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THE TWENTY-NINE

ARTESIA, NEW MEXICO, THURSDAY, JUNE 2, 1932.

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Wipes 8,000 Acres Crops with Eddy

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2,900 HEAD SHEEP LOST ON WILLIAMS RANCH IN COLD RAIN

Cold Rain Takes Toll Of Freshly Sheared Ewes.—Lambs Go To Higher Ground And Escape Damage.

Heavy losses were sustained by sheepmen in the vicinity of the Williams ranch on the Cap Rock about forty miles east of here Friday, in a cold rain and hail. The losses occurred principally among the freshly sheared ewes, although exposure and hail is said to have killed a few lambs.

Col. Williams said this morning that earlier estimates of the loss in ewes had been overestimated. About 2,900 head of ewes were lost on his ranch and about 300 on the Sam Williams ranch.

The rain which fell over the Cap Rock late Friday came down in torrents and washed the portion of highway 83 near the Cap Rock so badly that repairs on the road were necessary before travel could be resumed on that portion of the highway.

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The association closed a very successful year. The organization handled 5,600 bales of cotton last year as compared with 5,750 the previous year.

MR. AND MRS. BULLOCK WITNESS GRADUATION 7TH AND 8TH CHILD

George Boswell, Plainview, Texas resident who saw his eighth child graduate from the Plainview, Texas high school this year has nothing on Artesia. Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Bullock of Artesia can claim the same distinction, honor or however you want to term it, except that Mr. and Mrs. Bullock witnessed two of their sons graduates at the high school commencement last week.

The following Bullock children have received diplomas from the local high school beginning with 1916: Miss Jessie Glen (now Mrs. Daniel Claypool); Miss Mary Sue (now Mrs. L. B. Feather); Tom Edward; Misses Ethel, Helen and Edna and Charlie and Billy, the last two named, graduating in 1932.

SET DATE FOR HEARING

The New Mexico state supreme court Saturday set June 7th as the date for hearing oral arguments on a motion for a rehearing in the cases of Frank Davis and Dionicio Diaz who are awaiting electrocution on charges of first-degree murder.

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Dr. Seale and VanDuesen have moved to Roswell and taken over the practice of Dr. Anderson.

TAXPAYERS TO ASK FOR 25 PER CENT CUT AT STATE MEETING

Reduction of 25 per cent in every state cost was advocated in the call to taxpayers who will meet in Santa Fe Friday and Saturday.

Claiming state officials were paid too much, a cut on their salaries was recommended. Governor Seligman said the taxpayer's call had many good points and would be given consideration.

The taxpayers would limit the state share of taxes to two per cent. The state now gets only 5 1/2 cents on each tax dollar, the governor pointed out.

FISH LOSS POSSIBLE AT DEXTER HATCHERY

High water Saturday night and Sunday may have resulted in heavy loss to both brood fish and fry at the state fish hatchery near Dexter, James B. McGhee, of Roswell, member of the state game commission, said Tuesday.

Downpours approaching the proportions of cloudbursts fell near the hatchery during the recent storm and high waters rolled over the dams and it may be that some brood fish and fry were washed away, Mr. McGhee said.

OUTLOOK CONTINUES ENCOURAGING FOR MORE WILDCATTING

The outlook for more wildcatting over southeastern New Mexico continues encouraging. Prospects are good that another location will be staked in Eddy county before the close of another week.

Drilling operations are being continued on the State No. 7 of Leonard-Levers, Center SWSE sec. 19-17-30, which is progressing below 1,250 feet.

ROTARIANS HEAR ABOUT ELECTRICITY

Howard Williams, who was in charge of the program at the Rotary club Tuesday was assisted by his son and daughter, Howard Billy and Catherine Louise, who gave songs and readings.

CONGRESS MAY OK MORE FEDERAL LOANS

The following telegram received by Fred Brainard from Col. Woods yesterday morning is self-explanatory:

Washington, D. C. 31-139P May 31, 1932 Distressed at calamity. Tell our farmers don't lose courage, help one another.

Albert T. Woods.

FOUR NEW FACULTY MEMBERS FOR NEXT YEAR--TWO DROPPED

Supt. Kerr Announces A Complete Faculty List Tuesday—Faculty Will Be Two Short Of Last Year's Number.

With the elimination of two teachers and the election of four new ones to replace those resigned, the faculty for next year is now complete.

High School—W. E. Kerr, superintendent; T. C. Bird, principal and science; Ruth Morgan, home economics and science; James L. Allen, Manual training and coach; LaVon Brown, English and library; J. Clark Bruce, social sciences; Katherine Peterson, English and history; Myrtle Burrows, mathematics; Edna Drury, Latin and Spanish; Lucile Forsyth, commercial.

Junior High — Linna McCaw, principal and arithmetic; Mrs. Leone O. French, English; Lucile Rowley, history; Eugene Mansfield, geography and hygiene; Anna May James, reading.

Central School—Mrs. Laura B. Howard, principal and first; Merrill Bradley, first; Kathleen Newman, first; Elsie Palmateer, second; Jean McDonald, second; Mrs. Nellie Hamann, third; Mary Woods, third; Beulah Strang, fourth; Lucille Morriss, fifth; Amy Williams, fifth.

COTTONWOOD FARMER HURT

J. W. Summers, age 57, Upper Cottonwood farmer was painfully injured when thrown from a planter late Thursday afternoon.

INSTRUCTORS NAMED FOR YOUNG PEOPLES ASSEMBLY NEAR WEED

Arrangements have been practically completed for holding the Young People's Assembly at the Sacramento Methodist Assembly site, west of Weed beginning July 4th.

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COURAGE OF NURSE SAVES LIFE OF BIG SPRING, TEXAS MAN

The courage of a nurse, Miss Gertrude Fox, former resident of Artesia saved the life of a Big Spring, Texas man, according to an El Paso press dispatch yesterday.

Miss Fox lived in the Artesia community for several years, where her father was employed in the oil field.

BIG CROWDS WITNESS LAST GRADUATING EXERCISE OF SCHOOL

The Central school auditorium was filled to overflowing Friday evening to witness the commencement exercises of the Artesia high school.

Other unusual features of the program were the numbers of the salutarian, Edgar Bishop, who gave a violin solo and the valedictorian, Miss Elizabeth Gage, who gave a piano solo.

Dr. L. N. Linebaugh of Roswell, the principal speaker of the evening delivered an interesting address on the seven lamps of culture, which contained timely advice for those who were either preparing to enter institutions of higher learning or some chosen profession.

THE COMMENCEMENT PROGRAM OF THE JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES Thursday evening at the Central school auditorium also attracted a full house.

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Comptroller Resignation Accepted By Governor

Lujan Resigns After He Is Reinstated In State Comptroller's Office—Makes No Statement After Investigation.

SANTA FE—State Comptroller J. M. Lujan resigned his place yesterday, tendering his resignation to Governor Arthur Seligman after the governor had reinstated him. The resignation was accepted.

Governor Seligman said he had no other announcement to make, regarding any other resignation that might be pending or regarding the appointment of a successor to Lujan.

Lujan suspended himself just a month ago. This action followed revelations at an alimony hearing at Raton before Judge H. A. Kiker. This suit, brought by Mrs. King Trione against King Trione, resulted in statements by Mrs. Trione that Lujan and her husband had profited from contracts for automobile license plates and "gadgets."

While denying any wrong doing Lujan told the governor he would suspend himself until an investigation was completed. This investigation, conducted by Attorney General E. K. Neumann, was reported to the governor last week.

The governor, in a statement announcing receipt of the report, said there was no criminal act in the transactions to warrant prosecution, but that there was "bad judgment" in the conduct of the office.

Following close on the heels of this investigation there arose an inquiry into the disposal of license plates in Bernalillo county and disposition of the 25-cent notary fees.

Lujan's resignation is the second one during this administration. R. Gould, first assistant comptroller, resigned several months ago after an inquiry into the relations of an accounting firm which he was formerly connected with and its relation to certain audits.

J. A. McNabb, of Albuquerque, has been acting state comptroller since Lujan's suspension, and has been acting as such since Lujan's resignation.

FULL CORPS OF L. A. TEACHERS CHOSEN FOR NEXT TERM

Lake Arthur school has elected a full corps of teachers for next year as follows: C. R. Bernard, reelected superintendent; Fred Hines of Las Cruces, reelected principal; Miss Arthur served as coach at Lake Arthur some four years ago; Miss Alexander of Las Vegas, home economics, Spanish and music; G. W. Dohner, El Rito, agriculture and commercial work; Mrs. B. W. Knoll, Hagerman, 7th and 8th grades; Mrs. Moss Spence, Lake Arthur, reelected to 5th and 6th grades; Mrs. George Wilkins, reelected 3rd and 4th grades; Mrs. George Walton, of Artesia, 1st and 2nd grades; Mrs. R. F. Beasley, Lake Arthur, reelected primary.

Supt. C. R. Bernard expects to spend the summer on his farm near Fort Collins, Colorado; Fred Hines will attend school at Las Cruces; Miss Alexander will attend the Normal University at Las Vegas; G. W. Dohner will spend the summer in Colorado; Mrs. Knoll will attend the Normal University at Las Vegas; Mrs. R. F. Beasley will attend the Normal University at Las Vegas and the remainder of the Lake Arthur faculty will spend the summer at home.

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WORRY—THE DRIVER'S BANE

Mental lapses are a far more important cause of automobile accidents than is commonly believed. While the reports of accidents may give physical causes such as reckless driving, wrong side of the road, cutting in, etc., those may only be symptoms of a disturbed mental state, asserts Dr. H. J. Stack of the National Bureau of Casualty and Surety Underwriters, who says:

"Extreme hurry or worry causing intense preoccupation, fatigue, elation, or excitement, or slowed down reaction as a result of the indulgence in alcohol or other narcotics may be behind an accident. Many of these mental conditions are within our control." He suggests the following precautions as preventives:

1. Take a short rest or let someone else drive the car when you have driven for a long period at night.
2. Be especially alert when hurrying to work so that you can keep your mind on your driving.
3. The best place for the confirmed back-seat driver is at home.
4. Don't day dream driving a car on crossing the street.
5. Control your temper. If the traffic officer calls you down, probably you deserve it.
6. If you have a superiority complex, forget it when you get behind the steering wheel.
7. Don't become a speed maniac. This mental disorder is serious and contagious. A serious accident seems to be the only cure for its victims.

TAX PAYERS PROBLEMS

Here are a few of the problems the tax payers over the state are trying to solve:

1. Can public expenditures be materially reduced?
2. Should owners of property continue to be taxed on the basis of the present prevailing high rates?
3. Should there be a more systematic and scientific assessment of property?
4. Is a low tax rate on such forms of property as notes and mortgages desirable?
5. Should the system include an income tax?
6. Would an increase in the gasoline tax be desirable, with a per cent thereof used for court and police expense and traffic control.
7. What other sources of revenue are available to supplement the property tax?
8. In the event that the general property tax and other sources of revenue mentioned above can not, even under adequate administration, yield sufficient revenue, is a sales tax advisable as a temporary source of revenue? If so, should such a tax be applied to selected commodities only or should it be a general sales tax?

"TOLD YOU SO"

The usual political bragging about what a quick and clean job congress would do by the forepart of June has been succeeded by announcements that "they can't get through and there will be a summer session of congress after the Chicago conventions." They most have been reading this correspondence which has stated several times in the past sixty days that congress will not finish its work before mid-summer.

The impossible has happened at last. The democratic state convention of Texas has adopted a resolution calling for submission to the states of the question of repeal of the eighteenth amendment. And Senator Morris Sheppard was left off the delegation which was instructed to support Speaker Garner in the Chicago convention. Senator Sheppard is the "grampaw" of federal prohibition. If somebody had said five years ago that this could ever happen in Texas, he would have been seized and sent to an asylum for the insane. State Record.

Two things our national congressmen are heavy on are, hot air and telegrams because neither cost them anything. The government pays for the telegrams and according to the views of many private citizens as well as congressmen, one may as well get "his or hers" if the government pays for it because it does not cost anything. Reports from Washington state that some senators were found to have charged up to \$50,000 worth of telegrams over a ten months period.

John Bingham, state bank examiner is authority for the statement that only two states in the union escaped a bank failure last year, New Mexico and Vermont. There is some satisfaction in the above report, but none in Mr. Bingham's statement that New Mexico has the lowest per capita bank deposits of any state in the union at \$21.46.

One subscriber suggests that the best way out of the dilemma the national congress is facing is to have the congressmen drink a good dose of mineral water and get the politics out of their system and balance the budget and go home.

Recent rains have aided the growth of a surplus of good healthy weeds over town which will mean employment for some. If we can find something to swap for labor.

There may have not been anything crooked about Jake Lujan state comptroller purchasing fifty tons of gadgets, but it does not speak very well of his business judgment, at this particular time.

An exchange remarks that there has been too much double crossing and not enough come-acrossing to see much change in our present conditions.

Backless have learned from the fate of Al Capone that as long as a man pays his income tax he can get by with most anything.

Courting of Cap'n Hornepayne

By JAMES PAUX

CAP'N HORNEPAYNE was worried. He was on his way to see Clarissy Martin, the schoolma'am, and for a horny-handed seaman he was facing a delicate situation. He intended to pop the fatal question that would probably take her away from her duties as school teacher.

For more times than he cared to remember, Cap'n Hornepayne had intended to pop the question, but every time he tried to do so, something inside of him seemed to reach up and get a strangle hold on his voice. This time, he vowed, was going to be different. He was carrying a tallsmen that had proved itself lucky on other occasions. It was a small silver horseshoe that he had won in some long-forgotten contest.

There are a great many people who believe in the lucky properties attributable to horseshoes. Clarissy Martin belonged to that class. She had a worn horseshoe nailed over her kitchen door.

Dusk was setting in rapidly and a light glowed from a front window of the schoolma'am's cottage, as Cap'n Hornepayne came abreast of it.

Drawing a deep breath, he knocked firmly on the door, believing all the while that his heart was making a louder echo with its rapid thumping. A short pause, then the door was opened wide.

"Evenin', Cap'n Hornepayne." "Evenin', Miss Martin," replied the captain, fumbling with his cap.

Giving him a quick, sincere smile of greeting, the schoolma'am led him into the tiny parlor. She was, as the captain would have expressed it, "all primed up."

Conversation was desultory. The scanty news concerning the village was soon exhausted. The weather came in for its share of comment. Fishing operations were discussed, but that, too, soon languished. It was then that Clarissy Martin suggested that they sit on the veranda for awhile. The captain agreed with alacrity.

They found the two chairs placed in convenient position. Surprisingly he slipped a hand into his coat pocket and like Aladdin with his magic lamp, rubbed his fingers over the horseshoe, fervently praying for some loophole that would offer him a chance to swing the conversation into the channel he desired.

Perhaps not altogether innocent of his intentions, Clarissy Martin gave him the long-awaited chance as she casually inquired: "How is your house comin' along, Cap'n? I remember you sayin' that you only had to put a few more touches to finish it off."

Cap'n Hornepayne gave a gusty sigh of relief as those blessed words bridged the gulf that had been gradually widening between them. The horseshoe was not falling him. He knew he was on the right course now. He edged his chair closer to the schoolma'am's.

"The little house is comin' along fine," he told her, with renewed confidence. "When I brought the schooner in this last trip, I came in with the finest catch of the season. I got nice pay for it, too. Of course I salted most of the money away with the rest I had, but I kep' enough out to put the last touches to the house. Now she's finished and standin' ship-shape, ready to weather any storm."

"Don't you find it a bit lonesome livin' alone like you do, Cap'n Hornepayne?"

"Aye, it does get a bit lonely at times," the captain agreed. Drawing a deep breath he plunged into the opening offered by the schoolma'am's question. "O' course, it ain't my intention to live alone all the time. I been thinkin' lately that a man sooner or later ought to find himself a wife an' settle down some. I been wonderin', too, you see it's this way. Ye seemed interested in the house an' I thought that . . . that ye might sort o' like to take over the tiller . . ."

The question was out at last. The captain was on tenderhooks as he waited for the fateful answer. Then, as sweetly as the tolling of a church bell, the schoolma'am's words fell upon the still air: "Captain, that would make me the happiest person alive."

"Chrissy, gal!" the captain cried noisily. In the most convenient way imaginable the captain found her head resting on his arm, and in the same instant he was imprinting a kiss upon her willing lips, with a tenderness that one would never expect to find in a bluff, sea-faring captain.

If anyone had been watching Clarissy Martin early the next morning, they would have seen a peculiar sight. She was standing directly in front of two chairs she and Cap'n Hornepayne had occupied the previous evening. Her hands were clasped together and there was an enraptured light.

If anyone had been close enough they would have seen that what she was looking at was a horseshoe nailed to the cottage wall under the cottage roof. A worn horseshoe that formerly had hung over her kitchen door.

Typewriters for rent at Advocate

Smilin' Charlie Says



"This is th' month when th' old maids' hopes rise, and th' bachelors' sink."

PICKED UP ON MAIN

We have decided to omit the word "prosperous" in referring to the groom in our future wedding write ups. Most everybody knows that this word is practically obsolete, more especially among the farmers.

E. C. Higgins has found an ideal fishing partner in the person of A. C. Crozier. Higgins says Crozier neither eats fish nor drinks whiskey.

Arba Green was heard to remark at the recent wedding in his home, "Well, this is the second daughter I've led to the altar and I've had to hold them both back."

The other day we tried to send an employe to hunt up some business. He refused after he'd heard a man say where business had gone.

Pecos valley farmers were in many instances getting \$40.00 per ton for hay during the war and now they are helping to pay for some of the high priced hay with our present price of 6.50 per ton. The reason is Uncle Sam loaned the European nations the money to buy \$40 hay, which has not been paid back.

The American Legion may have placed thousands of unemployed back at work in the campaign to reduce unemployment, but at that they have not equaled the record of our congressmen in getting their kinfolks on the government pay rolls.

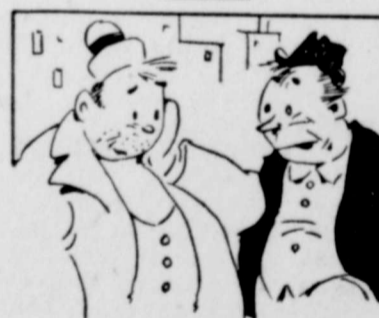
Teacher: "If a farmer sells 10 bales of cotton at 25 cents a pound what will he get?" Pupil: "Either heart failure or a new 1932 model car."

BUSY DOCTOR



"Why does Slowpay always consult a busy doctor?" "In the hope that he'll be too busy to force him to pay his bill."

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FIGHT PESTS

The sudden increase in the mosquito and fly population has been very annoying. Hordes of mosquitoes and flies have invaded homes of this section during the past week, and have dealt much grief to the housewife.

Contrary to the belief more or less common, the mosquito does not breed in grass, weeds or vines. It only harbors in them during the hot part of the day. Mosquitoes breed in stagnant water, in rain barrels and in irrigation ditches and in depressions where water is left standing.

Dr. O. E. Puckett, county health officer, states that the mosquito can be controlled by pouring oil over the breeding places. Oil drained from crank cases at filling stations can be secured at little or no cost and will serve the purpose. Dr. Puckett further states the work of eradicating mosquitoes will furnish work for the unemployed.

They had new neighbors and the wife was much interested in them. In a few days she reported: They seem a most devoted couple, John. He kisses her every time he goes out, and even waxes kisses to her from the sidewalk. Why don't you do that? Why don't I? replied John. Good heavens, I don't even know her yet.

RELIGIOUS DEBATE

A series of four religious debates between The Rev. James F. Dew of Artesia and Elder Roy H. Lanier of Roswell are scheduled to start at Roswell on the evening of June 6th and continue each night until four propositions are discussed. The first two debates will be held in the Immanuel Baptist church at Roswell at 501 West College Blvd., and the next two speakings will occur in the Church of Christ building, next to the Roswell fire station.

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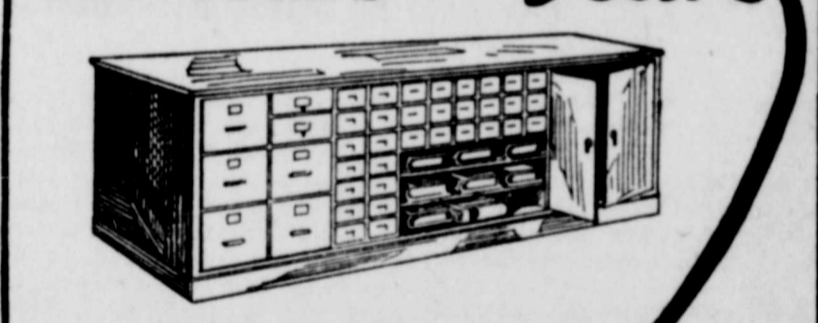
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Social Activities

GREEN-STINNETT

Miss Helen Green became the bride of Mr. Rufus Martin Stinnett of Portales at a home wedding Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock. The wedding, one of simplicity but lovely in all details took place before an arch of ferns in front of the fire place in the presence of friends and relatives, with the Rev. Harold G. Scoggins officiating. Mrs. G. U. McCrary played the wedding march and during the marriage vows, she played softly the Venetian Love Song.

The bride, who was given by her father, Mr. Arba Green, was attired in a lovely white lace dress and carried a bouquet of bride's roses and sweet peas.

Following the ceremony the guests were served in the living room, with a plate lunch, followed by a second course in the dining room, where a large white cake decorated in the form of roses and sweet peas, centered the table, which was cut by the bride. Miss Lucy Stinnett of Portales served the ice cream at one end of the table and Mrs. A. C. LaFollette of North Vernon, Indiana, presided at the coffee urn at the other end of the table.

The bride is the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arba Green and a graduate of the University of New Mexico, having also attended the University of Missouri, where she was a member of the Beta Tau Alpha and Geta Sigma sororities and for the past two years has been at home with her parents.

Mr. Stinnett is a graduate of the New Mexico University and belongs to the Kappa Alpha fraternity and to Khatalia, an honorary society and was also a member of the football team and letterman there.

Mr. and Mrs. Stinnett left for Portales where they will spend the summer and the coming winter they will be located in Des Moines, this state, where Mr. Stinnett is a member of the faculty and coach in the high school.

Guests and relatives who were at the wedding were: Mr. and Mrs. Ballard Spencer, Judge and Mrs. G. U. McCrary, Mr. and Mrs. N. Watson, Miss Lucy Stinnett of Portales, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. LaFollette of North Vernon, Indiana and Mr. and Mrs. Arba Green.

D. Y. C. INITIATION

The D. Y. C. club, in order to perpetuate its existence in the high school, recently elected five members to take the place of the outgoing graduates. Those initiates were introduced to the mysteries of the organization at a party at the home of Miss Jack Ward last Wednesday evening. Those initiated were: Misses Nelle Jackson, Nina Gray, Catherine Cogdell, Corinne Davis and Laura Belle McCaw. The outgoing members were Misses Ward, Evelyn Cobble, Virginia Goodell, Nelda Wilson, Wilma Robinson and Beulah Beth Terry. After the ceremony and refreshments, the old members had a slumber party at the Ward home.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

A birthday party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Walters, Tuesday evening in honor of Miss Agnes Parnell. The evening was spent in playing games. Ice cream and cake were served to those present, who were: Misses Geneva and Estelle Bailey, Carmen Parnell, Edith and Bertie Walters, Messrs. Clarence and Earl Cisco, Selvin Parnell, John O'Brien, Allen Graham, Lonnie Bogard, James and Phillip Dew and the hostess.

MISS LATHAM HONORED

Miss Abbie Durand entertained at dinner Thursday evening honoring Miss Agnes Latham. The Durand home was lovely with spring flowers. Following the dinner the guests attended the Majestic theatre. Those present besides the honoree were: Misses Nelda Wilson, Margaret Nellis, Messrs. Rowland McLean, J. C. Paris and St. Clair Yates.

GIRL SCOUT MEETING

The Girl Scouts had a meeting Tuesday at their garden near the Central school, where they worked on the flowers beds and then went to the school lawn and had drills on scout work conducted by their leader, Mrs. Myron Bruning, after which she took them to the Mann Drug Store for treats.

SPECIAL \$1.75

Plate and 100 genuine engraved cards, either plain or panelled.—The Artesia Advocate.

Social Calendar

MONDAY

The Library Board will meet at the library at 3:00 p. m.

The Past Noble Grands will have charge of the Rebekah lodge.

TUESDAY

The Fortnightly Bridge club will meet with Mrs. C. Bert Smith for one o'clock luncheon.

The Second Afternoon Bridge club will meet with Mrs. Beecher Rowan at 2:00 p. m.

WEDNESDAY

The Dorcas class will meet with Mrs. Morrison Livingston with Mrs. Malphurs as co-hostess at 2:30 p. m.

McMURRY OCTETTE CONCERT

The octette from McMurry College at Abilene, Texas appeared at the Methodist church here last Saturday evening in concert and won the approval of its audience by the pleasing manner in which it presented a diversified program, in which the sweet old familiar harmonies predominated. The organization included besides the octette, a quartette of young ladies, that in both vocal quartette and the ensemble gave a very good account of themselves. The young ladies also gave violin, piano and vocal solos, which were much enjoyed. Miss Irene Osborn, who sang the "Rosary," is the possessor of an unusual contralto voice. The director, Mrs. Wiley, an instructor of music in the college, and a vocalist of marked ability, with Glen Evans, rendered a duet, which was greeted with much enthusiasm. Taken all in the concert was a decided success and reflected much credit upon the music department of the school. Accompanying the organization was Mrs. Tate, head of the mathematics department, who made an introductory talk in which she explained the advantages of the school as an educational institution for young people. The octette is making an extensive trip, which will include northern New Mexico and southern Colorado as well as west Texas. Considering the weather and the time, Saturday night, there was a good attendance.

BRIDGE-LUNCHEON

Miss Louise Compton gave a bridge luncheon and shower for Miss Wyoma Phillips bride-to-be Saturday at one o'clock, at her home on West Main street. A color scheme of pastel shades was carried out in the luncheon, after which bridge was played, Miss Marylynn Haley winning high score and Miss Abbie Durand, second. The shower was in the form of a treasure hunt, the treasure being many useful things for the bride. The guest list included: Misses Glennis Smith, Evelyn and Ethelyn Cobble, Nelda Wilson, Wilma Robinson, Jean Wheatley, Margaret Nellis, Abbie Durand, Jack Ward, Lillian Heflin, Elizabeth Gage, Corinne Davis, Marylynn Haley, the honor guest and the hostess.

TELEPHONE CO. PICNIC

The Telephone Company had a picnic in the telephone building Monday evening. Miss Fern McCaw operated the board while they had their picnic supper. Those who enjoyed this occasion were: Mrs. Luther Rideout, Mrs. Mary Abbott, Misses Mary McCaw, Celia Rehberg, Corinne Davis, Marjorie Wingfield and Gail Hamilton.

HONORING MISS PHILLIPS

Honoring Miss Wyoma Phillips, bride-to-be, the D. Y. C. club gave a miscellaneous shower at the home of Miss Jack Ward last Thursday afternoon after school. Miss Virginia Goodell joined with Miss Jack in serving a dessert course of ice cream and cake. The honoree received an array of beautiful presents.

SECOND EVENING CLUB

The Second Evening Bridge club met with Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Hartell last Thursday for seven o'clock dinner. Mrs. Mark Corbin was the guest of the club.

CONTRACT STUDY CLUB

The Contract Study club met with Mrs. Jeff Hightower, Wednesday for one o'clock luncheon.

HONORING MRS. WILLIAMS

Mrs. J. K. Wallingford entertained in her apartments at the Artesia hotel, with a one o'clock luncheon Friday in honor of her mother, Mrs. Williams of Bowling Green, Kentucky, who is here visiting her. The rooms were lovely with garden flowers and the luncheon was served in three courses. The afternoon was devoted to playing contract bridge. The guests were: Mmes. O. K. Hearte of Pasadena, California, Martin Yates, Jr., Mark Corbin, Earl Bigler, Ralph Shugart, C. J. Dexter, J. S. Ward, Bishop Lary, A. T. Woods and the honor guest.

SOCIAL MEETING

The Methodist Missionary Society had a social in the Ladies parlor at the Methodist church yesterday afternoon, complimentary to Mrs. J. H. Jones, who left today for her new home in Belen. A large attendance of members was present and Mrs. Jones was presented with a lovely gift as a token of appreciation of her work and faith in the church. Ice cream and cake were served by the Misses Peggy Brainard and Gladys Thompson. The monthly meeting of the society was held yesterday instead of today.

THURSDAY BRIDGE CLUB

The Thursday Afternoon Bridge club met with Mrs. Howard Gishler last Thursday. The guests of the club were: Mmes. Ed Kissinger, Frank Seale, Skelt Williams, Merrill Sharp, Marvel Archer and Miss Violet Robertson. Mrs. Charles Morgan won high score and Mrs. Ed Gillespie second high. Light refreshments were served by the hostess.

SEVEN O'CLOCK DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Dunn entertained with a turkey dinner Sunday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Finn Watson of Gallup. The guests were, besides the honor guest: Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Conner, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Pearson, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jernigan and the hosts.

PICNIC AT NOGAL LAKE

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Evans and house guests, Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Hearte of Pasadena, California, Mrs. Killie of Kansas, Mrs. Patterson of Oklahoma, Mr. and Mrs. Wallingford and her mother, Mrs. Williams of Bowling Green, Kentucky and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Losey of Hagerman spent Monday at Nogal lake.

FIRST AFTERNOON CLUB

The First Afternoon Bridge club met with Mrs. Mark Corbin at her home Tuesday afternoon. Mmes. Williams of Bowling Green, Kentucky, L. P. Evans, John Lowry were guests of the club. A salad course was served after the five rounds of bridge.

FIRST EVENING BRIDGE CLUB

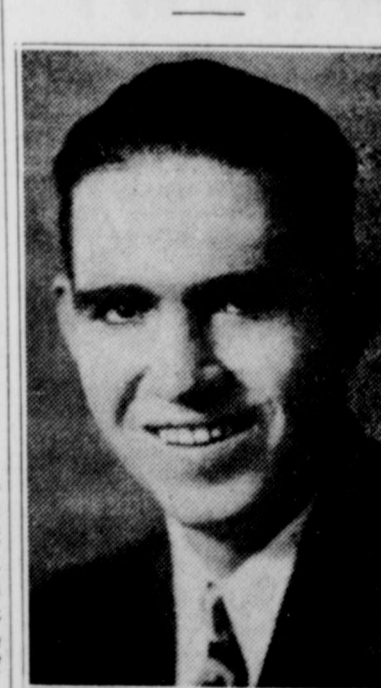
The club met with Mr. and Mrs. Rex Wheatley for seven o'clock dinner Monday evening, Mr. and Mrs. John Richards were guests of the club.

BRIDGE PARTY

Mrs. Harry Jernigan and Mrs. George Wilkins entertained a few friends at bridge Saturday evening at the E. T. Jernigan home. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Reed McCaw, Ben Morgan and the two hostesses and their husbands.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Devoll were here from Clovis visiting old friends the first of the week.

PRESENTS BEAUTY PAGEANT



David Dallas, above, managing director of Western Beauty Pageants of Lubbock, Texas. Mr. Dallas is in Artesia directing the Majestic Theater's first annual Beach Fashion Show and Beauty Pageant, which will be presented on the Majestic Theater stage Thursday and Friday night. "Miss Artesia will be selected from a revue of local girls representing Artesia business firms. The winner will be entered in the "Queen of the West" pageant at Roswell.

LOCALS

Mrs. F. W. Sewell of Hobbs visited Artesia friends a few days this week.

Mrs. J. W. Withers underwent an operation at a hospital in Carlsbad last week.

Mrs. Margaret Ellis and Mrs. George Williams made a business trip to Carlsbad Monday.

Senator and Mrs. Moon have moved into the Buck house on West Main with the Rocky Kille family.

Miss Nora Stevens who underwent an operation some time ago is very low at the hospital in Carlsbad.

Mrs. Bert Muncy's sister, Miss Elizabeth Chatten of Elkins arrived last Thursday to visit for several weeks.

Herbert Muncy is here from Wilmington, California visiting his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Harve Muncy.

Mrs. Emma Roy of Ceres, California is visiting her Uncle, J. J. Buel and family. She is en route to Illinois and New York.

Miss Anna Hauberg left Monday for the Cavern on her way to California after a short visit with her friend, Mrs. Nancy Eipper.

Mrs. Glen Eaton and daughter, Ella Mae arrived Tuesday from Midland, Texas for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Ransbarger and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay Davis and children of Hurley are guests at the home of Mrs. Davis' sister, Mrs. Chas. Ransbarger and family this week.

Mrs. J. J. Pashea who has been visiting her son Melvin Pashea and Mrs. Pashea left for her home at Granite City, Illinois. She was en route home from California.

Accompanied by the high school orchestra I. C. Keller, Mr. and Mrs. Noel Meeks and E. A. Hannah went to Carlsbad to attend the commencement exercises Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Pior, Misses Marjorie Wingfield, Elaine Feemster, Celia Rehberg, and Messrs. Garland Rideout, Billie Albert and Stanley Carper spent Sunday at Black River Village.

Miss Margaret Williams arrived from El Paso Wednesday, where she has been attending the College of Mines. Her father, Bryant Williams met her here and they went on to their home at Hope.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Geyer of Springer spent the week-end with their granddaughter, Mrs. Willis Morgan and Mr. Morgan. Mrs. Esther Oakes accompanied her parents home after a short visit with her daughter and husband.

BIVENS-WOODS

Just as The Advocate goes to press, we learn of the marriage of Miss Gussie Bivens to J. O. Woods, both of Artesia, which occurred at Roswell this morning. The wedding was a surprise to several friends of the young couple, who went alone to the Roswell Methodist parsonage, where they were united in marriage by The Rev. F. L. Meadow, pastor.

The bride is well known here and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Bivens, who have been residents of the oil field for several years. She is a graduate of the Artesia high school of the class of 1929. Mr. Woods is employed at the State Oil Refining Co., station on East Main street.

FISH STRANDED

It is an ill wind that blows nobody any good. The sudden rise on Black river Saturday afternoon floated tons of fish from Black river out onto the banks, and the natives of the lower valley have had scales on their hands and a fishy breath ever since. The strandeers were mostly coarse fish, but at that the bass, perch and catfish suffered also. One ditch rider rescued several hundred stranded bass and restored them to the stream before they were clear gone.—Carlsbad Current-Argus.

POPPY SALE

The poppy sale Saturday was satisfactory considering the condition of the weather, as all parts of town were not reached. The sales amounted to \$60.00 and the Auxiliary wishes to thank the public for their splendid cooperation.

TYPEWRITERS

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

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

FROZEN DESSERTS FOR HOT WEATHER

Many people like frozen desserts and they are appetizing and healthful. With the low prices for cream, milk and eggs more and more of them should be used if ice is available. If not too rich, they can be eaten by all members of the family. Canned or fresh fruits can be used in a variety of ways in frozen dishes, says Grace B. Long of the New Mexico State College.

Sherbet or Ice

3 oranges—juice
3 lemons—juice
3 bananas.
2 cups milk, or 3 c. water.
2½ cups sugar.

Use juice of oranges and lemons. Mash bananas and put thru sieve. Mix fruit. Make syrup of sugar and one cup of water boiled together for about two minutes. Add syrup to fruit and add milk or remaining water.

To freeze, use one cup salt to eight cups of finely cracked ice. Turn the crank slowly and steadily. After it is frozen, pack, using one cup salt to four cups of ice.

Variations:

- Any fruit coloring desired
- Use one quart strawberries instead of bananas. Mash and put thru sieve. Use water instead of milk.
- Use one quart of canned peaches without juice, instead of bananas. Mash and put through sieve. The juice may be used instead of part of the milk. If sweetened, reduce the sugar.

Plain Mousse

1 cup heavy cream.
1 cup rich milk or thin cream.
1 tablespoon gelatin.
2 egg whites.
1-16 teaspoon salt.
¼ teaspoon vanilla.
6 tablespoons sugar.

Soak the gelatin until soft in a little of the milk or thin cream. Heat the remainder, and pour over the gelatin. Add the sugar and stir until dissolved, and put the mixture aside to chill. Whip the heavy cream. When the mixture containing the gelatin has thickened slightly, beat it to incorporate air. Add the vanilla, and fold in the whipped cream and the well beaten egg whites. The egg whites reduce richness, increase volume, and improve texture. Those proportions will make over 4 cups before freezing; or if the egg whites are not used, about 3 cups.

Variations:

1. Prepare a custard from the cup of rich milk, three egg yolks, and the sugar. Cool, beat and add to the other ingredients as described.

If additional information is desired, the leaflet "Ice Cream Frozen Without Stirring" published by the U. S. D. A. can be secured from the extension service, State College, New Mexico.

BENCHES GONE

Three or four benches west of the old First National Bank building are missing and a partial search of the town by a member of the local whittlers association has failed to find any trace of the missing articles. The association is contemplating offering a reward for the missing benches.

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THE CHURCHES

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH Fourth and Grand

9:55 a. m. Sabbath School.
6:15 p. m. Christian Endeavor.
W. B. McCROY, Pastor.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH 6th and Quay Streets

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

ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH OF ARTESIA Rev. F. B. Howden, Jr., Rector.

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

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

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

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY 613 W. Main Street

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

Subject of the Bible lesson for Sunday, June 5, 1932, is: "God The Only Cause and Creator."

In this lesson the following scriptural selection is found: "Thou art worthy, O Lord, to receive glory and honor and power for thou hast created all things, and for thy pleasure they are and were created." (Rev. 4-11).

Also the following citation from Science and Health with Key to the Scripture, by Mary Baker Eddy, page 583: "Creator, God, who made all that was made and could not create an atom or an element the opposite of Himself."

Visitors always welcome.

THE CHURCH OF CHRIST One Block West of Central School

Bible school starts at 10:00 a. m. sharp.

Preaching service at 11:00 a. m. Preaching at 8:00 p. m.

Brother Avis C. Wiggins of Roswell will preach for us at both the morning and evening hour.

All are invited to attend these services.

Mrs. Thurman Davidson passed through Artesia Wednesday en route to Denver, Colorado, where she will make her home. Mr. Davidson is located with an oil company at Casper, Wyoming. Mr. and Mrs. Davidson have been located at Hobbs.

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THE FAMILY NEXT DOOR

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GOLD MINING YIELDS NICE SUM IN STATE

Since the first gold mining operations began in New Mexico in 1828 approximately 2,192,864 ounces of gold valued at \$45,330,544 have been mined, according to a circular on gold mining and gold deposits in New Mexico, prepared by Dr. E. H. Wells, president of Socorro School of Mines, and T. P. Wooten. "The production of gold ore from lodes and gravels in New Mexico prior to 1880 was about 700,000 ounces, value \$15,485,000; from 1880 until 1904 the output is estimated at 654,717 ounces, valued at \$13,534,219; and official records show that from January 1, 1904 until December 31, 1929, the amount produced was 789,060.5 ounces, valued at \$16,311,325; making an estimated total for the state of 2,192,864 ounces valued at \$45,330,544. "Placer mines have yielded \$12,000,000 to \$15,000,000 or one-fourth of this amount."

LOCALS

Thelbert French spent Monday in Roswell. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Jesse spent Sunday in Roswell. John Gage has moved his family to a farm near Elk. Mrs. J. H. Myers left last Thursday for California. Mr. and Mrs. B. Lary spent the week-end in El Paso, Texas. Billie Bullock went to the Scout camp in the mountains Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. John Richards have moved into the Bartlett apartments. Miss Emily Woods will be home from State University at Albuquerque Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Anderson and daughter, Christine spent the week-end in El Paso. Buddie and Richard Beck have gone to Mayhill to spend the summer with their uncles, Marvin and Jim Jackson. Mrs. Harvey Widney of Roswell is here to stay a few weeks with her father, P. J. Klopfenstein, who has been seriously ill. Supt. and Mrs. W. E. Kerr and daughter, Marjorie left for Iowa yesterday going by way of Oklahoma City, where they will visit with relatives before Mr. Kerr enters summer school. Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Evans and house guests, Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Hearte of Pasadena, California, Mrs. Killie of Kansas and Mrs. Patterson of Oklahoma attended the Baccalaureate services of the Institute at Roswell Sunday. Mrs. Georgia Lusk, state superintendent of public instruction, arrived in the city last evening, called by an appendix operation on her little son, who passed through the ordeal this morning in nice shape.—Carlsbad Current-Argus, Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jones of Lubbock, Texas, former residents of Artesia, have returned and are living in the Merchant house on Dallas street. Mr. Jones will be janitor at the Central school building next winter and will have charge of the lawns at the Central and Junior high schools this summer. Mrs. Sadie Wilson and Miss Linna McCaw drove to Kansas City, Missouri the last of the week. They were accompanied by Misses Marion and Ivy Guinn, Alice Boyer and Merrill Bradley. Miss Boyer went on to her home in Welda and Mrs. Wilson will visit her there, while Miss McCaw will visit Miss Bradley in Kirksville, Missouri.

LAKE ARTHUR ITEMS

Miss Ella Ohlenbusch, Reporter Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ridgway are the proud parents of a baby girl born last Thursday. Miss Evelyn Eaker is spending several days of this week with her cousin, Miss Eaker of Artesia. Mr. and Mrs. Orin Smith and family and mother, Mrs. Ollie Smith, spent Memorial Day with friends at Hope. Miss Welva Doyle spent Tuesday night and Wednesday at the K. A. Bivens home as a guest of Miss Lois Bivens. Mrs. L. E. Tolbert is spending this week with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Spiers of Roswell. Baker Flowers returned to Santa Fe Monday, after spending several days here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Flowers. Mrs. A. V. Flowers and daughter, Jewel and Mrs. R. F. Beasley left Monday for Ruidoso, where they will spend several weeks. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Perry and family of Greenfield, were visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Thomasson Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. John Griffith have purchased the former home of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Spence and moved into it the first part of the week. The Lake Arthur Senior B. Y. P. U. presented an interesting program at Roswell Sunday evening at 6:30 o'clock. Eighteen members of the class were present. Mr. and Mrs. Luke Alexander, Sr., and children formerly of Lake Arthur and who spent the winter months near Amarillo, Texas returned Friday and will make their home here for the present. Miss Gerlene Flowers who has been attending New Mexico Normal University at Las Vegas, returned to her home here Saturday. Before returning home she spent several days as guest of her brother, Baker Flowers of Santa Fe. An announcement of interest this week is that of the marriage of Miss Fay McLarry to Mrs. Lenn Gibson, which took place Monday, May 30th, at Roswell. The bride, who is the oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben McLarry has lived in this community for the past seven years, and is well known and loved by her many friends who wish her happiness and success in the future. The groom is an employee of the state highway department and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gibson of Quannah, Texas.

AIR RIFLE CAUSES PAINFUL ACCIDENT

James Robertson, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Robertson, had a narrow escape from what might have been a serious and perhaps fatal injury, when hit by an air rifle shot Friday afternoon. James Burton Bishop and Jessie Lee Cunningham were playing with an air rifle, used the previous night in the Junior high commencement exercises, when the gun in some manner accidentally discharged. A shot from the rifle struck James, about the center of the nose and passed through the flesh. The wound bled profusely and James finally blew the shot out of his nose. Had the shot been fired a little to the right or left, it might have been a great deal more serious. SPECIAL \$1.75 Plate and 100 genuine engraved cards, either plain or panelled.—The Artesia Advocate. Loose Leaf Binders, Special Ruling and Stock Forms—The Advocate

"They make fun o' the guy what tries blowin' out the gas light before goin' to bed. But I'm a-thinkin' that bird has just as much brains as the fella who says he can run his business without Advertisin' Smilin' Bill"

NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF CIVIL ACTION

IN THE DISTRICT COURT, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO. CESARINE A. KERR, Plaintiff, Vs. Eunice M. Ballard, C. L. Ballard, Johnnie Opal Ballard, J. G. Ballard, Rena Ballard, Willemma Ballard, the unknown heirs of Wm. B. Ballard, deceased; R. F. Ballard, Administrator de bonis non of the Estate of Wm. B. Ballard, deceased; Gross-Miller Grocery Company, a Corporation; W. W. Phillips, R. L. Bradley, Bank of Commerce of Roswell, a Corporation; W. T. Joiner; W. F. Glasier, Joyce-Fruit Company, a Corporation; Southwestern Public Service Company, a Corporation; Ed Williams, Will Purdy, Harold Hurd, Herman R. Crile, Carlton P. Webb; The Eddy County Abstract Company, a Corporation, and all unknown claimants of interest in the premises described in the complaint herein, adverse to the plaintiff, Defendants. No. 5399.

THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO, TO: Eunice M. Ballard, impleaded with the following named defendants against whom substituted service is hereby sought to be obtained, to wit: You, J. G. Ballard, Johnnie Opal Ballard, Rena Ballard, the unknown heirs of Wm. B. Ballard, deceased, and all unknown claimants of interest in the premises described in the complaint herein, adverse to the plaintiff, GREETING: You and each of you are hereby notified that a Civil Action has been filed and is now pending in the District Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, wherein Cesarine A Kerr is plaintiff and you and each of you are the defendants, the general nature and objects of which are: (a) To obtain a judgment against the defendants Eunice M. Ballard, C. L. Ballard and Johnnie Opal Ballard, upon five certain promissory notes, executed by the defendants, Eunice M. Ballard, C. L. Ballard, Johnnie Opal Ballard, and by Wm. B. Ballard, who is now deceased, to the plaintiff herein on June 2, 1924, upon which there remains unpaid to the date of May 28th, 1932, the sum of \$10,287.20 in principal, interest and attorney's fees. (b) To obtain a decree of the court foreclosing a mortgage executed by the defendants, Eunice M. Ballard, C. L. Ballard and Johnnie Opal Ballard, and by the said Wm. B. Ballard, who is now deceased, to secure the payment of said notes, which said mortgage is of record in Book 21 of the Records of Mortgages of Eddy County, New Mexico, at page

243, and to have said mortgage adjudged a first and prior lien upon the property therein described, to-wit: Lots nine (9), Eleven (11) Thirteen (13) and Fifteen (15) in Block Eight (8) of the Original town of Artesia, New Mexico, as the same appears of record on the official plat thereof on file in the office of the County Clerk of Eddy County, New Mexico, together with all improvements located thereon, and to have said property sold for the satisfaction of the amounts due upon said notes and secured by said mortgage, and to have the claim of each and all of the defendants named in said suit against said property to be adjudged to be subject and inferior to the claim and lien of the plaintiff in said suit. The number of said cause is 5399 on the Civil Docket of said court. You and each of you are further notified that unless you appear and answer the complaint filed in said cause, or otherwise enter your appearance in said cause, on or before the 28th day of July, 1932, Judgment will be taken against you and each of you by default and for the relief prayed for in plaintiff's complaint. You are further notified that James W. Stagner, whose post office address is Carlsbad, New Mexico, is the attorney for the plaintiff. WITNESS my hand and seal as Clerk of said Court this 28th day of May, 1932. (SEAL) RUTH S. NYE, County Clerk. By DOTTE C. CRAFT, Deputy. 22-4t TRANSPORTATION BIDS The Board of Education of the Artesia Municipal District Number 16, Eddy County, New Mexico will receive bids for transportation of pupils of said District number 16, up to June 23rd, 1932. The map seen at the First National Bank with Fred Cole. Bidders must take in consideration the decrease in budget. The Board of Education reserves the right to reject any or all bids. BOARD OF EDUCATION, MRS. LINA A. MANDA, Secretary. 22-4t CHOPPING COTTON Chopping cotton is well underway over this section new. Cotton is growing off rapidly and will be thinned to a stand on many farms within a few days if the weather continues favorable. NOTICE CANTALOUPE MEN New supply Dusters at the Artesia Alfalfa Growers Association office. 21-1tc-2t

WEDDING ANNOUNCEMENT

The following letter received by an Artesia woman, conveys the information that her brother is to be married June 5th. The letter is quoted as written and is: "Dear Sister: Since I have been instructed to do so, I am writing to inform you of my 'intentions' (I use the word 'intentions,' in view of my past experience in such episodes as this) to step up to the altar of matrimony about June 5th and surrender my freedom and future income and remain forever more silent in behalf of the future 'Mrs.' 'til death do us part. As I said, I have been instructed to do this, the family saying I owe this to you as you are my dear sister. Well, you might be interested. In case you want to send a little token to prove that you are interested, glance over the list below before you throw this in the waste basket, remember that I have informed you of this as an instructed brotherly duty and you can't hold it against me. Yours truly, Pillow cases, fryin' pan, bollin' pan, bakin' pan, dishes, fancy; dishes, plain; dishes, any kind; washing machine, bed sheets, bed chairs, tables, pot, diapers, and etc., stove, rugs, towels, Ford, knives and forks, lunch cloths,

table cloths, and all other etc. (Anything, but don't send any 'dam' canaries or gold fish.)"

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ATTENTION FARMERS The International Supply Co., east of the Artesia hotel can supply you with cast iron elbows, tees, plugs, nipples, casing, pipe fittings, engines and many other necessary articles to your pumping plants. Chevie Six Truck For Sale Apply at— Dr. Loucks Garage

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LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS

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

REX WHEATLEY, Plaintiff, vs. MALCOLM S. McCONIHE, Receiver of the National Bank of Carlsbad, New Mexico, THE NATIONAL BANK OF CARLSBAD, New Mexico, AND ALL UNKNOWN PERSONS CLAIMING ANY LIEN, INTEREST OR TITLE ADVERSE TO PLAINTIFF, Defendants. No. 5395.

NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF SUIT

STATE OF NEW MEXICO: TO: MALCOLM S. McCONIHE, Receiver of the National Bank of Carlsbad, New Mexico, THE NATIONAL BANK OF CARLSBAD, New Mexico, impleaded with the following named defendants against whom substituted service is hereby sought to be obtained, to-wit:

ALL UNKNOWN CLAIMANTS OF INTEREST IN THE PREMISES ADVERSE TO PLAINTIFF.

You and each of you are hereby notified that Rex Wheatley has filed a suit which is now pending in the District Court of Eddy County, State of New Mexico, wherein the said Rex Wheatley is plaintiff and Malcolm S. McConihe, Receiver of the National Bank of Carlsbad, New Mexico, the National Bank of Carlsbad, New Mexico, and all unknown claimants of interest in the premises adverse to plaintiff are defendants.

Notice is hereby further given that the general object of said suit is to quiet and set at rest plaintiff's title in fee simple in and to the following described real estate situate in Eddy County, New Mexico, to-wit:

Lots 1 and 3 in Block 25, Artesia Improvement Company Addition to the Town of Artesia, Eddy County, New Mexico, and the improvements thereon, as the same appear on the official plat of said Addition on file in the office of the County Clerk of said county.

Notice is hereby further given that unless said defendants enter their appearance in said cause on or before the 8th day of July, 1932, judgment will be entered against them by default and plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in his complaint; that the plaintiff's attorney is G. U. McCrary whose postoffice address is Box 762, Artesia, New Mexico.

Given under my hand and seal of the District Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, this 21st day of May, 1932.

(SEAL) RUTH S. NYE, Clerk of the District Court of Eddy County, New Mexico. By DOTTE C. CRAFT, Deputy.

NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF CIVIL ACTION

In The District Court Of Eddy County, State of New Mexico.

Jesse F. Cook, Plaintiff, vs. L. W. Martin, the unknown heirs of Carrie Newkirk, deceased, and all unknown claimants of interest in the premises adverse to the plaintiff, Defendants. No. 5397.

THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO: L. W. Martin, impleaded with the following named Defendants, against whom substituted service is hereby sought to be obtained, to-wit: You, L. W. Martin, the un-

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May 24th, 1932. In The District Court: No. 5395. Suit to Quiet Title. Rex Wheatley vs. Malcolm S. McConihe, Receiver Frst. Nat. Bnk. Carlsbad, et als. Lots 1 and 3, B. 25, Art. Imp. Co. Add. to Artesia.

May 24, 1932. In The District Court: No. 5396. Lis Pendens. J. F. Cook vs. L. W. Martin, et als. L. 1, 3, and 5, B. 55, Artesia Imp. Co. Add. to Artesia.

May 26, 1932. Special Master's Deeds: C. B. Livingston, Special Master to Fed. Land Bank of Wichita E 1/4 SE 1/4 7; S 1/4 SW 1/4 8 etc. 17; 18-17-23, and W. R. Nos. 126, 127, 129, 130 Hope Com. Ditch. C. B. Livingston to Fed. Land Bank of Wichita. East 36.9 acres of E 1/4 SE 1/4; etc. 24-17-21 and W. R. Hope Com. Ditch Cer. No. 80. Tax Deed: R. E. Wilkinson, Treas. to F. A. Manda L. 2, 3, 4, B. 3, L. 1 B., 4-16-26. L. 8, B. 4-16-26. Warranty Deeds: Mucio Olguin to Edubigen Olguin De Baesa \$10 L. 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, B. "G" East San Jose, May 28, 1932.

P. V. Trust Co., to S. R. McKinnon \$450 L. 1, B. 80, Lowe Add. to Carlsbad.

known heirs of Carrie Newkirk, deceased, and all unknown claimants of interest in the premises adverse to plaintiff.

GREETING: You and each of you are hereby notified that a Civil Action is now pending in the District Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, wherein Jesse F. Cook is the plaintiff and you and each of you are the Defendants, numbered 5397 on the Civil Docket of said court; that the general nature and objects of said action are to quiet and set at rest the title of the Plaintiff in and to the following described property, to-wit:

Lots one (1), three (3) and five (5) in Block Fifty-five (55) of Artesia Improvement Company Addition to the town of Artesia, Eddy County, New Mexico, and to bar and estop you and each of you from having or claiming any right, title or interest in or any lien upon said property adverse to the Plaintiff.

You are further notified that unless you enter your appearance in said cause on or before the 18th day of July, 1932, judgment will be taken against you by default as prayed for in Plaintiff's complaint, and that James W. Stagner, whose Post Office address is Carlsbad, New Mexico, is the attorney for the Plaintiff.

WITNESS my hand and seal as Clerk of said Court this 24th day of May, 1932.

(SEAL) RUTH S. NYE, County Clerk. By DOTTE C. CRAFT, Deputy.

PECOS-CARLSBAD ROAD IMPROVEMENTS

The Texas highway department is making preparations to complete the third section of the Pecos, Texas-Carlsbad road to the state line. Two sections of the road have been graded. The third section extends from Orla to the New Mexico line, a distance of about twelve miles.

TYPEWRITERS

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

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LOCALS

Howard Stroup came home Tuesday from State College.

J. L. Kintz, Dunken merchant was trading in town Friday afternoon.

J. E. Hooten, merchant of Lower Penasco was trading in town Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Thompson and family drove up to Cloudcroft Monday.

Judge G. U. McCrary and son, Keith McCrary made a business trip to Carlsbad Monday.

Mrs. Earl Darst returned the first of the week from a visit to relatives in Kansas.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith McCrary of Roswell spent the week-end here with his parents, Judge and Mrs. G. U. McCrary.

Dr. O. E. Puckett, of Carlsbad, county health officer drove up Tuesday to assist in some tonsil operations.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Dexter expect to leave Saturday for Los Angeles, California, and will spend the month of June visiting friends and relatives.

P. Moody of Kansas City, Missouri, well known cattle buyer arrived the first of the week to spend sometime here attending to business matters.

Arthur Paton, Kenneth Compton, Jimmie Welch, Glenn Evans and cousin, O. K. Hearse, Jr., came home this week from the Institute at Roswell.

Dr. J. J. Clarke and daughter, Miss Catherine, left Sunday for New Orleans, Louisiana to bring home, Mrs. Clarke and two sons, John and Lawrence, who have been attending school there.

Fletcher Hornbaker accompanied by his sister, Miss Dawn and Miss Thelma McCaw left today for Albuquerque to bring home his brother, Wayne Hornbaker, who has attended the State University the past year.

Mrs. Smith, her small son and daughter, Miss Glennis, moved yesterday to El Paso to be with her son, Ralph, who is an employe of a Safeway store there. The W. H. Cobble family will move into Mrs. Smith's house.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Austin of McAllen, Texas spent the week-end with her father, R. O. Cowan. They are en route to California where he will attend the Southern School of Finance and Mrs. Austin will enroll in the Southern Branch of the State University.

Mrs. Stephen Garst, who came to attend the commencement exercises in which her niece, Miss Evelyn Cobble was a graduate, returned to her home at the ranger station in the Datil forest on Tuesday. She was accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Sheridan and her twin nieces, Misses Ethlyn and Evelyn Cobble, who will spend several weeks with her there and at her town home in Magdalena.

Famous Eulogy Said to Have Been Spontaneous

The case in which Senator Vest delivered his eulogy on the dog occurred shortly after the Civil war. Charles Burden of Kingsville, Mo., owned a hunting dog called Old Drum, of which he was very fond. His neighbor, Leonidas Hornsby had lost a number of sheep during the summer and fall of 1860. He threatened to kill the first dog who was found on his place. One day he had been hunting with Dick Ferguson and after they returned home a dog was heard outside. Hornsby told Ferguson to shoot. The next morning Old Drum was found dead and Burden decided to make Hornsby suffer. He, therefore, sued him for \$50 damages. The first jury disagreed. The second jury gave him \$25 damages. He appealed the case. According to Vest's family, he was asked by Burden to assist his lawyer at the trial for a stipulated sum of \$10. He took no part in the trial until the closing appeal to the jury, when, without either notice or preparation, he made the well-known appeal. Tears were in the eyes of many members of the jury and a verdict of \$500 was allowed, but the court stated that this amount was in excess of the petition and could not be allowed.

Church and Palace One When World Was Young

Worship in early times, Prof. David Moore Robinson of Johns Hopkins university says, took place in the palaces where the king was also priest, and in the palace of King Minos as early as 1800 B. C. there were anionic images, such as the Greek cross which is used now in the Greek church. "After the destruction of the Minoan civilization," he continued, "Greece was plunged in to a dark age from 1100 to 700 B. C. and had to develop all over again from humble origins. The church was separated from the state and the temples came to be separate buildings from the palaces."

Professor Robinson said that in the early times in Crete and elsewhere in Greece caves were used as shrines and votive offerings were deposited in the caves. "Such use of caves was continued through the classical and medieval ages," he added, "and still exists in Lourdes and other places."

The earliest Greek temples which were separated from the palaces, he declared, were of stone foundations with walls of mud brick and columns of wood, such as that of Hera at Olympia. Others like that at Corinth had monolithic columns of limestone covered with stucco. But the great temple of the fifth century B. C. were built of marble.

"Shorthand"

The origin of brief writing is clouded in mystery. No authentic record exists establishing its practical use much before the First century, B. C. From that period until about 300 A. D. the art flourished throughout the Roman empire. The secretary and librarian of Cicero, Marcus Tullius Tiro, was the pioneer of Roman shorthand. The chief use of shorthand in Roman times was made by the leaders in the church and by government officials. Church dignitaries who made conspicuous use of shorthand were St. Augustine, Origen, St. Jerome. All the Roman emperors employed shorthand secretaries. Several emperors attempted to learn it. For centuries the art of shorthand fell into disuse. Modern shorthand dates from 1588, when Dr. Timothy Bright produced a system to which he gave the title Characterie.

Spirit of Asia in Italy

It might be said of more places than one that where Italians live today the spirit of Asia permeates everything, but of Palermo in Sicily it always seems to be specially true. Its lovely and strange cathedral itself conveys this to the mind, as if the East and not the West had reared it for a glory other than that of Rome. Byzantine, Norman, German, Spanish and French have come here to reign, but they seem to have left after them is Saracen and Phoenician. Asia sits on the throne invisible and rules every understanding heart which comes within its influence.

Economy Hurt Golf Game

A story about Woodrow Wilson was told by Joe Horgan, golf caddy who used to carry the President's clubs at Deal Beach, N. J. "The President wasn't a good golfer," Horgan related in the American Magazine, "but he seemed to enjoy the game thoroughly. He laughed and joked a lot, and once, when he almost missed a shot completely, he blamed it on the fact that when he first took up golf, he had to play without a caddy for the sake of economy. He said that was when he learned to lift his head with each shot, a fatal habit for golfers."

While There's Life—

Under Mexican law, a stranded or wrecked ship cannot be boarded for the purpose of salvaging articles for individual gain as long as there is life aboard—even if it is only the ship's mascot.

CARBON PAPER—The Advocate

HEALTH COLUMN

Conducted by Dr. J. R. Earp, Director, New Mexico Bureau of Public Health.

SYPHILIS IN NEW MEXICO

Last year there were 187 new cases of syphilis notified to the New Mexico State Bureau of Health. This represents only a small proportion of the new cases of infection that occurred. Many people do not even know that they have been infected. Many others that recognize the symptoms do not go to a doctor but waste their money in "remedies" recommended by a drug store clerk or other incompetent advisor.

The symptoms usually disappear with time, however worthless the treatment, and the patient believes himself cured. In reality the disease is only latent and some day will probably kill its host by attacking the heart or the arteries or the brain. In the meantime the victim may have infected unknowingly an innocent wife and may have become the father of syphilitic children.

Even those who consult a doctor rarely remain under treatment until they are cured. Under proper treatment with neo-salvarsan the symptoms disappear with great rapidity. To cure the disease the patient must return regularly to the doctor's office for months and sometimes for years. The treatment is not expensive. Unless the patient has a most unusual knowledge of the danger of the disease to himself and to others he is likely to stay away from the doctor's office after his sense of well-being is restored.

Syphilis has been called the great imitator because when it comes out of hiding to cause a fatal illness it imitates some other disease. For this reason we cannot tell how many deaths it causes. But we may be reasonably sure that no other disease, except tuberculosis, causes so many deaths in our state.

In succeeding articles we shall show how syphilis may be recognized and fought to a successful issue.

She—I don't think much of men's love. They all want to marry women with money. He—You are unjust. They would be satisfied with the money without the woman—Answers.

WANTED—Clean Cotton Rags at The Advocate.

CONTINUES FIGHT FOR HIKE IN OIL PRICES

Governor Seligman is continuing his fight for better oil prices for the Hobbs field. E. G. Allen, chairman of the Hobbs proration committee, recently informed him that the committee named to investigate Hobbs prices had found that while the Hobbs oil was of higher specific gravity than Yates and Winkler county crude the reason that the price for Hobbs oil remained the same as that paid in west Texas was because the west Texas oil had a higher octane number, or anti-knock quality. "That's an innovation in my opinion," said the governor. "I have never before heard of the anti-knock quality being considered in fixing the price of crude."

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Little Pen-o-grams

Eavesdropping on the Other Man

By ALLEN JOHN ADAMS

RODGER MANNING walked stealthily around to the back door, and sneaked in quietly—as if he were a burglar. Instead of the owner. Opening the back door softly, he peered about and crept down the hall to the living room. His return from town was two hours earlier than he had planned. He felt thrilled as he thought of the surprise he would give his bride of a week.

He grasped the handle of the living room door and started to turn it slowly, but a strange voice from within the room stopped him. The words that he had heard seemed impossible; he doubted his own hearing. But there it was again—that low masculine voice that radiated with such assurance; now it was saying suggestively, "I knew you'd come back to me. You couldn't love anyone else that way, as long as we were together." And then silence. . . . damnable silence!

It was unbelievable! Ruth! Or all the women in the world—untrue to him. Only this morning, she had clung to him so tenderly, and she whispered that she had never loved anyone else.

But there was the irrefutable evidence again coming to his ears—that low vibrant voice that sounded just as the perfect lover's should! Now, it was becoming more dramatic. . . . and at times. . . . a trifle muffled—as if they had their faces close together. He could think only of the lovely face that he had thought belonged to him.

It was more than he could stand. He felt very sick inside, as if he wanted to fall to the floor, and never rise again. He was aroused by the sound of that same insinuating voice again thrusting itself into his suffering mind. Strain as he might, he could not hear his wife's voice. The torturing thought, that she seldom spoke above a whisper when he held her in his arms, seared his feverish brain.

She must be in this other man's arms now, whispering endearing phrases to this new-old lover as she had to him.

He felt dazed and helpless. Who was so all-powerful as to come in and take his wife away from him? His blood seemed cold at the thought of the thing. It was maddening!

Then he heard the man's voice: it was soft, persuasive; it seemed like a very intimate whisper, but he caught: "And we'll run away together, dear—tonight!"

Rodger Manning suddenly saw red; and the blood that had seemed chilled in his veins began to feel as if it were on fire. He reeled away from the door, staggering with a blind rage that knew no bounds. The long restrained temper had burst its leath, and his mind was filled with fiendish thoughts of revenge.

action! . . . anything to destroy this soul-torturing vision!

He went into their bedroom and opened the right-hand top drawer of the dresser. Yes. . . . it was still there, all right. He picked up the cold and dark-looking automatic, that now seemed like such a strange device to snuff out men's lives—and even women's! Turning it over in his hands, he stared at this black metal thing that could deal death so quickly.

He was in the stupefied daze of a person whose mad rage has reached temporary insanity. Seeing his reflection in the mirror in front of him startled him.

He saw a man with dilated eyes and slightly open mouth, who looked very pale and ghastly—a strange man, who held a weapon of death in his hand, and prepared himself for murder.

He thought slowly. . . . murder. . . . death—meant separation from the only thing in this world he loved; he didn't want to live without her—he'd kill himself, too. But the man—the other man; as he thought of the one who had wrecked his dream of happiness, his jaw tightened fiercely; and the lips that had been open, set in a hard line of determination. He would carry his plan through to its bitter end.

After the shots. . . . people would come in. . . . and they would find three bodies—all dead; and the gun that had spoken revenged justice and death would still be tightly gripped by his hand.

He examined the automatic very slowly, and carefully—like a man who had eternity. Yes. . . . It was fully loaded, and in perfect order; so he moved the safety-catch and took a firmer grip. They say that "Every man kills the thing he loves."

As he turned the knob of the living room door, he heard a slight sound from within, but not a word. They must be in each other's arms now—to be so silent.

He put the gun in his coat pocket—with his finger on the trigger—and pointed it forward. In a moment. . . . fire would come from that pocket.

Quietly, he opened the door, and took two steps forward.

As in a dream, he heard his wife saying: "Oh, Rodger, dear, you've missed hearing the most dramatic reading over the new radio that father sent us today? . . . Darling you look as pale as death!"

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Typewriter Ribbons—The Advocate

EDUCATED MAN



"Do you think Huyer is an educated man?" "Well, he knows a heap more now than when he first tried to run an airplane."

DIP FOWLS TO CURE DEPLUMING SCABIES

During a recent trip to various parts of the state, says W. M. Ginn, of the New Mexico State College, many poultry folks were found to be infested with an itch mite which causes a disease called depulming scabies, or mange. This disease is evidenced by the ragged appearance of the hen's feathers, which break off close to the body. The back and head of the fowl are affected first, then the wings. Egg production is retarded and, in severe cases, death may result.

The organism is microscopic in size and attacks at the base of the feather, causing the formation of whitish, dry scales. The presence of these scales at the base of the feathers may be used to distinguish between depulming scabies and the ordinary moulting.

Treatment for this disease consists of dipping in a solution of two ounces of sulfur and one-half ounce of soap to a gallon of warm water. If the fowls are allowed to soak thoroughly in this solution, it should entirely eliminate the trouble. One ounce of sodium fluoride should be added to each gallon of the solution to destroy any lice which may be on the fowls.

Since it is not advisable to dip birds in cold weather, an ointment consisting of one part of sulfur to four parts of oil or grease may be applied. While not so effective as the dipping, this method will help control the disease until warm weather when the birds can be dipped.

ARTESIA JUNIORS WIN AGAIN

Artesia took a tight game from North Hill Juniors of Roswell by the score of 6-5. Trujillo, North Hill pitcher had fine support up until the last inning, when the Artesia lads got on him for two more runs, which made a total of six. Coach Wilkin's boys are playing Roswell again at Artesia this afternoon at three o'clock.

Wilkins and Jones of Artesia both had perfect days at bat, Wilkins getting 4 hits out of four times up and Jones 3 out of three times at bat. Cave, Artesia catcher, came next with three hits out of four times up.

"This makes the third game that the American Legion team has played and won. We would like to see every baseball fan in town out to the game. Turn out for the game so that the boys will not have to go around to the business men to get money enough to send them on trips to other towns.

WANTED—Clean Cotton Rags at The Advocate.

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AT THE CITY HALL

Dayton Items (Contributed)

The Dayton school closed yesterday.

Hay baling and cotton chopping are now the order of the day.

Wm. Bentley and family have moved to a house near Dayton.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Kinder and family, from Cottonwood, visited with their father here, Monday.

Jarret Smith, Frank Cox and sister, Katherine, all former residents of Dayton, attended services here Sunday evening.

Many of the young people from Dayton attended an ice cream supper at Mrs. Belle Simpson's north of Artesia Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubb Muncy, Mr. and Mrs. Burrows and Sam Harrison from Los Angeles, California, are here visiting their sister, Mrs. Clyde McDaniel. They will return by way of Canada, it is understood.

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—THE BENEDICTS—



—THE NEWS PAGES—

LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Mann were in Carlsbad Monday on business.

Miss LaRue Mann will arrive home from Simmons University at Abilene, Texas Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rube Dunn and family left yesterday for a visit with relatives at Ballinger, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Hall of Carlsbad were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Dexter Friday afternoon.

Cavitt Jackson arrived home Tuesday from Cumberland University in Tennessee where he has been attending school.

Misses Ruth French, Irene East, Charles Horne and George Hagerman of Roswell spent Sunday and Monday on Ruidoso.

Mrs. Roger Durand and daughter, Miss Abbie and Mrs. Ralph Pearson spent Monday in Hagerman visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cole and daughter, Hattie Ruth, Mrs. Ralph Henson, Lela Bess and Janice Mann spent Monday at Black River Village.

Mrs. Effie Wingfield expects to make her official visit to the Rebekah lodge at Roswell Friday. There will be a number of the local members who will attend from here.

Mrs. Laura Welsh went to Ed- dy county hospital at Carlsbad last Friday for treatment. Her daughter, Mrs. William Meade and daughter-in-law, Mrs. Edward Welsh are staying in Carlsbad to be near her.

Mrs. J. M. Clarke and daughter, of Lance Wyoming will arrive Friday to visit her mother, Mrs. E. M. Phillips and to be present at the marriage of her sister, Miss Wyoma Phillips to William Compton, next week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gage and children, Mrs. W. S. French, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Young of Hurley, this state, spent Sunday in Hope as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Scoggins.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Blocker, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Blocker and guests Will Styerwalt and daughter, Pearl and Miss Cleo Kunkler went through the Caverns Saturday and spent Sunday in El Paso.

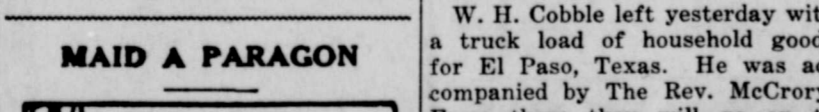
W. H. Cobble left yesterday with a truck load of household goods for El Paso, Texas. He was accompanied by The Rev. McCrory. From there they will go on to Phoenix, Arizona where they will get the household goods of Dr. McCrory's and will return here accompanied by Dr. McCrory's son, Mrs. McCrory will come with a friend as far as Carlsbad.

Will Styerwalt and daughter, Pearl of Greenfield, Ohio left Tuesday for California for a visit with relatives, after spending a few days visiting their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Blocker and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Blocker. They were accompanied to Artesia by Mrs. Sophia Blocker and Miss Cleo Kunkler, who will remain for a longer visit.

SEAGRAVES, Texas—A robber Friday afternoon held up the bank here and escaped with between \$4,000 and \$5,000. Seagraves is in Gaines county, about 30 miles from the Texas-New Mexico boundary.

CARBON PAPER—The Advocate

MAID A PARAGON



"Are you satisfied with your new maid?" "Well, she's too old to get married and too fat to wear my things. So I think we will be able to keep her."

night, if my wife was at home, she would already be in her bed and I would crawl in mine. If she came in first, it was vice versa. We like the depression. We have come down off our pedestal and are really living at my house now. The twin beds are stored in the garage and the old family affair is being used. We are enjoying life. Instead of taking a hot water bottle to bed cold nights, she sticks her heels in my back, just like she did before Hoover was elected. I haven't been out on a party in 18 months. I have "lost my book of telephone numbers. My wife has dropped all the clubs. I believe we are falling in love all over again. I am pretty well satisfied with my wife. Think I'll keep her, at least until she is forty and then if I feel like I do now, I may trade her for two twenties. I am feeling better since the depression. I take more exercise. I walk to town and a lot of folks who used to drive Cadillacs are walking with me. I like the depression. My digestion is better. I haven't been to see a doctor in a year. I can eat anything I want to. I am getting real, honest-to-goodness food. Three years ago, we had filet mignon once a week, now we have round steak and flour gravy. Then, we had roast breast of guinea hen, now we are glad to get sow-bosom with the buttons on it. I like the depression. My salary has been cut to where I can't afford to buy lettuce and spinach and parsley and we can't afford to have sandwiches and frozen desserts and all that damnable foolishness which has killed more good men than the World War. I like the depression. Three years ago I never had time to go to church. I played golf all day Sunday and besides I was so darned smart that there wasn't a preacher a southeastern New Mexico who could tell me anything. Now, I am going to church regularly, never miss a Sunday, and if this depression keeps on, I will be going to prayer-meeting before long. I like the depression.

Wife belonged to all the New Mexico in town. She even joined National Bang mothers' club. We don't have any children, but she was National Bang—and between playing and going to clubs, she was at home. got stuck up and hifalutin'. she took down the old family and bought twin beds— installment plan. I would come home at

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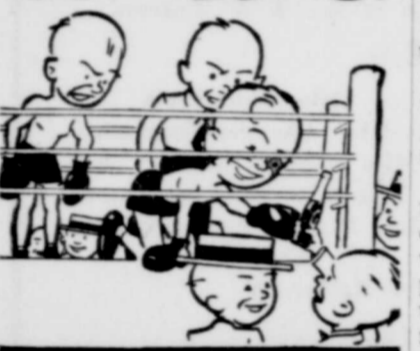
Artesia Auto Filling Station--Howell Gage

ANOTHER RECORD BIRTH MONTH

May was another record birth month for S. E. Ferree, sub-registrar for the Cottonwood, Atoka and Artesia districts and went one ahead of April which was the biggest month during the time the registration office has been maintained here. Seventeen registrations were made as follows: Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Journey, daughter; Mr. and Mrs. Chester Cave, son; Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Jones, daughter; Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Burroughs, daughter; Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Dillon, daughter; Mr. and Mrs. Earl L. Neatherland, son; Mr. and Mrs. Walters, son; Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Pointer, son; Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Adams, daughter; Mr. and Mrs. Ed Richardson, son; Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Delgado, son; Mr. and Mrs. William F. Walker, son; Mr. and Mrs. L. Perez, son; Mr. and Mrs. George E. Ryburn, daughter; Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Yturralde, daughter; Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Evans, daughter; Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Pruitt, son.

Miss Shirley Feather was here visiting her brother, L. B. Feather and family from Wednesday until Friday and left for State College where she will be an instructor of language for the summer. She will substitute for her brother, who will spend the summer in Cloudercroft.

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SENATE PASSES NEW REVENUE BILL--HOUSE EXPECTED TO OK IT

WASHINGTON, D. C.—The senate early yesterday passed the revenue bill filled with new taxes to reach the budget balancing goal urged by President Hoover in a personal appeal to the chamber. The sales tax was rejected. The vote on final passage of the revenue bill was 72 to 11. The sales tax was rejected by a vote of 53 to 27. Senators Cutting and Bratton of New Mexico both voted against the sales tax and for passage of the revenue bill. The final roll call came at 12:30 a. m. after a day and night filled with a whirlwind of events climaxed by the surprise call on Capitol hill by the president to ask prompt and unified action to arrest foreign attacks on the American dollar.

The last minute endorsement by the president of the disputed manufacturers sales tax, however, was scored by the senate in its driving finish. The 1.75 per cent manufacturers sales levy was advanced late in the night by Senator Walsh (D., Mass.) and voted down 53-27. The senate did respond with determination to administration appeals advanced personally by the president and Secretary Mills for an eleventh-hour addition of \$285,000,000 in new revenue to make sure the government will pay its own way next year.

It voted further increases in the income rates; a one cent a gallon levy on gasoline and a three per cent tax on gross receipts of electric power companies. These changes were estimated to yield \$280,000,000 and bring the total of the measure up to the \$1,115,000,000 asked by the administration. The greatest peace time revenue raising bill now goes to conference for adjustment of differences with the house, but no major disputes are impending between the two chambers, and final enactment of the legislation within a week is expected.

A last minute attempt to throw out the four tariff items in the bill, the oil, coal, copper and lumber import duties—was defeated with the tariff coalition holding its strength intact. The oil and coal import duties are in the measure for good, as they were included in the house measure. House approval still must be obtained for the copper and lumber duties. That test will come probably on adoption of the whole bill as a conference report.

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GARNER BILL WOULD GIVE CITY \$70,000 POST OFFICE BLDG.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—The billion dollar bond issue for a federal public building program proposed Friday by Speaker Garner in behalf of the democrats contains \$785,000, possibly considerably more, in public buildings for New Mexico.

Among them are: Post offices at Carlsbad, and station "not named," \$85,000; marine hospital at Ft. Stanton, \$370,000. In all \$605,000.

Post offices not to cost more than \$70,000; each at Alamogordo, Artesia, Clayton, Deming, Farmington, Portales, Tucuman, maximum total \$490,000.

Post offices to cost no more than \$55,000 each at Belen, Lovington and Lordsburg. Maximum total \$165,000.

Post office at Hobbs also to be built by special provision in bill.

New Mexico will also share in \$150,000,000 additional for federal aid highways and in \$100,000,000 for roads and trails in national parks and Indian reservations.

President Hoover late Friday bitterly criticized the \$2,000,000,000 Garner bill for public construction projects.

He said the Garner project was the greatest "pork barrel ever proposed to an American congress." He added that it was an "unparalleled raid on the public treasury."

Frowning as he delivered his attack, the president said he did not believe the American people "lacked the intelligence or possessed the cupidity to demand that their congressmen support this relief measure."

The president, at his regular newspaper conference, said details of the Garner bill had been broadcast throughout the country. He pointed out that it was "apparently expected that the cupidity of these towns and sections will demand that their congressmen and senators vote for this bill or threaten to penalize them if they fail to join in this squandering of money."

The measure goes before the house with the unanimous endorsement of the democratic majority and assurances of support from republican insurgents. Garner's program provides: \$100,000,000 for direct relief of distress, the fund to be administered by the president. \$1,047,874,468 for public workers throughout the country, including several thousand new postoffices, to be financed by issuance of bonds which would be retired by a special gasoline tax of one fourth of one cent. \$1,000,000,000 increase in the borrowing power of the reconstruction corporation to finance "self-liquidating" projects cities, states and private companies.

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Ft. Sumner, May 29, 1932 To The Artesia Advocate, Artesia, N. Mex.

For the splendid co-operation in advertising the camp and assembly.

The 19th Annual New Mexico District Assembly, Church of the Nazarene during its sessions at Artesia, of May 12 to 15, 1932, voted to extend thanks and appreciation for the courtesies you so kindly bestowed upon us at our recent business meeting in your city. We have not forgotten though a little slow in acknowledging.

R. T. WILLIAM, Gen. Supt. Presiding, W. P. HART, District Secretary.

How fast were you going, Rastus? inquired the judge. Tolable fast, opined Rastus. Thirty miles? Yassah, I wuz goin' moh dan dat. Oh, yassah, I was goin' moh dan 40. I was goin' 70. Oh, yas, I wuz goin' all of 70, jedgre. What kind of a car have you? A Ford. Preposterous, said the judge; you couldn't go 70 miles in a Ford. That's impossible! Oh, no, sah, tain't impossible at all. I always make ma 70. Dis is a special kind of a Ford, jedgre. It's got a Ford body and Pierce-Arrow glands

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LOCALS

Mrs. M. T. Kelly who has been quite ill for some time is improving.

Mrs. W. S. Williams left Wednesday for a visit with her mother in Oklahoma.

Mrs. Sybil Watson went to Lovington today and will visit her father until Sunday.

Mmes. W. S. Williams, Charley Martin and L. B. Feather went to the Williams ranch Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Mount spent Sunday and Monday on the Ruidoso and brought home some trout.

Mrs. Sam Neff of Clovis spent the week-end with the D. S. Martin and Ballard Spencer families.

Miss Agnes Ann Williams went to her home at Elk Wednesday after the close of school here.

Mr. and Mrs. Preston Hare of El Paso spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Ward.

Mr. and Mrs. Beecher Rowan were in Roswell Wednesday visiting their daughter, Mrs. Ferris Arnold.

Noah Buck of El Paso is spending a few days here looking after business matters and visiting friends.

Mrs. Ben Pior and daughter, Sybil will leave Friday for a two or three weeks' visit near Amarillo, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Brainard attended the graduation exercises of the Military Institute at Roswell, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Finn Watson, who have been visiting relatives and friends returned to their home in Gallup Monday.

Miss Mildred Gilliland returned Tuesday from Eddy county hospital where she has been a patient the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Byrd and children spent Sunday and Monday in Roswell with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Horne.

Mrs. Ealen Gage, who has been teaching and attending school at the Normal at Silver City arrived Monday to visit her aunt, Mrs. Joe Clayton.

Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Heart and son, O. K., Jr., left for their home today at Pasadena, California, after a visit with his sister Mrs. M. W. Evans and Mr. Evans.

Mrs. Floy Hartsfield who taught in the Gallup schools the past year arrived Tuesday to spend sometime visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Floore and family.

Guy Reed Brainard will receive his degree as petroleum engineer from the Louisiana State University this week and has a position with an oil contractor in that state.

Mr. and Mrs. John Prude came in Friday from their ranch near Hope and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Clayton and on Monday Mr. Prude and Mr. Clayton went to the Prude ranch.

Mrs. Clarence Stoldt and two sons of Blackwell, Oklahoma came Monday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Clayton. Mr. and Mrs. Clayton drove to Clovis to meet her.

Mrs. Will Pickering of Fresno, California arrived this week to visit her daughter, Mrs. Carl Manda. She was accompanied by two grandsons, who are en route to the Indianapolis races and to New York City.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Smith of Hamilton, Texas arrived Tuesday for an extended visit with their daughters, Mrs. Leon Barker and Mr. Barker and Mrs. Ralph Duncan and Mr. Duncan.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Compton and daughter, Miss Louise Compton attended the high school exercises in Roswell Tuesday. Kenneth Compton was a member of the class. Mark Corbin accompanied them.

Mrs. F. F. Evans, who has been visiting her parents The Rev. and Mrs. J. D. Terry for the past two months returned to her home at LaFayette, Georgia Saturday. She was accompanied home by her niece, Beulah Beth Terry, who will spend the summer there.

The Attention of Everyone in This Community Is Called to The Following Facts:

1. Farmers have been urged to milk more cows this year than ever before, due to the prospects of locating a creamery here, and due to the fact that this offers them a small regular income.
2. The creamery has not been located here as yet, and it is not definitely known just when it will come. Cream is becoming more plentiful in localities where creameries are located, and it is therefore more difficult for our farmers to market their cream to advantage.
3. Twice as much Creamery Butter is shipped in to Artesia and sold as the amount of Country Butter consumed. Practically every day several farmers are unable to sell their butter in Artesia, and are forced to carry it back home with them.
4. The name of the person who made the butter is placed on every pound of butter that we handle. It is kept in the Frigid-aire all of the time that it is in our store. You can call for it by name, and thereby be assured of Country Butter that is made right, and is clean. In most cases you can buy Country Butter made by someone you know personally.
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FISH AND FOREST FORCES HOOK UP IN NEW MEXICO

SANTA FE—A stipulation of policies was agreed upon Monday by the New Mexico State Game and Fish Commission and the United States Forestry Service.

The policy contained nothing new, nor explained any procedure of the past, but was merely getting the stipulation in writing for reference and guidance. Under the agreement, the forest service men all are made deputy wardens, policies in game refuges are established for National forests and methods of creating or abolishing refuges by mutual consent are provided. Game management is included.

In view of prospective losses in revenue from license sales, a rigid retrenchment program was adopted. Where the license sales monies last year dropped off \$17,000, it was expected a similar drop would appear this year. To meet this loss in revenue, three field men will be dropped from the department July 1 and a reduction in wages was ordered. The top reduction was taken by Commissioner Elliott Barker, whose salary will be \$400 a year less, or \$3,600.

A special meeting of the state commission probably will be held in July, at which time the question of an open season on antelope will be discussed. There was no time, on the crowded program of this season, to debate the subject. There has been no open season on antelope in New Mexico for two decades. Ordinarily the commission would not meet until in August. At this session several quail refuges were established.

NOTICE CANTALOUPE MEN

New supply Dusters at the Artesia Alfalfa Growers Association office. 21-1tc-21

WE THANK YOU

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

- W. E. Kerr
- R. E. Coleman
- I. P. Johnson
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- Owen Campbell
- J. L. Cooper
- M. S. Brown
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ENCYCLOPEDIA HAS 33 MILLION WORDS

An exhibition of book bindings is now being held at the Lakeside Press Galleries. Among the sets of books included, is the Encyclopedia Britannica which is printed in Chicago by the Lakeside Press. Some facts about this encyclopedia that are not generally known are that the text, exclusive of the index, contains 33,000,000 words, the type weighed 250 tons, the value of the metal used in making the type was \$50,000, over 20,000 pages had been set before a single page was plated, it required more than 102 car loads of paper to print the 23-

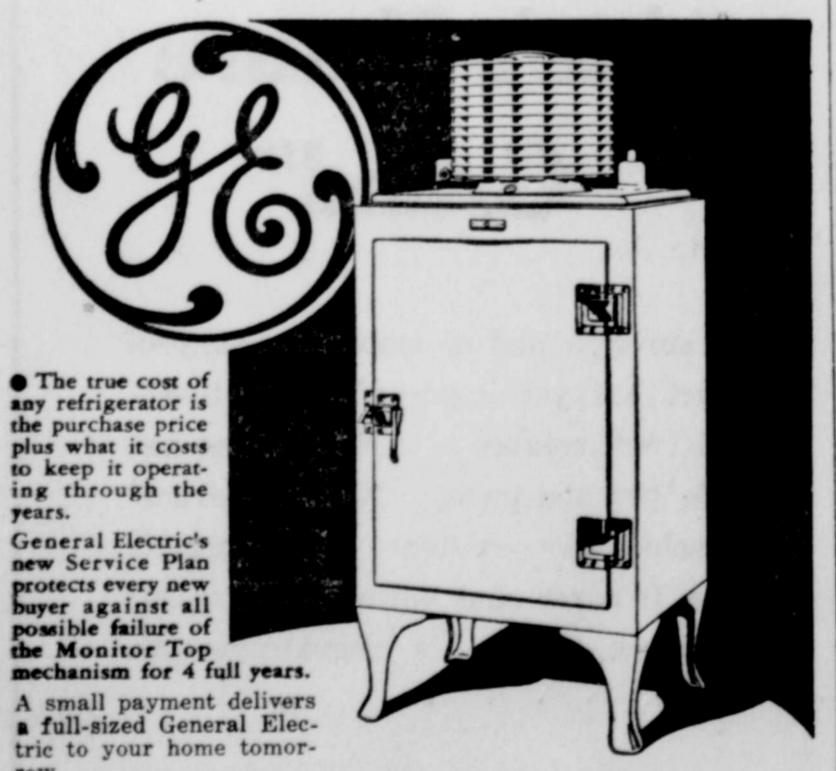
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