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## Green No. 1 Gets Second Flow Of Gas On Tuesday

### Possibilities Of Oil Are Also Present — Hobbs Big Gasser May Also Develop Into Largest Oil Well In Field.

Local oil interest is centered this week in the Green No. 1 of the Western Drilling Co., NW 1/4 sec. 29-17-29 which Tuesday night developed a second flow of gas at 2,255 feet, which ran the estimated gas output to 2,000,000 to 3,000,000 feet. A million feet of gas was encountered at 2,176-80 feet. Drilling operations have been continued on the test with the hope that additional gas may be developed.

Apparently the Green No. 1 is running high, which brightens the prospects for one of the largest gas wells of the area. While a real oil well might come as a big surprise at this stage of development, this section is not without its possibilities.

Aside from preparing to test possibly the biggest well yet completed in the Hobbs field, operations in the Hobbs pool have been more or less routine in their nature. One or two completions will likely be made before the close of another week. The A. No. 23, State No. 4 of the Continental Oil Co., sec. 33-18-38, an offset well on the west edge of the Hobbs pool, not only gives promise of outstripping other wells in the matter of gas production, but in the output of oil as well, according to the latest information from the field. The test blowing in for 128,000,000 feet of gas and 6,000 barrels of oil has been drilled deeper and will be given a proration test soon, it was stated.

### MEXICAN FOUND DEAD

Juan Silva, about 70 years old, a resident of eastern New Mexico for about 30 years, was found dead on the ranch of R. C. Worswick and company, 55 miles northwest of Roswell, Friday morning, after having been dead about two days.

A Lincoln county coroner's jury pronounced the death accidental probably resulting from heart failure. He was last seen alive by ranchmen Tuesday afternoon, and apparently was in good health. The body was discovered in his room at the Worswick ranch.

### ROAD COMMITTEE TO SANTA FE NEXT WEEK

A road committee consisting of Fred Brainard, manager of the Artesia Chamber of Commerce, Col. A. T. Woods and G. R. Brainard expect to go to Santa Fe next week to interview Governor Seligman in regard to improvements on Highway 83. The committee is of the opinion that this section is entitled to some highway improvements since no appointments were made from this district.

### BIG PECAN YIELD

Alf Coll gathered 250 pounds of pecans off of one of his pecan trees this year, proving conclusively that nuts can be successfully raised in this locality. The nuts are good grade.

### MRS. WALTERSCHIED DEAD

Mrs. Margaret E. Walterschied a citizen of Eddy county for more than twenty-five years, died Thursday morning at 9:15 o'clock at her home in Carlsbad, of a complication of diseases and the infirmities of age.

Her husband died at Carlsbad June 12.

Two sons, Will of Carlsbad and Edward of the Hoover Dam, and four daughters, Katherine and Trisilla of Carlsbad; Mrs. Hedwig O'Neil and Christine of Big Spring, Texas survive.

The Walterschieds are former residents of Artesia and are well known here. Edward worked for Brainard-Corbin Hardware Co., for some time, several years ago.

### ECCLES HERE

W. R. Eccles, district highway engineer of Roswell, was down Tuesday inspecting some road work in this section. Mr. Eccles reports that the highway program over the state is quiet at this time, there being only two major road projects under construction in the state now.

**TYPEWRITERS**  
New Woodstocks, Coronas, and Remingtons, Rebuilt in all other makes at The Advocate.

## NUMBER OF CATTLE SHIPPED TO MARKET AND ARIZONA RANGE

Thirty or thirty-two cars of cattle will be loaded out of the Artesia and Lakewood pens to-day, most of the shipment will go to market, while a few cars will be placed on the Arizona range. Among the shippers loading out to-day include: Ed Watts of Hope, two cars; David Gentry, two cars; W. W. Lock, three cars; J. S. Clements, one car; and E. E. Jernigan, twelve cars. The above shipments will go to market.

Col. Williams is also loading out ten or twelve cars of heifers from the Lakewood pens to-day. This shipment will go to Kingman, Arizona, where it was understood the heifers will be placed on the range.

## THE RED CROSS ROLL CALL IS COMPLETED OVER THE WEEK END

Mrs. Albert Richards, Red Cross roll call chairman makes the following report of the annual Red Cross roll call, which ended Saturday: Total membership secured 61; total national dues collected \$30.50; total local dues collected \$30.50; local donations made other than the membership fund \$14.36; grand total of all collections \$75.36; amount paid to national Red Cross headquarters \$30.50; total amount of collections which will remain in Artesia \$44.86.

The roll call in one respect was disappointing; many felt that the Artesia Red Cross chapter should have reached the 100 mark, however, the present membership exceeded the number of members secured a year ago. Pressing needs for the local welfare work was probably the cause of the poor showing made this year.

## J. B. MUNCY WAIVES PRELIMINARY IN THE JUSTICE COURT HERE

J. B. Muncy waived preliminary hearing here Friday before the justice of the peace court when arraigned on charge of assault with a deadly weapon in connection with the altercation with J. R. Bradley, Thursday morning, during which time Bradley received a flesh wound in the right arm.

Muncy was placed under a \$500 bond, awaiting the action of the Eddy county court. He also made a \$250 peace bond as did the three Bradley brothers, tenants on the Muncy farm.

### FASTER SCHEDULE

The new train schedule effective November 29th as carried in last week's paper will provide for the Pecos valley a better and faster service to eastern points, train No. 26 leaving Artesia at 9:07 p. m., will run thru to Amarillo. Two new motor cars eighty feet in length and powered with heavy motors have been assigned to this run. Direct connection at Kansas City at 4:55 p. m. the following day. Two hours and twenty minutes shorter time than previously. The connection for Cheyenne leaves Clovis at 8:40 a. m. and the connection for the south remains the same as at present.

## COTTON GRADE AND STAPLE HOLDING UP WELL REPORTS SHOW

Final delivery grade on 1,900 bales of cotton shipped thru the Artesia Alfalfa Grower's Ass'n. has been received from Galveston Texas. Tabulations includes all cotton ginned by the Association and also all cotton classed by the local association office. The grade and staple indicates that the cotton is of high quality.

The classification of the 1,900 bales speaks for itself, which is as follows: total number of bales classed as middling 12; number of bales strict middling 880; number of bales as good middling 1,008. In classing for staple: 8 bales graded fifteen sixteenths; 22 bales graded one inch; 523 bales graded one and one thirty-second; 1,217 bales one and one sixteenth; 130, one and three thirty-seconds.

The above computations were made on all cotton handled up to November 8th. The twelve bales of middling cotton was ginned during November. Nothing below strict middling was ginned prior to November 8th.

The cotton has been sold on a basis which averages for the entire lot 27.2 off NY December 25 off. This is with exception of 400 bales of strict and good middling which has not yet been sold according to the Association, but (Continued on last page, column 1)

## SMALL TAX PAYERS IN STATE MAY FORM ORGANIZATION SOON

### Hold First Meeting In Las Cruces November 30th — Special Session Legislature May Be De- manded By Body.

Possibility that the small tax payers in the state may organize is expressed in a letter from W. T. Scoggins to The Advocate. The letter is self explanatory:

Las Cruces, Nov. 23, 1931.

The Artesia Advocate, Artesia, New Mexico.

Gentlemen:

Mr. Roach general chairman of all committee working on taxes in Dona Ana county, has asked me to head the committee inquiring into public sentiment relative to a special session of the New Mexico legislature, convened for the purpose of writing a more equitable law for our state. The small tax payer, particularly those owning real estate, whether town property or farm land, are paying what we believe to be an unjust proportion of government expense. It is our purpose to organize all of the small tax payers of the state, into one general organization, that we may, ourselves, be able to compel equity and justice in matters of not only expenditures of public funds, but fairness to all in raising revenue.

From previous publicity sent out to the Associated Press, the public may think this is a farm bureau movement. That organization represents less than 2% of the tax payers of Dona Ana county; while it is represented on the committee, the man having this whole matter in charge, and the one who initiated it, is Paul Roach, Dona Ana county tax assessor.

We would like very much a personal letter from you, addressed to Paul Roach, giving your views as to whether we should have a special session of the legislature. Our present rolls are made up, and a great majority of the small tax payers in this county, particularly farmers, will not be able to pay their taxes. Unless we get a special session, there can be no relief for two years. By that time, many of our best citizens in this locality, will have lost their property.

Very truly yours,  
W. T. SCOGGINS.

P. S.—We would like your letter at the general mass meeting to be held at Las Cruces, in Dona Ana county, on November 30th. A representative from your paper is cordially invited.

## WHEATLEY INJURED IN AUTO ACCIDENT NEAR PLAINVIEW

Rex Wheatley, president of the Joyce Fruit Co., was rather seriously injured in an auto accident, near Plainview, Texas, early Sunday morning, according to word received here. Mr. Wheatley with J. A. King and Ellis Carter, directors of the Joyce-Fruit Co., were en route from Lubbock to St. Louis, Missouri, in the car of Mr. King. The King car collided with a truck with painful results to Mr. Wheatley and Mr. King. It was necessary to take six stitches in a gash over an eye of Mr. Wheatley, who was also cut on the back of the head. Mr. King received a black eye, while the other passenger escaped with minor bruises.

The injured members of the party received medical aid in Plainview and proceeded on to St. Louis. A frosted windshield on the King car is said to have been responsible for the accident.

## NEW POTASH COMPANY

The New Mexico Potash and Chemical Co., has been granted a charter by the State Corporation Commission, according to advices from Santa Fe. Charles Lamb, formerly connected with the State Corporation Commission and several New Mexicans are the stockholders.

Company holdings include a large number of acres in southeastern New Mexico. Contracts have been let for the development to start at an early date.

## WE THANK YOU

The following have renewed their subscription to The Advocate the past week:

R. F. Jessee E. A. Paton  
N. C. Doering W. R. Cook  
V. H. McNutt S. T. Mapps  
L. F. Bird W. T. Haldeman  
H. J. Grundemeir  
J. G. Moutrey & Sons

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## FIRST SNOW FALL OF THE SEASON

The middle section of the Pecos valley has experienced its most protracted cold spell of the season this week. Temperatures have ranged from 21 the lowest thermometer reading to 68 for the highest reading during the period according to W. Bruce weather observer. Despite a light snow, Wednesday morning, the temperature registered only 28. About an eighth of an inch of moisture fell here Tuesday night, it was lighter in the Roswell

## 350 CANS BEEF AND SOUP CANNED BY LEGION FOR NEEDY

Members of the American Legion met at the old laundry building on N. First Street Sunday and canned 350 cans of beef and soup under the supervision of Bryant Savoie. The beef was furnished by Col. Woods, the gas for heat was furnished by the Pecos Valley Gas Co., and the plumbing connections for the stoves was donated by Rowland and Rideout. Another beef may be canned next Sunday at the same place to insure a winter's supply of canned meat for the Community Chest. The beef canned last Sunday was stored with other foods of the Community Chest.

## THE CROP GATHERING OPERATIONS SPEEDED AS LABOR COMES IN

### Surplus Cotton Pickers Headed This Way — Crop Will Soon Be All Gathered South Of Ar- tesia.

With more labor in the cotton fields, picking operation continue at a normal rate despite the cold weather which has prevailed here for the past two or three days. Some sections of the valley appear to have a surplus of pickers while others need help to get the cotton gathered before colder weather, which may be expected soon.

## FOOTBALL SEASON TO END TODAY--ARTESIA MEETS ANCIENT RIVAL

Local football fans will have an opportunity to witness the last football game this afternoon, when the Artesia high school Bulldogs will go into action against the Carlsbad Cavemen at the Brainard Park, beginning at 2:30 p. m. At the last meeting of the two teams, two weeks ago, the Cavemen were able to tie the locals 6-6. With all injuries healed, Coach Allen's charges should come out of the fray with the big end of the score unless the dope bucket is upset, but the possibility of upsetting the dope is another thing that adds interest to the game.

The Artesia lads will go into the contest determined to win and if they don't it will be no fault of theirs.

## MAIL YOUR PACKAGES EARLY THIS XMAS

The United States Postal department of course believes there is a Santa Claus—but it also rightfully thinks the public ought to help the old gentleman in his yuletide labors by shopping now and mailing early.

The call for early mailing of Christmas cards and parcels has already been issued by post office department officials at Washington and is seconded by E. A. Hannah, Artesia postmaster. It is not a bit too soon now to begin preparing packages destined to foreign countries or distant states.

These dates are suggested by Mr. Hannah as the final times for dispatching Christmas mail: not later than December 21 for state and local mail.

Written greetings, such as "Merry Christmas," "Happy New Year," "With Best Wishes," and so forth, may be inclosed with third class or fourth class—parcel post—mail. Books may bear simple dedicatory inscriptions not of a personal nature. Others written additions subject parcels to letter postage.

Christmas seals or stickers should not be placed on the addressed side of mail.

Parcels may not exceed 100 inches in length and girth combined or 70 pounds in weight. The weight limitation is 44 pounds or less on mail to the Philippine Islands, except the city of Manila.

See the new Remington Portable "Noiseless" Typewriter—Artesia Advocate.

## ARRESTED ON CHECK CHARGE HERE SAT.

Samuel Bratcher, who gave his address at Phoenix, Arizona, was arrested here Saturday by Ross Conner, deputy sheriff on charge of giving a bogus check for an automobile in Arizona.

Bratcher waived extradition and will be returned to Arizona to face the charge of issuing the worthless check.

## DEWEY ELLIS HURT IN AN ACCIDENT AT REFINERY PLANT

Dewey Ellis of the Ellis Refining Co., located in the oil field some twenty-three miles east of here was painfully injured Sunday when A. C. Horner a workman accidentally dropped a two inch valve on his head. The valve fell some twelve feet and rendered Mr. Ellis unconscious for a short time, cutting a gash in the top of his head. Five stitches were necessary to sew up the wound.

## MRS. CLOWE'S FATHER DIES

Mr. and Mrs. D. I. Clowe were called to the Portales section last Thursday morning by the death of Mrs. Clowe's father, S. G. Reddy, age 80, who passed away Thursday morning after an extended illness. Mr. Reddy had been in failing health some four or five years.

Funeral services were held Friday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Clowe returned home Friday evening.

## GEOLOGIST LOST IN THE GAUDALUPE MTS. IS FOUND TUESDAY

Charles A. Lindberg, sixty-five year old geologist was still lost some place in the Gaudalupe mountains Monday night according to word from Carlsbad.

Forest rangers and cowboys organized into searching parties have been hunting for Lindberg since last Thursday night when he was last seen near upper Dark Canyon. His auto, it is believed ran out of gasoline and Lindberg became lost in the wild connecting canyons while trying to take a short cut to a village for gasoline.

The severe snowstorms of the past few days have not yet reached the Gaudalupe section. Lindberg has done a great deal of work in the southeastern New Mexico oil regions for major companies, but more recently has been prospecting for himself.

Mr. Lindberg was found late Monday afternoon, none the worse for being stranded, word from Carlsbad says.

In an almost inaccessible small canyon off Dark Canyon, the differential in his car was broken, and he rolled the car into a clump of walnut trees for protection.

He pinned three notes where he thought members of his party would find them, and one of those fastened to a gate, guided the "rescue party" to him.

## ARTESIA — ROSWELL BID FOR BASKET TOURNAMENT IN SPRING

Artesia and Roswell are the chief contenders for the annual Pecos valley high school basketball championship to be held during the early part of March. George White, of Carlsbad, chairman of district five of the New Mexico Athletic Association has sent each school in the district a ballot, which entitles the school to one vote on the choice of place to hold the tournament. Eleven schools are in the district as follows: Roswell, Dexter, Hagerman, Lake Arthur, Artesia, Hope, Carlsbad, Old Hobbs, New Hobbs, Tatum, and Lovington.

Last year the tourney was held at Roswell, while on the two previous years it was held here.

## LEGION--BOY SCOUTS PLAY SANTA CLAUS THIS YEAR TO POOR

The American Legion with the aid of the Artesia Boy Scouts will play Santa Claus this year, it was announced recently. Broken and unwanted toys will be gathered up by the scouts and placed at the disposal of the Legion to be repaired before Christmas. Local people are no doubt familiar with the plan that has been followed heretofore with the sponsoring organization. Plans have been made to have the Boy Scouts make a canvass of the town Saturday and the Saturday following, which will be December 5th.

If you have any old toys about your place, kindly gather them up and have them ready when the boys call. The toys will be taken to the Meyer Store on first street and there will be repaired and made ready for distribution to the needy children.

## STORES TO CLOSE A HALF HOUR EARLY BEGINNING MONDAY

Twenty-one Artesia stores signed up to close at 5:30 in the afternoon beginning Monday, November 30th, in a petition circulated by Walter Douglas and Miss Ethel Bullock of the Peoples Mercantile Co., Tuesday. The stores have also moved the opening hour up until 7:00 a. m. The new closing and opening schedule will be maintained thru the months of December, January and February.

## CALL DEMOCRATS

The democratic national committee has been called to meet at Washington January 9th to decide the time and place of the party convention in June.

John J. Raskob, national chairman, dispatched the call by mail. The meeting will be at the Mayflower hotel, where the committee last March got together in the stormy session at which the leadership of Raskob was challenged by southern attendants.

## SCHOOLS TO CLOSE FOR THANKSGIVING

Superintendent Kerr announced Tuesday that the Artesia schools would close on Wednesday for Thanksgiving and remain closed the rest of the week.

## P. V. MEDICAL ASS'N. MEETS

The Pecos Valley Medical Association closed the 22nd annual convention in Roswell Saturday, with a good attendance. Dr. F. F. Doepf of Carlsbad was elected president of the association and Dr. W. T. Joyner of Roswell was re-elected sec-treas. Carlsbad was chosen as the next convention site. Doctors H. A. Stroup and C. Russell of Artesia attended the association.

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### EASY MONEY

Occasionally we see where some new finance company has entered the field to make confidential loans to responsible individuals. The manner in which a few of these finance companies can explain the workings of their plan makes a beautiful theory to listen to, but oftentimes proves very impractical, as the man or woman who happens to get caught in one of these schemes can testify. These companies charge anywhere from 10 to 100 per cent interest and get away with it, under a contract signed by the individual. There are a number of items that can be charged for in addition to interest, which enables the fakers to avoid the usury law.

Even some building and loan companies have been guilty of misrepresentation. They often get as high as eighteen per cent on the investment, although they tell the prospect that it will amount to only ten per cent, if the loan is paid out, even so, the investor has paid out practically 100 per cent interest, if he stays with it to the bitter end. All of which reminds us that it is a poor salesman who can not make his proposition look flattering on paper, but the practical working side of the situation is altogether a different thing.

A good share of the present pressing times can be laid at the door of this so called high financing and easy money. A good many individuals have paid dearly for the easy money. The situation can be likened to a man bleeding to death in a bath tub of warm water, the process may not be very painful, but it will get you in the end.

### THE CROP GATHERERS

West Texas has turned loose a great horde of cotton pickers who have drifted into the Pecos valley. At the present rate it will only be a short time now until the crop is gathered and the laborers will be looking for work. Few of them will have accumulated funds sufficient to carry them thru the winter. Some will return home, while others will remain with us. The burden of support thru the winter months in many instances will rest with the Community Chest, unless work is provided.

Means should be worked out to provide some sort of a public improvement program, even if it is on a small scale. We are facing a situation where we can get cheap materials and labor. Oil for instance will be given for experimental work on streets. If there ever was an opportunity of a life time, it looks as though the next few months will bring this to pass; a time when we can accomplish a great deal at a small cost.

### THANKSGIVING

This is the day that the more fortunate have winged their way into a turkey. Today is a day of thanksgiving, an occasion that will be overlooked by many who really have cause to give thanks. Some have faced the day with a few material things to be thankful for, however material things are not to be desired above everything else. While some have scarcely enough to eat, they have something to be thankful for, above all good health, for after all good health is the chief concern of the individual.

We have been blessed with an abundant harvest. We have been spared from national calamity. Above all we are at peace with other people. Such adversity as we have suffered should quicken our sympathies and develop within us a spirit of sacrifice for others, for in many cases the causes of their troubles are beyond our control.

We do not agree with the man who said the observance of Thanksgiving this year would be merely a mockery.

### OPPORTUNITY

Master of human destiny am I—  
Fame, love fortune on my footsteps wait;  
Cities and fields I walk; I penetrate  
Deserts and seas remote, and passing by  
Hovel and mart and palace, soon or late  
I knock unbidden once at every gate—  
If sleeping, wake; if feasting, rise before  
I turn away. It is the hour of fate!  
And they who follow me reach every state  
Mortals desire, and conquer every foe  
save death; but those who doubt or hesitate,  
Condemned to failure, penury and woe,  
Seek me in vain and uselessly implore—  
I answer not, and return no more.

Nobody can think of a valid reason why university professors should be exempted from paying income tax and yet the professors rather resent the efforts of the federal agents to collect the income tax. The numerous classes of exemptions combined with the increasing number of federal bureaus is largely responsible for the mounting tax rate.

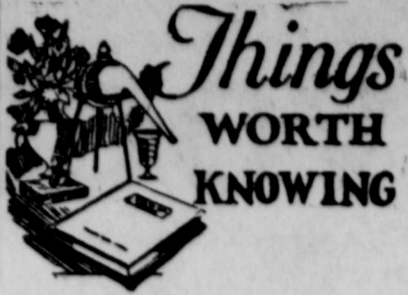
Life is mostly froth and bubble;  
Two things stand like stone;  
Kindness in another's trouble,  
Courage in one's own. —Author Unknown.

Advocates of government ownership of public utilities never tire of pointing to the post office department as an example, says the Toledo Blade. The present postal deficit is only \$150,000,000.

Co-operative marketing of wheat has been a great success except for the fact that the farmers wouldn't co-operate and there hasn't been any market.

Science says that it is next to impossible to create a perfect vacuum, altho at times we think we have almost accomplished the impossible.

Her whistle can make a lot of noise, but it's her propeller that pushes the steamer forward.



Whether you like a little or a lot of rainfall, you can find it in the United States. The annual rainfall varies from 120 inches in the Olympic Mountains of Washington to less than 5 inches in southeastern California.

Do not let pullets roost on tree limbs in the fall when they start to lay. This is a habit some pullets acquire on hot summer nights. To break them of the habit, confine them to the laying house for a few days, or clip the flight feathers on one wing.

Many people think that persimmons are not edible until they have been frozen or touched by frost. Freezing is injurious to persimmons as it is to other fruits. If they are not free from astringency and fit to eat before frost, it is because the variety is a late one and the persimmons have not matured.

Better methods of soil building and intensive soil cultivation have diminished the need for clearing up new lands for crop production. This favors the growing of timber as a crop on the less fertile or more broken parts of the farm, and makes it a part of the regular farm program.

The nicotine-sulphate treatment is one of the best ways to control lice in poultry flocks including a large number of pullets, says the U. S. Department of Agriculture. Paint the top of the roosts with liquid nicotine sulphate in late afternoon just before the birds go to roost. The fumes will kill the lice during the night. The use of sodium-flouride dust for controlling lice on poultry necessitates handling the pullets. This frightens them and may check egg production.

### POULTRYMEN TO MEET ON DECEMBER 17TH

Roswell has been selected for the scene of the 1934 convention of the state poultrymen's association, according to announcement last week. The annual meeting will be held on the last day of the Chaves county poultry show, to be staged December 17, 18, 19.

The convention is expected to bring approximately sixty poultrymen to Roswell from Portales, Clovis, Las Vegas, Carlsbad, Artesia and other eastern New Mexico points. A banquet for poultrymen will be held Friday, December 18, a business session Saturday morning, and an educational program Saturday afternoon.

### WELCH TRIAL COST CHAVES SUM \$1,815.94

The Gifford I. Welch case cost Chaves county a total of \$1,815.94, court records of Chaves county showed.

This was the bill which Eddy county submitted to Chaves when the Welch case was tried at Carlsbad several weeks ago on a change of venue from Chaves county. The check to cover this amount has been forwarded to Eddy county by the clerk of the Chaves county district court.

### FREIGHT RATE ON CRUDE OIL IS CUT

SANTA FE — The Panhandle and Santa Fe Railroad has been granted permission by the New Mexico corporation commission to decrease its rate on crude oil between Carlsbad and Roswell from fifteen to eight cents a hundred pounds.

The new rate was made by agreement between the railroad and shippers, T. B. Gallagher, general freight and passenger agent said.

### ROSWELL MAN DIES SUDDENLY SUNDAY

W. H. Abernathy, 65, prominent Roswell business man, died suddenly Sunday afternoon while reading a newspaper in the office of the Pecos Valley Realty Insurance company at Roswell. His death was caused by heart failure. Mr. Abernathy who had been in ill health for several months, is survived by a daughter and two sons.

### FAT GIRLS! HERE'S A TIP FOR YOU

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Be sure and do this every morning for "It's the little daily dose that takes off fat" and brings "that Kruschen feeling" of energetic health and activity that is reflected in bright eyes, clear skin, cheerful vivacity and charming figure.

Get an 85c bottle of Kruschen Salts at any drug store (lasts 4 weeks)—you must be satisfied with results or money back.

## HEALTH COLUMN

### DIPHThERIA PREVALENT

There is an unusual prevalence of diphtheria in the state at the present time. Eighty-eight cases were reported in October and 41 in the first half of November. The figures for the corresponding periods last year were 37 and 11 respectively.

If treated early with a sufficient dose of antitoxin diphtheria can always be cured. Children die because their parents do not suspect that a little sore throat may be the beginning of diphtheria and so delay calling a doctor. Occasionally when the diphtheritic membrane is not visible even the best doctor may miss diphtheria in the early curable stage.

The tragedy is that these cases might all have been prevented if the parents would have taken their children at nine months or one year of age to have toxoid treatments from the family doctor. Prevention with toxoid is cheaper and safer than cure with antitoxin. Prevention should not be delayed until school age. Since 1916 in New York City 75 per cent of those dying from diphtheria have been children under 5 years of age.

The diphtheria prevention commission of New York has closed its 3-year campaign this month. More than half a million children have been immunized in that city during the campaign. The results have been striking. The average number of cases for the 24-year period before the campaign was more than 10,000 per year. Deaths averaged about 1,000 per year. In 1930 there were 3,794 cases and 198 deaths. For the first ten months of the present year there have been 3,377 cases and 130 deaths. The cost of the campaign is estimated at \$140,000 a year and the economic saving is estimated at \$10,000,000. Prevention pays.

Mr. and Mrs. George Dixon and children are spending Thanksgiving with Mrs. Dixon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. St. John in Roswell.

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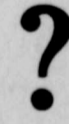
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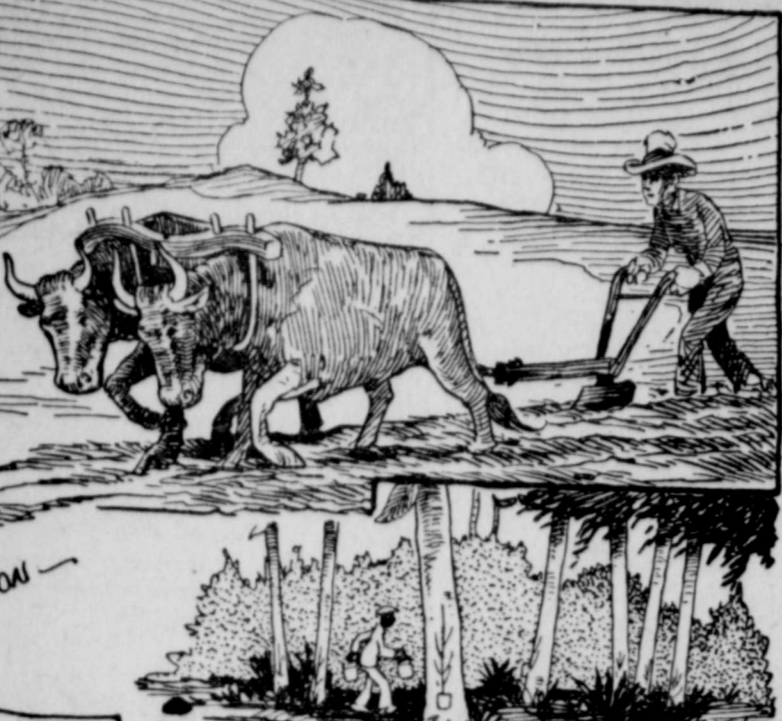
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LAKE ARTHUR ITEMS

Miss Ella Ohlenbusch, Reporter

Miss Amelia Ohlenbusch was on the sick list for several days last week.

Johnny Graham left last week with a car load of cattle for Kansas City, Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Doyle and A. V. Flowers were transacting business in Roswell Saturday.

The Boys began their basketball practice last Monday. Their first match will be with Hagerman.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Schulze of Artesia were callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. Ohlenbusch Sunday.

K. A. Bivens who has been ill for the past two or three weeks is reported to be able to be about again.

Lewis McLarry of Cuba, this state arrived here last week for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben McLarry.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Clark of Topeka, Kansas, first cousin of Mrs. W. L. Bradley are visiting at the Bradley home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Duncan and daughters of Carlsbad, were weekend guests of Mrs. Duncan's sister, Mrs. Bob Bailey and family.

Rev. and Mrs. R. A. Hingst, pastor of the Lutheran church at Roswell were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. Ohlenbusch Sunday.

The box social which was held at the high school auditorium last Friday night was well attended. The money which was raised will go for the benefit of the athletic fund.

The small infant baby of Mr. and Mrs. Hew's was seriously ill Saturday. The child accidentally swallowed a closed safety pin which caused him to have several spasms. He is reported to be doing nicely now.

DERRICK—HAMMONS

The marriage last Saturday of Miss Mattie Derrick to Mr. Roy Hammons will be of interest to their many friends of this community. They were quietly married in Roswell Saturday.

Mrs. Hammons was the oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Derrick of this community, and Mr. Hammons is the oldest son of Mr. Hammons, also of this community. The Advocate joins in extending congratulations.

Paul Childress of Joplin, Missouri spent the past week in the Cottonwood community looking after property interests. He was accompanied to this section by a friend, Don Allen, also of Joplin. While here Messrs. Childress and Allen were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Bobo.

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Warranty Deeds: Alcarrio Hernandez to Antonio Lopez \$1.00 S 1/2 SW 1/4; SW 1/4 SE 1/4 8; NW 1/4 NE 1/4 17-19-25. Antonio Cordova to Ysirdo Dominguis \$75. L. 6, B. 10, Artesia.

November 17, 1931. Warranty Deeds: T. F. Reddy to Earl Collins \$2,000. L. 14, 16, B. 1, Forest Hill Add. to Artesia. M. O. Williamson to Frank Watkins \$360. SW 1/4 NW 1/4; N NW 1/4 SW 1/4 4-18-25.

In The District Court: No. 5310. Divorce. Eva May Bell vs. Bill Bell. No. 5311. Divorce. Manuel Chaves vs. Clatelda Alvarez Chaves.

November 18, 1931. Warranty Deeds: L. G. Wilson to M. W. Evans \$700 Block 4 and N 1/2 5, 2-16-26. Pearl Miller to First National Bank \$5,120 L. 5, 7, 9, B. 2, Forest Hill Add. to Artesia. G. W. Moore to C. S. Neal \$2,750. L. 14, B. 82, Lowe Add. to Carlsbad. Jackson-Bolton Chev. Co. to V. D. Bolton \$80 W. 50 Ft. L. 5, 6, 7, 8, and 9, B. 18, Blair Add. to Artesia.

In The District Court: No. 5312. Suit for Compensation. Chas. Kuykendall vs. S. W. Public Service Co., et al. No. 5313. Foreclosure of Chattel. A. J. Crawford vs. Lula May Atwell. \$150.00.

November 19, 1931. In The District Court: No. 5314. Divorce. Katie Burton vs. John C. Burton.

November 20, 1931. Deeds: F. L. Ward to C. W. Middleton SW 1/4 SE 1/4 26-18-25; and SE 1/4 14-16-24.

Jeff Hightower came in last Saturday to spend the Thanksgiving holidays at home.

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CHURCHES

CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Rev. James Dew, pastor of the First Baptist Church announces that a Thanksgiving service will be held at the Baptist church, tonight, Thursday and that the usual Wednesday evening prayer meeting will be dispensed with this week.

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X-RAY REVEALS DISLOCATED VERTEBRAE

An X-Ray picture made Saturday by Dr. Stroup reveals that Wade Williams, who was injured in an auto accident five or six weeks ago near Hagerman, had suffered a dislocated vertebrae. Notwithstanding Mr. Williams has not been well, he has been able to be about, which is regarded as rather unusual. Several X-Ray pictures taken before had failed to reveal the injured member.

Mr and Mrs. Frank Sewell

were in from Hobbs Friday and went to Roswell Saturday morning. They returned home Saturday evening.

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Their individual records ranged from 78,434 miles to 143,723 miles with a grand total of 2,283,097 miles. The operating cost of the 21 cars was 2,284 cents a mile—less than 2 1/3 cents. This cost included all fuel, oil, tires, repairs and every other item except depreciation and insurance.

Of 577 Ford cars in Detroit City service, the 300 in the Police Department traveled a total of 6,591,937 miles during the past fiscal year, at an average cost of 2.9 cents a mile.

Many claims have been made on operating costs, but here in the carefully kept motor car records of the City of Detroit is positive proof of Ford economy.

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Day and night, twenty-four hours a day, these Ford cars are in operation. Few branches of transportation demand such grueling service. The records show that low fuel and oil consumption is but one of the Ford's many economies. Ford materials, simplicity of design and accuracy in manufacturing provide unusual strength, stamina and freedom from replacements and repairs.

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# Social Activities

## DEPRESSION PARTY

The low scores of the Fortnightly Bridge club entertained the high scores at a depression party at the home of Mrs. Will Linell Tuesday. The guests were instructed to wear depression costumes, but were astonished when their hosts appeared in their latest finery. The depression feature appeared in the salad that contained the joker, but was completely compensated for in the lovely luncheon of turkey and "fixin's" which was served in three courses at one o'clock as a preliminary to the playing. The hostesses, who had been forced into the role by their poor achievement the past year, made a splendid beginning for the coming year, by giving themselves marvelously high scores and every one winning a prize, such as handsome empty paper boxes, etc. There were three special guests at this charming party, Mmes. Stephen Lanning, R. M. McDonald and Charlie Martin. The fortunate high scores were Mmes. C. Bert Smith, J. B. Atkeson, M. A. Corbin, W. C. Martin, Landis Feather and Fred Cole. The hostesses and the unfortunate low scores were Mmes. Linell, C. R. Blocker, John Lanning, W. E. Flint, Lewis Story, Albert Richards and Frank Seale.

## ANNS MEET WITH ROTARIANS LAST NIGHT

The regular 12:30 luncheon of the Artesia Rotary club Tuesday was deferred until evening, when the Rotary Anns were invited to partake of a banquet served in the Artesia hotel roof garden. Some forty people were present for the occasion.

A short program arranged by the program committee consisted of a violin solo by Mrs. Willis Morgan, who played a Gypsy Dance accompanied by Miss Catherine Clarke. As an encore Mrs. Morgan played a Spanish dance. A flowery address of welcome was given by J. H. Jackson who handed the visitors many bouquets. A stunt, the gathering of the nuts was arranged by S. W. Gilbert. The principal address of the evening was made by Hal Scoggins who told of some of the things the Rotarians owed to their Anns and some things they owed because of them. Mrs. Geo. Frisch made the response, explained a beautiful theory about the first appearance of woman in the brook in the Garden of Eden. She admitted, however that she did not accept all of the theory of evolution and that she rather clung to the old belief that woman was gouged from the rib of man and that he had been continuously gouged ever since. Bridge and dancing were the principal amusements for the remainder of the evening.

## MISSIONARY GUILD MEETS

The Missionary Guild of the Christian church met at the home of Mrs. John Lanning last Thursday evening for a plate dinner and literary and business meeting. The program, which was given around the table consisted of papers upon "The French Academics," by Mrs. Stanley Blocker; "The Negroes," by Mrs. Roy Hurd and the "Indians," by Mrs. Nevil Muncy. Those present were Mmes. C. Bert Smith, Albert Richards, Earl Darmst, Nathan Kelly, Benn Dunn, Muncy, Hurd, Blocker, Miss Arline Cave and the hostess.

## EASTERN STAR INITIATES

There was good attendance at the Eastern Star meeting held at the hall Tuesday evening, at which time four new members were initiated into the mysteries of the order. The candidates were, Mmes. John Briscoe, T. C. Bird, Alex McGonagill and Judge G. U. McCrary. Refreshments and a social time was enjoyed after the initiation ceremony.

## TURKEY DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. Elzie Swift are entertaining at turkey dinner today, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Swift of Hope and other relatives.

## SECOND BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. Harry Woodman entertained the Second Afternoon Bridge club at a three course luncheon at the Southern Club Cafe on Tuesday at one o'clock. After luncheon the club retired to the home of Mrs. Woodman for the game in which Mrs. L. P. Evans won high score and Mrs. F. G. Hartell, low. The substitutes were Mmes. E. M. Phillips, Frank Linell and Stanley Blocker.

## THE SUNSHINE CLASS

The Sunshine Class had a quilting party and covered dish luncheon with roast turkey, at the home of Mrs. E. H. Perry last Friday. The annual election of officers resulted in Mrs. E. F. Duke being chosen president; Mrs. Jim Berry, vice-president; Mrs. E. M. Phillips, secretary; Mrs. E. T. Jernigan, social secretary. Mrs. Berry was appointed chairman of the visiting committee.

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## Social Calendar

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### FRIDAY

The Second Evening Bridge club will meet at the R. D. Compton home at 7:00 p. m.

### SATURDAY

The Legion Auxiliary has issued invitations for an informal reception, beginning at 2:15 p. m. at the Dr. Clarke home. Units from Roswell, Lovington, Hobbs and Hagerman have been invited. There will be a luncheon at noon for visiting officers.

### MONDAY

Girl Scout Council will meet at the home of Mrs. Rex Wheatley at 2:30 p. m.

### TUESDAY

The T. E. L. class will have an all day meeting and covered dish luncheon at the home of Mrs. Frank Wilson on the Cottonwood. The First Afternoon Bridge club will meet with Mrs. Jeff Hightower at 2:30 p. m. The Idlewhites Bridge club will meet with Mrs. H. Q. Haley at 2:30 p. m.

### WEDNESDAY

The Week of Prayer services of the Baptist W. M. U. begins. The time not yet set. The Music Committee of the Woman's club will have charge of the program, which will be in the regular meeting room at 2:30.

### THURSDAY (NEXT WEEK)

The Methodist Missionary Society will hold its business meeting at the church at 2:30 p. m. The Presbyterian Circles will meet at 2:30. Names of places not known yet. The Christian Ladies Association will have an all-day missionary meeting at the home of Mrs. Albert Richards. The Thursday Bridge club will meet with Mrs. S. B. Barnett at 2:30 p. m.

The Bridge o' the Month club will meet with Miss Helen Green at 2:30 p. m.

### BIRTHDAY PARTY

A delightful children's party occurred at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Davis Jones, Tuesday afternoon, when a company of little folks helped W. Davis, Jr. to celebrate his fifth anniversary. Mrs. Jones had arranged attractive Thanksgiving decorations for the party, lighting the home with jack-o-lanterns. The birthday cake with candles and ice cream were in a color scheme of yellow and white and Thanksgiving hats and assorted small toys were used as favors. The children present were, Mary Lou Lanning, Rudolf Wilcox, Barbara Wheatley, Shirley Bartlett, Billy Williams, Merritt O'Neal of Roswell, Hattie Ruth Cole, Christine Anderson and Bobby Gates.

### DORCAS CLASS MEETING

The Dorcas class had its class party and business meeting at the home of Miss Jennie Mae Atberry on Tuesday afternoon. The Thanksgiving motif was featured in a game, "I Am Thankful For," the players supplying the remainder of the sentences, many of the answers being humorous. The other side of the cards were decorated with the traditional Thanksgiving bird. Materials were given to each member for a program to be made for a pre-Christmas sale. Nice refreshments were served.

### W. C. T. U. MEETING

The W. C. T. U. meeting at the Baptist church last Friday afternoon was well attended and a good program was given. A committee was appointed to arrange a program for a special meeting to be held on the evening of December 18th. Watch for further announcements of this meeting.

### PAST NOBLE GRANDS' CLUB

The Past Noble Grands' club was entertained by Mmes. J. M. Story and Lewis Story at the home of the former last Friday evening. There was a good attendance of members and delicious refreshments were served. Those present were Mmes. Harve Muncy, C. Bert Smith, A. L. Brunton, Laura Welsh, Nellie Cogdell, Beulah Jones, Walter Amstutz, Jack Hastie, C. M. Cole, John McCann, W. H. Cobble, E. H. Perry, Frank Thomas, Mary Abbott, Miss Ella Bauslin and the hostesses.

### P. E. O. MEETING

Chapter J, P. E. O. met at the home of Mrs. Fred Cole last Friday afternoon with a full attendance of members. An excellent paper upon "International Relations," was given by Mrs. Rex Wheatley. Current events upon "Peace" and a little study in correct English made up the program, which was much enjoyed.

## Thanksgiving



### HOUSE PARTY AT ELK

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Cleve are entertaining a number of families of Artesians at a Thanksgiving house party at their ranch home at Elk. The following drove up to the Cleve ranch yesterday for the party: Messrs. and Mmes. Wm. Linell, John Lanning, Chas. Martin, Lewis Story and Landis Feather and their children. Miss Agnes Ann Williams accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Feather to Elk to spend the vacation at home.

### BRIDGE O' THE MONTH

The Bridge o' the Month club met with Mrs. Fred Cole last Thursday afternoon with one substitute, Miss Vesta Frisch. Mrs. Wendel Welsh won high score and Mrs. T. C. Bird, low score. The Thanksgiving motif was used in decorating and delicious refreshments were served.

### THEATRE PARTY

The Senior class, chaperoned by its sponsor, Miss Agnes Latham, had a theatre party at the Majestic last Thursday night. After the show the class retired to McAdoo's for light refreshments.

### THURSDAY BRIDGE CLUB

The Thursday Bridge club met at the home of Mrs. Less Barnes last Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Ray Lynch was the only substitute and light refreshments were served.

### YOUNG MOTHERS' CLUB

The Young Mothers' club was entertained by Mrs. Howard Giesler last Friday afternoon. The usual business meeting was followed by games and refreshments. Mrs. Duncan was admitted to membership. Visitors present were Mmes. Cy Smith and Marvel Archer.

### CHRISTIAN LADIES ASS'N.

The Christian Ladies Association held its regular semi-monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. John Shearman last Thursday afternoon. There was a good attendance of members.

### MISS REHBERG HONORED

Miss Velma Richards entertained two tables at bridge Monday evening, complimentary to Miss Celia Rehberg, whose birthday anniversary occurred that day. High score was won by Miss Gusie Bivens, and a guest prize was presented to the honoree. A salad course was served. Present were the Misses Rehberg, Elaine Feemster, Marjorie Wingfield, Margaret Phillips and Bivens, Mmes. J. D. Jackson and Ray Lynch and the hostess.

### SIX O'CLOCK DINNER

Mrs. Jessie Morgan and daughter, Miss Ruth, entertained at six o'clock dinner, served in two courses Monday evening, complimentary to Mrs. Bird, of Blanket, Texas, who is visiting her children. Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Bird Covers were laid for Mrs. Bird, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Bird, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Morgan and the hostesses.

### DINNER-BRIDGE

Mr. and Mrs. Landis Feather entertained the Second club and an extra table of guests at a two course dinner last Friday evening, at seven o'clock. Special guests were Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Gates, Mrs. E. M. Phillips and Dr. J. J. Clarke.

Wedding announcements, printed or engraved—The Advocate.

### B. & P. W. CLUB DINNER

The Artesia Business and Professional Women's club enjoyed a Thanksgiving dinner at the Southern Club Cafe, Tuesday evening. Miss Virginia Egbert rendered a beautiful violin solo, and Miss Katherine Ragsdale in her charming manner rendered a vocal solo. Mrs. C. R. Blocker gave a brief discussion on the question, "Does the Success of a Business Girl Depend More on Personality or Schooling." The dinner hour closed with a round table discussion on "Financial Security of the Business Woman."

### METHODIST MISSIONARY SOCIETY MEETING

The unification of the Methodist Missionary work in the long established fields of Japan, Korea and Brazil was the theme of the program of the literary meeting of the Society, which was held at the home of Mrs. J. H. Jones last Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Will Benson, the leader was assisted in developing the theme by Mmes. W. C. Thompson, I. C. Dixon and H. A. Stroup. Mrs. Lee Vandagriff presented the missionary bulletin. Mr. Joe Richards joined with Mrs. Jones in serving delicious refreshments.

### MISCELLANEOUS SHOWER

Mrs. Marlon Graham was the recipient of a miscellaneous shower for her new baby boy, given by the Christian Missionary Guild. A committee from the Guild delivered the shower to the new mother and babe at their home at the Oasis.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank everyone who extended their sympathy and granted acts of kindness in the hour of our bereavement. Mrs. Polk Turner, Mrs. S. E. Turner, Mrs. Lala Miricks, Mrs. A. J. Goodwin, Adron Turner, Alfred Turner and wife, Bert Boykin, B. W. Walters and wife, B. P. Walters, Mark Walters. 50-1tp

### CAFETERIA DINNER

The Ladies Guild of the St. Paul's Episcopal church will serve a dinner, Saturday, December 5th. 50-1tc

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

### JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

The following pupils have been absent because of illness: Mary Ann Miller, Bonnie Rowland of the 8-I class; Clarence Kaiser, Elnora Gage, Carolyn Seale of the 7-I class; Dortha Atkins and Pedro Samora of the 7-II class; Lola Brazil and Rachel Swift of the 6-I class. ....

James Bates of the 6-I class is taking his father's place in the office while his father is ill. ....

George Mann of the 6-II class has returned to school this week after four weeks' absence. He has been picking cotton. ....

The physical education classes will meet in the Central gym beginning Monday. Special practice for both girls and boys will be held for the purpose of working out teams to represent Junior High in contest games. ....

The butterfly case which was completed by the nature club this week. ....

The eighth grade arithmetic classes have been working on booklets containing problems of the home. ....

An interesting program was rendered at the Junior High building by the Junior High pupils on Wednesday afternoon. ....

Insurance booklets are being made by the seventh grade classes and the sixth grade are also working on arithmetic booklets. ....

Miss James will spend the Thanksgiving holidays in Santa Fe. ....

Mr. Mansfield plans to spend the holidays out of town. ....

A new trophy case has been sent to us from the High School. All trophies that have been won by Junior High school have been placed in it, along with the butterfly case made by the nature club. We hope to add other things of interest from time to time. ....

Mr. Mansfield and Miss James who represented the school at the Eddy County Athletic Ass'n. at the Carlsbad meeting Saturday, report that rules were adopted and officers elected for the year, but no schedule was arranged.

### BAPTISTS BEGIN THEIR MISSIONARY PROGRAM IN STATE AND NATION

New Mexican Baptists are this week arranging canvassing teams revising membership rolls and making final preparations for the taking of pledges between November 28th and December 6th for their work thruout the state, the south and the world for 1932. Payment on pledges taken during this period will begin January 1, 1932.

This program of New Mexico Baptists is in co-operation with more than 24,000 Southern Baptist churches in which almost 4,000,000 Southern Baptists expect to raise for all causes during 1932 the sum of \$40,000,000 as against more than \$37,000,000 in 1930.

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November 26, 1931

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chicken ranch. Will sell light car for part payment. Balance easy terms. A. C. 412 Grand Ave. 50-2tp

All Electric Philco Late model. Will sell reasonable. Apply at Curve Station, 2 miles north of 50-2tp

**WANTED**

First mortgage loans improved real estate. Ad care of Advocate. 48-4tp

**LOST**

Pair of glasses in brown case on way to high school. Return to Jack Ward for 50-1tc

**MOBILE EXHAUST GAS POISONING**

Danger of working on the closed garage when the engine is running should be recognized at this time of year. The weather is likely to be such that one is tempted to close the garage. The small one or two car garage is particularly dangerous. The relatively small air space permits the rapid accumulation of a dangerous concentration of carbon-monoxide. The danger of carbon-monoxide poisoning is increased by the inhalation of auto exhaust gases and seems to be increasing in frequency. It is estimated that each year there are several hundred deaths from carbon-monoxide poisoning. Whether or not the gas is effected by frequent exposure to this gas is a question which has not been definitely settled.

Be Unaware Of It  
The physical properties of carbon-monoxide are such that one is unaware that he is inhaling it. It is colorless, odorless, tasteless. The occurrence of the symptoms may be the indication that the gas is inhaled and that poisoning is taking place. Headache, dizziness, muscular weakness, twitching of the muscles are some of the symptoms. In those cases in which people have been found in garages, unconscious or death may have occurred very rapidly or the victims may have ignored the symptoms.

Fresh Air First Remedy  
All of these symptoms arise from other causes, many of them occur under circumstances in which one may be exposed to carbon-monoxide gas, no time should be wasted in getting to the fresh air. One who has been overcome should be placed in the fresh air. Given artificial respiration is used in cases of drowning. This should be kept up until patient breathes normally. Prevention of carbon-monoxide poisoning consists of plenty of fresh air to carry away the gas. In the avoidance of exposure it is known to contain it.

Typewriters for sale. The Advocate.

**Millin' Charlie Says-**



Most people feel that they could be thankful if they had a little more to be thankful for.

**LOCALS**

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Dexter were visiting in Roswell Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dungan were Carlsbad visitors Saturday.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. C. Villa, Saturday.

Miss Lucille Morriss spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. Joe Massey, in Roswell.

Mrs. Rude Wilcox and Mrs. Ike Keller visited Mrs. Wilcox's sister in Carlsbad Monday.

J. H. Bridgman of Hope accompanied by Ike Keller of Artesia transacted business in Roswell Friday.

Mrs. Sid Cox returned last Friday from a visit of several weeks at her old home at Terre Haute, Indiana.

Judge and Mrs. J. H. Jackson are Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Miller, (Iris Her) at Hobbs.

Millie Ann, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Koger, underwent a tonsilotomy Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Floore with two younger sons, were dinner guests at the home of their son-in-law, Philip Kranz, in Roswell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Reser left Tuesday to spend Thanksgiving at Renfro, Oklahoma, with Mr. Reser's father, who has been ill for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Kimbrough and children are over from the ranch in Lea county, spending Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Clayton.

E. B. Jones, auditor and assistant treasurer of the Consumers' Natural Gas Co., has spent the past ten days inspecting properties of the company in Texas, Oklahoma and this state.

A. C. Brown of the Ohio Oil Co., at Hobbs stopped off in Artesia yesterday en route home from Gallup. Mr. Brown reports more than two feet of snow in the Gallup section.

Miss Lucille Morriss accompanied her sister, Mrs. Orville Jernigan and baby, from the ranch west of Hope, to Roswell yesterday evening to spend Thanksgiving with her sister, Mrs. Joe Massey.

Mrs. Clyde Evans, who was visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. Loree Evans and Mrs. Clarence Evans, was called home to Lovington, by the serious illness of her mother. M. W. Evans drove her home to Lovington Monday evening.

Mrs. E. T. Jernigan and daughter, Elsie, and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Jernigan of Loving are dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Stevenson in Clovis today. They will visit Clovis friends for the remainder of the week, returning Sunday evening.

Will Hortenstein of Roswell, president of the Pecos Valley Trading Co., and Dr. Ackerman of Clovis drove down last week and accredited the Barred Rock poultry flock of E. P. Bach, east of the river. The percentage of culls were very low.

Mrs. Gladys McDermott and children, accompanied by a friend, Mrs. Kate Starnes and little son, all of Portales, are here spending Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Thigpen, and her sister, Mrs. Ben Dunn, and family. They will return home tomorrow.

Mrs. L. F. Bird, of Blanket, Texas, visited here from Friday until Tuesday morning with her son, T. C. Bird and Mrs. Bird. On Tuesday morning, Mrs. T. C. Bird and Mrs. J. Clark Bruce drove to Ft. Sumner with Mrs. Bird, who went to visit there with a sister, Mrs. Carnes.

Mrs. Z. B. Moon and small granddaughters, Margaret Virginia and Minnie John Kile drove over to Muleshoe, Texas Friday for a short visit with Senator Moon and Mr. and Mrs. Rocky Kile. Mr. Moon accompanied them home Sunday and returned on Monday to Muleshoe, where he and Mr. Kile are engaged in cotton buying.

John Prude and daughter, Mrs. Finn Watson of Gallup, were in from the Prude ranch, Monday and Tuesday on business and were guests at the Joe Clayton home while in town. The Prude family are having a Thanksgiving reunion at the ranch. Besides Mrs. Watson, other daughters visiting at home are Mrs. Tinnie Hodges of Los Angeles and Mrs. Carl Lewis of Pinon. Mrs. Bob Means, another daughter, is living at the ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Evans returned Monday from Lubbock, Texas, where they were called by the illness of Mr. Evans' brother, T. E. Evans of Lamesa, Texas. Mr. Evans spent some time here the past summer for the benefit of his health, which however, did not seem to improve much. Last week an operation was found necessary. Besides his brother and wife, his two sons, Loree and Clarence of Artesia, and Pat, formerly a resident here, now of El Centro, California, and Clyde of Lovington, were present at Lubbock. At last reports the patient was progressing nicely.

**MARKETS**

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**NEW YORK COTTON**

NEW YORK—The few December notices issued in the cotton market Tuesday appeared to be promptly stopped by the trade while buying of later months also was promoted by relatively steady Liverpool cables and the reported adoption by cotton states delegations in convention at Jackson, Mississippi, of resolutions for a uniform reduction in acreage. January contracts sold up to 6.36 with the mid-afternoon market quiet and steady at net advances of 24 to 28 points. Futures closed very steady, 24 to 28 higher. December 6.25 to 27; January 6.37 to 38; March 6.54 to 55; May 6.74 to 75; July 6.91 to 92; October 7.18; spot steady; middling 6.35.

**LOCALS**

George Threlkeld, Roswell attorney spent Tuesday in Artesia attending to business matters.

Col. A. T. Woods returned Monday after spending a few days at Santa Fe on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Durand and daughter, Miss Abby, spent Sunday with Mr. Durand's mother, Mrs. A. Durand, at Dexter.

Mrs. W. W. Hardin and Mrs. M. A. Krueger of Hope spent Tuesday with Mrs. J. C. Lauderdale at Lower Cottonwood.

Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Williams of Wichita Falls, Texas arrived here Wednesday afternoon for a few days visit at the home of Will Benson and other old friends.

I. C. Keller and W. C. Thompson, of the Artesia Peoples' Mercantile and Ossie Coalson of the Carlsbad store made a trip to Lovington Tuesday.

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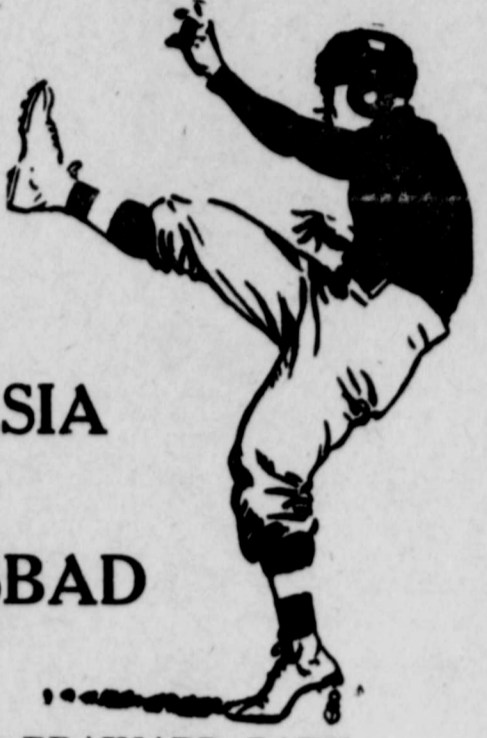
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Sampson is quoted in the Bible as being a strong man, but with a weak will. Considering that Sampson allowed two women to worm two secrets out of him, shows he was a trusting soul, Virginia Cecil of the Mt. Vernon Chieftain says, and she adds, a lot of women would have liked him for a husband were he on earth to-day, because he could tell them everything he heard downtown during the day.—Kansas City Star.

**FOOTBALL!**

Thursday (Today)



**ARTESIA vs. CARLSBAD**

AT THE BRAINARD PARK BEGINNING AT 2:30 P. M.

This will be the last game of the season. See It. Artesia will endeavor to wipe out the tie administered by Carlsbad at the last meeting of the two teams. Give the boys your support, let's salt this, the last game of the season away.

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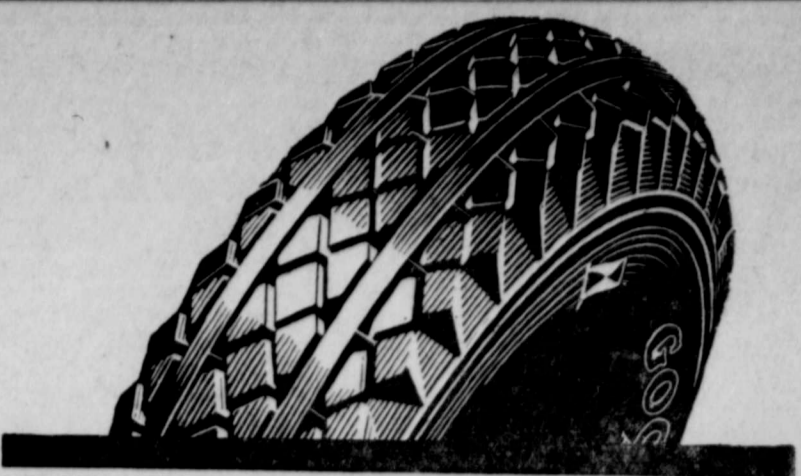
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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF EDDY COUNTY, STATE OF NEW MEXICO

CITY OF ARTESIA, Plaintiff, Vs. JOE A. CLAYTON, Defendant

In the following named defendants, against whom substituted service is hereby sought to be obtained, to-wit: ULLERY FURNITURE COMPANY, a corporation, CLARENCE ULLERY, if living but if dead his unknown heirs, GEORGE W. DENT, if living but if dead his unknown heirs, JAMES E. DENT, if living but if dead his unknown heirs, the heirs of M. V. ROBERTS, deceased, to-wit: M. E. ROBERTS, his widow, MRS. LIZZIE BROWN, MRS. OLIVIA HILLIARD, MRS. JULIA BROCK, MRS. VALLA ROBERTS, and W. V. ROBERTS, his children, ROSA LOWE, A. L. BRUCE, MARY MILLER BEARD, ROBERT M. LOVE, JANE VAN WINKLE, S. A. JONES, J. E. LINDLEY, E. P. MCCORMICK, and JAMES YEISER, Defendants, No. 5189

NOTICE OF SPECIAL MASTER SALE ON FORECLOSURE OF LIEN.

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to a decree of foreclosure and order of sale made in the above entitled and numbered cause on the civil docket of the District Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, on the 31st day of July, 1931, wherein the City of Artesia, New Mexico, is plaintiff, and Joe A. Clayton, Ullery Furniture Company, a corporation, Clarence Ullery, if living but if dead his unknown heirs, George W. Dent, if living but if dead his unknown heirs, James E. Dent, if living but if dead his unknown heirs, the heirs of M. V. Roberts, deceased, to-wit: M. E. Roberts, his widow, Mrs. Lizzie Brown, Mrs. Olivia Hilliard, Mrs. Julia Brock, Mrs. Valla Roberts, and M. V. Roberts, his children, Rosa Lowe, A. L. Bruce, Mary Miller Beard, Robert M. Love, Jane Van Winkle, S. A. Jones, J. E. Lindley, E. P. McCormick, and James Yeiser, are defendants, to which judgment reference is hereby made for the particulars thereof.

I, Margaret Phillips, heretofore appointed Special Master in said decree in said cause, and having been ordered to sell the herein-after described real estate, shall expose for sale and sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, at the front door of the City of Artesia, New Mexico, on the 12th day of December, 1931, at 2:00 o'clock p. m. of that day, all the right, title, interest, claim and estate of the following named defendants: in, of, and to the following described real estate, situated in the City of Artesia, Eddy County, New Mexico, to-wit:

The property of the defendant, Joe A. Clayton, beginning at the Southwest corner of Block Five (5) of the Blair Addition to the City of Artesia, New Mexico, thence in a northerly direction 150' along the West side of said block, thence in an easterly direction 50', thence in a southerly direction 150' to the South line of said block, and thence 50' in a westerly direction along the South side of said block, to the place of beginning. Said sale to be made for the purpose of satisfying a judgment in said cause against said defendant in the amount of \$1,609.87 as principal and interest and with interest thereon at the rate of 1% per month from the 31st day of July, 1931, until paid, and for the further sum of \$160.98 as attorney fees with interest thereon at the rate of 6% per annum from the 31st day of July, 1931, until paid, and cost of suit and foreclosure sale.

Total amount of principal and interest due on date of sale \$1,679.63
Attorney fees due on date of sale 164.46
Pro-rata cost 9.93
Special Master's Fee 2.00
Total \$1,856.02

The property of the defendant, the Ullery Furniture Company, a corporation, described as Lot 15 in Block 10 of the Town of Artesia (now City of Artesia), New Mexico. Said sale to be made for the purpose of satisfying a judgment in said cause against said defendant in the amount of \$93.26 as principal and interest and with interest thereon at the rate of 1% per month from the 31st day of July, 1931, until paid, and for the further sum of \$9.32 as attorney fees with interest thereon at the rate of 6% per annum from the 31st day of July, 1931, until paid, and cost of suit and foreclosure sale.

date of sale \$ 57.52
Attorney fees due on date of sale 5.64
Pro-rata cost 11.07
Special Master's Fee 2.00
Total \$ 76.23

The property of the defendants, George W. Dent and James E. Dent if living but if dead their unknown heirs, described as Lot 18 in Block 7 of the Clayton & Stegman Addition to the Town of Artesia (now City of Artesia), New Mexico. Said sale to be made for the purpose of satisfying a judgment in said cause against said defendants in the amount of \$55.13 as principal and interest and with interest thereon at the rate of 1% per month from the 31st day of July, 1931, until paid, and for the further sum of \$5.51 as attorney fees with interest thereon at the rate of 6% per annum from the 31st day of July, 1931, until paid, and cost of suit and foreclosure sale.

Total amount of principal and interest due on date of sale \$ 57.52
Attorney fees due on date of sale 5.64
Pro-rata cost 11.07
Special Master's Fee 2.00
Total \$ 76.23

The property of the defendants, M. E. Roberts, Mrs. Lizzie Brown, Mrs. Olivia Hilliard, Mrs. Julia Brock, Mrs. Valla Roberts and W. V. Roberts, heirs of M. V. Roberts, described as Lot 8 in Block 24 of the Artesia Improvement Company's Addition to the Town of Artesia (now City of Artesia), New Mexico. Said sale to be made for the purpose of satisfying a judgment in said cause against said defendants in the amount of \$191.92 as principal and interest, with interest thereon at the rate of 1% per month from the 31st day of July, 1931, until paid, and for the further sum of \$19.19 as attorney fees with interest thereon at the rate of 6% per annum from the 31st day of July, 1931, until paid, and cost of suit and foreclosure sale.

Total amount of principal and interest due on date of sale \$ 200.23
Attorney fees due on date of sale 19.60
Pro-rata cost 11.07
Special Master's Fee 2.00
Total \$ 232.90

The property of the defendant, Mary Miller Beard, described as 47.7 feet off of the north end of Lot 6 in Block 15 of the Blair Addition to the Town of Artesia, (now City of Artesia), New Mexico. Said sale to be made for the purpose of satisfying a judgment in said cause against said defendant, in the amount of \$86.68 as principal and interest, with interest thereon at the rate of 1% per month from the 31st day of July, 1931, until paid, and for the further sum of \$8.66 as attorney fees with interest thereon at the rate of 6% per annum from the 31st day of July, 1931, until paid, and cost of suit and foreclosure sale.

Total amount of principal and interest due on date of sale \$ 86.68
Attorney fees due on date of sale 8.66
Pro-rata cost 11.07
Special Master's Fee 2.00
Total \$ 108.41

amount of \$582.28 as principal and interest, with interest thereon at the rate of 1% per month from the 31st day of July, 1931, until paid, and for the further sum of \$58.22 as attorney fees with interest thereon at the rate of 6% per annum from the 31st day of July, 1931, until paid, and cost of suit and foreclosure sale.

Total amount of principal and interest due on date of sale \$ 607.51
Attorney fees due on date of sale 59.49
Pro-rata cost 11.07
Special Master's Fee 2.00
Total \$ 680.07

The property of the defendant, A. L. Bruce, described as Lot 12 in Block 19 of the Clayton & Stegman Addition to the Town of Artesia (now City of Artesia), New Mexico. Said sale to be made for the purpose of satisfying a judgment in said cause against said defendant, in the amount of \$866.81 as principal and interest, with interest thereon at the rate of 1% per month from the 31st day of July, 1931, until paid, and for the further sum of \$86.68 as attorney fees with interest thereon at the rate of 6% per annum from the 31st day of July, 1931, until paid, and cost of suit and foreclosure sale.

Total amount of principal and interest due on date of sale \$ 904.37
Attorney fees due on date of sale 88.54
Pro-rata cost 11.07
Special Master's Fee 2.00
Total \$ 1,005.98

The property of the defendant, Mary Miller Beard, described as 47.7 feet off of the north end of Lot 6 in Block 15 of the Blair Addition to the Town of Artesia, (now City of Artesia), New Mexico. Said sale to be made for the purpose of satisfying a judgment in said cause against said defendant, in the amount of \$83.23 as principal and interest, with interest thereon at the rate of 1% per month from the 31st day of July, 1931, until paid, and for the further sum of \$8.32 as attorney fees with interest thereon at the rate of 6% per annum from the 31st day of July, 1931, until paid, and cost of suit and foreclosure sale.

Total amount of principal and interest due on date of sale \$ 91.55
Attorney fees due on date of sale 9.15
Pro-rata cost 11.07
Special Master's Fee 2.00
Total \$ 113.77

The property of the defendant, Mary Miller Beard, described as 47.7 feet off of the north end of Lot 10 in Block 15 of the Blair Addition to the Town of Artesia, (now City of Artesia), New Mexico. Said sale to be made for the purpose of satisfying a judgment in said cause against said defendant, in the amount of \$588.86 as principal and interest, with interest thereon at the rate of 1% per month from the 31st day of July, 1931, until paid, and for the further sum of \$58.88 as attorney fees with interest thereon at the rate of 6% per annum from the 31st day of July, 1931, until paid, and cost of suit and foreclosure sale.

1931, until paid, and for the further sum of \$2.72 as attorney fees, with interest thereon at the rate of 6% per annum from the 31st day of July, 1931, until paid, and cost of suit and foreclosure sale.

Total amount of principal and interest due on date of sale \$ 28.37
Attorney fees due on date of sale 2.78
Pro-rata cost 11.07
Special Master's Fee 2.00
Total \$ 44.22

The property of the defendant, Mary Miller Beard, described as the 45.6 feet off of the South end of Lot 8 in Block 15 of the Blair Addition to the Town of Artesia (now City of Artesia), New Mexico. Said sale to be made for the purpose of satisfying a judgment in said cause against said defendant, in the amount of \$95.74 as principal and interest, with interest thereon at the rate of 1% per month from the 31st day of July, 1931, until paid, and for the further sum of \$9.57 as attorney fees, with interest thereon at the rate of 6% per annum from the 31st day of July, 1931, until paid, and cost of suit and foreclosure sale.

Total amount of principal and interest due on date of sale \$ 99.88
Attorney fees due on date of sale 9.78
Pro-rata cost 11.07
Special Master's Fee 2.00
Total \$ 122.73

The property of the defendant, Mary Miller Beard, described as the 45.6 feet off of the South end of Lot 10 in Block 15 of the Blair Addition to the Town of Artesia (now City of Artesia), New Mexico. Said sale to be made for the purpose of satisfying a judgment in said cause against said defendant, in the amount of \$603.48 as principal and interest, with interest thereon at the rate of 1% per month from the 31st day of July, 1931, until paid, and for the further sum of \$60.35 as attorney fees, with interest thereon at the rate of 6% per annum from the 31st day of July, 1931, until paid, and cost of suit and foreclosure sale.

Total amount of principal and interest due on date of sale \$ 629.63
Attorney fees due on date of sale 61.65
Pro-rata cost 11.07
Special Master's Fee 2.00
Total \$ 704.35

The property of the defendant, Robert M. Love, described as the South 50 feet of Lot 3 in Block 22 of the Original Town of Artesia (now City of Artesia), New Mexico. Said sale to be made for the purpose of satisfying a judgment in said cause against said defendant in the amount of \$534.48 as principal and interest, with interest thereon at the rate of 1% per month from the 31st day of July, 1931, until paid, and for the further sum of \$53.44 as attorney fees with interest thereon at the rate of 6% per annum from the 31st day of July, 1931, until paid, and cost of suit and foreclosure sale.

further sum of \$163.07 as attorney fees, with interest thereon at the rate of 6% per annum from the 31st day of July, 1931, until paid, and cost of suit and foreclosure sale.

Total amount of principal and interest due on date of sale \$1,701.38
Attorney fees due on date of sale 166.60
Pro-rata cost 12.57
Special Master's Fee 2.00
Total \$1,882.55

Given under my hand as Special Master, on this the 9th of November, 1931. MARGARET PHILLIPS, Special Master.

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF EDDY COUNTY, N. M. IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF CLARENCE G. KEPPEL, Deceased. No. 643.

NOTICE OF HEARING ADMINISTRATOR'S FINAL REPORT AND PETITION FOR DETERMINATION OF THE HEIRSHIP OF DECEDENT, THE OWNERSHIP OF DECEDENT'S ESTATE, THE INTEREST OF EACH RESPECTIVE CLAIMANT THERETO OR THEREIN AND THE PERSONS ENTITLED TO DISTRIBUTION THEREOF.

TO: Alice S. Kepple, F. E. Kepple, Miss Mabel Kepple, Mrs. S. A. Venhaus, and to all unknown heirs of said decedent and all unknown persons claiming any lien upon or right, title or interest in, or to the estate of said decedent.

NOTICE is hereby given that S. W. Gilbert, Administrator of the estate of Clarence G. Kepple, on his bond; and that the Honorable M. O. Grantham, Probate Judge of Eddy County, New Mexico, has set the 17th day of December, 1931, at the hour of two o'clock p. m. at the probate court room of said county in the City of Carlsbad, New Mexico, as the day, time and place for hearing objections, if any there be, to said report and petition.

by notified to file their objections with the County Clerk of Eddy County, New Mexico, on or before the date set for hearing. Dated this the 16th day of November, 1931. (SEAL) RUTH S. NYE, County Clerk, Eddy County, 49-47

CARBON PAPER—The Advocate

LEADER IN STAT FELLOWS D Dave Brown, Past the New Mexico Odd for twenty years a Gallup died last Friday, Chino, Arizona. He died in two days from a ladder while

Advertisement for CONOCO GERM PROCESSED MOTOR OIL. Features a large circular logo with 'The "Hidden Quart" of Germ Processed Oil that stays up in your motor and never drains away is an extra protection against motor wear—protection no other oil can give!' and 'Now 30¢ QUART CONOCO GERM PROCESSED MOTOR OIL PARAFFIN BASE'. Below the logo is the text 'Your Plumbing and Tin Work' and 'ROWLAND & RIDEOUT Phone 3'.

Advertisement for Diversification. Title: 'Diversification'. Text: 'Diversification is not limited in application to farm management. Retailers in all lines are adding new items of many kinds to their stocks. Manufacturers are creating new products, spreading their facilities for safety as well as lowered costs. In finances, diversification is acknowledged as necessary in stock and bond buying, to protect against losses incident at times to some of them and providing first a base of sound, easily sold, low return securities. In banking, loans are diversified. Should all loans be made upon one or two types of security, losses in them would result in quickly lowered collateral values. Banks safely protect themselves under such conditions by purchase of sound securities, readily converted, to meet immediate needs. Diversification prevents "frozen" equipment, for the manufacturer, frozen assets for the bank.'

Advertisement for Regional Clearing House No. 3 of the New Mexico Bankers Association. Text: 'BEING COMPOSED OF THE FOLLOWING BANKS: FIRST NATIONAL BANK Roswell, New Mexico; CARLSBAD NATIONAL BANK Carlsbad, New Mexico; FIRST NATIONAL BANK Carrizozo, New Mexico; FIRST NATIONAL BANK Hagerman, New Mexico; LEA COUNTY STATE BANK Lovington, New Mexico; BANK OF COMMERCE Roswell, New Mexico; FIRST NATIONAL BANK Artesia, New Mexico.'

LOCALS

Miss Gladys Cole is recovering from an attack of appendicitis. Mrs. Dee Swift and Brooks of Hope were shopping in Artesia Monday.

Kenneth Compton was at home from the Military Institute over the week-end. Mrs. Ernest McGonagill has been ill at her home in the oil field, but is improving.

Mrs. S. B. Barnett, Charles Morgan, M. T. Buford and Ed Gillespie were Roswell visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Evans were called to Lubbock, Texas Saturday by the serious illness of Mr. Evan's brother.

Mrs. John McCann, her sister, Mrs. Charles Potts, and Mrs. I. C. Dixon and baby, motored to Roswell Monday afternoon.

Mrs. McBride of Artesia underwent an operation at the Carlsbad hospital this morning—Carlsbad Current-Argus, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Landis Feather and children and Miss Agnes Ann Williams spent Sunday in Roswell, guests of Miss Shirley Feather.

Dr. Linebaugh, presiding elder of the Roswell District, conducted quarterly conference at the Methodist church after services Sunday evening.

Addie Belle Bartlett, Earline Hartwell, Josephie Boes and Audrey Smith visited friends in Artesia last evening—Carlsbad Current-Argus, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Graham arrived from Venice, California, last Friday and will spend several weeks here, guests of their friends, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Compton.

Rev. and Mrs. E. R. Barcus of Jacksonville, Texas, visited here from Saturday until Tuesday with Mr. Barcus' sister, Mrs. M. E. Bullock, and nephew, E. B. Bullock and family. Mr. Barcus occupied the pulpit at the Methodist church Sunday evening.

WANTED—Clean Cotton Rags at The Advocate.

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DEMOCRATIC WHIP HAS SIX ASPIRANTS

WASHINGTON, D. C. — Six friendly enemies—four southerners and two northerners—are combatting briskly for the democratic floor leadership in the house. The victor will be decided at the December 5 caucus.

United behind Representative Garner of Texas, for speaker, the democrats are divided, north and south, on leadership. Northerners claim the leader should be from above the Mason-Dixon line, since the speaker will come from the south if the democrats gain control.

Contentants from the south are Representative John McDuffie, Alabama; Joseph Byrns, Tennessee; Charles R. Crisp, Georgia; and John E. Rankin, Mississippi. Representatives Henry T. Rainey, Illinois and John J. O'Connor, New York are the northern contenders. McDuffie and Rainey appear to have the lead between them.

DOUGHNUTS FOR ORPHAN'S HOME. Circle 1 of the Baptist W. M. U. donated materials for three hundred doughnuts to be sent to the Orphan's Home at Portales for Thanksgiving. Mrs. Howard Byrd made the doughnuts, which no doubt will be enthusiastically received by the children.

Typewriters for rent—The Advocate.

COTTONWOOD ITEMS

Mrs. Wayne Norris, Reporter. Mrs. Lloyd O'Bannon was very ill last week. Mrs. Backman is reported to be improving now. H. V. Parker and family were in Roswell Saturday.

Professor Ira Burgess motored to Carlsbad Saturday. Miss Maud Gray is visiting her cousin, Miss Lucille Whitley, this week. Charlie Powell and his mother, motored to El Paso, Texas last week on business.

A. J. Basel of San Angelo, Texas is attending to business on his farm this week. Mrs. M. S. Brown and Mrs. W. H. Rambo were visiting in Hagerman Thursday.

Messrs. I. P. Johnson and N. C. Doering were at the J. M. Norris home Saturday. Miss Lucille Ray was a guest at the home of Miss Marjorie Belle Funk Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Wells of Tucumcari, this state, were guests at the J. H. Felton home last week. Misses Lucille and Gladys Waldrip have been seriously ill for the past week but are now improving.

A group of Cottonwood young folks enjoyed a nice afternoon playing games and cards at the home of Miss Helen Vera Funk. There was an all-day preaching service at the Cottonwood church last Sunday and dinner was served on the grounds. There was

several people present from Hope. Reverend Klassen held the services. The Cottonwood Woman's club met at the home of Mrs. J. H. Felton on November 5th. Mr. Wunsch and Miss Wetzel were present for their last meeting this year. An all-day meeting was held and a nice luncheon was served. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Jess Funk, December 5th.

Officer—How did the accident happen. Car Driver: My wife went to sleep in the back seat. Calling Cards, 100 for \$1.75, on best grade paneled or plain stock.—The Advocate.

DRY AGENTS IN MILLION DOLLAR RUM SEIZURE

NEW YORK—The tanker Raritan Sun with 5,000 cases of liquor was seized Monday and 60 men were arrested at Bushey's Dry Dock at the foot of Court Street, Brooklyn. Customs officials estimated the value of the liquor at \$350,000 and the vessel, a 533-ton tanker at

\$750,000, figures which if authentic, would make the seizure one of the largest of its type in the history of prohibition enforcement. In addition to the boat, which is owned by the Sun Oil Co., and the liquor, five trucks valued at \$50,000, also were seized. See our Christmas Cards—The Advocate.

Low Prices On Gas Stoves. Prices on Gas Ranges and Heaters have been drastically reduced. If you are in the market for either a Heater or Range call by and see our complete line, the prices are lowest in years. Don't wait until cold weather overtakes you before installing that Heater. L. P. Evans Phone 180



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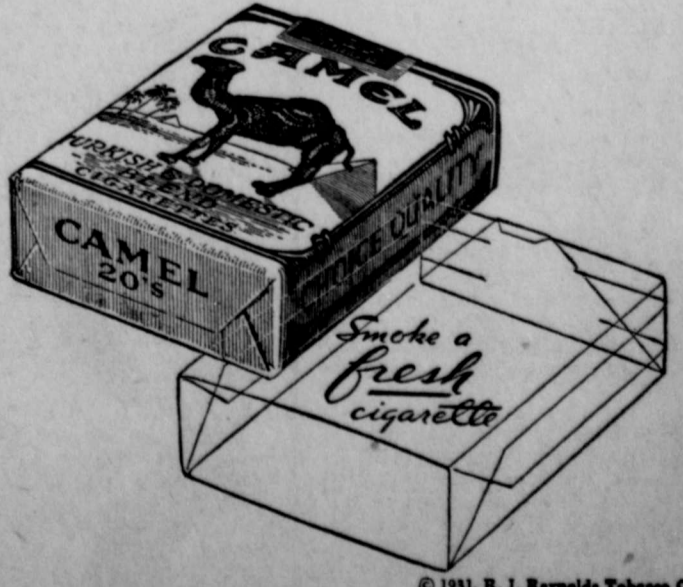
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## To Our Friends:

It is our pleasure to announce that we have recently purchased an interest in the Mann Drug Co., from C. E. Mann. We shall endeavor to serve the drug, sundry and confection needs of this section in the best possible manner.

We want to meet our friends and the new and old customers of the Mann Drug Co. Please remember that a visit to our store entails no obligation to make a purchase. Make this store your headquarters when in Artesia. Our facilities for serving you are at your command.

## Mann Drug Co.

Hollis Watson and Aubrey Watson, Props.

### REPORT INCREASE ON ALL NEW MEX. CROPS FARM BOARD HOLDING SURPLUS TWO CROPS

**LAS CRUCES**—The estimated production of virtually all of New Mexico crops this season reveals an increase over last year and for the five year average, Fred Daniels, statistician for the N. M. A. & M. College said last week.

Larger yields, he said, were responsible for a substantial increase in the estimated production rather than of increased acreage.

The following estimates are made:

**Corn**—5,680,000 bushels with yield per acre at 20 bushels as compared with 14 bushels last year and 18.2 bushels for a ten year average. Eighty-six per cent of this year's crop is estimated as being merchantable quality.

**Grain Sorghums**—5,434,000 bushels, more than three times the production of last year. The yield per acre is placed at 22 bushels as compared with 8.2 bushels in 1937 and 18.5 for the five year average.

**Broomcorn**—7,200 tons, yield per acre 335 pounds compared with 220 pounds for the five year average.

**Beans**—New Mexico bean crop this year is estimated at 1,062,000 bushels with a yield of 5.5 bushels. Last year the production was 726,000 bushels with a yield of 3.2 bushels per acre.

**Irish Potatoes**—This season's Irish potato production is estimated at 385,000 bushels, the sweet potato production is placed at 320,000 bushels, with an average yield per acre of 160 bushels.

**Fruit**—The fruit crop was larger than a year ago. The apple production is estimated at 990,000 bushels as compared with 420,000 a year ago. Other fruit estimates are: Pears, 57,000 bushels and grapes approximately 548 tons as compared with 375 tons a year ago.

#### KLEBERG ELECTED

**SAN ANTONIO, Texas**—Richard M. Kleberg of Corpus Christi, a democrat was elected to represent the fourteenth congressional district in the national house Tuesday to succeed Harry M. Wurzbach, republican, who was serving his sixth term when he died recently.

Returns from the eleven counties of the district the vote being complete in four of them and the others so nearly complete that outstanding votes hardly could change the result, gave him a plurality of approximately 5,000 votes over a field of seven other candidates.

#### Land of Liberty

A democracy is a land in which it is impudent to disagree with a man who makes more money than you do.—Los Angeles Times.

#### It's a Mystery

Some men are married for their money, and some, having no money, present an unanswerable riddle.—San Francisco Chronicle.

#### Hard Going

The man who tries to dodge his obligations usually finds the detour much rougher than the road.—Buffalo Evening News.

#### One Point of View

Never judge a person hastily. Even the dog in the manger may have been a nervous animal that needed rest and quiet.

#### Cricket's Long History

Cricket seems to have evolved slowly from an older game. It was certainly being played under the name of cricket by boys of the free school of Guildford as early as 1550.

**WASHINGTON, D. C.**—The Federal Farm Loan board's story of two year's adventure in assisting the American farm, was unfolded Tuesday in its second annual report to congress.

In the wholesale price stabilization purchases the board bought 329,641,052 bushels wheat at \$270,204,503.

On November 1 it still had 189,656,157 bushels on hand. The cotton stabilization division took 1,310,789 bales off the market at a cost of \$107,533,246.

It now holds 1,310,789 bales. "Many groups," the board observed, "want stabilization corporations to buy and never to sell. That is asking the impossible. Stabilization operations cannot maintain prices continuously. So long as surpluses continue to pile up, artificial measures can only temporarily offset their effects."

"Co-operative marketing is sound and the best approach yet made to bring about permanent improvement in American agricultural marketing act.

Neither were requests made for not adjusting production to consumption levels.

The board has ordered its cotton held for another year and wheat sold for next year at the rate of 5,000,000 bushels per month.

### INTEREST IN MANN DRUG CO., PASSED TO NEW OWNERS HERE

An interest in Artesia's oldest drug store, the Mann Drug Co., has passed to a new ownership. The deal was consummated Saturday when Hollis Watson of Ft. Stockton, Texas, and Aubrey Watson of Artesia purchased an interest in the stock and fixtures.

The new owners took charge of the establishment Tuesday. Hollis Watson has been in Ft. Stockton the last few days arranging his business affairs preparatory to removing here to give the store his personal attention.

The Mann Drug Co. was started by C. E. Mann some twenty-five years ago and was operated by Mr. Mann until four or five years ago, at which time he took charge of the late Citizens State Bank as cashier. Since that time the establishment has been managed by Otis Brown.

Both of the new proprietors are well known to the people of this section. Hollis Watson spent a number of years in Eddy county more recently a resident of Carlsbad, later moving to Loving where he served for several years as cashier of the First National Bank at Loving and also two terms as county commissioner before moving to Fort Stockton. Mr. Barker engaged in the banking business. Aubrey Watson is also well known locally. He has spent practically all of his life in the Artesia and Hope section. For the past six or seven years he has been employed by the Palace Drug Store as druggist and will head the prescription department. Mr. Brown former manager of the Mann Drug Store will remain with the new firm probably until after the holidays, while Andy Anderson another employe is now connected with the Palace.

#### PURCHASES WALTER GRAHAM STOCK

Messrs. C. Bert Smith and Bill Mount have purchased the gent's furnishing stock of Walter Graham, it was announced here yesterday.

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

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### WESTERN STATES MAY GET PUBLIC DOMAIN

**WASHINGTON, D. C.**—A bill incorporating the findings of President Hoover's public domains committee was being drafted last week in the offices of Representative Colton, republican, Utah, chairman of the last house public lands committee.

James R. Garfield, of Ohio, chairman of the presidential appointees who deliberated here most of last November on public land problems of eleven western states, worked with Colton on the clauses of the proposed measure.

Present also were Francis Wilson of New Mexico and George Malone, of Nevada, members of the president's committee, and Representative Addison Smith of Idaho, ranking republican member of the last house committee.

Colton has been author of several previous bills designed to conserve the public domains and prevent over-grazing, during his chairmanship of the house committee.

Granting of the public lands to states that would accept them thru legislative act was recommended by Garfield's committee in the report which was basis for the conference.

For states not accepting the public lands, the report recommended that the law by state application, be declared national range.

In the event of no state legislature after ten years, the report recommended that congress be authorized to establish a national range within the state.

Pending transfer, the president's committee held, the "federal government should recognize, in so far as possible, any method inaugurated by the state to regulate the movement of livestock to prevent over-grazing.

The president's committee which studied the public domains had one woman member, Mary Roberts Rinehart, the author.

#### CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

A special congregational meeting will be held in the Presbyterian church Sunday morning after the Sunday school hour in regard to calling a pastor. All members invited to be present.

#### COTTON GRADES

(Continued from first page)

which is in Galveston and on which has been received and tabulated on the grades given above.

The largest turn out was on thirty-seconds and sixteenths, running from 38 to 43 per cent. These figures reveal that the most profitable cotton to grow is the inch and thirty-second and the inch and sixteenth, of the Acala variety.

Figuring on the basis of the above information it will also be noted that the shorter staple has not shown as good a turn out, nor has it commanded a comparative price. Staples longer than the commercial sixteenths, do not make a turn out high enough to compensate for the better price on irrigated cotton.

#### CROP YIELD CONTESTS WILL BE HELD IN 1932

At the recent annual meeting of the New Mexico Crop Improvement Association it was decided that yield contests would be held during the coming year with the two crops from which the greatest returns from seed certification has been gotten, says G. R. Quisenberry of the New Mexico Agricultural College. As funds develop from certification in the association, further contests with the other principal crops will be promoted. For the coming year, the grain sorghums in the non-irrigated sections of the state were selected as one crop, and cotton as the other. Fields of the latter may be entered from any part of the state. One hundred dollars has been set aside for prize money for each of these crops and at least one county has indicated that further premiums on grain sorghums will be offered within this county to encourage competition.

The 1932 contests will be held co-operatively between the extension service and the New Mexico Crop Improvement Assn. Funds will be furnished by the Association and the extension service will assist in any way necessary to help the farmers in putting over the work.

All fields must be entered before planted and accurate measurements and tabulations of the yield will be made by disinterested parties and supervised by a representative of the extension service. A full set of regulations will be compiled and distributed within a short time in order that every farmer planting certified seed will have an opportunity to enter the contest. It will not be required that fields be certified, but it will be required that planting in order that some authentic record may be kept.

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### THE FAMILY NEXT DOOR



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"WELL, I'M GLAD I GOT MY HEALTH AND GOOD LOOKS !!!!"

"I'M THANKFUL THAT I DONT HAVE TO BE CAREFUL OF WHAT I EAT TO KEEP FROM GETTIN FAT!"

"WHAT ABOUT YOU FERD.—AIN'T YOU THANKFUL FOR ANYTHING?"

"NAW I AINT!! I AINT GOT ROOM FOR HALF TH PIE I WANTA EAT !!!"

### BIG GAME KILLED

**SANTA FE**—More than four thousand deer, including 1,884 does, were killed during the big game season, State Game Warden Elliott Barker said Saturday. The does were killed in the Black Canyon area under special regulations.

The kill as reported to the state game warden was 235 white tail and 2,178 mule deer, all bucks which together with the does killed makes a total of 4,097 deer. Mr. Barker estimated that probably 400 bucks were killed and not reported.

The kill this season, he said, is not big in view of the size of the army of hunters in the field. Deputy game wardens at the various game area gateways checked in 7,123 hunters, and Mr. Barker said there were undoubtedly many more hunters who were not checked.

Four hundred and twenty-six turkeys were killed and 1,526 squirrels. It is estimated that 100 turkeys were not reported and probably 200 squirrels.

Only ten bear were reported to have been bagged. The game department, however, estimates the kill at 75 all of which were black and brown bear.

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WHAT'S DOING? READ ARTESIA ADVOCATE EVERY WEEK

THE TWENTY-EIGHT

## Shoots After Injuring

### Wagon Passes Neck And Inflicts Hurt Which Thot Fatal

Artesia was enacted at the farm Saturday morning when Polk Turner shot and killed himself inflicting an injury, which was thought would be fatal. According to the evidence at the inquest held at the funeral parlors, Saturday afternoon, Mr. Turner had his field to haul out his cattle. He had about a ton of loose wagon and had attempted to drive out to the wagon under the wagon in some manner, which was known. The wheel passed his neck, injuring the neck and causing it to swell, short his breath. Mr. Turner managed to follow his team to a gate near his house, when he was met by a neighbor.

Turner who met him in the house, sensed something was wrong. At first she said she might have had some man, but later she discovered the man on his face was due to the wheel had run over his

Turner said that her husband insisted that she go for two after she had attempted to get him in the car to go to the hospital. After assisting him in the house, Mrs. Henderson and told her to get her while she (Mrs. Turner) returned to the home of a neighbor.

Henderson testified at the inquest that she started for the farm at once. When she was about half way or more she heard a loud noise like a cotone falling down. The wheel of the shot gun was not distinct. Coming near the residence she was over by Mrs. Turner and both of the house at the same time. Mrs. Turner lying on the floor, still alive. It was later that Mrs. Henderson discovered her husband was shot.

Jackson was one of the persons to the Turner farm. He went down in the field and tracked the wagon to near the gate close to the house. Mr. Jackson stated he believed he discovered where Mr. Turner fell from the wagon. The spot where Mr. Turner's head laid was in a depression, between two clumps of grass. It was this distance that probably saved Mr. Turner from instant death.

Mrs. Turner was gone. Mr. Turner is believed to have been in the condition to take his own life. He is thought to have managed to get on to a 12-gauge pump and the trigger with a comb. Dr. K. Hoover, the attending physician testified that although the wound was very painful, it had not caused death. However, three brothers, six and a mother are left to the loss of Mr. Turner. The relatives are: George and Ardron Turner of Artesia, this state; Alfred Turner of California; Mrs. A. J. Gooden of Artesia; Mrs. C. Downing of Artesia; Mrs. Carl A. Buchanan; Mrs. Joe Fain of Quannah, Texas; Mrs. Bester of California and Mrs. E. Turner of Buchanan, S. E. following out of state related attended the funeral service which were held in the

of Christ, Sunday afternoon at 4:00 p. m. Rev. Thomas of Lake Arthur officiating. The funeral was held at the home of Mrs. E. J. Buchanan, Mrs. A. J. Buchanan of Portales, Alfred Turner, wife of Los Angeles Ad Turner of Buchanan, and Boykin, a friend from Portales Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Turner and Mark Walters, brother of Mrs. Turner, who live in Artesia.

### ADVOCATE OUT DAY EARLY

Advocate was published a day early this week to permit time to enjoy Thanksgiving. All stores were closed to properly observe Thanksgiving

## ARTESIA — ROSWELL BID FOR BASKET TOURNAMENT IN SPRING

Artesia and Roswell are the chief contenders for the annual Pecos valley high school basketball championship to be held during the early part of March. George White, of Carlsbad, chairman of district five of the New Mexico Athletic Association has sent each school in the district a ballot, which entitles the school to one vote on the choice of place to hold the tournament. Eleven schools are in the district as follows: Roswell, Dexter, Hagerman, Lake Arthur, Artesia, Hope, Carlsbad, Old Hobbs, New Hobbs, Tatum, and Lovington.

## LEGION--BOY SCOUTS PLAY SANTA CLAUS THIS YEAR TO POOR

The American Legion with the aid of the Artesia Boy Scouts will play Santa Claus this year, it was announced recently. Broken and unwanted toys will be gathered up by the scouts and placed at the disposal of the Legion at noon showed a gain of 1,101 bales over the previous week, or a total of 9,286 bales. This number compares with 8,793 bales ginned by five Eddy county gins up until the corresponding period of last year.

## STORES TO CLOSE A HALF HOUR EARLY BEGINNING MONDAY

Twenty-one Artesia stores signed up to close at 5:30 in the afternoon beginning Monday, November 30th, in a petition circulated by Walter Douglas and Miss Ethel Bullock of the Peoples Mercantile Co., Tuesday. The stores have also moved the opening hour up until 7:00 a. m. The new closing and opening schedule will be maintained thru the months of December, January and February.

## CALL DEMOCRATS

The democratic national committee has been called to meet at Washington January 9th to decide the time and place of the party convention in June. John J. Raskob, national chairman, dispatched the call by mail. The meeting will be at the Mayflower hotel, where the committee last March got together in the stormy session at which the leadership of Raskob was challenged by southern attendants.

## SCHOOLS TO CLOSE FOR THANKSGIVING

Superintendent Kerr announced Tuesday that the Artesia schools would close on Wednesday for Thanksgiving and remain closed the rest of the week.

## GEOLOGIST LOST IN THE GAUDALUPE MTS. IS FOUND TUESDAY

Charles A. Lindberg, sixty-five year old geologist was still lost some place in the Gaudalupe mountains Monday night according to word from Carlsbad. Forest rangers and cowboys organized into searching parties have been hunting for Lindberg since last Thursday night when he was last seen near upper Dark Canyon. His auto, it is believed ran out of gasoline and Lindberg became lost in the wild connecting canyons while trying to take a short cut to a village for gasoline.

The severe snowstorms of the past few days have not yet reached the Gaudalupe section. Lindberg has done a great deal of work in the southeastern New Mexico oil regions for major companies, but more recently has been prospecting for himself.

Mr. Lindberg was found late Monday afternoon, none the worse for being stranded, word from Carlsbad says.

In an almost inaccessible small canyon off Dark Canyon, the differential in his car was broken, and he rolled the car into a clump of walnut trees for protection. He pinned three notes where he thought members of his party would find them, and one of these fastened to a gate, guided the "rescue party" to him.

## THE CROP GATHERING OPERATIONS SPEEDED AS LABOR COMES IN

### Surplus Cotton Pickers Headed This Way — Crop Will Soon Be All Gathered South Of Artesia.

With more labor in the cotton fields, picking operation continue at a normal rate despite the cold weather which has prevailed here for the past two or three days. Some sections of the valley appear to have a surplus of pickers while others need help to get the cotton gathered before colder weather, which may be expected soon. The Lake Arthur section is still short of pickers as well as a few farms southeast of town. Farmers at Lake Arthur complain that pickers drifting in, have left again with the coming of the cold spell. Approximately ninety per cent of the cotton has been gathered south and east of town, while on the Cottonwood and in Lake Arthur the percentages range from sixty to seventy. Ginnings of this area are made from compilation up until Tuesday at noon showed a gain of 1,101 bales over the previous week, or a total of 9,286 bales. This number compares with 8,793 bales ginned by five Eddy county gins up until the corresponding period of last year.

The ginnings:  
Lake Arthur gin.....741  
Cottonwood gin.....2,160  
Association gin, Espula.....1,491  
Association gin, Artesia.....1,448  
Farmers gin, Artesia.....1,971  
Association gin, Atoka.....1,475  
Total.....9,286  
\*—Indicates ginning up to Tuesday morning.

## ARRESTED ON CHECK CHARGE HERE SAT.

Samuel Bratcher, who gave his address at Phoenix, Arizona, was arrested here Saturday by Ross Conner, deputy sheriff on charge of giving a bogus check for an automobile in Arizona. Bratcher waived extradition and will be returned to Arizona to face the charge of issuing the worthless check.

## DOES YOUR NAME APPEAR

Beginning this week, Kinder, Jones and Monschke at the Jackson-Chevrolet Co., are offering a washing or greasing job free to some Chevrolet owner. Does your name appear this week, look and see.

## DEWEY ELLIS HURT IN AN ACCIDENT AT REFINERY PLANT

Dewey Ellis of the Ellis Refining Co., located in the oil field some twenty-three miles east of here was painfully injured Sunday when A. C. Horner a workman accidentally dropped a two inch valve on his head. The valve fell some twelve feet and rendered Mr. Ellis unconscious for a short time, cutting a gash in the top of his head. Five stitches were necessary to sew up the wound.

## P. V. MEDICAL ASS'N. MEETS

The Pecos Valley Medical Association closed the 22nd annual convention in Roswell Saturday, with a good attendance. Dr. F. F. Doepf of Carlsbad was elected president of the association and Dr. W. T. Joyner of Roswell was re-elected sec-treas. Carlsbad was chosen as the next convention city. Doctors H. A. Stroup and C. Russell of Artesia attended the association.

## MRS. CLOWE'S FATHER DIES

Mr. and Mrs. D. I. Clowe were called to the Portales section last Thursday morning by the death of Mrs. Clowe's father, S. G. Reddy, age 80, who passed away Thursday morning after an extended illness. Mr. Reddy had been in failing health some four or five years.

Funeral services were held Friday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Clowe returned home Friday evening.

## 350 CANS BEEF AND SOUP CANNED BY LEGION FOR NEEDY

Members of the American Legion met at the old laundry building on N. First Street Sunday and canned 350 cans of beef and soup under the supervision of Bryant Savoie. The beef was furnished by Col. Woods, the gas for heat was furnished by the Pecos Valley Gas Co., and the plumbing connections for the stoves was donated by Rowland and Rideout. Another beef may be canned next Sunday at the same place to insure a winter's supply of canned meat for the Community Chest. The beef canned last Sunday was stored with other foods of the Community Chest.

## FOOTBALL SEASON TO END TODAY--ARTESIA MEETS ANCIENT RIVAL

Local football fans will have an opportunity to witness the last football game this afternoon, when the Artesia high school Bulldogs will go into action against the Carlsbad Cavemen at the Brainard Park, beginning at 2:30 p. m. At the last meeting of the two teams, two weeks ago, the Cavemen were able to tie the locals 6-6. With all injuries healed, Coach Allen's charges should come out of the fray with the big end of the score unless the dope bucket is upset, but the possibility of upsetting the dope is another thing that adds interest to the game.

## MAIL YOUR PACKAGES EARLY THIS XMAS

The United States Postal department of course believes there is a Santa Claus—but it also rightfully thinks the public ought to help the old gentleman in his yuletide labors by shopping now and mailing early.

The call for early mailing of Christmas cards and parcels has already been issued by post office department officials at Washington and is seconded by E. A. Hannah, Artesia postmaster. It is not a bit too soon now to begin preparing packages destined to foreign countries or distant states.

These dates are suggested by Mr. Hannah as the final times for dispatching Christmas mail: not later than December 19 for anything except mail sent to New Mexico or local addresses; not later than December 21 for state and local mail.

Written greetings, such as "Merry Christmas," "Happy New Year," "With Best Wishes," and so forth, may be enclosed with third class or fourth class—parcel post—mail. Books may bear simple dedicatory inscriptions not of a personal nature. Others written additions subject parcels to letter postage.

Christmas seals or stickers should not be placed on the address side of mail. Parcels may not exceed 100 inches in length and girth combined or 70 pounds in weight. The weight limitation is 44 pounds or less on mail to the Philippine Islands, except the city of Manila.

See the new Remington Portable "Noiseless" Typewriter—Artesia Advocate.

## WE THANK YOU

The following have renewed their subscription to The Advocate the past week:

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## SMALL TAX PAYERS IN STATE MAY FORM ORGANIZATION SOON

### Hold First Meeting In Las Cruces November 30th — Special Session Legislature May Be Demanded By Body.

Possibility that the small tax payers in the state may organize is expressed in a letter from W. T. Scoggins to The Advocate. The letter is self explanatory:  
Las Cruces, Nov. 23, 1931.  
The Artesia Advocate, Artesia, New Mexico.  
Gentlemen:

Mr. Roach general chairman of all committee working on taxes in Dona Ana county, has asked me to head the committee inquiring into public sentiment relative to a special session of the New Mexico legislature, convened for the purpose of writing a more equitable law for our state. The small tax payer, particularly those owning real estate, whether town property or farm land, are paying what we believe to be an unjust proportion of government expense. It is our purpose to organize all of the small tax payers of the state, into one general organization, that we may, ourselves, be able to compel equity and justice in matters of not only expenditures of public funds, but fairness to all in raising revenue. From previous publicity sent out to the Associated Press, the public may think this is a farm bureau movement. That organization represents less than 2% of the tax payers of Dona Ana county; while it is represented on the committee, the man having this whole matter in charge, and the one who initiated it, is Paul Roach, Dona Ana county tax assessor.

We would like very much a personal letter from you, addressed to Paul Roach, giving your views as to whether we should have a special session of the legislature. Our present rolls are made up, and a great majority of the small tax payers in this county, particularly farmers, will not be able to pay their taxes. Unless we get a special session, there can be no relief for two years. By that time, many of our best citizens in this locality, will have lost their property.

Very truly yours,  
W. T. SCOGGINS,  
P. S.—We wish to use your letter at the general mass meeting to be held at Las Cruces, in Dona Ana county, on November 30th. A representative from your paper is cordially invited.

## WHEATLEY INJURED IN AUTO ACCIDENT NEAR PLAINVIEW

Rex Wheatley, president of the Joyce Fruit Co., was rather seriously injured in an auto accident, near Plainview, Texas, early Sunday morning, according to word received here. Mr. Wheatley with J. A. King and Ellis Carter, directors of the Joyce-Fruit Co., were en route from Lubbock to St. Louis, Missouri, in the car of Mr. King. The King car collided with a truck with painful results to Mr. Wheatley and Mr. King. It was necessary to take six stitches in a gash over an eye of Mr. Wheatley, who was also cut on the back of the head. Mr. King received a black eye, while the other passenger escaped with minor bruises.

The injured members of the party received medical aid in Plainview and proceeded on to St. Louis. A frosted windshield on the King car is said to have been responsible for the accident.

## NEW POTASH COMPANY

The New Mexico Potash and Chemical Co., has been granted a charter by the State Corporation Commission, according to advices from Santa Fe. Charles Lamb, formerly connected with the State Corporation Commission with Col. W. G. Halthusen and several New Mexicans are the stockholders.

Company holdings include a large number of acres in southeastern New Mexico. Contracts have been let for the development to start at an early date.

## NUMBER OF CATTLE SHIPPED TO MARKET AND ARIZONA RANGE

Thirty or thirty-two cars of cattle will be loaded out of the Artesia and Lakewood pens to-day, most of the shipment will go to market, while a few cars will be placed on the Arizona range. Among the shippers loading out to-day include: Ed Watts of Hope, two cars; David Gentry, two cars; W. W. Lock, three cars; J. S. Clements, one car; and E. E. Jernigan, twelve cars. The above shipments will go to market.

Col. Williams is also loading out ten or twelve cars of heifers from the Lakewood pens to-day. This shipment will go to Kingman, Arizona, where it was understood the heifers will be placed on the range.

## THE RED CROSS ROLL CALL IS COMPLETED OVER THE WEEK END

Mrs. Albert Richards, Red Cross roll call chairman makes the following report of the annual Red Cross roll call, which ended Saturday: Total membership secured 61; total national dues collected \$30.50; total local dues collected \$30.50; total donations made other than the membership fund \$14.36; grand total of all collections \$75.36; amount paid to national Red Cross headquarters \$30.50; total amount of collections which will remain in Artesia \$44.86.

## J. B. MUNCY WAIVES PRELIMINARY IN THE JUSTICE COURT HERE

J. B. Muncy waived preliminary hearing here Friday before the justice of the peace court when arraigned on charge of assault with a deadly weapon in connection with the altercation with J. R. Bradley, Thursday morning, during which time Bradley received a flesh wound in the right arm.

Muncy was placed under a \$500 bond, awaiting the action of the Eddy county court. He also made a \$250 peace bond as did the three Bradley brothers, tenants on the Muncy farm.

## FASTER SCHEDULE

The new train schedule effective November 29th as carried in last week's paper will provide for faster service to eastern points, train No. 26 leaving Artesia at 1:07 p. m. will run thru to Amarillo. Two new motor cars eighty feet in length and powered with heavy motors have been assigned to this run. Direct connection at Amarillo, for the east, arriving at Kansas City at 4:55 p. m. the following day. Two hours and twenty minutes shorter time than previously. The connection for the west leaves Clovis at 8:40 p. m. and the connection for the south remains the same as at present.

## COTTON GRADE AND STAPLE HOLDING UP WELL REPORTS SHOW

Final delivery grade on 1,900 bales of cotton shipped thru the Artesia Alfalfa Grower's Ass'n. has been received from Galveston, Texas. Tabulations includes all cotton ginned by the Association and also all cotton classed by the local association office. The grade and staple indicates that the cotton is of high quality.

The classification of the 1,900 bales speaks for itself, which is as follows: total number of bales classed as middling 12; number of bales strict middling 880; number of bales as good middling 1,008. In classing for staple: 8 bales graded fifteen sixteenths; 22 bales graded one inch; 523 bales graded one and one thirty-second; 1,217 bales one and one thirty-second; 130, one and three thirty-seconds.

The above computations were made on all cotton handled up to November 8th. The twelve bales of middling cotton was ginned during November. Nothing below strict middling was ginned prior to November 5th.

The cotton has been sold at basis which averages for the entire lot 27.2 off NY December job Artesia. Eighty percent brot 25 off. This is with exception of 40 bales of strict and good middling which has not yet been sold, according to the Association, but (Continued on last page, column 1)

## Green No. 1 Gets Second Flow Of Gas On Tuesday

### Possibilities Of Oil Are Also Present — Hobbs Big Gasser May Also Develop Into Largest Oil Well In Field.

Local oil interest is centered this week in the Green No. 1 of the Western Drilling Co., NW 1/4 sec. 29-17-25 which Tuesday night developed a second flow of gas at 2,255 feet, which ran the estimated gas output to 2,000,000 to 3,000,000 feet. A million feet of gas was encountered at 2,176-80 feet. Drilling operations have been continued on the test with the hope that additional gas may be developed.

Apparently the Green No. 1 is running high which brightens the prospects for one of the largest gas wells of the area. While a real oil well might come as a big surprise at this stage of development, this section is not without its possibilities.

Aside from preparing to test possibly the biggest well yet completed in the Hobbs field, operations in the Hobbs pool have been more or less routine in their nature. One or two completions will likely be made before the close of another week. The A No. 33, State No. 4 of the Continental Oil Co., sec. 33-18-38, an offset well on the west edge of the Hobbs pool, not only gives promise of outstripping other wells in the matter of gas production, but in the output of oil as well, according to the latest information from the field. The test blowing in for 128,000,000 feet of gas and 6,000 barrels of oil has been drilled deeper and will be given a proration test soon, it was stated.

## MEXICAN FOUND DEAD

Juan Silva, about 70 years old, a resident of eastern New Mexico for about 30 years, was found dead on the ranch of R. C. Worswick and company, 55 miles northwest of Roswell, Friday morning, after having been dead about two days.

A Lincoln county coroner's jury pronounced the death accidental probably resulting from heart failure. He was last seen alive by ranchmen Tuesday afternoon, and apparently was in good health. The body was discovered in his room at the Worswick ranch.

## ROAD COMMITTEE TO SANTA FE NEXT WEEK

A road committee consisting of Fred Brainard, manager of the Artesia Chamber of Commerce, Col. A. T. Woods and G. R. Brainard expect to go to Santa Fe next week to interview Governor Seligman in regard to improvements on Highway 83. The committee is of the opinion that this section is entitled to some highway improvements since no appointments were made from this district.

## BIG PECAN YIELD

Alf Coll gathered 250 pounds of pecans off of one of his pecan trees this year, proving conclusively that nuts can be successfully raised in this locality. The nuts are good grade.

## MRS. WALTERSCHIED DEAD

Mrs. Margaret B. Walterschied a citizens of Eddy county for more than twenty-five years, died Thursday morning at 9:15 o'clock at her home in Carlsbad, of a complication of diseases and the infirmities of age.

Her husband died at Carlsbad June 12. Two sons, Will of Carlsbad and Edward of the Hoover Dam, and four daughters, Katherine and Trisilla of Carlsbad; Mrs. Hedwig O'Neil and Christine of Big Spring, Texas survive.

The Walterschieds are former residents of Artesia and are well known here. Edward worked for Brainard-Corbin Hardware Co., for some time, several years ago.

## ECCLES HERE

W. R. Eccles, district highway engineer of Roswell, was down Tuesday inspecting some road work in this section. Mr. Eccles reports that the highway program over the state is quiet at this time, there being only two major road projects under construction in the state now.

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## EASY MONEY

Occasionally we see where some new finance company has entered the field to make confidential loans to responsible individuals. The manner in which a few of these finance companies can explain the workings of their plan makes a beautiful theory to listen to, but oftentimes proves very impractical, as the man or woman who happens to get caught in one of these schemes can testify. These companies charge anywhere from 10 to 100 per cent interest and get away with it, under a contract signed by the individual. There are a number of items that can be charged for in addition to interest, which enables the fakers to avoid the usury law.

Even some building and loan companies have been guilty of misrepresentation. They often get as high as eighteen per cent on the investment, although they tell the prospect that it will amount to only ten per cent, if the loan is paid out, even so, the investor has paid out practically 100 per cent interest, if he stays with it to the bitter end. All of which reminds us that it is a poor salesman who can not make his proposition look flattering on paper, but the practical working side of the situation is altogether a different thing.

A good share of the present pressing times can be laid at the door of this so called high financing and easy money. A good many individuals have paid dearly for the easy money. The situation can be likened to a man bleeding to death in a bath tub of warm water, the process may not be very painful, but it will get you in the end.

## THE CROP GATHERERS

West Texas has turned loose a great horde of cotton pickers who have drifted into the Pecos valley. At the present rate it will only be a short time now until the crop is gathered and the laborers will be looking for work. Few of them will have accumulated funds sufficient to carry them thru the winter. Some will return home, while others will remain with us. The burden of support thru the winter months in many instances will rest with the Community Chest, unless work is provided.

Means should be worked out to provide some sort of a public improvement program, even if it is on a small scale. We are facing a situation where we can get cheap materials and labor. Oil for instance will be given for experimental work on streets. If there ever was an opportunity of a life time, it looks as though the next few months will bring this to pass; a time when we can accomplish a great deal at a small cost.

## THANKSGIVING

This is the day that the more fortunate have winged their way into a turkey. Today is a day of thanksgiving, an occasion that will be overlooked by many who really have cause to give thanks. Some have faced the day with a few material things to be thankful for, however material things are not to be desired above everything else. While some have scarcely enough to eat, they have something to be thankful for, above all good health, for after all good health is the chief concern of the individual.

We have been blessed with an abundant harvest. We have been spared from national calamity. Above all we are at peace with other people. Such adversity as we have suffered should quicken our sympathies and develop within us a spirit of sacrifice for others, for in many cases the causes of their troubles are beyond our control.

We do not agree with the man who said the observance of Thanksgiving this year would be merely a mockery.

## OPPORTUNITY

Master of human destiny am I—  
Fame, love fortune on my footsteps wait;  
Cities and fields I walk; I penetrate  
Deserts and seas remote, and passing by  
Hovel and mart and palace, soon or late  
I knock unbidden once at every gate—  
If sleeping, wake; if feasting, rise before  
I turn away. It is the hour of fate!  
And they who follow me reach every state  
Mortals desire, and conquer every foe  
save death; but those who doubt or hesitate,  
Condemned to failure, penury and woe,  
Seek me in vain and uselessly implore—  
I answer not, and return no more.

Nobody can think of a valid reason why university professors should be exempted from paying income tax and yet the professors rather resent the efforts of the federal agents to collect the income tax. The numerous classes of exemptions combined with the increasing number of federal bureaus is largely responsible for the mounting tax rate.

Life is mostly froth and bubble;

Two things stand like stone;

Kindness in another's trouble;

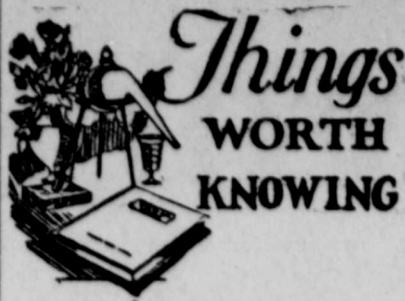
Courage in one's own. —Author Unknown.

Advocates of government ownership of public utilities never tire of pointing to the post office department as an example, says the Toledo Blade. The present postal deficit is only \$150,000,000.

Co-operative marketing of wheat has been a great success except for the fact that the farmers wouldn't co-operate and there hasn't been any market.

Science says that it is next to impossible to create a perfect vacuum, altho at times we think we have almost accomplished the impossible.

Her whistle can make a lot of noise, but it's her propeller that pushes the steamer forward.



### Things Worth Knowing

Whether you like a little or a lot of rainfall, you can find it in the United States. The annual rainfall varies from 120 inches in the Olympic Mountains of Washington to less than 5 inches in southeastern California.

Do not let pullets roost on tree limbs in the fall when they start to lay. This is a habit some pullets acquire on hot summer nights. To break them of the habit, confine them to the laying house for a few days, or clip the flight feathers on one wing.

Many people think that persimmons are not edible until they have been frozen or touched by frost. Freezing is injurious to persimmons as it is to other fruits. If they are not free from astringency and fit to eat before frost, it is because the variety is a late one and the persimmons have not matured.

Better methods of soil building and intensive soil cultivation have diminished the need for clearing up new lands for crop production. This favors the growing of timber as a crop on the less fertile or more broken parts of the farm, and makes it a part of the regular farm program.

The nicotine-sulphate treatment is one of the best ways to control lice in poultry flocks including a large number of pullets, says the U. S. Department of Agriculture. Paint the top of the roosts with liquid nicotine sulphate in late afternoon just before the birds go to roost. The fumes will kill the lice during the night. The use of sodium-fluoride dust for controlling lice on poultry necessitates handling the pullets. This frightens them and may check egg production.

## POULTRYMEN TO MEET ON DECEMBER 17TH

Roswell has been selected for the scene of the 1934 convention of the state poultrymen's association, according to announcement last week. The annual meeting will be held on the last day of the Chaves county poultry show, to be staged December 17, 18, 19.

The convention is expected to bring approximately sixty poultrymen to Roswell from Portales, Clovis, Las Vegas, Carlsbad, Artesia and other eastern New Mexico points. A banquet for poultrymen will be held Friday, December 18, a business session Saturday morning, and an educational program Saturday afternoon.

## WELCH TRIAL COST CHAVES SUM \$1,815.94

The Gifford I. Welch case cost Chaves county a total of \$1,815.94, court records of Chaves county showed.

This was the bill which Eddy county submitted to Chaves when the Welch case was tried at Carlsbad several weeks ago on a change of venue from Chaves county. The check to cover this amount has been forwarded to Eddy county by the clerk of the Chaves county district court.

## FREIGHT RATE ON CRUDE OIL IS CUT

SANTA FE — The Panhandle and Santa Fe Railroad has been granted permission by the New Mexico corporation commission to decrease its rate on crude oil between Carlsbad and Roswell from fifteen to eight cents a hundred pounds.

The new rate was made by agreement between the railroad and shippers, T. B. Gallagher, general freight and passenger agent said.

## ROSWELL MAN DIES SUDDENLY SUNDAY

W. H. Abernathy, 65, prominent Roswell business man, died suddenly Sunday afternoon while reading a newspaper in the office of the Pecos Valley Realty Insurance company at Roswell. His death was caused by heart failure. Mr. Abernathy who had been in ill health for several months, is survived by a daughter and two sons.

## FAT GIRLS! HERE'S A TIP FOR YOU

All over the world Kruschen Salts is appealing to girls and women who strive for an attractive, free from fat figure that cannot fail to win admiration.

Here's the recipe that banishes fat and brings into blossom all the natural attractiveness that every woman possesses.

Every morning take one half teaspoon of Kruschen Salts in a glass of hot water before breakfast.

Be sure and do this every morning for "It's the little daily dose that takes off fat" and brings "that Kruschen feeling" of energetic health and activity that is reflected in bright eyes, clear skin, cheerful vivacity and charming figure.

Get an 85c bottle of Kruschen Salts at any drug store (lasts 4 weeks)—you must be satisfied with results or money back.

## HEALTH COLUMN

### DIPHTHERIA PREVALENT

There is an unusual prevalence of diphtheria in the state at the present time. Eighty-eight cases were reported in October and 41 in the first half of November. The figures for the corresponding periods last year were 37 and 11 respectively.

If treated early with a sufficient dose of antitoxin diphtheria can always be cured. Children die because their parents do not suspect that a little sore throat may be the beginning of diphtheria and so delay calling a doctor. Occasionally when the diphtheritic membrane is not visible even the best doctor may miss diphtheria in the early curable stage.

The tragedy is that these cases might all have been prevented if the parents would have taken their children at nine months or one year of age to have toxoid treatments from the family doctor. Prevention with toxoid is cheaper and safer than cure with antitoxin. Prevention should not be delayed until school age. Since 1916 in New York City 75 per cent of those dying from diphtheria have been children under 5 years of age.

The diphtheria prevention commission of New York has closed its 3-year campaign this month. More than half a million children have been immunized in that city during the campaign. The results have been striking. The average number of cases for the 24-year period before the campaign was more than 10,000 per year. Deaths averaged about 1,000 per year. In 1930 there were 3,794 cases and 198 deaths. For the first ten months of the present year there have been 3,377 cases and 130 deaths. The cost of the campaign is estimated at \$140,000 a year and the economic saving is estimated at \$10,000,000. Prevention pays.

Mr. and Mrs. George Dixon and children are spending Thanksgiving with Mrs. Dixon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. St. John in Roswell.

## The Food Question

Everyone wishes the food served at card parties, dances, at homes and other receptions to be artistically designed and daintily made—made so it fairly melts in the mouth.

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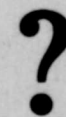
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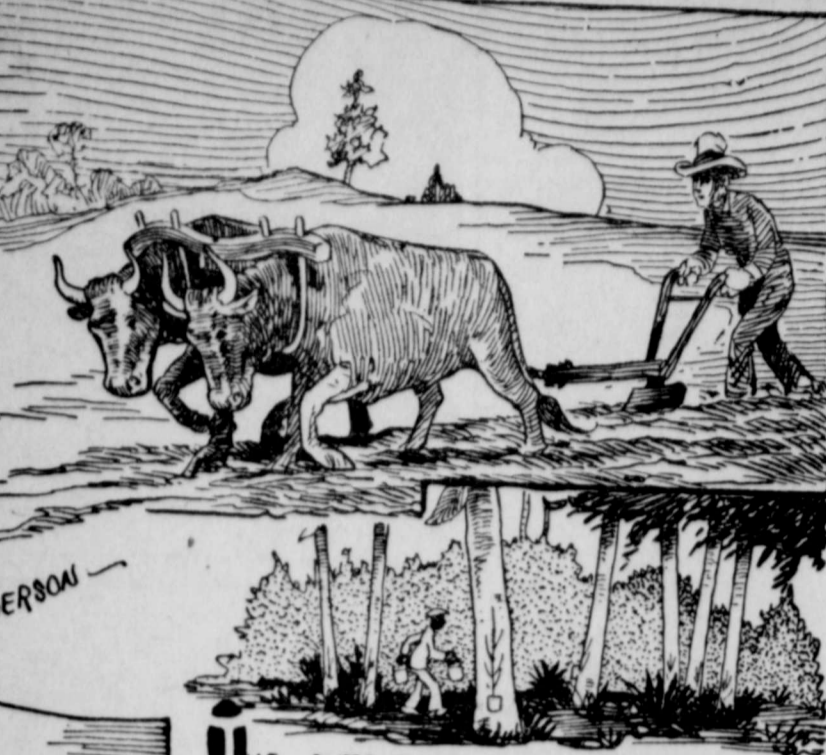
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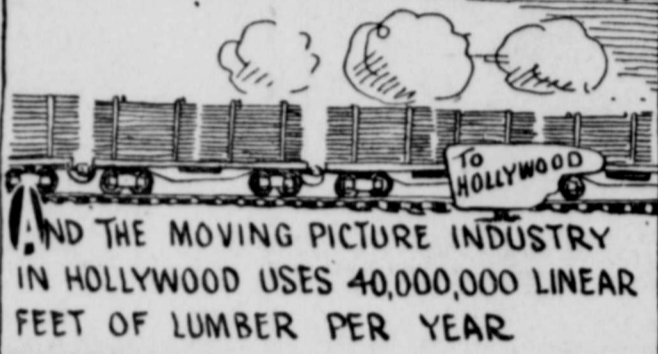
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### LAKE ARTHUR ITEMS

Miss Ella Ohlenbusch, Reporter

Miss Amelia Ohlenbusch was on the sick list for several days last week.

Johnny Graham left last week with a car load of cattle for Kansas City, Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Doyle and A. V. Flowers were transacting business in Roswell Saturday.

The boys began their basketball practice last Monday. Their first match will be with Hagerman.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Schulze of Artesia were callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. Ohlenbusch Sunday.

K. A. Bivens who has been ill for the past two or three weeks is reported to be able to be about again.

Lewis McLarry of Cuba, this state arrived here last week for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben McLarry.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Clark of Topeka, Kansas, first cousin of Mrs. W. L. Bradley are visiting at the Bradley home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Duncan and daughters of Carlsbad, were week end guests of Mrs. Duncan's sister, Mrs. Bob Bailey and family.

Rev. and Mrs. R. A. Hingst, pastor of the Lutheran church at Roswell were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. Ohlenbusch Sunday.

The box social which was held at the high school auditorium last Friday night was well attended. The money which was raised will go for the benefit of the athletic fund.

The small infant baby of Mr. and Mrs. Hew's was seriously ill Saturday. The child accidentally swallowed a closed safety pin which caused him to have several spasms. He is reported to be doing nicely now.

### DERRICK—HAMMONS

The marriage last Saturday of Miss Mattie Derrick to Mr. Roy Hammons will be of interest to their many friends of this community. They were quietly married in Roswell Saturday.

Mrs. Hammons was the oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Derrick of this community, and Mr. Hammons is the oldest son of Mr. Hammons, also of this community. The Advocate joins in extending congratulations.

Paul Childress of Joplin, Missouri spent the past week in the Cottonwood community looking after property interests. He was accompanied to this section by a friend, Don Allen, also of Joplin. While here Messrs. Childress and Allen were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Bobo.

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### FILED FOR RECORD

November 16, 1931.

#### Warranty Deeds:

Alcario Hernandez to Antonio Lopez \$1.00 S 1/2 SW 1/4; SW 1/4 SE 1/4 8; NW 1/4 NE 1/4 17-19-25. Antonio Cordova to Ysidro Dominguis \$75. L. 6, B. 10, Artesia.

November 17, 1931.

#### Warranty Deeds:

T. F. Reddy to Earl Collins \$2,000. L. 14, 16, B. 1, Forest Hill Add. to Artesia. M. O. Williamson to Frank Watkins \$360. SW 1/4 NW 1/4; N NW 1/4 SW 1/4 4-18-26.

#### In The District Court:

No. 5310. Divorce. Eva May Bell vs. Bill Bell. No. 5311. Divorce. Manuel Chaves vs. Clatelda Albarez Chaves.

November 18, 1931.

#### Warranty Deeds:

L. G. Wilson to M. W. Evans \$700 Block 4 and N 1/2 5, 2-16-26. Pearl Miller to First Nat. Bank \$5,120 L. 5, 7, 9, B. 2, Forest Hill Add. to Artesia. G. W. Moore to C. S. Neal \$2,750. L. 14, B. 82, Lowe Add to Carlsbad.

Jackson-Bolton Chev. Co., to V. D. Bolton \$80 W. 50 Ft. L. 5, 6, 7, 8, and 9, B. 18, Blair Add. to Artesia.

#### In The District Court:

No. 5312. Suit for Compensation. Chas. Kuykendall vs. S. W. Public Service Co., et al. No. 5313. Foreclosure of Chattel. A. J. Crawford vs. Lula May Atwell. \$150.00.

November 19, 1931.

#### In The District Court:

No. 5314. Divorce. Katie Burton vs. John C. Burton.

November 20, 1931.

#### Deeds:

F. L. Ward to C. W. Middleton SW 1/4 SE 1/4 26-18-25; and SE 1/4 14-16-24.

Jeff Hightower came in last Saturday to spend the Thanksgiving holidays at home.

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#### PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH OF ARTESIA

F. B. Howden, Jr., Rector.

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

The church school meets at 5:00 p. m.

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

#### CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY

613 W. Main Street

Sunday services at 11:00 a. m. Wednesday services at 7:30 p. m.

Subject of the Bible lesson for Sunday, November 29, 1931, is: "Ancient and Modern Necromancy, Alas Mesmerism and Hypnotism, Denounced."

In this lesson the following scriptural selection is found: "I know that overcometh will, I know that eat of the tree of life, which is in the midst of the paradise of God." (Rev. 2:7).

Also the following citation from Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures, by Mary Baker Eddy, Page 218, 234: "Resist the temptation to believe in matter."

Intelligent, as having sense and power. We should become more familiar with good than with evil, and guard against false beliefs as watchfully as we guard our doors against the approach of thieves and murderers."

Visitors always welcome.

See our Christmas Cards—The Advocate.

#### THANK OFFERING SERVICE

The Thank Offering Service at the Presbyterian church last Thursday afternoon was an inspiring one and the attendance was very gratifying. Each member present responded to roll call with a short prayer for the missionaries whose names are in the prayer calendar, and also for the special representatives of the society, Rev. and Mrs. Paul Fuller, (Margaret Mathes), missionaries to Siam. Members were given the names of five missionaries to whom to write Christmas letters.

Among these are the Fullers, Mr. Hill only brother of Mrs. John Sinclair and a missionary in Africa; Miss Boyd, sister of Mrs. Roy Wright, in India, and Miss Small and Miss Moore, who have been here a number of times.

The topic of the day was, "Siam," upon which subject Mrs. S. W. Gilbert read an interesting article. Mrs. W. E. Kerr read a reasonable article upon "Thanksgiving, and two beautiful solos provided the musical accompaniment, a violin number by Miss Doris Deter and a vocal number by Mrs. V. L. Gates, with Mrs. Gates at the piano for both.

A letter from Mrs. Sinclair to Mrs. Tarbet was of much interest. It related that the Sinclairs had met Mrs. Tarbet's brother from a nearby point and also that the entire Sinclair family had been invited to assist with a Sunday school convention program at a neighboring town, indicating that the musical attainments of the family are already gaining recognition.

The church was attractively decorated with fall flowers for the service and delicious refreshments were served. A generous thank offering was received.

#### THANKSGIVING SERVICE AT BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. James Dew, pastor of the First Baptist Church announces that a Thanksgiving service will be held at the Baptist church, tonight, Thursday and that the usual Wednesday evening prayer meeting will be dispensed with this week. So far as known at this time, no efforts have been made to hold a union Thanksgiving service. One or two local pastors plan to be out of the city over the holidays.

#### METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH SOUTH

Rev. Harold G. Scoggins Pastor

"The large church with a warm welcome and a helpful gospel." 9:45 a. m. Sunday school. Geo. Frisch, superintendent.

No service at 11:00 a. m. Fifth Sunday meeting at Hope.

Young people and Junior League at 6:00 p. m.

Evening worship 7:00 p. m. Theme: "Looking Ahead."

Prayer meeting, Wednesday evening at 7:00 o'clock.

Miss Esther Morgan, accompanied by her friend, Miss Rozella Knapp, also a teacher in the high school, are here from Roswell spending Thanksgiving with her mother, Mrs. Jessie Morgan.

#### X-RAY REVEALS DISLOCATED VERTEBRAE

An X-Ray picture made Saturday by Dr. Stroup reveals that Wade Williams, who was injured in an auto accident five or six weeks ago near Hagerman, had suffered a dislocated vertebrae. Notwithstanding Mr. Williams has not been well, he has been able to be about, which is regarded as rather unusual. Several X-Ray pictures taken before had failed to reveal the injured member.

Mr and Mrs. Frank Sewell were in from Hobbs Friday and went to to Roswell Saturday morning. They returned home Saturday evening.

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City of Detroit purchases 137 new Ford cars  
Hundreds now in use prove low cost of operation

THESE 137 new Ford cars represent one of the largest deliveries ever made to a municipality at one time.

21 radio-equipped Ford scout cars were traded in on this purchase. They had been operated day and night for two years in heavy traffic and all kinds of weather.

Their individual records ranged from 78,434 miles to 143,723 miles with a grand total of 2,283,097 miles. The operating cost of the 21 cars was 2.284 cents a mile — less than 2 1/3 cents. This cost included all fuel, oil, tires, repairs and every other item except depreciation and insurance.

Of 577 Ford cars in Detroit City service, the 300 in the Police Department traveled a total of 6,591,937 miles during the past fiscal year, at an average cost of 2.9 cents a mile.

Many claims have been made on operating costs, but here in the carefully kept motor car records of the City of Detroit is positive proof of Ford economy.

In the paragraphs above, it is seen that 21 Ford scout cars averaged less than 2 1/3

cents a mile and 300 Ford cars in all branches of Detroit police work averaged 2.9 cents a mile!

Day and night, twenty-four hours a day, these Ford cars are in operation. Few branches of transportation demand such grueling service. The records show that low fuel and oil consumption is but one of the Ford's many economies. Ford materials, simplicity of design and accuracy in manufacturing provide unusual strength, stamina and freedom from replacements and repairs.

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Keep quiet book

# Social Activities

## DEPRESSION PARTY

The low scores of the Fort-nighly Bridge club entertained the high scores at a depression party at the home of Mrs. Will Linell Tuesday. The guests were instructed to wear depression costumes, but were astonished when their hosts appeared in their latest finery. The depression feature appeared in the salad that contained the joker, but was completely compensated for in the lovely luncheon of turkey and "fixin's" which was served in three courses at one o'clock as a preliminary to the playing. The hostesses, who had been forced into the role by their poor achievement the past year, made a splendid beginning for the coming year, by giving themselves marvelously high scores and every one winning a prize, such as handsome empty paper boxes, etc. There were three special guests at this charming party, Mmes. Stephen Lanning, R. M. McDonald and Charlie Martin. The fortunate high scores were Mmes. C. Bert Smith, J. B. Atkeson, M. A. Corbin, W. C. Martin, Landis Feather and Fred Cole. The hostesses and the unfortunate low scores were Mmes. Linell, C. R. Blocker, John Lanning, W. E. Flint, Lewis Story, Albert Richards and Frank Seale.

## ANNS MEET WITH ROTARIANS LAST NIGHT

The regular 12:30 luncheon of the Artesia Rotary club Tuesday was deferred until evening, when the Rotary Anns were invited to partake of a banquet served in the Artesia hotel roof garden. Some forty people were present for the occasion.

A short program arranged by the program committee consisted of a violin solo by Mrs. Willis Morgan, who played a Gypsy Dance accompanied by Miss Catherine Clarke. As an encore Mrs. Morgan played a Spanish dance.

A flowery address of welcome was given by J. H. Jackson who handed the visitors many bouquets. A stunt, the gathering of the nuts was arranged by S. W. Gilbert. The principal address of the evening was made by Hal Scoggins who told of some of the things the Rotarians owed to their Anns and some things they owed because of them. Mrs. Geo. Frisch made the response, explained a beautiful theory about the first appearance of woman in the brook in the Garden of Eden. She admitted, however that she did not accept all of the theory of evolution and that she rather clung to the old belief that woman was gouged from the rib of man and that he had been continuously gouged ever since.

Bridge and dancing were the principal amusements for the remainder of the evening.

## MISSIONARY GUILD MEETS

The Missionary Guild of the Christian church met at the home of Mrs. John Lanning last Thursday evening for a plate dinner and literary and business meeting. The program, which was given around the table consisted of papers upon "The French Academics" by Mrs. Stanley Blocker; "The Negroes," by Mrs. Roy Hurd and the "Indians," by Mrs. Nevil Muncy. Those present were Mmes. C. Bert Smith, Albert Richards, Earl Darst, Nathan Kelly, Bern Dunn, Muncy, Hurd, Blocker, Miss Arline Cave and the hostess.

## EASTERN STAR INITIATES

There was a good attendance at the Eastern Star meeting held at the hall Tuesday evening, at which time four new members were initiated into the mysteries of the order. The candidates were, Mmes. John Briscoe, T. C. Bird, Alex McGonagill and Judge G. U. McCrary. Refreshments and a social time was enjoyed after the initiation ceremony.

## TURKEY DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. Elzie Swift are entertaining at turkey dinner today, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Swift of Hope and other relatives.

## SECOND BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. Harry Woodman entertained the Second Afternoon Bridge club at a three course luncheon at the Southern Club Cafe on Tuesday at one o'clock. After luncheon the club retired to the home of Mrs. Woodman for the game in which Mrs. L. P. Evans won high score and Mrs. F. G. Hartell, low. The substitutes were Mmes. E. M. Phillips, Frank Linell and Stanley Blocker.

## THE SUNSHINE CLASS

The Sunshine Class had a quilting party and covered dish luncheon with roast turkey, at the home of Mrs. E. H. Perry last Friday. The annual election of officers resulted in Mrs. B. F. Duke being chosen president; Mrs. Jim Berry, vice-president; Mrs. E. M. Phillips, secretary; Mrs. E. T. Jernigan, social secretary. Mrs. Berry was appointed chairman of the visiting committee.

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## Social Calendar

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### FRIDAY

The Second Evening Bridge club will meet at the R. D. Cotton home at 7:00 p. m.

### SATURDAY

The Legion Auxiliary has issued invitations for an informal reception, beginning at 2:15 p. m. at the Dr. Clarke home. Units from Roswell, Lovington, Hobbs and Hagerman have been invited. There will be a luncheon at noon for visiting officers.

### MONDAY

Girl Scout Council will meet at the home of Mrs. Rex Wheatley at 2:30 p. m.

### TUESDAY

The T. E. L. class will have an all day meeting and covered dish luncheon at the home of Mrs. Frank Wilson on the Cottonwood. The First Afternoon Bridge club will meet with Mrs. Jeff Hightower at 2:30 p. m. The Idlewhites Bridge club will meet with Mrs. H. Q. Haley at 2:30 p. m.

### WEDNESDAY

The Week of Prayer services of the Baptist W. M. U. begins. The time not yet set.

The Music Committee of the Woman's club will have charge of the program, which will be in the regular meeting room at 2:30.

### THURSDAY (NEXT WEEK)

The Methodist Missionary Society will hold its business meeting at the church at 2:30 p. m. The Presbyterian Circles will meet at 2:30. Names of places not known yet.

The Christian Ladies Association will have an all-day missionary meeting at the home of Mrs. Albert Richards.

The Thursday Bridge club will meet with Mrs. S. B. Barnett at 2:30 p. m.

The Bridge o' the Month club will meet with Miss Helen Green at 2:30 p. m.

### BIRTHDAY PARTY

A delightful children's party occurred at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Davis Jones, Tuesday afternoon, when a company of little folks helped W. Davis, Jr. to celebrate his fifth anniversary. Mrs. Jones had arranged attractive Thanksgiving decorations for the party, lighting the home with jack-o-lanterns. The birthday cake with candles and ice cream were in a color scheme of yellow and white and Thanksgiving hats and assorted small toys were used as favors. The children present were, Mary Lou Lanning, Rudolf Wilcox, Barbara Wheatley, Shirley Bartlett, Billy Williams, Merritt O'Neal of Roswell, Hattie Ruth Cole, Christine Anderson and Bobby Gates.

### DORCAS CLASS MEETING

The Dorcas class had its class party and business meeting at the home of Miss Jennie Mae Attebery on Tuesday afternoon. The Thanksgiving motif was featured in a game, "I Am Thankful For," the players supplying the remainder of the sentences, many of the answers being humorous. The other side of the cards were decorated with the traditional Thanksgiving bird. Materials were given to each member for an apron to be made for a pre-Christmas sale. Nice refreshments were served.

### W. C. T. U. MEETING

The W. C. T. U. meeting at the Baptist church last Friday afternoon was well attended and a good program was given. A committee was appointed to arrange a program for a special meeting to be held on the evening of December 18th. Watch for further announcements of this meeting.

### PAST NOBLE GRANDS' CLUB

The Past Noble Grand's club was entertained by Mmes. J. M. Story and Lewis Story at the home of the former last Friday evening. There was a good attendance of members and delicious refreshments were served. Those present were Mmes. Harve Muncy, C. Bert Smith, A. L. Bruton, Laura Welsh, Nellie Cogdell, Beulah Jones, Walter Amstutz, Jack Hastie, C. M. Cole, John McCann, W. H. Cobble, E. H. Perry, Frank Thomas, Mary Abbott, Miss Ella Bauslin and the hostesses.

### P. E. O. MEETING

Chapter J, P. E. O. met at the home of Mrs. Fred Cole last Friday afternoon with a full attendance of members. An excellent paper upon "International Relations," was given by Mrs. Rex Wheatley. Current events upon "Peace" and a little study in correct English made up the program, which was much enjoyed.

## Thanksgiving



### HOUSE PARTY AT ELK

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Cleve are entertaining a number of families of Artesians at a Thanksgiving house party at their ranch home at Elk. The following drove up to the Cleve ranch yesterday for the party: Messrs. and Mmes. Linell, John Lanning, Chas. Martin, Lewis Story and Landis Feather and their children. Miss Agnes Ann Williams accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Feather to Elk to spend the vacation at home.

### BRIDGE O' THE MONTH

The Bridge o' the Month club met with Mrs. Fred Cole last Thursday afternoon with one substitute, Miss Vesta Frisch. Mrs. Wendel Welsh won high score and Mrs. T. C. Bird, low score. The Thanksgiving motif was used in decorating and delicious refreshments were served.

### THEATRE PARTY

The Senior class, chaperoned by its sponsor, Miss Agnes Latham, had a theatre party at the Majestic last Thursday night. After the show the class retired to McAdoo's for light refreshments.

### THURSDAY BRIDGE CLUB

The Thursday Bridge club met at the home of Mrs. Less Barnes last Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Ray Lynch was the only substitute and light refreshments were served.

### YOUNG MOTHERS' CLUB

The Young Mothers' club was entertained by Mrs. Howard Gissler last Friday afternoon. The usual business meeting was followed by games and refreshments. Mrs. Duncan was admitted to membership. Visitors present were Mmes. Cy Smith and Marvel Archer.

### CHRISTIAN LADIES ASS'N.

The Christian Ladies Association held its regular semi-monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. John Shearman last Thursday afternoon. There was a good attendance of members.

### MISS REHBERG HONORED

Miss Velma Richards entertained two tables at bridge Monday evening, complimentary to Miss Celia Rehberg, whose birthday anniversary occurred that day. High score was won by Miss Gussie Bivens, and a guest prize was presented to the honoree. A salad course was served. Present were the Misses Rehberg, Elaine Feenster, Marjorie Wingfield, Margaret Phillips and Bivens, Mmes. J. D. Jackson and Ray Lynch and the hostess.

### SIX O'CLOCK DINNER

Mrs. Jessie Morgan and daughter, Miss Ruth, entertained at six o'clock dinner, served in two courses Monday evening, complimentary to Mrs. Bird, of Blanket, Texas, who is visiting her children, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Bird covers were laid for Mrs. Bird, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Bird, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Morgan and the hostesses.

### DINNER-BRIDGE

Mr. and Mrs. Landis Feather entertained the Second club and an extra table of guests at a two course dinner last Friday evening, at seven o'clock. Special guests were Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Gates, Mrs. E. M. Phillips and Dr. J. J. Clarke.

Wedding announcements, printed or engraved—The Advocate.

### B. & P. W. CLUB DINNER

The Artesia Business and Professional Women's club enjoyed a Thanksgiving dinner at the Southern Club Cafe, Tuesday evening. Miss Virginia Egbert rendered a beautiful violin solo, and Miss Katherine Ragsdale in her charming manner rendered a vocal solo. Mrs. C. R. Blocker gave a brief discussion on the question, "Does the Success of a Business Girl Depend More on Personality or Schooling." The dinner hour closed with a round table discussion on "Financial Security of the Business Woman."

### METHODIST MISSIONARY SOCIETY MEETING

The unification of the Methodist Missionary work in the long established fields of Japan, Korea and Brazil was the theme of the program of the literary meeting of the Society, which was held at the home of Mrs. J. H. Jones last Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Will Benson, the leader was assisted in developing the theme by Mmes. W. C. Thompson, I. C. Dixon and H. A. Stroup. Mrs. Lee Vandagriff presented the missionary bulletin. Mr. Joe Richards joined with Mrs. Jones in serving delicious refreshments.

### MISCELLANEOUS SHOWER

Mrs. Marlon Graham was the recipient of a miscellaneous shower for her new baby boy, given by the Christian Missionary Guild. A committee from the Guild delivered the shower to the new mother and babe at their home at the Oasis.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank everyone who extended their sympathy and granted acts of kindness in the hour of our bereavement. Mrs. Polk Turner, Mrs. S. E. Turner, Mrs. Lala Miricks, Mrs. A. J. Goodwin, Adron Turner, Alfred Turner and wife, Bert Boykin, B. W. Walters and wife, B. P. Walters, Mark Walters.

### CAFETERIA DINNER

The Ladies Guild of the St. Paul's Episcopal church will serve a dinner, Saturday, December 5th.

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

### JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

The following pupils have been absent because of illness: Mary Ann Miller, Bonnie Rowland of the 8-I class; Clarence Kaiser, Elnora Gage, Carolyn Seale of the 7-I class; Dortha Atkins and Pedro Samora of the 7-II class; Lola Brazil and Rachel Swift of the 6-I class.

James Bates of the 6-I class is taking his father's place in the office while his father is ill.

George Mann of the 6-II class has returned to school this week after four weeks' absence. He has been picking cotton.

The physical education classes will meet in the Central gym beginning Monday. Special practice for both girls and boys will be held for the purpose of working out teams to represent Junior High in contest games.

The butterfly case which was completed by the nature club this week.

The eighth grade arithmetic booklets have been working on booklets containing problems of the home.

An interesting program was rendered at the Junior High building by the Junior High pupils on Wednesday afternoon.

Insurance booklets are being made by the seventh grade classes and the sixth grade are also working on arithmetic booklets.

Miss James will spend the Thanksgiving holidays in Santa Fe.

Mr. Mansfield plans to spend the holidays out of town.

A new trophy case has been sent to us from the High School. All trophies that have been won by Junior High school have been placed in it, along with the butterfly case made by the nature club. We hope to add other things of interest from time to time.

Mr. Mansfield and Miss James who represented the school at the Eddy County Athletic Ass'n. at the Carlsbad meeting Saturday, report that rules were adopted and officers elected for the year, but no schedule was arranged.

### BAPTISTS BEGIN THEIR MISSIONARY PROGRAM IN STATE AND NATION

New Mexican Baptists are this week arranging canvassing teams revising membership rolls and making final preparations for the taking of pledges between November 28th and December 6th for their work throughout the state, the south and the world for 1932. Payment on pledges taken during this period will begin January 1, 1932.

This program of New Mexico Baptists is in co-operation with more than 24,000 Southern Baptist churches in which almost 4,000,000 Southern Baptists expect to raise for all causes during 1932 the sum of \$40,000,000 as against more than \$37,000,000 in 1930.

### STUDENTS

Students note books, embossed in school colors and your name stamped on them at The Advocate.

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The prices are surprisingly low.

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40 acre improved for sale, three miles from Artesia. Write S. B. Artesia or Mrs. R. B. Artesia, California. 49-7tp

OR EXCHANGE—Will sell chicken ranch. Will sell light car for part payment. Balance easy terms. A. Reser's father, who has been ill for some time. 412 Grand Ave. 50-2tp

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Pair of glasses in brown case. Return to Jack Ward for 50-1tc

### MOBILE EXHAUST GAS POISONING

Danger of working on a closed garage when the engine is running should be recognized at this time of year. The weather is likely to be such that one is tempted to close the garage. The small one or two horse garage is particularly dangerous. The relatively small air space permits the rapid accumulation of a dangerous concentration of carbon-monoxide. Carbon-monoxide poisoning is caused by the inhalation of auto exhaust gases and seems to be increasing in frequency. It is estimated that each year there are several hundred deaths from carbon-monoxide poisoning. Whether or not the gas is effected by frequent exposure to this gas is a question that has not been definitely settled.

**Be Unaware Of It**  
The physical properties of carbon-monoxide are such that one is unaware that he is inhaling it. It is colorless, odorless, tasteless. The occurrence of the symptoms may be the indication that the gas is inhaled and that poisoning is taking place. Headache, dizziness, muscular weakness, itching of the muscles are the symptoms. In those cases in which people have been found in garages, unconscious or death may have occurred rapidly or the victim may have ignored the symptoms.

**Fresh Air First Remedy**  
In all of these symptoms arise from other causes, many of them occur under conditions in which one may be exposed to carbon-monoxide gas, no time should be taken in getting to the fresh air. One who has been overcome should be placed in the fresh air given artificial respiration. This should be kept up until the patient breathes normally. Attention of carbon-monoxide poisoning consists of plenty of fresh air to carry away the gas. The avoidance of exposure is known to contain it.

Stock Typewriters for sale in Advocate.

### Lin' Charlie Says-



Most people feel that they could be thankful if they had a little more to be thankful for.

### LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Dexter were visiting in Roswell Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dungan were Carlsbad visitors Saturday.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. C. Villa, Saturday.

Miss Lucille Morriss spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. Joe Massey, in Roswell.

Mrs. Rude Wilcox and Mrs. Ike Keller visited Mrs. Wilcox's sister in Carlsbad Monday.

J. H. Bridgman of Hope accompanied by Ike Keller of Artesia transacted business in Roswell Friday.

Mrs. Sid Cox returned last Friday from a visit of several weeks at her old home at Terre Haute, Indiana.

Judge and Mrs. J. H. Jackson are Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Miller, (Iris Iler) at Hobbs.

Millie Ann, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Koger, underwent a tonsilotomy Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Floore with two younger sons, were dinner guests at the home of their son-in-law, Philip Kranz, in Roswell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Reser left Tuesday to spend Thanksgiving at Renfro, Oklahoma, with Mr. Reser's father, who has been ill for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Kimbrough and children are over from the ranch in Lea county, spending Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Clayton.

E. B. Jones, auditor and assistant treasurer of the Consumers Natural Gas Co., has spent the past ten days inspecting properties of the company in Texas, Oklahoma and this state.

A. C. Brown of the Ohio Oil Co., at Hobbs stopped off in Artesia yesterday en route home from Gallup. Mr. Brown reports more than two feet of snow in the Gallup section.

Miss Lucille Morriss accompanied her sister, Mrs. Orville Jernigan and baby, from the ranch west of Hope, to Roswell yesterday evening to spend Thanksgiving with their sister, Mrs. Joe Massey.

Mrs. Clyde Evans, who was visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. Loree Evans and Mrs. Clarence Evans, was called home to Lovington, by the serious illness of her mother. M. W. Evans drove her home to Lovington Monday evening.

Mrs. E. T. Jernigan and daughter, Elsie, and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Jernigan of Lovington are dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Stevenson in Clovis today. They will visit Clovis friends for the remainder of the week, returning Sunday evening.

Will Hortenstein of Roswell, president of the Pecos Valley Trading Co., and Dr. Ackerman of Clovis drove down last week and accredited the Barred Rock poultry flock of E. P. Bach, east of the river. The percentage of culls were very low.

Mrs. Gladys McDermott and children, accompanied by a friend, Mrs. Kate Starnes and little son, are here spending Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Thigpen, and her sister, Mrs. Ben Dunn, and family. They will return home tomorrow.

Mrs. L. F. Bird, of Blanket, Texas, visited here from Friday until Tuesday morning with her son, T. C. Bird and Mrs. Bird. On Tuesday morning, Mrs. T. C. Bird and Mrs. J. Clark Bruce drove to Ft. Sumner with Mrs. Bird, who went to visit there with a sister, Mrs. Carnes.

Mrs. Z. B. Moon and small granddaughters, Margaret Virginia and Minnie John Kile drove over to Muleshoe, Texas Friday for a short visit with Senator Moon and Mr. and Mrs. Rocky Kile. Mr. Moon accompanied them home Sunday and returned on Monday to Muleshoe, where he and Mr. Kile are engaged in cotton buying.

John Prude and daughter, Mrs. Finn Watson of Gallup, were in from the Prude ranch, Monday and Tuesday on business and were guests at the Joe Clayton home while in town. The Prude family are having a Thanksgiving re-union at the ranch. Besides Mrs. Watson, other daughters visiting at home are Mrs. Tinnie Hodges of Los Angeles and Mrs. Carl Lewis of Pinon. Mrs. Bob Means, another daughter, is living at the ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Evans returned Monday from Lubbock, Texas, where they were called by the illness of Mr. Evans' brother, T. E. Evans of Lamesa, Texas. Mr. Evans spent some time here the past summer for the benefit of his health, which however, did not seem to improve much. Last week an operation was found necessary. Besides his brother and wife, his two sons, Loree and Clarence of Artesia, and Pat, formerly a resident here, now of El Centro, California, and Clyde of Lovington, were present at Lubbock. At last reports the patient was progressing nicely.

### MARKETS

#### KANSAS CITY LIVESTOCK

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#### NEW YORK COTTON

NEW YORK—The few December notices issued in the cotton market Tuesday appeared to be promptly stopped by the trade while buying of later months also was promoted by relatively steady Liverpool cables and the reported adoption by cotton states delegations in convention at Jackson, Mississippi, of resolutions for a uniform reduction in acreage. January contracts sold up to 6.36 with the mid-afternoon market quiet and steady at net advances of 24 to 28 points. Futures closed very steady, 24 to 28 higher. December 6.25 to 27; January 6.37 to 38; March 6.54 to 55; May 6.74 to 75; July 6.91 to 92; October 7.18; spot steady; middling 6.35.

### LOCALS

George Threlkeld, Roswell attorney spent Tuesday in Artesia attending to business matters.

Col. A. T. Woods returned Monday after spending a few days at Santa Fe on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Durand and daughter, Miss Abby, spent Sunday with Mr. Durand's mother, Mrs. A. Durand, at Dexter.

Mrs. W. W. Hardin and Mrs. M. A. Krueger of Hope spent Tuesday with Mrs. J. C. Lauderdale at Lower Cottonwood.

Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Williams of Wichita Falls, Texas arrived here Wednesday afternoon for a few days visit at the home of Will Benson and other old friends.

I. C. Keller and W. C. Thompson, of the Artesia Peoples' Mercantile and Ossie Coalson of the Carlsbad store made a trip to Lovington Tuesday.

#### STUDENTS

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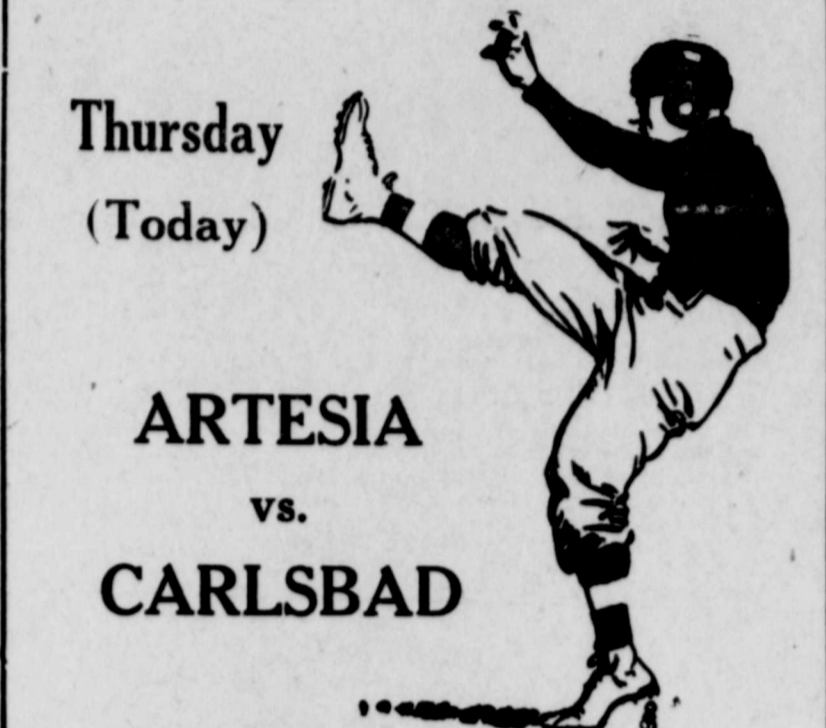
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### FOOTBALL!



Thursday (Today)  
**ARTESIA vs. CARLSBAD**  
AT THE BRAINARD PARK BEGINNING AT 2:30 P. M.  
This will be the last game of the season. See it. Artesia will endeavor to wipe out the tie administered by Carlsbad at the last meeting of the two teams. Give the boys your support, let's salt this, the last game of the season away.

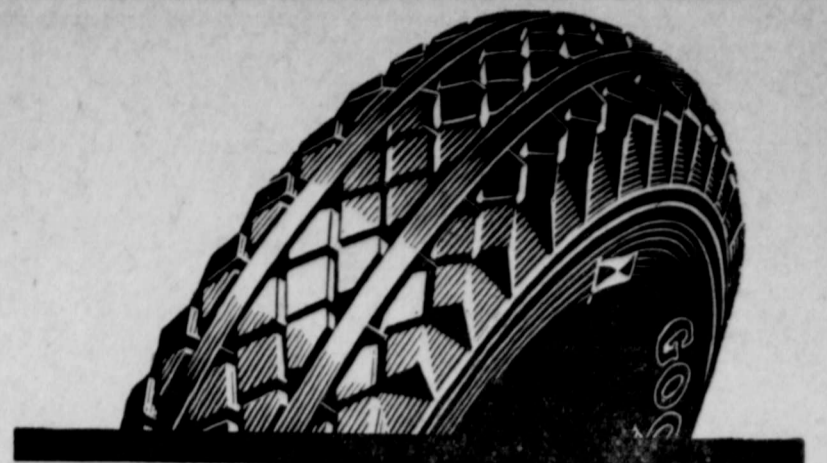
### LOOKING? for YOUTH?

Abraham Lincoln's mother died at the age of 37—an old woman, worn out from the hardships of the frontier. She was not an isolated case. There were thousands of others like her. Hard, physical labor robbed her of health and beauty—made her old before her time. Strange as it may seem, even in this Electrical Age, there are countless homes where, except for lighting, the work is being done just as it was in the frontier days. The women of the house are still wasting their health and time doing tasks that electricity can do for them at a very small cost. Electricity will do your washing and ironing with a minimum of effort on your part, it can help with the cooking and cleaning. There is hardly a household task that it cannot make easier, or do for you.

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF EDDY COUNTY, STATE OF NEW MEXICO

CITY OF ARTESIA, Plaintiff,

JOE A. CLAYTON, Defendant, impleaded with the following named defendants, against whom substituted service is hereby sought to be obtained, to-wit: ULLERY FURNITURE COMPANY, a corporation, CLARENCE ULLERY, if living but if dead his unknown heirs, GEORGE W. DENT, if living but if dead his unknown heirs, JAMES E. DENT, if living but if dead his unknown heirs, the heirs of M. V. ROBERTS, deceased, to-wit: M. E. ROBERTS, his widow, MRS. LIZZIE BROWN, MRS. OLIVIA HILLIARD, MRS. JULIA BROCK, MRS. VALLA ROBERTS, his children, ROSA LOWE, A. L. BRUCE, MARY MILLER BEARD, ROBERT M. LOVE, JANE VAN WINKLE, S. A. JONES, J. E. LINDLEY, E. P. MCCORMICK, and JAMES YEISER, Defendants, No. 5189

NOTICE OF SPECIAL MASTER SALE ON FORECLOSURE OF LIEN.

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to a decree of foreclosure and order of sale made in the above entitled and numbered cause on the civil docket of the District Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, on the 31st day of July, 1931, wherein the City of Artesia, New Mexico, is plaintiff, and Joe A. Clayton, Ullery Furniture Company, a corporation, Clarence Ullery, if living but if dead his unknown heirs, George W. Dent, if living but if dead his unknown heirs, the heirs of M. V. ROBERTS, deceased, to-wit: M. E. Roberts, his widow, Mrs. Lizzie Brown, Mrs. Olivia Hilliard, Mrs. Julia Brock, Mrs. Valla Roberts, and M. V. Roberts, his children, Rosa Lowe, A. L. Bruce, Mary Miller Beard, Robert M. Love, Jane Van Winkle, S. A. Jones, J. E. Lindley, E. P. McCormick, and James Yeiser, are defendants, to which judgment reference is hereby made for the particulars thereof.

L. Margaret Phillips, heretofore appointed Special Master in said decree in said cause, and having been ordered to sell the herein after described real estate, shall expose for sale and bid, public auction, at the front door of the First National Bank in the City of Artesia, New Mexico, on the 12th day of December, 1931, at 2:00 o'clock p. m. of that day, all the right, title, interest, claim and estate of the following named defendants: in, of, and to the following described real estate, situated in the City of Artesia, Eddy County, New Mexico, to-wit:

The property of the defendant, Joe A. Clayton, beginning at the Southwest corner of Block Five (5) of the Blair Addition to the City of Artesia, New Mexico, thence in a northerly direction 150' along the West side of said block, thence in an easterly direction 50', thence in a southerly direction 150' to the South line of said block, and thence 50' in a westerly direction along the South side of said block, to the place of beginning. Said sale to be made for the purpose of satisfying a judgment in said cause against said defendant in the amount of \$1,699.87 as principal and interest, with interest thereon at the rate of 1% per month from the 31st day of July, 1931, until paid, and for the further sum of \$160.98 as attorney fees with interest thereon at the rate of 6% per annum from the 31st day of July, 1931, until paid, and cost of suit and foreclosure sale.

Total amount of principal and interest due on date of sale \$1,856.02
Attorney fees due on date of sale 164.46
Pro-rata cost 9.93
Special Master's Fee 2.00
Total \$1,856.02

The property of the defendant, the Ullery Furniture Company, a corporation, described as Lot 15 in Block 10 of the Clayton & Stegman Addition to the Town of Artesia (now City of Artesia), New Mexico. Said sale to be made for the purpose of satisfying a judgment in said cause against said defendant in the amount of \$93.26 as principal and interest with interest thereon at the rate of 1% per month from the 31st day of July, 1931, until paid, and cost of suit and foreclosure sale.

date of sale \$57.52
Attorney fees due on date of sale 5.64
Pro-rata cost 11.07
Special Master's Fee 2.00
Total \$76.23

The property of the defendants, George W. Dent and James E. Dent if living but if dead their unknown heirs, described as Lot 18 in Block 7 of the Clayton & Stegman Addition to the Town of Artesia (now City of Artesia), New Mexico. Said sale to be made for the purpose of satisfying a judgment in said cause against said defendants in the amount of \$55.13 as principal and interest with interest thereon at the rate of 1% per month from the 31st day of July, 1931, until paid, and for the further sum of \$5.51 as attorney fees with interest thereon at the rate of 6% per annum from the 31st day of July, 1931, until paid, and cost of suit and foreclosure sale.

Total amount of principal and interest due on date of sale \$57.52
Attorney fees due on date of sale 5.64
Pro-rata cost 11.07
Special Master's Fee 2.00
Total \$76.23

The property of the defendants, M. E. Roberts, Mrs. Lizzie Brown, Mrs. Olivia Hilliard, Mrs. Julia Brock, Mrs. Valla Roberts and W. V. Roberts, heirs of M. V. Roberts, described as Lot 8 in Block 24 of the Artesia Improvement Company's Addition to the Town of Artesia (now City of Artesia), New Mexico. Said sale to be made for the purpose of satisfying a judgment in said cause against said defendants in the amount of \$191.92 as principal and interest, with interest thereon at the rate of 1% per month from the 31st day of July, 1931, until paid, and for the further sum of \$19.19 as attorney fees with interest thereon at the rate of 6% per annum from the 31st day of July, 1931, until paid, and cost of suit and foreclosure sale.

Total amount of principal and interest due on date of sale \$202.23
Attorney fees due on date of sale 19.60
Pro-rata cost 11.07
Special Master's Fee 2.00
Total \$232.90

The property of the defendants, M. E. Roberts, Mrs. Lizzie Brown, Mrs. Olivia Hilliard, Mrs. Julia Brock, Mrs. Valla Roberts and W. V. Roberts, heirs of M. V. Roberts, described as Lot 10 in Block 24 of the Artesia Improvement Company's Addition to the Town of Artesia (now City of Artesia), New Mexico. Said sale to be made for the purpose of satisfying a judgment in said cause against said defendants in the amount of \$191.92 as principal and interest, with interest thereon at the rate of 1% per month from the 31st day of July, 1931, until paid, and for the further sum of \$19.19 as attorney fees with interest thereon at the rate of 6% per annum from the 31st day of July, 1931, until paid, and cost of suit and foreclosure sale.

amount of \$582.28 as principal and interest, with interest thereon at the rate of 1% per month from the 31st day of July, 1931, until paid, and for the further sum of \$58.23 as attorney fees with interest thereon at the rate of 6% per annum from the 31st day of July, 1931, until paid, and cost of suit and foreclosure sale.

Total amount of principal and interest due on date of sale \$607.51
Attorney fees due on date of sale 59.49
Pro-rata cost 11.07
Special Master's Fee 2.00
Total \$680.07

The property of the defendant, A. L. Bruce, described as Lot 12 in Block 19 of the Clayton & Stegman Addition to the Town of Artesia (now City of Artesia), New Mexico. Said sale to be made for the purpose of satisfying a judgment in said cause against said defendant, in the amount of \$86.81 as principal and interest, with interest thereon at the rate of 1% per month from the 31st day of July, 1931, until paid, and for the further sum of \$8.68 as attorney fees with interest thereon at the rate of 6% per annum from the 31st day of July, 1931, until paid, and cost of suit and foreclosure sale.

Total amount of principal and interest due on date of sale \$94.37
Attorney fees due on date of sale 88.54
Pro-rata cost 11.07
Special Master's Fee 2.00
Total \$105.98

The property of the defendant, Mary Miller Beard, described as 47.7 feet off of the north end of the Blair Addition to the Town of Artesia, (now City of Artesia), New Mexico. Said sale to be made for the purpose of satisfying a judgment in said cause against said defendant in the amount of \$33.23 as principal and interest, with interest thereon at the rate of 1% per month from the 31st day of July, 1931, until paid, and cost of suit and foreclosure sale.

Total amount of principal and interest due on date of sale \$34.67
Attorney fees due on date of sale 3.39
Pro-rata cost 11.07
Special Master's Fee 2.00
Total \$51.13

The property of the defendant, Mary Miller Beard, described as 47.7 feet off of the north end of Lot 8 in Block 15 of the Blair Addition to the Town of Artesia, (now City of Artesia), New Mexico. Said sale to be made for the purpose of satisfying a judgment in said cause against said defendant, in the amount of \$33.23 as principal and interest, with interest thereon at the rate of 1% per month from the 31st day of July, 1931, until paid, and cost of suit and foreclosure sale.

1931, until paid, and for the further sum of \$2.72 as attorney fees, with interest thereon at the rate of 6% per annum from the 31st day of July, 1931, until paid, and cost of suit and foreclosure sale.

Total amount of principal and interest due on date of sale \$28.37
Attorney fees due on date of sale 2.78
Pro-rata cost 11.07
Special Master's Fee 2.00
Total \$44.22

The property of the defendant, Mary Miller Beard, described as the 45.6 feet off of the South end of Lot 8 in Block 15 of the Blair Addition to the Town of Artesia (now City of Artesia), New Mexico. Said sale to be made for the purpose of satisfying a judgment in said cause against said defendant, in the amount of \$95.74 as principal and interest, with interest thereon at the rate of 1% per month from the 31st day of July, 1931, until paid, and for the further sum of \$9.57 as attorney fees, with interest thereon at the rate of 6% per annum from the 31st day of July, 1931, until paid, and cost of suit and foreclosure sale.

Total amount of principal and interest due on date of sale \$99.88
Attorney fees due on date of sale 9.78
Pro-rata cost 11.07
Special Master's Fee 2.00
Total \$122.73

The property of the defendant, Mary Miller Beard, described as the 45.6 feet off of the South end of Lot 10 in Block 15 of the Blair Addition to the Town of Artesia (now City of Artesia), New Mexico. Said sale to be made for the purpose of satisfying a judgment in said cause against said defendant, in the amount of \$603.48 as principal and interest, with interest thereon at the rate of 1% per month from the 31st day of July, 1931, until paid, and cost of suit and foreclosure sale.

Total amount of principal and interest due on date of sale \$629.63
Attorney fees due on date of sale 61.65
Pro-rata cost 11.07
Special Master's Fee 2.00
Total \$704.35

The property of the defendant, Robert M. Love, described as the South 50 feet of Lot 3 in Block 22 of the Original Town of Artesia (now City of Artesia), New Mexico. Said sale to be made for the purpose of satisfying a judgment in said cause against said defendant in the amount of \$534.48 as principal and interest, with interest thereon at the rate of 1% per month from the 31st day of July, 1931, until date of sale, and the further sum of \$53.45 as attorney fees, with interest thereon at the rate of 6% per annum from the 31st day of July, 1931, until paid, and cost of suit and foreclosure sale.

further sum of \$163.07 as attorney fees, with interest thereon at the rate of 6% per annum from the 31st day of July, 1931, until paid, and cost of suit and foreclosure sale.

Total amount of principal and interest due on date of sale \$1,701.38
Attorney fees due on date of sale 166.60
Pro-rata cost 12.57
Special Master's Fee 2.00
Total \$1,882.55

Given under my hand as Special Master, on this the 9th of November, 1931. MARGARET PHILLIPS, 48-4tc Special Master.

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF EDDY COUNTY, N. M. IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF CLARENCE G. KEPPLER, Deceased. No. 643.

NOTICE OF HEARING ADMINISTRATOR'S FINAL REPORT AND PETITION FOR DETERMINATION OF THE HEIRSHIP OF DECEDENT, THE OWNERSHIP OF DECEDENT'S ESTATE, THE INTEREST OF EACH RESPECTIVE CLAIMANT THEREIN OR THEREIN AND THE PERSONS ENTITLED TO DISTRIBUTION THEREOF.

TO: Alice S. Kepple, F. E. Kepple, Miss Mabel Kepple, Mrs. S. A. Venhaus, and to all unknown heirs of said decedent and all unknown persons claiming any lien upon or right, title or interest in, or to the estate of said decedent.

NOTICE is hereby given that S. W. Gilbert, Administrator of the estate of Clarence G. Kepple, deceased, has filed his final report as administrator of said estate, together with his petition praying for the determination of the heirship of said decedent, the ownership of decedent's estate, the interest of each respective claimant thereto or therein, and the persons entitled to distribution thereof, and for his discharge as administrator and release of his surety from future liability on his bond; and that the Honorable M. O. Grantham, Probate Judge of Eddy County, New Mexico, has set the 17th day of December, 1931, at the hour of two o'clock p. m. at the probate court room of said county in the City of Carlsbad, New Mexico, as the day, time and place for hearing objections, if any there be, to said report and petition.

You are further notified that J. H. Jackson, whose business address is Artesia, New Mexico, is the attorney for the administrator.

by notified to file their objections with the County Clerk of Eddy County, New Mexico, on or before the date set for hearing. Dated this 16th day of November, 1931. (SEAL) RUTH S. NYE, County Clerk, Eddy County, 49-4t

CARBON PAPER—The Advocate

LEADER IN STATISTICAL FELLOWSHIP

Dave Brown, Past of the New Mexico Odd Fellows for twenty years a Gallup died last Friday, Chino, Arizona. He died ill two days after from a ladder while

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LOCALS

Miss Gladys Cole is recovering from an attack of appendicitis.

Mmes. Dee Swift and Brooks of Hope were shopping in Artesia Monday.

Kenneth Compton was at home from the Military Institute over the week-end.

Mrs. Ernest McGonagill has been ill at her home in the oil field, but is improving.

Mmes. S. B. Barnett, Charles Morgan, M. T. Buford and Ed Gillespie were Roswell visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Evans were called to Lubbock, Texas Saturday by the serious illness of Mr. Evans' brother.

Mrs. John McCann, her sister, Mrs. Charles Petts, and Mrs. I. C. Dixon and baby, motored to Roswell Monday afternoon.

Mrs. McBride of Artesia underwent an operation at the Carlsbad hospital this morning—Carlsbad Current-Argus, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Landis Feather and children and Miss Agnes Ann Williams spent Sunday in Roswell, guests of Miss Shirley Feather.

Dr. Linebaugh, presiding elder of the Roswell District, conducted quarterly conference at the Methodist church after services Sunday evening.

Addie Belle Bartlett, Earline Hartwell, Josephie Boes and Audrey Smith visited friends in Artesia last evening—Carlsbad Current-Argus, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Graham arrived from Venice, California, last Friday and will spend several weeks here, guests of their friends, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Compton.

Rev. and Mrs. E. R. Barcus of Jacksonville, Texas, visited here from Saturday until Tuesday with Mr. Barcus' sister, Mrs. M. E. Bullock, and nephew, E. B. Bullock and family.

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DEMOCRATIC WHIP HAS SIX ASPIRANTS

WASHINGTON, D. C. — Six friendly enemies—four southerners and two northerners—are combatting briskly for the democratic floor leadership in the house.

United behind Representative Garner of Texas, for speaker, the democrats are divided, north against south, on leadership.

Northerners claim the leader should be from above the Mason-Dixon line, since the speaker will come from the south if the democrats gain control.

Southerners contend that the fact of their having furnished the bulk of the opposition during 13 years of republican dominance should be fully recognized.

Contestants from the south are Representative John McDuffie, Alabama; Joseph Byrns, Tennessee; Charles R. Crisp, Georgia and John E. Rankin, Mississippi.

Representatives Henry T. Rainey, Illinois and John J. O'Connor, New York are the northern contenders. McDuffie and Rainey appear to have the lead between them.

Typewriters for rent—The Advocate.

COTTONWOOD ITEMS

Mrs. Wayne Norris, Reporter

Mrs. Lloyd O'Bannon was very ill last week.

Mrs. Backman is reported to be improving now.

H. V. Parker and family were in Roswell Saturday.

Professor Ira Burgess motored to Carlsbad Saturday.

Miss Maud Gray is visiting her cousin, Miss Lucille Whitley, this week.

Charlie Powell and his mother, motored to El Paso, Texas last week on business.

A. J. Basel of San Angelo, Texas is attending to business on his farm this week.

Mrs. M. S. Brown and Mrs. W. H. Rambo were visiting in Hagerman Thursday.

Messrs. I. P. Johnson and N. C. Doering were at the J. M. Norris home Saturday.

Miss Lucille Ray was a guest at the home of Miss Marjorie Belle Funk Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Wells of Tucumcari, this state, were guests at the J. H. Felton home last week.

Misses Lucille and Gladys Waldrip have been seriously ill for the past week but are now improving.

A group of Cottonwood young folks enjoyed a nice afternoon playing games and cards at the home of Miss Helen Vera Funk.

There was an all-day preaching service at the Cottonwood church last Sunday and dinner was served on the grounds. There was

several people present from Hope.

Reverend Klassen held the services.

The Cottonwood Woman's club met at the home of Mrs. J. H. Felton on November 5th.

Mr. Wunsch and Miss Wetzel were present for their last meeting this year.

An all-day meeting was held and a nice luncheon was served. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Jess Funk, December 3rd.

Officer—How did the accident happen?

Car Driver: My wife went to sleep in the back seat.

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DRY AGENTS IN MILLION DOLLAR RUM SEIZURE

NEW YORK—The tanker Raritan Sun with 5,000 cases of liquor was seized Monday and 60 men were arrested at Bushy's Dry Dock at the foot of Court Street, Brooklyn.

Customs officials estimated the value of the liquor at \$350,000 and the vessel, a 533-ton tanker at \$750,000, figures which if authentic, would make the seizure one of the largest of its type in the history of prohibition enforcement.

In addition to the boat, which is owned by the Sun Oil Co., and the liquor, five trucks valued at \$50,000, also were seized.

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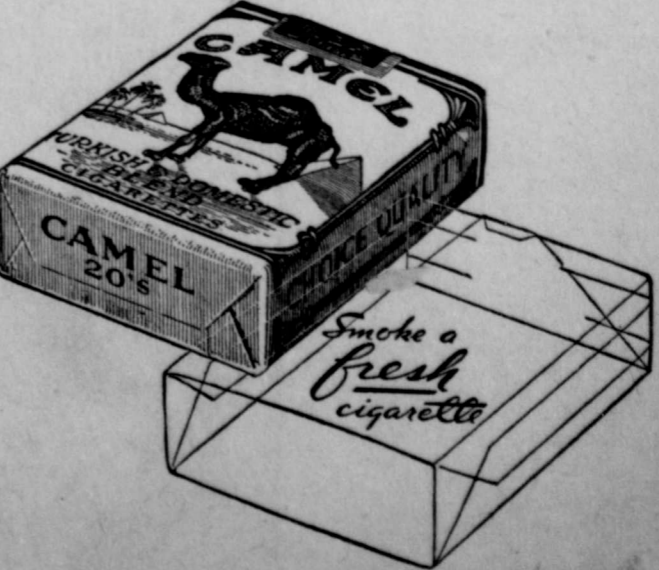
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## To Our Friends:

It is our pleasure to announce that we have recently purchased an interest in the Mann Drug Co., from C. E. Mann. We shall endeavor to serve the drug, sundry and confection needs of this section in the best possible manner.

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### REPORT INCREASE ON ALL NEW MEX. CROPS FARM BOARD HOLDING SURPLUS TWO CROPS

**LAS CRUCES**—The estimated production of virtually all of New Mexico crops this season reveals an increase over last year and for the five year average, Fred Daniels, statistician for the N. M. A. & M. College said last week.

Larger yields, he said, were responsible for a substantial increase in the estimated production rather than of increased acreage.

The following estimates are made:  
 Corn—5,680,000 bushels with yield per acre at 20 bushels as compared with 14 bushels last year and 18.2 bushels for a ten year average. Eighty-six per cent of this year's crop is estimated as being merchantable quality.

Grain Sorghums—5,434,000 bushels, more than three times the production of last year. The yield per acre is placed at 22 bushels as compared with 8.2 bushels in 1937 and 18.5 for the five year average.

Broomcorn—7,200 tons, yield per acre 335 pounds compared with 220 pounds for the five year average.

Beans—New Mexico bean crop this year is estimated at 1,062,000 bushels with a yield of 5.5 bushels. Last year the production was 726,000 bushels with a yield of 3.2 bushels per acre.

Irish Potatoes—This season's Irish potato production is estimated at 385,000 bushels, the sweet potato production is placed at 320,000 bushels, with an average yield per acre of 100 bushels.

Fruit—The fruit crop was larger than a year ago. The apple production is estimated at 990,000 bushels as compared with 420,000 a year ago. Other fruit estimates are: Pears, 57,000 bushels and grapes approximately 548 tons as compared with 375 tons a year ago.

#### KLEBERG ELECTED

**SAN ANTONIO, Texas**—Richard M. Kleberg of Corpus Christi, a democrat was elected to represent the fourteenth congressional district in the national house Tuesday to succeed Harry M. Wurzbach, republican, who was serving his sixth term when he died recently.

Returns from the eleven counties of the district the vote being complete in four of them and the others so nearly complete that outstanding votes hardly could change the result, gave him a plurality of approximately 5,000 votes over a field of seven other candidates.

#### Land of Liberty

A democracy is a land in which it is impudent to disagree with a man who makes more money than you do.—Los Angeles Times.

#### It's a Mystery

Some men are married for their money, and some, having no money, present an unanswerable riddle.—San Francisco Chronicle.

#### Hard Going

The man who tries to dodge his obligations usually finds the detour much rougher than the road.—Buffalo Evening News.

#### One Point of View

Never judge a person hastily. Even the dog in the manger may have been a nervous animal that needed rest and quiet.

#### Cricket's Long History

Cricket seems to have evolved slowly from an older game. It was certainly being played under the name of cricket by boys of the free school of Guildford as early as 1550.

**WASHINGTON, D. C.**—The Federal Farm Loan board's story of two year's adventure in assisting the American farm, was unfolded Tuesday in its second annual report to congress.

In the wholesale price stabilization purchases the board bought 329,641,052 bushels wheat at \$270,204,503.

On November 1 it still had 189,656,157 bushels on hand.

The cotton stabilization division took 1,310,789 bales off the market at a cost of \$107,533,246.

It now holds 1,310,789 bales. "Many groups," the board observed, "want stabilization corporations to buy and never to sell. That is asking the impossible. Stabilization operations cannot maintain prices continuously. So long as surpluses continue to pile up, artificial measures can only temporarily offset their effects."

"Co-operative marketing is sound and the best approach yet made to bring about permanent improvement in American agricultural marketing act.

Neither were requests made for not adjusting production to consumptive levels.

The board has ordered its cotton held for another year and wheat sold for next year at the rate of 5,000,000 bushels per month.

### INTEREST IN MANN DRUG CO., PASSED TO NEW OWNERS HERE

An interest in Artesia's oldest drug store, the Mann Drug Co., has passed to a new ownership. The deal was consummated Saturday when Hollis Watson of Ft. Stockton, Texas, and Aubrey Watson of Artesia purchased an interest in the stock and fixtures.

The new owners took charge of the establishment Tuesday. Hollis Watson has been in Ft. Stockton the last few days arranging his business affairs preparatory to removing here to give the store his personal attention.

The Mann Drug Co., was started by C. E. Mann some twenty-five years ago and was operated by Mr. Mann until four or five years ago, at which time he took charge of the late Citizens State Bank as cashier. Since that time the establishment has been managed by Otis Brown.

Both of the new proprietors are well known to the people of this section. Hollis Watson spent a number of years in Eddy county more recently a resident of Carlsbad, later moving to Loving where he served for several years as cashier of the First National Bank at Loving and also two terms as county commissioner before moving to Fort Stockton, to engage in the banking business. Aubrey Watson is also well known locally. He has spent practically all of his life in the Artesia and Hope section. For the past six or seven years he has been employed by the Palace Drug Store as druggist and will head the prescription department. Mr. Brown former manager of the Mann Drug Store will remain with the new firm probably until after the holidays, while Andy Anderson another employe is now connected with the Palace.

### PURCHASES WALTER GRAHAM STOCK

Messrs. C. Bert Smith and Bill Mount have purchased the gent's furnishing stock of Walter Graham, it was announced here yesterday.

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# Butterick Patterns

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### WESTERN STATES MAY GET PUBLIC DOMAIN

**WASHINGTON, D. C.**—A bill incorporating the findings of President Hoover's public domains committee was being drafted last week in the offices of Representative Colton, republican, Utah, chairman of the last house public lands committee.

James R. Garfield, of Ohio, chairman of the presidential appointees who deliberated here most of last November on public land problems of eleven western states, worked with Colton on the clauses of the proposed measure.

Present also were Francis Wilson of New Mexico and George Malone, of Nevada, members of the president's committee, and Representative Addison Smith of Idaho, ranking republican member of the last house committee.

Colton has been author of several previous bills designed to conserve the public domains and prevent over-grazing, during his chairmanship of the house committee.

Granting of the public lands to states that would accept them through legislative act was recommended by Garfield's committee in the report which was basis for the conference.

For states not accepting the public lands, the report recommended that the law by state application, be declared national range.

In the event of no state legislature after ten years, the report recommended that congress be authorized to establish a national range within the state.

Pending transfer, the president's committee held, the "federal government should recognize, in so far as possible, any method inaugurated by the state to regulate the movement of livestock to prevent over-grazing."

The president's committee which studied the public domains had one woman member, Mary Roberts Rinehart, the author.

#### CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

A special congregational meeting will be held in the Presbyterian church Sunday morning after the Sunday school hour in regard to calling a pastor. All members invited to be present.

#### COTTON GRADES—

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which is in Galveston and on which has been received and tabulated on the grades given above.

The largest turn out was on thirty-seconds and sixteenths, running from 38 to 43 per cent. These figures reveal that the most profitable cotton to grow is the inch and thirty-second and the inch and sixteenth, of the Acala variety.

Figuring on the basis of the above information it will also be noted that the shorter staple has not shown as good a turn out, nor has it commanded a comparative price. Staples longer than the commercial sixteenths, do not make a turn out high enough to compensate for the better price on irrigated cotton.

#### CROP YIELD CONTESTS WILL BE HELD IN 1932

At the recent annual meeting of the New Mexico Crop Improvement Association it was decided that yield contests would be held during the coming year with the two crops from which the greatest returns from seed certification has been gotten, says G. R. Quenberry of the New Mexico Agricultural College. As funds develop from certification in the association, further contests with the other principal crops will be promoted. For the coming year, the grain sorghums in the non-irrigated sections of the state was selected as one crop, and cotton as the other. Fields of the latter may be entered from any part of the state. One hundred dollars has been set aside for prize money for each of these crops and at least one county has indicated that further premiums on grain sorghums will be offered within this county to encourage competition.

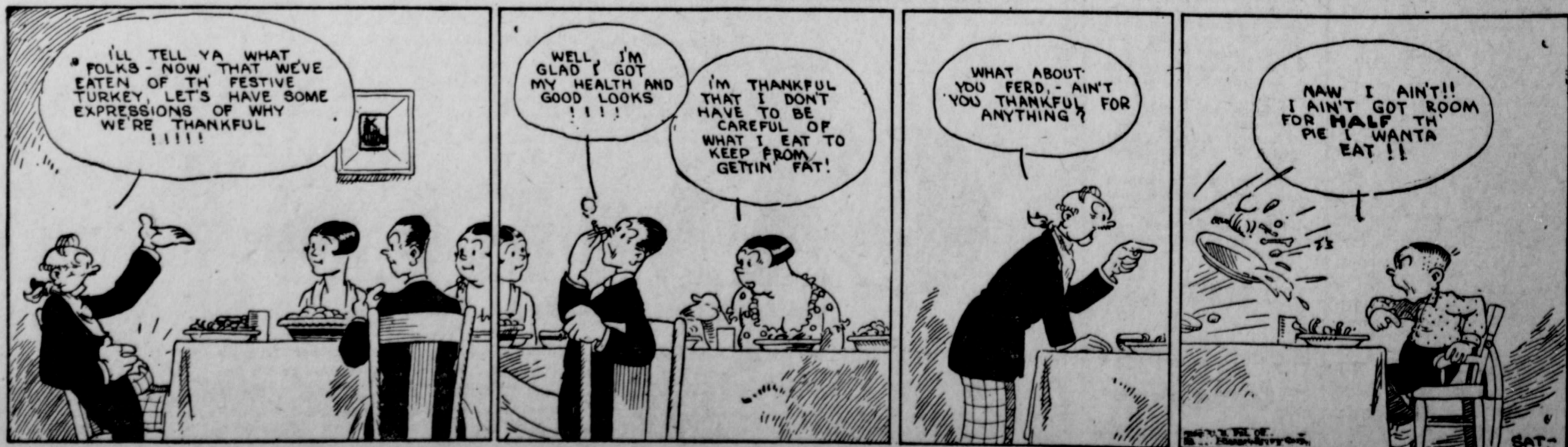
The 1932 contests will be held co-operatively between the extension service and the New Mexico Crop Improvement Assn. Funds will be furnished by the Association and the extension service will assist in any way necessary to help the farmers in putting over the work.

All fields must be entered before planted and accurate measurements and tabulations of the yield will be made by disinterested parties and supervised by a representative of the extension service. A full set of regulations will be completed and distributed within a short time in order that every farmer planting certified seed will have an opportunity to enter the contest. It will not be required that fields be certified, but it will be required that certified seed be used in the planting in order that some authentic record may be kept.

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### BIG GAME KILLED

**SANTA FE**—More than four thousand deer, including 1,884 does, were killed during the big game season, State Game Warden Elliott Barker said Saturday. The does were killed in the Black Canyon area under special regulations.

The kill as reported to the state game warden was 235 white tail and 2,178 mule deer, all bucks which together with the does killed makes a total of 4,097 deer. Mr. Barker estimated that probably 400 bucks were killed and not reported.

The kill this season, he said, is not big in view of the size of the army of hunters in the field. Deputy game wardens at the various game area gateways checked in 7,123 hunters, and Mr. Barker said there were undoubtedly many more hunters who were not checked.

Four hundred and twenty-six turkeys were killed and 1,528 squirrels. It is estimated that 100 turkeys were not reported and probably 200 squirrels.

Only ten bear were reported to have been bagged. The game department, however, estimates the kill at 75 all of which were black and brown bear.

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