central committee, it was said at Santa Fe last week following the meeting of the special committee to select a successor to Edward L. Safford, state chairman. The state central committee will meet in Santa Fe August 8th to ratify the recommendation of the special committee. At a final meeting in Santa Fe Friday, former Judge Carl P. Duniform of Silver City was the unanimous choice, it was said.

CHEVROLET HAS 21 DOMESTIC FACTORIES IN THE UNITED STATES

Operations were started recently in the new bumper manufacturing plant of the Chevrolet Motor Company in Detroit, Michigan. W. S. Knudsen, president and general manager of the company announced recently.

Construction of the new plant, which has a total floor space of 35,000 square feet, was started early this spring and completed last month. Included in the mechanical installations are several innovations designed to facilitate the handling and fabrication of material.

The plant has an average monthly capacity of 70,000 sets of bumpers, Mr. Knudsen said. Actual production was started on May 26th, and it is expected that a full normal schedule will be in effect within the next few weeks.

This development is one of the few expansions made within the automobile industry within the past eighteen months and is Chevrolet's second within a year. The other was the purchase and operation of a commercial body building plant at Indianapolis last fall. Construction of the bumper plant brings the total number of Chevrolet domestic factories to 21, and enables the company to exercise further supervision over materials, workmanship and design of the features in the current line of sixes.

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In The District Court:
No. 5238. In the matter of the application for compensation under the workmen's compensation law of New Mexico arising from the injury of Joe Weldy, petitioner. July 2, 1931.

In The District Court:
No. 5239. Divorce. Lena May Willis vs. Frank Willis. No. 5340. In the matter of the correction and adjustment and tax matters of Rascoe and Barker, Roberts Dearborne Hdw. Co., and Carl Smith. L. 19, B. 9, Orig. Carlsbad and L. 2 and 4 and L. 5 and 6, B. 12; L. 1-3-5-6-7-9, B. 2, Greene Highland Add. to Carlsbad.

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LOCALS

W. H. Cobble made a trip to Portales Monday.

Mrs. E. B. Bullock and Mrs. L. B. Feather spent last Thursday and Friday in Roswell.

R. G. Knoedler and family and Miss Reva Knoedler of Blandinsville, Illinois, spent the Fourth in El Paso and Juarez, Mexico.

J. W. Withers is spending a fortnight with his parents on the ranch near Carrizozo. I. P. Davis who is spending the summer here accompanied him.

Merrill Sharp and family spent the week-end in the Sacramento mountains, occupying the Sharp cabin in the Artesia-Sacramento camp Saturday and Sunday.

Will Linell spent the week-end in Clouderoft and was accompanied home Monday night by his family, who had been spending a fortnight at the mountain resort.

Mrs. Beecher Rowan and daughter, Mrs. Ross Bowen, of Hollywood, California, drove to Roswell Monday and were accompanied home by Mrs. Ferris Arnold, who is spending a few days here with home folks.

Miss Ethel Bullock left Friday for a brief visit with friends in Amarillo, Texas. Miss Essie Levter formerly of Wilson, Oklahoma substituted for Miss Bullock as bookkeeper at the Peoples Mercantile Co., during her absence.


E. B. Bullock, Boy Scout executive drove up to the scout camp in Potato Canyon, in the Sacramento mountains, Saturday morning and is spending this week at the camp, with the boys. Dr. Stroup and wife, also went up Saturday morning and remained until Monday morning at Minor Huffman's private camp, Camp Kunhe, which is a short distance above the scout camp.

Mrs. Sam Williams and small daughter, Ann Adele, and her mother, Mrs. Woods, returned last Friday from a six weeks' visit to relatives at Ardmore, Oklahoma. They were accompanied home by a daughter of Mrs. Woods, Mrs. H. J. Stromberg, and two sons, Stanley and Billy, and a friend of Stanley's, Kenneth Bennett, all of Ardmore. Mrs. Stromberg and Billy expect to remain during this month, and Stanley will remain all summer. Kenneth Bennett plans to be here a fortnight. Mr. Williams was in from the ranch for the Fourth, and all three boys went back with him on Monday for an outing.



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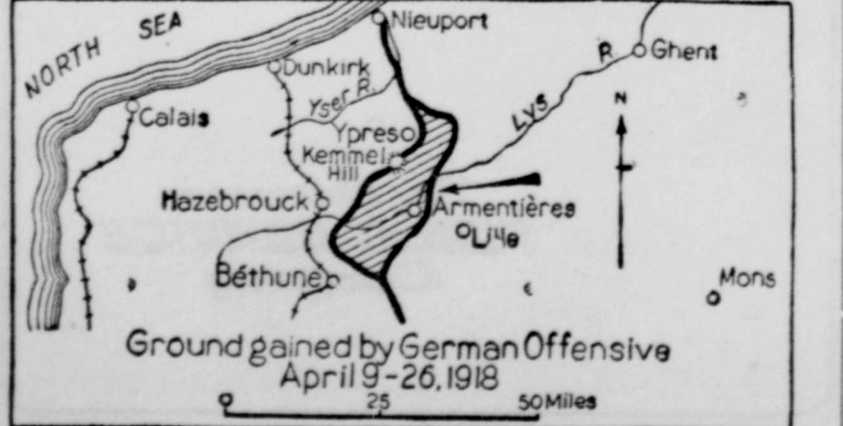
I then gave my view, which was set forth in a brief memorandum prepared in pencil after the discussion began, as follows: "The principal of unity of command is undoubtedly the correct one for the allies to follow. I do not believe it is possible to have unity of action without a supreme commander. We have already had experience enough in trying to co-ordinate the operations of the allied armies, without success. There has never been real unity of action."

"Such co-ordination between two or three armies is impossible no matter who the commander in chief may be. Each commander in chief is interested in his own army and cannot get the other commander's point of view nor grasp the problem as a whole. I am in favor of a supreme commander and believe that the success of the allied cause depends upon it."

"I think the necessary action should be taken by this council at once. I am in favor of conferring the supreme command upon General Foch."

When I had finished Mr. Lloyd George came over to where I sat, took me by the hand and said: "I agree fully with General Pershing. This is well put."

After some further informal discussion, a draft of the resolution was submitted which omitted reference to the American army. Whereupon I called attention to the oversight, saying: "I think this resolution should include the American army. The arrangement is to be in force, as I understand it, from now on, and the American army will soon be ready to function as such and



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services at 11:00 a. m.

at 7:30 p. m.

for Sunday, July 12,

Sacrament.

selection: "For I have

as an example, that ye

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MRS. NIXON HURT

NEAR TEXICO SUN. Mrs. Frances Nixon, of Hollywood, California, former resident of Santa Fe, was painfully hurt in an auto accident between Clovis and Texico Sunday when her car crashed into the rear end of a truck parked beside of the road. Mrs. Nixon was hurrying to Santa Fe to be at the bedside of a niece. For a number of years she was prominent in politics of the state and was also well known to many local oil operators.

11:00 a. m. morning worship. Sermon subject: "The Secret of Revelation." What is it? Where can it be found?

7:00 p. m. Junior Christian Endeavor Society.

7:00 p. m. United Young Peoples' service will be held this week at the Methodist church with the Epworth League in charge.

8:00 p. m. Evening worship. Christianity is the power which holds us in the hour of temptation and danger. It bids us believe that behind the cloud there is light; that the thing we do not yet see is real, that the universe is on our side, and that it is possible for us, that we see Him not to hold fellowship with God. How can you come into contact with Christianity if you neglect the church? Come to church next Sunday and hear the gospel.

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There are classes for all come next Sunday and study about the preaching of the apostles. Don't send your children to Sunday school—bring them! If you have no way to come call the pastor at 284 and a car will be sent for you.

Morning worship 11:00 a. m. "Stewardship of Money." What are you doing with the worldly goods God has placed in your hands? What does the Bible teach about financing the work of the church?

Young People's Service 7:00 p. m. Mrs. Erwin G. Benson, president. Subject for next Sunday night's discussion: "Pentecostal Possibilities for Youth."

Evangelistic service 8:00 p. m. Theme: "A Condemning Conscience." An undiscovered wrongdoing brings condemnation to the conscience of the wrong-doer. There is only one way to remove the condemnation of either discovered or undiscovered wrongdoing.

You will be a stranger only once. Come to church Sunday!

CARBON PAPER—The Advocate

LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. George Walton returned yesterday from Dallas, Texas, where they have been visiting for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Clark accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Ossie Colson of Carlbad on a trip to Santa Fe over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Buttermore returned Monday to their home at Frostoria, Ohio, after a week's visit to her sister, Mrs. N. T. Kelley and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Shugart and children and their guests, Mrs. Frank Middleton, Miss Mary Middleton and William Middleton of Marion, Indiana, spent the week-end at Cloudercroft.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Vandagriff, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Haskins, Loren Gelwick a brother of Mrs. Vandagriff and also a nephew of Mrs. Vandagriff both of Oklahoma, spent the week-end on the Ruidoso.

L. G. Monschke, left this week for Dallas, Texas, where he will join Mrs. Monschke and daughter who have been visiting relatives there several weeks. After a short visit, they will return to Artesia.

J. H. Jackson returned Friday from Buffalo, New York, where he attended the Woodmen of the World convention. En route home, Mr. Jackson had the privilege of making a trip to Montreal, Canada.

Rude Wilcox spent the Fourth and Sunday with his family at Lovington. Mrs. Wilcox mother and sister returned from Los Angeles this week and Mrs. Wilcox, who has been keeping house for her father will return home with her children this week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Painter and baby son, Robert, left Sunday morning for an extended trip east. They will visit Mr. Painter's relatives in Hutchinson and El Dorado, Kansas and later go on to Muskegon, Michigan, where they will visit Mrs. Painter's sister, Mrs. Sam Chestnut and family, former residents of Artesia. They will probably be absent all summer.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Mount and Mr. and Mrs. Ballard Spencer enjoyed a camping trip in the Capitan mountains the Fourth and Sunday. Sunday evening the Mounts returned home and the Spencers drove to the Merchant ranch to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Merchant for a day, and also to see Mrs. Spencer's brother, who had just returned home from the hospital.

PASOTERO WELL IN OTERO CO. IS MAKING VERY GOOD PROGRESS

EL PASO, Texas—After encountering live gas for the last 200 feet in Evans No. 1 test of the Pasotero northeast of El Paso, E. H. Irving, contractor is installing a master drilling valve to handle pressure that is expected within the next 150 or 200 feet. The well, drilled by California capital, was down 1,100 feet Monday morning. The drill now is in members of the Pennsylvania formation, alternating shales and hard black limestone which give up a small show of gas each time the bailer is dumped. The heaviest volume of gas appeared at 1,086 feet Sunday. The test is located in the southwest quarter of section 22, township 24 south, range 12 east of Otero County, New Mexico. Other operators recently indicated that additional tests would be sunk soon in this area, south of the Sacramento mountains, northeast of the Huecos and north of the Comudas.

FALL ABLE TO GO TO PRISON

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Convinced that Albert B. Fall is able to go to jail, the government asks that he be imprisoned at once. A decision to do this was reached after examination of a report on Fall's physical condition submitted by army doctors at William Beaumont hospital, near El Paso. Private physicians who examined Fall, expressed the opinion he was unable to make the trip to Washington. The government then requested the examination by army doctors and Fall spent several days in the hospital. District Attorney Rover said a study of their report had convinced the government Fall is in condition to stand the journey here. The physicians' report, which makes no recommendation, will be submitted to Justice Bailey.

COURSE OF PROSPERITY

A middle-western business man after touring New England says that section is further along the road to recovery than the rest of the country. He is surprised by the busy factories and the general air of optimism.

This situation should be reassuring to other sections which are not faring so well yet. Economists say that just as our weather movements travel from west to east, our economic movements travel from east to west. The middle west, south and far west were slower to feel the depression this time than the east. Now, according to precedent, improvement is on its way to them.—Albuquerque Journal.



THRILLS

"Mother!" What happiness can be packed in a word as you hear the voice of one you love. And long distance costs so little now. For example, station to station day rates

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STAMP OF CARLSBAD INSTALLS I. O. O. F. OFFICERS TUESDAY

J. B. Stamp of Carlsbad, district deputy grand master of the I. O. O. F. drove up from Carlsbad Tuesday evening and assisted in installing the following I. O. O. F. officers: Edward Bowen, noble grand; Walter Peppers, vice-grand; Paul A. Otts, secretary; John Richards, treasurer. Appointive officers installed were: T. E. Hinshaw, chaplain; L. A. Rideout, sng; Roy Pickett, lsg; Victor Buel, rsvg; A. N. Buel, lsvg; A. W. Irby, warden; Dave Gray, conductor; Frank Thomas, rrs; J. K. Hastie, lss; Ed Gray, outside guardian; Walter Graham, inside guardian.

CAVERN VISITORS SHOWS SMALL DROP IN JUNE

A six per cent decrease in the number of visitors at the Carlsbad Caverns National Park was reported during the month of June. The total number to see the Cavern during June was 11,803 as compared with 12,643 in June 1929.

ROSSELL NEGRO IS CHARGED WITH MURDER

J. L. Sanders, a negro, was charged with murder Monday for the death of Francisco Gamboa. Sanders said Gamboa tried to enter the Sanders home and he shot him.

GAR TAKEN FROM RIVER

About four thousand gar have been taken from the Pecos river below the Lake McMillan dam, since the erection of the wire fence last week, it was said at Roswell the first of the week and one thousand more have been trapped. Thirty or forty thousand fish will be distributed in the White Mountain area from the Eagle creek hatchery.

Out on a camping trip, her father was trying to reason his little girl out of her fears. He tried to explain to her that there was nothing to fear in the woods. "Papa," she asked, "ain't you afraid of bugs?" "No, dear."

"An' what may that be?" asked the Scotchman who was considering moving to Canada and was being shown a book of Canadian pictures. "That," explained the immigration promoter, glancing at the engraving of a huge antlered specimen of one of Canada's best known game animals, "that is a Canadian moose!"

"A moose?" exclaimed the Scot, closing the book. "Then I'm thinkin' I'll be bidin' at home! In a country with a moose like that what a turrable monster a rat would be!"

Advocate Want Ads Get Results



CUT DOWN ON CALORIES; LOAD UP ON VITAMINS, GOOD RULE FOR SUMMER

Eat Fruit To Keep Cool And "Peppy"

Summer has taken the place formerly occupied by spring and makes it timely talk about that alliterative occupation of keeping cool.

The less heat producing food we eat, the cooler we should keep physically; the less we worry over what to prepare, the cooler we should keep mentally. Calories, of course, produce not only fat, but heat, but we have to have some energy foods to provide the "pep" necessary for going places and doing things; vitamins we must have always with us. All of which brings us to a simple rule for summer eating: cut down on calories and load up on vitamins!

The head-of-the-class answer on how to accomplish this is contained in a five letter word—fruit! It's popular, it's economical, it's healthful—and it's good! Each succeeding week brings newcomers to the fruit markets; to supplement these fleeting seasonal joys we have the reliable standbys of citrus and canned fruits and that year round energy fruit, pasteurized dates, so excellent to "fortify" the delicate salads, desserts and fruit cups, and provide contrast in texture, color and flavor.

In buying your fruits, be sure to keep in close touch with the market, to take advantage of each new "special." Remember that sun ripened fruits are best. Most fruits may be kept in the ice box, altho not directly in contact with the ice. Berries must be kept clean and dry. Dates need not be put in the ice box—they keep as well on the pantry shelf, right in their own container. Be sure to save all the fruit juices for making cold drinks or combining with salad dressings.

Fruit-Cabbage Salad
3 cups shredded 1/2 pkg. pasteurized cabbage
1 cup fresh pineapple salad dressing
apple lettuce

Soak the cabbage in cold water until crisp. Drain thoroughly. Dice the pineapple, slice the dates and to French dressing or mayonnaise.

Jellied Ginger-Ale Salad
2 tbsps. gelatine 1 orange
1/2 cup cold water 1 apple, diced
2 cups ginger ale 1 banana
1 tbsps. lemon juice cut round
2 tbsps. sugar 1/2 cup cherries
1 cup dates, 1 cup whipped
sliced cream

Soak gelatine in water. Dissolve over hot water. Remove from fire, add to lemon juice, ginger ale and sugar. When it begins to stiffen pour over the fruit, arranged in layers in individual molds. Serve with whipped cream. Serves eight.

Dixie Peaches
3/4 cup shredded 1/2 cup jam
coconut 1/2 cup cream
6 peach halves whipped

Line 6 glass sherbet dishes with shredded coconut or coconut frostettes. Place a halved peach (canned or fresh) on the coconut with cut side up. Cover with peach syrup or sweetened fruit juice. Fill cavity in peach with family's favorite jam. Cover with whipped cream and top with a bit of jam, as a promise of more beneath. 6 servings. These may also be served on rounds of sponge cake.

Quiet Fourth
(Continued from first page) of the darkies who liked to have stopped a bullet has not been seen yet and it is presumed that he is still running. As a parting shot to show his disdain for the entire proceedings, it was said Connell used his car as a battering ram for the door of the old steam laundry building, quartering the negroes.

Later Connell and W. B. Cox were arrested by local officers charged with operating a car while intoxicated. They were landed in the old city jail building and within a few hours had almost succeeded in tearing out of a three inch iron pipe. Later Connell was removed to the new jail, where he apparently quieted down.

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SIXTEEN NEW AIR MAIL ROUTES IN EFFECT 10th

This section of the southwest is interested in the extensions of air mail service which were announced Wednesday by Postmaster General Brown. There will be 16 extensions of the service, the first of which will be put in operation between New York and Atlantic City on July 10.

SECOND HAY CROP IS ABOUT FINISHED

The second cutting of alfalfa hay has been practically finished and is now being marketed or stored. Approximately fifty per cent of the second crop is being left for seed, owing to the low market, which at the present time is around \$9.00 per ton. The quality is higher than usual, but not as much hay has been cut as the average at this time.

THREE ARTESIA GIRL SCOUTS ATTENDING CAMP MARY WHITE

Three Artesia Girl Scouts are registered at Camp Mary White for the first camp period which started July 5th. These girls are the Misses Ethelyn and Evelyn Cobble and Joan Wheatley. Three other girls expect to register for the second camp period which runs from July 19th to August 2nd. During the second period the local council hopes to have two leaders in training. At this time several national leaders will participate in the camp activities.

LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thomas were Roswell visitors yesterday.

Senator and Mrs. Z. B. Moon were business visitors to Roswell Tuesday.

Mrs. Ralph Shugart and her house guests made a trip yesterday to the Bottomless Lakes, southeast of Roswell.

M. E. Baish made a week-end trip to the Cimarron canyon, famed as one of the most beautiful spots in the whole country.

Lewis Howell of Weed was in Artesia today transacting business. He reports excellent range and crop conditions in the mountains.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Hawk of El Paso were week-end visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Douglas.

Mrs. John Shearman, Sr., and Miss Grace Shearman, of Roswell, spent the week-end here with Mrs. Shearman's son, John, Jr., and family.

Ralph Rogers and family arrived yesterday from Taft, California for a visit with his father, Charles Rogers, and other relatives and friends.

Will McBride, who lives on the McSlay ranch at Seagraves, Texas, returned to the ranch today after a few days visit to his wife, who is here for treatment.

R. N. Russell and family were in town from Roswell Tuesday evening. Mr. Russell has a job with the Chevrolet Co., at Roswell and moved there instead of back to Virginia as he had expected to do.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Benson made a trip to the mountains yesterday with their niece, Miss Margaret Olds, who is planning to return tomorrow to San Angelo, Texas, where she is training for nursing.

Miss Alice Gordon of Artesia and George Sterrett of Dexter, arrived Saturday to visit Mrs. Marie McLenathen and returned to their homes Sunday, taking with them Mrs. George Sterrett and baby who had been visiting Mrs. McLenathen—Cavern City Chronicle.

Mrs. John Beckett and Jeraldine drove to Hope Sunday and brot back with them, her nephew, Delbert Muncy, who is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Harve Muncy, this week. His mother, Mrs. Helen Muncy, came yesterday for a few days visit.

Mrs. R. O. Cowan returned last week from a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Leland Austin at McAllen, Texas. She made the trip with her son, Lloyd and returned with him to Dallas, making a short stay there before coming home.

Among the Artesians who took in the rodeo at Pimori on the 4th were Mr. and Mrs. Elzie Swift and Rachel Adele, Mr. and Mrs. Les Barnes, Kenneth Carroll of Amarillo, Mrs. Margaret Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. Rocky Kile, Mrs. J. P. Hare, Mrs. Bob Rehn and the Misses Lola and Jack Ward.

Mrs. W. T. Smith, who has been here several weeks visiting her sons, Mrs. Leon Barker and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Duncan, expects to return Sunday to her home at Hamilton, Texas. Mr. and Mrs. Duncan will drive over with her and spend a fortnight vacation visiting there.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Ragsdale, who had been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Stagner, on the Lawrence ranch, have returned to their home in El Paso. Mrs. Ragsdale was here and with her sister, Mrs. Will Edd Carter, Mrs. J. P. Stagner and family in Carlsbad, for a fortnight and Mr. Ragsdale was here for only a short visit.

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

JUVENILE OFFENDERS NOT WELL HANDLED WICKERSHAM SAYS

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Criticism of the federal government for allegedly dealing with its youthful law breakers on the same basis as older and hardened criminals was launched yesterday thru the white house by the now-disbanded Wickersham commission.

A formal report on "child offenders in the federal system of justice" asserted the government lacked proper equipment to mete out this type of justice" and recommended the treatment of juvenile delinquency be relegated almost entirely to the states.

No explanation was given at the white house for an apparent switch in the commission's line-up, whereby this report was published ahead of a study of the deportation of aliens from the United States. The document released yesterday was the fifth published by the commission, but was numbered as its sixth report. That upon the deportation of aliens was to be numbered five.

After a flat declaration that the concept of juvenile delinquency is "unknown to the federal penal code," the commission estimated that 2,243 boys and girls under 18 years of age were held in jail for violating various federal laws during the six months ending December 31, 1930.

Altho the offenses charged ranged from violations of the Mann act, the prohibition act, the motor theft laws and the anti-narcotic act the report asserted they "were in no way more serious than the average run of juvenile cases."

LEGION CONVENTION

(Continued from first page) tesia and they are to be commended for their untiring efforts to bring this convention here and the utmost co-operation and encouragement extended them in preparing and putting over the best program ever presented a convention in the state of New Mexico.

All Available Rooms in Demand
According to the housing committee, Rufus Wallingford and Fred Brainard, all available rooms will be in demand, (all rooms will be paid for). So far the citizens are responding nicely but if you have a spare room or can prepare one that you will possibly let out during the convention please report to the above housing committee. Clean up your coats, and crowd up your family for an emergency and help the boys and girls take care of the visitors.

The Legion and Auxiliary can not put on a real convention without the full co-operation of all Artesians and it is for Artesia that this convention is coming and not for the selfish benefit of the Legion. It is a good deed to put Artesia in the memory of all New Mexicans, let us all join hands and get going for the final lap of preparations.

About Decorations
A sample display for decorating business houses is on display at the Sanitary Grocery. These decorations can be secured for the duration of the convention including street and convention hall decorations for two prices. All on display including both top and bottom will cost \$5.00. All prices are business houses. The regulations flag is expected to be displayed by every business house and as many residences as can and will display the flag during the convention.

If all business men employing Legion members will arrange to give the boys the three days that they may join the delegation and give their services in carrying out the program, such co-operations will be appreciated. Lets every merchant and resident of this community get behind this and make it an outstanding success.

ANGLING BUT NOT EATING SPORT'S LATEST WRINKLE

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Barbless fish hooks are growing more popular and their use may mean an important development in the increase of game fish, says a bulletin of the American Game Association.

Barbless hooks are easy to remove and seldom seriously injure fish caught on them. Game officials believe their wider use will prevent a tremendous waste of undersized fish caught and returned to the water badly lacerated.

Many sportsmen are reported to be using barbless hooks and returning all of their catch to the water, declaring their fish for the sport and not for meat.

New Woodstocks, Coronas, and Remingtons, Rebuilds in all other makes at The Advocate.

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Woman Originated Red Cross Christmas Seal

The Red Cross Christmas Seal was introduced in the year 1907 by Miss Emily Bissell, secretary of the Delaware Red Cross at Wilmington. But Jacob A. Riss, the social reformer and author, was responsible for its adoption.

An article by Mr. Riss in the Outlook in 1907 on Christmas stamps and seals and how they had been sold in Denmark for the support of a children's hospital, gave Miss Bissell her idea. She accordingly appeared before the central committee with a stamp bearing a red cross and the words "Merry Christmas and Happy New Year," which that chapter desired to sell for the benefit of anti-tuberculosis work. Her suggestion was adopted, and by this method she raised \$1,000 toward paying for the site of the first tuberculosis sanitarium in Delaware—Hope farm.

The nation-wide sale of seals was thereafter sponsored as a means of raising funds and as an educational device by the Red Cross. The distribution is now, however, in the hands of the National Tuberculosis association and its many state and local branches, and the double-barred cross which appears on the Christmas seals is the symbol of that organization.

Whole World Enriched by Poet's "Golden Pen"

Omar Khayyam, Persian poet, was born about the middle of the Eleventh century at Nishapur, Khorassan, where he died about 1123. As an astronomer he was known for a revision of the Persian calendar, and occupied a position of importance at the court of Mahmud of Ghazni. It is as the author of a collection of quatrains, called the Rubaiyat, that Omar Khayyam is more popularly known.

These poems—isolated, impulsive, unrestrained and characterized by rapid transitions from love ministrals to grave argument, and from a deadly fatalism to ribald tavern songs—are an interesting development of Persian mysticism. There is little doubt that Omar was not the author of all the poems which inspired his translator Fitzgerald's pen. Fitzgerald's translation was first published anonymously in 1859. "Rubal" (or rubary) is the Persian word for quatrain or epigram, a stanza of four lines, rhyming. "Rubaiyat" means a collection of quatrains.

Paris of the East

After visiting the often picturesque but unattractive and shabby Chinese quarters of Shanghai, the European part of the city, known as the Bund is most striking in contrast. Facing the water front, it is a combination of Riverside drive in New York and Michigan boulevard in Chicago. Great banks, legations, fine residences, hotels, and great commercial houses give it a princely appearance. Foochow road is the "great white way," Rubicon road is the great motor drive, and between these and the gay life of the city, elbowing one's way through crowds of Chinese, to tea houses, theaters or the great pagoda of the Loong-wha-loy Temple, the tourist has thrills enough for hours or days as he may wish.

LABOR LAW BOOK

State Labor Commission has announced that the state labor and industrial relations commission has just received a mission in which the labor laws of the state are listed in book form. Copies of the book are being distributed free of charge to labor organizations in the state. The book is published by the State Labor Commission, State Capitol, Santa Fe, N. M.

"Cooper," Not "Cowper"

Few names in English literature are more commonly mispronounced than that of the English poet, William Cowper (1731-1800), says an article in Pathfinder Magazine. There is conclusive evidence that the poet and members of his family, as well as his contemporaries, always pronounced the name "cooper," of which it is merely a variant form. Cowper's ancestors spelled the name "Cooper." John Cooper, who was an alderman of London and who died in 1600, changed the spelling to "Cowper" and that spelling was followed by his descendants. But the pronunciation did not change with the spelling.

Ground Hog Superstition

The Scotch say, "If Caudlemas is fair and clear, there'll be two winters in the year." There is a Latin proverb of the same import. The French have a similar rhyme and so have the Germans, and peoples of other European countries, for according to the superstition, if ground hog, or some of his kind, performs on this day. In Germany it is the badger whose shadow portends cold weather; in France, the marmot; in England, the hedgehog; and elsewhere the bear. American pioneers merely fastened upon the ground hog an idea brought from abroad.

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