County Has Been came law 12 years ago. ighest Price.

ER from 1926, when the first the people." vere opened, to last October market value of \$27,971,116, disclosed by figures re-

Santa Fe Tuesday. totaled 40,039,485 barrels, at \$27,987,614, during that it was shown.

was \$1.19 and the averproduced 3,261,859 barrels of fifty cents. and 1,743,916,000 cubic gas. The value of the oil ly oil was \$1.90 and the

average was \$1.13. oducing for 80 months

TAX RENDITIONS

. Westaway, of Carlsbad, at the City Hall on Janth to 14th inclusive for the endering their 1933 taxes. isit of Mr. Westaway to is made for the convenof the north Eddy county

ax payer is subjected to -five percent penalty unditions are made.

HER GIFT TO WELFARE BOARD

Keller, manager of the as f the calendars.

TONWOOD TO GET

earned here recently. Ar- next year. nts have been made to e first well between now nuary 18th, the project nanced by a group of Aln. It is understood that plans have been made five tests in the Upper od sector, but up to this e location for the first not been made known. as also learned that the Sulphur Co., has recently

S CONTINUE TO DAMAGE CROPS

e migrated into the valpast two weeks continue ge grain in the fields. In

en visiting her parents rear end. Mrs. J. H. Jones, for

BEER BILL PASSES THREE COMPLETIONS IMPROVEMENTS ON FOUR MEN HELD FOR OCCUPATION AND TI

ing down all dry opposition, house wets jammed the democratic 3.2 per cent beer bill through unhan per cent beer bill through unchanged yesterday and laid it Humble, Shell and Getty improvements have been surveyed and a grade established. Workwhere early action is promised.

The big vote approving the measure-230 to 165-marked the first successful move by wets in either branch of congress to modify the Volstead act since it be-

Shouts and applause greeted roducing Oil For 80 Speaker Garner's announcement onths And Lea For of the bill's passage. The size of the affirmative vote surprised _\$1.90 Barrel Is The even the most active advocates of the measure.

"It was bigger than I expecta majority of the house wants to and oil produced in New follow the will of a majority of

by the state tax commis- SOUTHEASTERN AREA from the three producing CRUDE GIVEN A CUT

was the largest producer New Mexico. The reduction rang- line sec. 20-18-38. from Lea was \$17,831,986 fields. Crude in Eddy county sec. 19-18-38, which made 15,357 the baskets possible. Food sup- lodged in the county jail. the gas \$726,349. The from the Artesia and Jackson barrels of oil from a total depth plies and canned goods, stored price per barrels paid in pools was slashed a dime. The of approximately 4,206 feet flow- by the Legion Auxiliary will be new price schedule at Hobbs ef- ing open with 8,309,000 feet of added to the baskets to be disthe entire period 54 cents. fective the 17th is a flat price gas.

county, effective on the 15th and feet from the north and east lines Rev. W. B. McCrory, under whose year in the northern part of Eddy 680,433 and of the gas on the 17th. Effective the 15th, sec. 30-18-38, at approximately direction the program was given county and the southern party The highest average paid the Continental Oil Co., cut to 50 4,223 feet, but a company test cents per barrel for the Artesia has not been made. field and 45 cents per barrel for The daily allowable of the Hobbs up to last October, had the Jackson pool in eastern Eddy pool for the December period is county. The Continental Oil Co., 21,000 barrels, with a potential however, is no longer a common of 1,103,000 barrels daily. purchaser and the reduction does urday, the same date the general cut was made, the Malco Refiner- Have Message for the Doris Welborne and the Artesia ies, Inc., announced a new price scale of forty cents per barrel Christmas Shoppers of assisting property own- for the Maljamar and Jackson pools and 45 cents per barrel for the Artesia field.

Previous to the new posted price on the 17th, two prices pre- believe will be of value to the vailed at Hobbs, 75 and 65 cents, however the 75 cent price was never met by the Humble. A price the last minute. In this issue of seventy-five cents was paid in will be found messages from your the fields of southeastern Lea home merchants, who are offering county, but was cut 25 cents per special prices on gifts, as well as

Operators are generally hope-Mercantile Co., announced ful that the oil industry will adthat his company would just itself under the new price with the distribution of schedule and that the industry rs this year and instead will become stabilized sufficiently donation to the welfare to warrant an increase in the he sum equal to the usual crude price shortly after the first of the year.

INVITED TO EL PASO

Bert (Si) Garber, manager of the American Legion Junior base- one that will be appreciated. Atball team, has been extended an tractive prices are offered on invitation by the New York Giants many practical gifts. to be a guest of the New York club with his Junior team, when home will be appreciated every Upper Cottonwood area the latter stops for an exhibition day in the year. McClay Furniadditional sulphur tests, game in El Paso on March 26 of ture Store suggests a list of

BEN PIOR INJURED

Ben Pior was painfully injured ue and out of state busi- Wednesday night of last week while returning from Amarillo, accident, but fortunately he was driving slow. He escaped with was slit, which made it rather mas day with a splendid Christ- Mr. Kirkland was a pioneer of difficult for Mr. Pior to carry on mas dinner for only 50 cents and southeastern New Mexico, having entals on more than 4,000 n the Lower Cottonwood a conversation for several days.

500 PEOPLE SEE THE over the menu. NEW CHEVROLET ON

Despite the inclement weather and Lake Arthur and on approximately 500 people Saturnwood, the grain in some day viewed the new Chevrolet has been practically de- coach on display at the Guy Chev- sue. Christmas ads are designed resident, escaped serious and pos-Farmers are complaining rolet Co. The new Chevrolet has to aid you. They are news, so sibly fatal injury Saturday mornthe duck season closed so made a radical departure in body don't miss the important fea- ing when his Chevrolet coupe interest to you, see their display his year. They say that appearance over former models; tures of this issue. eatest damage to the fields the changes in the body is the at night and even in the greatest since the Chevrolet four ason, hunters are not al- was brought out in 1928. Marked shoot the ducks at night. changes made, includes a sloping windshield, a new draft control, a

me, returned to Deming demonstrated with the aid of an finished except in the Cottonwood given first aid here suffered from out for the bills, which may be extensive pumping operations are morrow for a week's visit with electric fan.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Tramp-ng down all dry opposition, house ADDED HOBBS AREA

cember Period.

Hobbs field the past week, the only active area in the southeasttern sector. The three wells finished are an average for the seced," Garner said, "and shows that tion of the field in which they OVER SIXTY XMAS were drilled and are expected to add more than 25,000 barrels to proration gauge is completed on

The Humble Oil and Refining Co., pioneer producer of the Hobbs field has completed its B-2 Bowof 4,247 feet. On a company test the Bowers made 8,808 barrels area this Christman Arresta land of \$1,000 each.

Santa Claus will not forget the bonds of \$1,000 each.

One car was broken into and the JUSTICE OF PEACE A general cut in the price of of gas. The Humble is also dig-

The Getty Oil Co., has com-Reductions were made in Eddy pleted its No. 5, McKinley, 330

Here is a timely tip that we Christmas shopper, who has left the matter of gift selection to barrel under the new schedule. a selective list of appropriate gifts. Christmas messages from Artesia merchants should be just as interesting as other news

The Pior Service Station, in recognition of twelve years of was sitting was evidently closed service to the Artesia community is offering special prices on tires

each tire purchased. The Peoples Mercantile Co., dry goods department offers a new

A gift of something for the

list and see. Joyce-Pruit Co., has three de- his son had been gathering cattle. partments to serve you, so it Mr. Kirkland had just pumped

entire family. offers the wife a rest on Christ- sulted from heart failure. a dessert that has an inviting resided many years in Lincoln name. Maybe the dessert is worth county. He had lived for the

Electric servants save time and ncreasing number of ducks DISPLAY SATURDAY found at the Richards Electric

Store. These are just a few messages in addition to Christmas greetings found elsewhere in this is-

COLD STOPS GINNINGS

work of graveling Grand Ave., at the First Baptist church corner and a grade established. Work-Each Drill In Well- men will take off three or four Hobbs Daily Allowable inches of the surface of the street, which will be forty feet wide and 21,000 Barrels For De- build a plank curbing before applying the gravel. The City Council co-operating with other organizations hopes to be in position to scarify the graveled surface Three completions and one new in a few months and apply oil to location was announced for the the surface, thereby making a permanent improvement.

the Hobbs production when the BASKETS WILL BE GIVEN TO THE NEEDY

The churches who co-operated lic Service Co., D. E. Buckles, will furnish plenty of sport. Walter Jones, Mmes. Richard Rockwell, V. L. Gates, M. A. Corbin, Board of Education.

MRS. V. D. BOLTON ESCAPES INJURY

Bolton, who had read of the fatal- interesting. ity in Carlsbad last week, said she had already determined what she would do in the event of suffering from the effects of natural gas or from an oxygen exhausted room. It happened to be the latter. The room in which Mrs. Bolton too tight and when she felt the effects of the loss of oxygen she in addition to a tube free with quickly sought fresh air and soon

way to say Merry Christas and DEXTER MAN DROPS DEAD AT CAR WHEEL

items offered in the furniture resident, dropped dead at the items offered in the furniture resident, dropped dead at the for groceries and medicines up resident is being held in the coungift you want. Look over the afternoon about seven miles northwest of Dexter where he and

ought not be necessary to hunt a tire up on his automobile and further for the article you want. had started in the car down the pillar. An icey windshield obscur- A Philco radio are among the road when he dropped dead, aced Mr. Pior's vision, causing the suggestions for a present to the cording to evidence Sunday before a coroner's jury. The verdict Fred Cole on the subject: "Re-The Artesia hotel coffee shop was to the effect that death re-

steps. Modern appliances can be CAR OVERTURNS ON Shop located at the Corner Drug HOPE HIGHWAY BUT NO ONE IS INJURED

Uncle Tom Blakeney, Hope, overturned while coming into Ar- ad in this issue. tesia. The accident occurred about five miles west of town when the car left the highway on account The cold weather and snow has of the slippery surface and turnand Lake Arthur communities. | an injury about his neck and back. circulated in this section.

BY A LARGE VOTE AND ONE NEW WELL YESTERDAY MORN. BURGLARY AT HOPE FIRST OF NEW YEAR A crew of sixteen men started DANCE SATURDAY work of graveling Grand Ave., at

ued At \$100—Bound To Bond Each.

early Sunday morning, while they every dog owner and dogs withwere en route from a dance at out tags will be disposed of. Hope. The men arrested by Nightwatchman Roy Vermillion are also asked to prepare for the occharged with burglary and break- cupation tax. Instead of letting ng into and entering cars. The the matter of paying occupation four men, Bill Crow of Portales, tax drag through weeks or months Buster O'Brien of Artesia, Jim a fixed time for payment has been Coates and Alphonso Nieves of set. Seven Rivers, were arraigned before Justice of the Peace W. H. Ballard Monday morning and were bound over to the action of the Eddy county district court under

the Bowers made 8,808 barrels area this Christmas. Announce- lock of another broken. Several of oil with 8,000,000 cubic feet ment was made Monday that the articles of clothing and some tools

PHEASANTS INCREASING

Along with the increase of other game birds, an increasing number in the Christmas program and the of pheasants have been seen this reference to re-election.

at her home in south Artesia. Mrs. slim attendance the meeting was this office.

Annual Banquet

the election of three directors fident that his past experience the local organization.

being worked out in connection appreciate your vote. with the street improvements. In referring to the welfare work, the manager stated that the wel-Thomas H. Kirkland, 63, Dexter fare board had received 116 orders

> month. conditions.

debate between Willis Morgan and the 27th of last month. to prosperity rapidly. The judges composed of J. S. Noland, Hugh TEXAS CO. LAY GAS Burch and Fred Brainard, renwe have concluded that the country is in a hell of a shape."

TAKE A CHRISTMAS TRIP

Why not make that Christmas trip you have planned by rail, the Santa Fe Railway Co., has provided special low fares for the

COUNTERFEIT BILLS

practically stopped ginnings in this ed turtle, landing on its top. His Pecos valley cities that a num-Mrs. John McClung, V-shaped radiator and tapering area, only one or two bales have son, Pete Blakeney who accom- ber of counterfeit \$1.00 bills were pumping wells there. As there is been ginned since the last report. panied him, escaped with a few being circulated in El Paso and no gas of consequence in the Lea The draft control principal was Cotton gathering is practically bruises. Uncle Tom, who was vicinity and to be on the look district, the assumption is that

nual city taxes, which fall due on the first of the year. These taxes are the occupation tax and Men Break Into Cars And of Artesia has not made any efthe dog tax. Previous the City Take Merchandise Val- fort to collect the dog tax until the spring and summer, but this year a systematic plan has been District Court On \$1000 adopted to facilitate the collections which will be started after the first of the year. Heretofore only a portion of the city dog owners have paid. This year, ef-Four men were arrested here forts will be made to collect from

Merchants and business men are

needy would be remembered after were taken out of the car enter- As the time for the election manslaughter and was taken to total gas production was crude oil was announced Satur- ging a cellar for its No. 3-B, arrangements had been made by ed, in addition to clothing taken of justice of the peace and con-93,000 cubic feet with a day, effective in practically all Bowers, 330 feet from the south the Legion Auxiliary to distribute from the dance hall. The articles stable approaches, interest inparts of Texas and in eastern line and 990 feet from the east some sixty or more baskets of and merchandise found in the pos- creases and two candidates have coln county. Christmas cheer to families of session of the four men was val- come into the field seeking the giving source to 33,119,463 ed from Thirty-seven cents in of oil and 31,558,804,000 east Texas field to fifteen cents feet of gas. The value of in the west Texas and Hobbs oil feet from the south and east lines evening made the distribution of taken to Carlsbad Tuesday and this office usually attracts competition and this year is expected Immediately after the shooting to be no exception. W. E. Rags. Nelson and a farmer living near dale and D. H. Burditt have an. Tinnie, Jur McLeod, were placed nounced for justice of the peace. under technical arrest and were W. H. Ballard, present justice investigated. Both were later dishas not committed himself with missed.

Ragsdale Announces

join in thanking the following of Chaves county. Hunters believe The Advocate to announce his it was announced. firms and individuals for the suc- that it will only be a short time candidacy for the office of juscess of the undertaking: Richards now until an open season can be tice of the peace, subject to the well, who has assisted with the Electric Shop, Southwestern Pub- declared on the pheasants, which will of the voters, at the city investigation of this case, will election on January 9th. Mr. Rags- be a special prosecutor. dale stated that he was making The arrest of Nelson, garage not apply to the majority of the operators in Eddy county. Sat
Artesia Merchants

and Messrs. Earl Bigler, James Allen, Tom Ragsdale, The Rev. The Annual Chamber of this office in Vernon Bishop on Armistice day Erwin Benson, Mmes. E. L. Harp, Commerce Luncheon responsibilities of this office, in when the youth was hunting at a point 20 miles north of Tinnie in To be on January 9th voters. Mr. Ragsdale is well the Arabela section, we known to the voters of this pre-Gilbert, Jr., of Roswell. voters. Mr. Ragsdale is well the Arabela section, with J. C. cinct and we could add nothing by way of introduction. He has loss of blood late in the after-The expected crowd did not ma- been identified with the Artesia noon of November 11. With the The first near serious results terialize at the monthly luncheon community for a number of years Gilbert boy, he had left the Tom from an oxygen exhausted room of the Chamber of Comerce yes- and has been a tax payer dur- Whitaker ranch to hunt deer, was reported Saturday, when Mrs. terday in the roof garden of the ing this time. He will appreciate when the youth was shot thru the V. D. Bolton was almost overcome Artesia hotel, but despite the a consideration of his claims to hip, the ball emerging from the

Burditt Candidate

D. H. Burditt, Artesia pioneer Fred Brainard, manager of the this week submits his candidacy Chamber of Commerce, announced for the office of justice of the that plans had been made to stage peace, subject to the city election, Friday afternoon for the Christthe annual banquet on January January 9th. Mr. Burditt's ex- mas holidays and will take up 9th, beginning at 6:30 p. m. The perience as an officer dates back again on January 2nd, giving the banquet will be free to the mem- before his residence in Artesia teachers and pupils one week's bers and one guest. Between 150 which started in 1882. The duties vacation. Teachers who live at and 200 people are expected at of this office are therefore known distant points, will likely remain the annual event. At this time to Mr. Burditt, who feels con- here for the holiday season. will occur. The board of direct- will enable him to discharge the ors in turn, select the officers of action of the peace SANTA CLAUS TO BE with credit.

Reviewing briefly the activities Mr. Burditt solicits the support of the organization, Mr. Brainard of the voters of this precinct discussed some plans which are solely on his own merits and will

TIRE THIEVES

line, which may be the very steering wheel of his car Sunday to yesterday for the present ty jail at Carlsbad with two other 2:30 p. m. A full supply of treats men, names not known, charged will be on hand ready for distri-C. E. Mann spoke briefly on with a series of tire and auto bution when Santa arrives. In some of the functions of the wheel robberies here. It is al- as much as the old gentleman Chamber of Commerce and discuss- leged that Garcia with his com- has proven rather versatile in ed their relation to the present panions stole several Ford wheels his mode of travel, no uneasiness here this month in addition to a is anticipated as to his getting The meeting ended with a hot tire from Dr. Loucks Garage on here. And too, Santa has not

solved that business conditions to have been held yesterday in the speak in his presence. will change from the depression local justice court was postponed.

Trucking contractors were called in by the Texas Company Thursday, for bids on hauling and distribution of piping between Hobbs and Lea, says the Hobbs News.

Some time ago a surveying crew completed for the Texas Co., the running of a line between the two points. The distance as surveyed for the gas line is slightly in excess of 24 miles.

The Texas Co., as leading development operator and principal El Paso officers have warned producer of the Lea district, has in contemplation at that point. her mother, in Oklahoma.

Attention is called to two and Is Charged With Death Hunter

John Nelson Placed Under Arrest On Manslaughter Charge By Lincoln County Officers Yesterday.

Another chapter to the fatal shooting on November 11 of Vernon Bishop, 20, who died on a lonely mountainside 20 miles north of Tinnie after a bullet from a high power rifle had crashed thru his body, was written yesterday, says the Roswell Dispatch.

John Nelson was placed under arrest yesterday morning at his home at Tinnie on a charge of Carrizozo by the arresting of-

The warrant which was served ell, district attorney of Carrizozo.

Lincoln country officers and District Attorney Newell have been quietly investigating the W. E. Ragsdale has authorized death of Bishop for several weeks

the race for this office at the owner at Tinnie, was the out-

Bishop died from shock and

SCHOOLS CLOSE FRIDAY

The Artesia schools will close

Arrangements have been completed for the arrival of Santa Manuel Garcia, Seven Rivers Claus in Artesia on Christmas learned of the so-called hard The preliminary trial, scheduled times, so be careful of how you

The distribution arrangement will be similar to that employed in former years. The aid of the Boy Scouts has been secured in dered the following decision: LINE FROM HOBBS TO keeping a line, so that no child name. Maybe the dessert is worth past eight years in the Dexter the price of a dinner, so look section.

past eight years in the Dexter "After listening to the discussion we have concluded that the country to the discussion we have concluded the country to the discussion which is the country to the discussion that the country to the discussion we have concluded that the country to the discussion we have concluded the country to the discussion which is the country to the discussion to the discussion which is the country to the discussion that the country to the discussion which is the country to the discussion that the country to the country

RITES FOR MRS. WILSON

Funeral services for Mrs. F. L. Wilson, who died on the 16th were held Saturday at the Episcopal church with The Rev. F. B. Howden, rector officiating. Burial was made in the Woodbine cemetery. No out of town relatives were able to be present at the funeral except Miss Helen

Sage of San Diego, California. Mr. Wilson who suffered an attack of flu some ten days ago is

Mrs. Bishop Lary will leave to-

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to attend these m

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WHAT IS THE ANSWER

A few reasons why government should keep out of business: 1. Because government in business opens the flood gates of public expenditures at the taxpayers' expense; many of the expenditures being for special services to a limited number of persons from which services the general taxpayer, who must pay for them, can derive no benefit.

2. It creates new classes of political agencies and gives them unlimited power to incur debts, levy taxes and spend public money. 3. It discourages industry and prevents the investment of private capital in new enterprises because a private citizen cannot

compete with tax-free, government-owned projects. 4. It invites the worst kind of political gerrymanding for promotional schemes at public expense.

5. Each time the government goes into business, it removes taxable property from the tax rolls and loads the taxes thus lost onto remaining taxable property, plus additional taxes for new governmental ventures into the field of industry.

WORK FOR THE PRISONERS .

The idea advanced by the Portales Valley News of working city and county prisoners on the public roads of the county has some merits and under some arrangement with a road overseer Dear Santa Claus: in each judicial district could be worked out where it would be very beneficial to the county and to the tax payers. Work performed by prisoners need not interfere with the scheduled county work or with the state highway department, but might be used to wood. improve important roadways, which would otherwise go without

A prisoner at the present time finds it too easy to obtain free board and lodging from the county and state and give nothing in return for his keep. A jail sentence where a prisoner receives free board has not proved much of a deterrent for crime, whereas if the able bodied prisoner or criminal was required to perform a definite task and give labor in return for what he cost the county, the matter of a jail sentence would not be so lightly taken.

ACCIDENTS AND DEPRESSION

In the height of boom times, accidents are a costly luxury. And Bunny is trying to accustom the fast, and if you are able to reach in depressed times they work an intolerable hardship on both individual workmen and industry. Every accident costs money. Every one lowers plant efficiency and morale. Every one makes hard Early to bed times just a little harder on those involved. The plant that en- And early to riseforces the gospel of accident prevention increases efficiency and And your girl goes out profits.

The experience of the past three years has shown that while accidents naturally increase with industrial activity, they do not decrease proportionately with lessened output. The mental obstacle seems to be the trouble. Men who are uncertain about their jobs and their futures are men ready for an accident. And when it Now he knows he was not so yyys; had lost his method of transporcomes, it adds another mite to human distress.

NO APOLOGIES NEEDED

We have observed some individuals going about their business in a half hearted apologetic sort of way. If a man has an honest business or profession, he should be able to hold his head up and ask just rewards for his service. There is no place in the business world for the man who doubts his ability as a business or professional man. If the nature of your business is questionable, get into something that you can do and hold your self respect.

If you do not think much of the thing you help, buy, sell or produce, nobody else is going to.

A Scotch clergyman noted for his thrifty habits sent a telegram to a parishoner on her wedding day. The message read, "John iv., 18.

On looking up the text the girl was horrified at these lines: "For thou hast had five husbands; and he whom thou now hast is not horn, loudly when you step on the after O'Neal. Later the youth After they had restored the young woman to consciousness, in-

guiry was made at the telegraph office, and it was found that the operator had omitted the letter or numeral indicating the first

John. iv. 18 reads: "There is no fear in love, but perfect love casteth out fear."-Tid Bits.

One's taste changes with the passing of time. The American candies and apples for the comsoldiers were acclaimed with greatness when they landed in France munity Christmas tree spent sevin 1917, but apparently the passing of years has dimmed the eral hours Monday looking for greatness, or else France has forgotten since pay day came around. Well, some of the business men could probably give the same testimony, especially those who granted credit. A little reflection back in the good years convinces one that a host of friends have dropped by the wayside, some leaving a nice account to be remembered Clayton, provided he can fill both

First, the automobile was strictly a luxury. Then it got so everybody could afford one, or thought they could. While manufacturer prices are going down, down, down, governmental agencies have been loading the goose that lays the golden tax eggs with heavier taxes, and the flivver climbs back toward the luxury class. -Curry County Times.

Heathens have their little faults, but they don't stage an orgy and then blame providence for the headache, says an exchange.

Those German philosophers were nearly right. War won't make people tough, but grubbing to pay for it will.

It may be that the mills of the gods grind slowly because they

get paid for overtime.

If you want to make someone believe you, tell them something times. they want to hear.

Greetings To All!



PICKED UP ON MAIN

year and want you to bring us dry. six tame ducks. We like them big like they grow on the Cotton-

Your little pals, Mark Corbin, Sr., and Friend.

Some of the local sportsmen want to know the diffference be- more and higher taxes, and gnash tween a lame duck and a tame duck. Well, a lame duck is sometimes weak in the knees, but both tal comparison of the present marspecie have a price.

that he sometimes treats the groom-to-be too rough. Maybe imen every morning before breakgrooms to what married life will the office, you should be immune

With the other guys.

to ttts.

Willie found a swarm of bbbs; with eees.

And also he now readily cccs

-Stolen by Root in Alubquerque

or three stories about something that would be good news to the wearer of glasses. Have you had your vision dimmed by moisture when you walked into a warm room? If so, try backing into the house the next time you enter at Hobbs for investigation after it. Two or three have told the a companion told police he was writer that this is a sure fire wanted in Oklahoma for two slayremedy for keeping the glasses ings. clear of moisture. When backing observe the following rules: honk chairs, brats, cats and other things ed he would waive extradition. to stumble over. Walk slowly

Curly Williams and Chet Dexter, the committee on securing a long, tall, lean, hungry Santa A fat Santa, they said would look entirely out of place, because of the depression and they finally selected Mayor Joe places and not interfere with the duties of mayor.

MO(U) RNING EXERCISES

For tired business man-1932

Throw a shoe at Big Ben after the "repeat" alarms has thoroughly "aroused" you. If your aim is poor and you miss, yield to the

inevitable and get up. Open all the windows so as to create a brisk draft-you'll know you're "in' it when you begin

shivering and sneezing. Stand in the middle of the room raise your hands slowly overhead, take a deep breath and mutter, "Things could be worse," lowering arms in attitude of despair. Ten

Kneel, wring hands, meditate

intergovernmental-and groan 150

Lie on your back on the floor, cover eyes with hands, kick heels, We have been good boys all this gotten Man" and weep until, until Assume sitting position, hands

and whisper, "Beer by Christmas," until a generous frothing at the mouth sets in. Till exhausted.

Collapse on floor. Grovel vigorously, think of the prospect of your teeth as in anger. Ad lib. While cooling off, make a menket value of your securities (if any) with the prices you paid

They tell it on Bunny Flint, for them during the "New Era." Note: Observer this simple regto the trials and tribulations of these depressive days.

We are glad to say that at least one grown man in Artesia believes in Santa Claus. This is none other than Willis E. Morgan, popular social secretary of the Joyce-But thought he could handle them Pruit Co. Last year Willis received a telegram from Santa But, being stung between the iiis, telling him that the old gentleman tation, en route to Artesia. Willis That bbbs are not good things took the message seriously and as result did not send out all of his Christmas cards in an effort to save the postage to help old Santa, but will remember every-No kidding, we have heard two body this year.

> YOUTH ARRESTED AT HOBBS FOR OKLAHOMA SLAYINGS TUESDAY

Buddy O'Neal, 25, was arrested

Officers communicated with Okinto the house it would be well to lahoma City authorities who said they would send a deputy sheriff porch so the wife or squaw can told police he had killed a porter clear your path to the fire, of at Oklahoma City and he announc-His companion said O'Neal also

backward to the fire and stand had killed a man at Wewoka. Oklahoma. Both killings occurred The second youth was not held

by officers.

TYPEWRITERS

New, second hand and factory rebuilts in portables and standards -See us before you buy. Artesia Advocate.

Unclean Milk

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IN ARTESIA DIES

LOS ANGELES, Cal.-Kenneth R. Woolley, 46, prominently identimuse upon the "Myth of the For- fied with the development of the vaulable Signal Hill oil field at Long Beach, California, died suddeny in his sleep at his home on on hips, sway gently to and fro December 14th. He was a brother of the attorney, Roland Rich Wool

Woolley also had been active in the development of oil projects in Wyoming and near Artesia, and formerly lived in Salt Lake City. He was born in Paris, Idaho.

Besides the brother, his widow and two children survive.

ee build fence.

Johnnie Norwood has been having a tussle with the flu.

Randall Hunt is afflicted with a boil on the back of his neck. Messrs. and Mmes. R. L. House

and Albert Lee were shopping in Artesia Saturday.

slowly improving. Ellis Hnulik, wife and baby girl, visited Mrs. Hnulik's par-

ents, Mr. and Mrs. Norwood Mon-John Norwood, Jim Scarbrough and Rodriguez, Santa Fe employes were shopping in Carlsbad Fri-

J. W. Dauron has installed a radio and quite a number of people collect at his home every evening to listen to the programs broadcasted.

On operetta will be given by the school tonight. There will be a male quartet from Carlsbad who will sing for the occasion.

Mrs. M. C. Lee motored to Carlsbad Thursday and spent the night with Dwight Lee and wife, returning Friday afternoon. La Primero Bridge club met

with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Stewart Friday night. High score was made by Virgil D. Hunt and John Henry Angell, Jr. Dainty J. H. JACKSON refreshments of pineapple timbales and ginger snaps were served.

ACQUIT RANCHER IN MURDER CASE MON.

RATON-Gene Survant, youthful rancher, was free Monday after a jury in district court had acquitted him of a murder charge for the death of John Panchoff, aged sheepherder. Only three ballots were taken

by the jury before the verdict was reached.

Survant said that it was accidental.

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LAKEWOOD ITEMS Mrs. M. C. Lee, Reporter

Lloyd Adams is helping Forrest

R. G. Adams who has been ailing the past six weeks is now

Mrs. Forrest Lee and baby and

Panchoff was dragged to his death on a desolate range near Trinchera.

CHRISTMAS

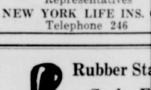
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REPRESENTE PROPERTURA PROPERTURA POR PORTURA POR PORTURA POR PORTURA POR PORTURA POR PORTURA POR PORTURA Letters To Santa Claus

Artesia, N. M. December, 8, 1932.

and a box of candy and a food on.

With Love, BILLY TERPENING.

Artesia, N. M. December, 8, 1932. Santa Claus:

and a box of candy. With love,

MAX G. SCHULZE Artesia, N. M.

December, 8, 1932.

me these. Lots of love, TOMMY ELLEN TERRY.

Artesia, N. M. December, 8, 1932. Santa: se bring me a scooter and cuffs and wagon and a gun Dear Santa Claus:

le and drum. With love. BILLIE VAL MORGAN.

Artesia, New Mexico December 8, 1932.

Santa Claus: se bring me an Eversharp MEX a BB gun and a sled and Dear Santa:

M. D With love, CHESTER ABERNATHY, URGEO

Lakewood, N. M. December 9, 1932

a rubber ball and a toy horse. m five years old and have of fun playing with the toys every Christmas. Yours truly,

JOHN HENRY ANGELL.

SURA I am eight years old, and ts of fun with toys.

Your loving, GLADYS NELL ANGELL.

Lakewood, N. M. December 19, 1932. have tried to be a good boy

als, E

aby brother, Kenneth, when Christmas. With love, JUNIOR FOSTER,

> Artesia, N. M. December 19, 1932. Dear Santa:

se leave me a big doll and that cooks. I want a cage bat. has birds on top and birds in when you twist the handle Love, from

ARBARA W. WHEATLEY. S. I want these things if do not cost too much.

Artesia, N. M. Santa Claus: ankall you please leave me on

way to all the children, a big baby doll, a doll trunk, ld doll needs a pair of shoes, also want a bird cage, that you twist a handle the toy jump on top and inside, Dear Santa Claus: doll house, a pair of gloves yoca some ribbon.

With love, JANICE MANN.

Artesia, N. M. December 19, 1932.

Dear Santa: bring my little brother I want a China set of dishes gun and some nice caps and my little sister wants a Mary suit and ball. I have been good bring he and I a pair Ann doll; I want one too. I and help my daddy all I can. and each of us a sack of want a sleigh like you have. My Bring me a box of dom- little sister wants a stove to cook

With love, CHARLENE MARTIN.

Artesia, N. M. December, 8, 1932. Dear Santa Claus:

a saddle and horse, a water colors and lots of books have not asked for too much and and candy and nuts. ROY LEE JONES

> Artesia, N. M. December 13, 1932.

Dear Santa Claus: I wish I had a bicycle for santa:
se bring me a nice baby Christmas. I would also like an with soft body and goes to airplane, a milk wagon, a sack Dear Santa: a bathrobe and a pair of of candy and a watch. I will tell I want a doll and a trunk and a bathroot slippers. I know the depres- you where I live. I live in the a dresser. My little sister wants is on, but maybe you can north part of town in a red house. a doll and dresser and purse. I will close now. I wish you a happy new year and a merry Christmas.

Your friend, MELVIN PORCH.

Artesia, N. M. December 13, 1932.

pocket knife and a police I would like to have a car, and a policeman cap and knife, Bible, Sunday pants, and a brother a wagon, tricycle, ball gun. My name is David Simons and some candy. I would like home folks at Portales during the carry the dangerous germs. In and I live at 512 Dallas. Our for you to bring my mother a vacation. house is yellow, trimmed in brown. coat, dress, shoes and a pair of Your friend,

DAVID SIMONS. I will close.

Artesia, N. M. December 13, 1932.

I would like to have a foot ball for Christmas, I want a bridle too and an electric train. I would Dear Santa: like to have a saddle blanket, but no horse, because I have a good horse. I will have to close. I Bring Gene a train and horn. have to tell where I live, I live Bring Betty a doll buggy and big ant a dump truck, a water two miles south from Artesia.

Your friend. SANDERS A. TERRY.

Artesia, N. M.

December 13, 1932. Dear Santa: I would like to have a big baby Lakewood, N. M.

December 9, 1932

Santa Claus:

Santa baby doll, a bed, a where I live. My house is the want a baby doll, a bed, a live I live. My house is the want a baby doll, a bed, a live I live. My house is the want a baby doll, a bed, a live I live. My house is the want a baby doll, a bed, a live I live. My house is the live I live I live. My house is the live I live. My house is the live I live I live I live. My house is the live I live

EUNA E. JACKSON.

Artesia, N. M. December 13, 1932.

Dear Santa: I would like a wagon, its name is the Penco Flyer. I would like a truck, its name is delivery. Dear Santa Claus: his year and I want you to Please bring me a stocking full me an airplane, a car and of candy. My street number is skates and some candy and a day. 321 Quay street. I wish you a vacuum. please, Santa, don't forget happy new year and a merry

> Your friend, CALVIN CLYDE DUNN.

Artesia, N. M. December 9, 1932

Please bring me a scooter and a wagon, and a pocket knife, a trunk. I want a little policeman whistle and a policeman five years old. I heard you talk- Mrs. Arba Green.

> With love. CHARLES DON MORGAN.

Dear Santa Claus:

December 14, 1932 Dear Santa Claus: I have been a pretty good girl.

I am 9 years old. Please bring December 19, 1932. me a big baby doll. Carrie Margaret is 6. She wants a doll too. Frederick wants a teddy bear. With love,

BETTY SUE HANNAH. Artesia, New Mexico

December 14, 1932

Please bring me a cowboy suit a drum, foot ball and a game. I try to be good. BEN DUNN, Jr.

Queer Triple Alliance in London



London comes this photograph of a peculiar fellowship, the Persian kitten and mongoose taking their morning milk together

Artesia, New Mexico December 14, 1932

Dear Santa: Please bring me a train, cop JOHN PAUL DUNN,

Artesia, N. M. December 16, 1932. I am a little gilrl five years old and I think I have been a good girl most of the year. I would like to have a black board, a little doll bed and a set of I am six years old. I am a dishes, also some candy, nuts and bring me a football, a boy. Please bring me a train, fruit in my stocking. I hope I that you will remember all the little boys and girls this year. to Santa, I am your little friend,

BABY KAY LYDIA, Artesia, N. M.

December 17, 1932. Yours truly,

BILLIE SUE BARNETT. Artesia, N. M. December 13, 1932. Clovis.

Dear Santa: I would like for you to bring me a ball, electric iron, a house set and some candy. I would at Elk. like for you to bring my little stockings. Please bring my sister

Your friend, LOUISE CHAPMAN.

Artesia, N. M. December 16, 1932.

Please bring me an airplane, tool chest, and football game. mas week at their homes in Carlsball. Don't forget the other little children.

> Your friend, HORACE BROWN,

Artesia, N. M. December 9, 1932

Dear Santa: want a baby doll, a bed, a where I live. My house is the overcoat; and bring James Ernest Tuesday here with her parents, a kiddy cart and little toys like Mr. and Mrs. Beecher Rowan. little boys like; and bring Catherine Louise a manicure set and

> BILLY WILLIAMS. Artesia, N. M. December 9, 1932

Please bring me a pair of

With love, GUINEVERE ELLIS.

Artesia, N. M. December 19, 1932.

Dear Santa: I would like to have a horn ing over the radio.

Bye, bye, WILLIAM GORDON,

Artesia, New Mexico Norway, Sweden Babies Are Loaded With Gifts IN MANY districts of Norway and

Sweden every baby born on Christmas day is the recipient of many gifts and bounties from all quarters. He receives a bounty from both the ecclesiastical and civil authorities, and in some districts these bounties amount to a considerable amount of money, which is generally invested until the child is of age.

The children that are born to Naples on this happy day are visited by "wise men"-who are selected by some philanthropic society-and are presented with imitation stones which are valued highly by the children in later years, even supernatural qualities being ascribed to them.

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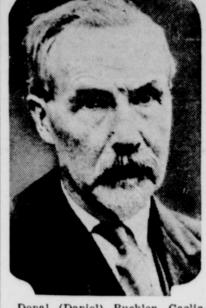
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DONAL BUCKLEY



Donal (Daniel) Buckley, Gaelicthe Irish Free State by King George of England. He was named on the recommendation of his close friend, President Famon de Valera of Ireland.

LOCALS

Roswell visitors Saturday.

Miss Agnes Ann Williams will sun for eight hours. spend the holidays at her home

to Albuquerque.

The Misses Virginia Puckett and GIRL ONCE HAD \$50,000 Amy Williams will spend Christ-

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Grober expect to leave Friday for a holiday if I had \$50,000." visit with friends and relatives in California.

week attending to business mat-

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Dexter left what-not like all little girls like. yesterday morning for San Anspend the holidays visiting friends.

> Mrs. C. M. Cole, Mrs. C. E. play. Cole, S. C. Albright and Clint right now. I get \$12 a week-Cole were Roswell visitors Mon-

Mrs. Ruth Williard Chambers Woods of St. Louis, Missouri is making a holiday visit with her any person to engage in public grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Chambers of Hope.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Stinett are and a scooter and some candy. expected from Des Moines, this I hope you will bring other state, today for a holiday visit boys and girls something. I am to Mrs. Stinett's parents, Mr. and

H. F. Cisco, wife and three children arrived Sunday from Los Angeles to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Cisco and other relatives

Bill Adcock has been transferred to Artesia from Borger, Texas by the Prairie Oil Co., and is now employed on the Prairie lease in the oil field. Mr. Adcock recently moved his family here.

George McCaw, who is employed as a line man with the telephone company at Las Vegas, came in Sunday for a fortnight visit with some classes of the people in his father, Bert McCaw, and other relatives.

HEALTH COLUMN

Conducted by Dr. J. R. Earp, Public Health.

CONCURRENT DISINFECTION in Grant county at \$3 an acre.

This means that during the of disease as they come from the

The term "concurrent disinfection" is defined in the official regulations as follows:

(a) Bowel and urinary discharges shall be thorougly mixed with speaking small-town shopkeeper an effective solution of some and a former Sinn-Feiner, who has chlorine compound or with other With lots of love and thanks been appointed governor-general of disinfectant sufficient in amount to destroy the infectious agent.

(b) Nose and throat secretions and other discharges shall be caught on cotton, absorbent paper or cloth, or in a suitable receptacle, and burned.

(c) Bedding, clothing and other articles used by the patient, im-Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Paton were mediately after use, shall be exposed to steam under fifteen pounds pressure for five minutes, Miss Elsie Palmateer will spend or immersed in boiling water for the vacation at her home near ten minutes, or in an equally effective disinfectant solution, or exposed to the direct rays of the

Of course all the discharges are not infectious in each of the contagious disease. In typhoid fever it is the urine and stools that Miss LeVon Brown will visit it is the urine and stools that epidemic meningitis the germs are found in the secretions of the Col. A. T. Woods returned Sun- nose and in the droplets carried a pair of stockings and a dress. day from a short business trip in the breath of the patient. The county health officer or the public health nurse will explain where the danger lies in each disease and how the concurrent disinfec-Mr. and Mrs. Paul Clewell left the danger lies in each disease Sunday for a Christmas visit and how the concurrent disinfecto Mrs. Clewell's parents in Ohio. tion should be carried out.

NOW GETS \$12 WEEK

NEW YORK-One hundred million persons have said, sometime

Anne Caldwell had \$50,000. Now she's a theater usherette at \$12 a week. The \$50,000 came to her as set-

William Flynn of Robinson, Illinois spent a few days here this tlement in a breach of promise suit she brought several years ago against a wealthy Pittsburgh man. Miss Caldwell before that Mrs. Ferris Arnold and baby had appeared in broadway theatri-

"Of course, nobody really has tonio, Texas, where they will say that what I have is tied up rather tightly."

She said she was writing a "But primarily I'm an usherette

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New Mexico State Board of Pub- late Friday afternoon by R. F. perty and the 16 tracts cover a lic Welfare require that "con- Stovall and Lawrence A. Cooper, wide area. current disinfection" be carried out of Grant county, represented by Plaintiffs declare they are finan-Royall of Silver City.

course of the illness every effort land commissioner has offered 16 McElroy if the land is sold. must be made to kill all the germs tracts of land, totalling 21,983 The date of the sale was set acres, for sale, and there is strong for December 17th

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by one buyer, J. T. McElroy, who District Judge Otero of Santa is the only person likely to be able Fe Saturday signed a temporary to pay the amount \$70,290; that restraining order, with the return the sale of all this land in one date set at January 14th, direct- parcel to McElroy, or to any one Director, New Mexico Bureau of ing State Land Commissioner J. person, will cut off Stovall and F. Hinkle to refrain from conduct- Cooper from an outlet and put ing a sale of 21,983 acres of land them out of the cattle business. They contend to sell land under The action followed a suit filed these conditions is unlawful, as The regulations issued by the in the district clerk's office here the land surrounds plaintiff's pro-

for almost all of the contageous Attorneys R. M. Wiley and C. C. cially unable to buy the entire tract of 21,983 acres and they The plaintiffs set out that the charge a preference will be given

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COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS PROGRAM SUNDAY EVE

The nativity was presented in a striking and memorable way at the Community Christmas service at the Central school auditorium last Sunday evening. A panoramic side with the shepherds, the stars of The Rev. F. C. Rowland at and angels, shown in the dimly 7:00 o'clock. Special Christmas lighted room made an ideal background for the presentation of the story that never grows old. The narrative was read by Mrs. Richard Rockwell and beautiful Christmas meet with Mrs. G. U. McCrary Drury. music was rendered by a quar- for one o'clock luncheon. tette composed of Mmes. V. L. Gates and M. A. Corbin and Messrs. Earl Bigler and James Allen. Special numbers were: a solo, "The Birthday of a King," by The Rev. Erwin G. Benson and sons and Stars and their families. cotton office next Tuesday eve-Mrs. Benson accompanying; "Star of the East," by Mmes. Gates will meet with Mrs. M. A. Corbin and Corbin and a violin solo by at 2:30 p. m. Mrs. Doris Welbourne, Mrs. E. L. Harp was accompanist for the program. In the hush that accompanied this unusual and impressive service the large company wended its way to the front at 2:30 p. m. of the room at the close of the evening and placed its gifts at the foot of the cross in observance of a White Christmas. These ex- have a Christmas tree for the chilwill be distributed among the un- Barnett at 2:30 p. m. fortunate people of the commun-

This beautiful and unique program, the first of its kind here, is the production of The Rev. W. B. McCrory of the Presbyterian church, who directed the presentation so successfully to an appreciative audience that filled the auditorium.

MRS. CAL BECKETT HONORED

Mrs. Cal Beckett of Canoga Park, California, who is visiting at Lubbock; Richard Wheatley her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Swift of Hope, was the honor guest at a turkey dinner at the Fletcher Hornbaker, Miss Sue 7:30 p. m. The program will conhome of her brother, Elza Swift, Flint and Dorris Ransbarger, Er- sist of a medley of Christmas at one o'clock on Sunday. Mrs. Dan Beckett joined with her for the State University at Albu-numbers by the choir, recitations daughter in entertaining the company, which included, besides the honor guest, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Colorado; Eugene Denton and Glenn Visitors are invited to attend. Swift, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bryant, of Carlsbad, Mrs. R. T. Swift and Island Stone from State College; Miss children, Dan Beckett, Elza Swift, Rachel Adele Swift and the host-

M. E. MISSIONARY MEETS

The Methodist Missionary Society met at the home of Mrs. E. T. Jernigan last Thursday afternoon for its monthly business meeting. The Jernigan home was bright with holiday decorations and a lovely salad course was served by the hostesses, Mmes. Jernigan and Abe Burnett. The officers recently elected for the ensuing year, were installed by the pastor, The Rev. A. C. Douglas, with the impressive ceremony of the church. There was a good attendance of members, who were pleasantly entertained with piano music by Miss Elsie Jernigan.

LAMB CHOP FRY

The Misses Evelyn and Ruth Martin entertained a number of their friends at a lamb chop fry Wednesday evening of last week. The evening was spent with games and a social good time. The guests were: Misses Kathleen Blount, Marion Coll, Loma Ruth Henderson, and Marjorie Kerr and Lloyd and Lee Wehunt, Britton Coll, Ormand Loving, Russell Floore and John Shearman.

RECITAL

Violin and piano pupils of Mrs. Willis Morgan appeared in recital at the home of their teacher last Saturday afternoon to an audience of their mothers and a number of other pupils. Mrs. Morgan served dainty refreshments after the program which was given by the following pupils: W. R. Phillips, Marjorie Clowe, Minnie John Kile, Irene Gillespie, Shirley Watson, Margaret Virginia Kile and Irene Gage.

B. C. BRIDGE CLUB

The B. C. Bridge club was entertained by Mrs. J. Clark Bruce at its regular meeting last Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Sadie J. Wilson won high score and Mrs. Harold Crozier was a guest at the meeting. The customary light refreshments were served.

CHRISTMAS DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. Alf Coll entertained at Christmas dinner a week early, having with them for one o'clock dinner last Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Martin and children and Mrs. C. L. Blount and

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THURSDAY (TO-DAY)

The Y. W. A. will meet with view of the Bethlehem country Miss Minnie Barrier at the home

The Idlewhiles Bridge club will

The Masonic and Eastern Star Lodges will hold a joint installation in the hall at 7:30 p. m. The meeting will be open to all Ma- be organized at the V. L. Gates

The First Afternoon Bridge club

The Miercoles Bridge club will meet with Mrs. Howard Williams The club will also decide on a DIPHTHERIA REPORTED

FRIDAY

The Young Mothers' club will boards to the first meeting.

STUDENTS HOME FOR

Field, from Texas Tech at Lub- dinner. bock, Texas; the Misses Beth King and Mary Corbin and Kenneth Compton from business college from Occidental College at Los of the Nazarene will present their Angeles, California; Wayne and Christmas program tonight at nest Harp, and Miss Ruth Bigler carols by the orchestra, special querque. Miss Louise Compton and exercises by the children and from Denver University, Denver, young people. Jack Ward from Lindenwood College at St. Charles, Missouri. Miss Jennie Beth Bishop from State Teachers' College at Silver City, Arthur Paton, Jimmie Welch and Hugh Donald Burch from the Military Institute at Roswell.

W. M. S. MEETING

The Baptist Missionary Society is having its missionary program at the home of Mrs. J. H. Myers this afternoon. The society will pack a Christmas box at this time Nazarene last Saturday evening for its protege, a young girl in the Baptist orphans' home at

P. E. O. MEETING

The Christmas theme dominated the present. the program at the meeting of Chapter J., at the home of Mrs. S. W. Gilbert last Friday afternoon. An excellent paper upon 'The Life of Christ" was given the Christmas season with a party by Miss Emma Clark and the at lodge meeting Monday night. current events were on religion. There was a tree with gifts for There was a good attendance of all, refreshments of popcorn and

CHRISTMAS PARTY

THE JUNIOR PLAY

to the accompaniment of Miss

Margaret Douglas. The play was

directed by the class sponsors,

A checker and chess club will

CHRISTMAS PROGRAM

The Sunday school of the Church

The Bridge of the Month club

was entertained by Mrs. W. E. Flint at the home of Mrs. Willis

Morgan last Thursday afternoon.

Light refreshments being served

by the hostess. High score was

won by Mrs. Flint and second high

JACKSON-BOX

Married at the Church of the

at six forty-five o'clock by the

Rev. Erwin G. Benson, Miss Cleva

Mae Jackson, oldest daughter of

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Jackson and

Mr. R. E. Box. The couple will

live with the bride's parents for

CHRISTMAS PARTY

The Rebekah lodge observed

by Mrs. Morgan.

a social good time.

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a perfect diamond is but a

silent effort to reveal its

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it remained hidden-deep in

Mother Earth-until the

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CHECKER-CHESS CLUB

meeting place.

That there is much latent dramatic talent in young people was Christmas party at the home of demonstrated anew last Friday Mrs. Noel Meeks yesterday afterevening, when the Junior class noon with Mrs. John Simons as presented with great success "The co-hostess. The dining table was Arrival of Kitty," a three act centered with a tree around which comedy of unusual merit. All of were placed the gifts which were the cast acquitted themselves with distributed at the close of the credit and the humerous features program. The teacher, Mrs. Joe of the play lost nothing by the Jesse read a Christmas story and acting of these capable young a number of carols were sung. people, who kept the listeners in- There was also two clever and terested and amused from start amusing contests. During the short to finish. The auditorium was business session report was made filled despite the unfavorable of the successful apron sale. Loveweather and the verdict of all is ly refreshments were served. Presthat this was one of the best ent were: Mmes. Kay Lydia, Reed plays ever given by the high McCaw, Edd Gillespie, Dan Bynum, Howard Byrd, Morrison Liv-Music was furnished by the ingston, Clyde Jones, W. W. Resthigh school orchestra under the er, John Dunn, Malphurs, F. C. direction of Prof. E. L. Harp, Rowland, Marlton Graham, S. B. with Mrs. Harp at the piano, and Barnett, Grimlan and Jesse, Miss by Miss Evelyn Eaker and Tom Jennie Mae Attebery and the host-

The Abnormis Sapiens club met J. Clark Bruce and Miss Edna with Mrs. M. W. Evans yesterday afternoon with one guest present, Mrs. J. H. Jackson. Light refresh-TO BE ORGANIZED ments were served.

ning, beginning at 7:00 p. m., it at the home of Mrs. Kay Lydia was announced Tuesday. This club last week with all members presis primarily for the men folks, ent. High score was won by Mrs. but ladies are not barred. After M. A. Lapsley and second high the organization is perfected, plans by Mrs. Albert Glasser. Appetizwill likely be made to hold a ing refreshments were served. tournament during the holidays.

ON COTTONWOOD

Players are requested to bring tables and checker and chess pressions of the Christmas spirit dren at the home of Mrs. S. B. HIGH SCORES ENTERTAINED Dr. O. E. Puckett, county health The low scores of the Fortnight- Puckett will visit the Lower Cotly Bridge club entertained the tonwood school Saturday afterhigh scores at a turkey dinner, noon, December 24th, to give the Saturday night the temperature HOLIDAY VACATION which was served at the home of pre-school children their first dose dropped rapidly with the approach-Mrs. A. T. Woods on Tuesday at of toxoid. No charge will be made Among the students who will one o'clock. The Woods' home for this preventative and mothers spend the holidays at home are: was gaily decorated in the em- of both the Lower and Upper John William Collins, Delbert blems of the holiday season for Cottonwood communities are urged phenomenon. Jones, Woodrow Wilson, Miss Beu- the occasion. Mrs. William Scott to avail themselves of this serlah Beth Terry of the Cottonwood of Tulsa, Oklahoma and Mrs. vice. The children deserve to be and Miss Lucile Baker of the Oil George Finley were guests at the protected from this dreaded dis-

SUNDAY NIGHT COLDEST

Sunday night was the coldest 51-1tc night experienced thus far this winter. Previous to the snow last week, the low temperature registered 20 above. Saturday | - The Advocate

The Dorcas class had a lovely Hoffman, who rendered vocal solos esses.

ABNORMIS SAPIENS CLUB

THURSDAY BRIDGE CLUB

The Thursday Bridge club met

A positive case of diphtheria has been developed north of the Lower Cottonwood school house, officer announced Monday. Dr.

HE OFFENDS BRITAIN

Riza Shah Pahlevi, the shah of Persia, who sent a note to the British foreign office that was declared extremely offensive. In it he warned the British government that if a single soldier or marine were sent to guard the Anglo-Persian Oil company's oil fields, he would regard it as a direct provocation. The trouble had its beginning when Persia concelled the Anglo-Persian company's concession.

night the thermometer at the government station hit a new low of 16 above and Sunday night dropped almost four degrees lower to a fraction over 12 degrees. Foggy damp weather prevailed several days last week and with the mists and sleet that fell, auto drivers found difficulty in driving due to a frozen windshield. ing fog. Moisture from the fog froze on trees, wires, etc., making an interesting but unusual

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends There will also be a program at for their helpfulness and symthe school to which all are invited. pathy in the death of our loved one. Also for the beautiful floral offering. F. L. WILSON,

HELEN SAGE,

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

MILT GOODE GIVEN FURLOUGH FROM TEXAS PENITENTIARY

Governor Ross Sterling of Texas. last week granted a 90-days furlough to Milt Goode, who is serving two sentences in the state penitentiary for his part in the slaying of two inspectors of the Cattle Growers Association at Seminole several years ago. The furlough was granted in order that Goode might render assistance to his famiy who were reported sick and destitute.

Goode was convicted with Tom Ross for the slaying of the two inspectors in the Seminole hotel the night before they were to go on trial for a cattle theft charge. After their conviction, they both escaped from the penitentiary. Goode was later arrested in Oklahoma and was taken back to serve out to serve his Ross was never arrested, but was

later killed after a fatal encounter with several other men. It was reported that he had taken his own life. His body was brought back to Lovington for burial and was viewed by hundreds of his old time friends and acquaintances.

Mrs. Robinson, the widow of one of the slain inspectors, strenuously opposed the granting of the furlough

by the Texas governor, as ton Moses, attorney for th Growers Association. -

Greetings

The Christmas seas affords a welcome portunity to exte to you my good wis es and to acknow edge with sincere preciation the co tesies and consider tions for which I so deeply gratef



AT THE CITY HAI

Xmas Dinner 50c MIS

11:30 a. m. to 8:30 p. m.

MENU

Cocktail Oyster or Xmas Fruit Salad Ambrosia Meats

Choice of-

Roast Goose with Dressing Roast Turkey with Dressing Baked Kentucky Ham with Wine Sauce Candied Yams Wax Beans

Dessert Plum Pudding with Whiskey Sauce Drinks

Artesia Hotel Coffee Shop



Seasons Greetings

In the spirit of friendliness and good cheer we thank you for the many favors and wish for you and yours a Merry Christmas.



Say Merry Christmas with a nice

FUR TRIMMED COAT

\$16.50 values for

\$8.50

Your choice of PRINTZESS COATS

\$19.50

Say Merry Christmas with

GORDON HOSE

79c

\$1.00

Say Merry Christmas with our beautiful Silk Underthings . . . Stepins, Dance Sets, Silk Crepe

49c

\$1.95

Say Merry Christmas with a nice suit of

PAJAMAS

\$1.95 and \$2.95

Say Merry Christmas with a pair of our comfortable

HOUSE SHOES

\$1.95

\$1.49

We are not giving calendars this year

but will donate in cash to the Community Chest an amount equal to the expense of distributing calendars, etc.

Say Merry Christmas with a beautiful box of Handkerchiefs, 3 in box

29c 59c 79c Box

Say Merry Christmas With a nice Belt and Buckle Set

59c \$1.49

Say Merry Christmas With one of our nice

SILK TIES 29c, 59c, \$1.00

Say Merry Christmas With a nice Boys

OVERCOAT \$3.95

MENS TOP COATS \$7.50

OVERCOATS

\$9.90

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SALE-Fourteen good Jermilch cows, average 4 galper cow. H. V. Parker, 7 north of Artesia on old 49-3tp

FOR RENT

RENT-Four room, modern, ned house, close in. Mrs. Blocker, phone 299 or in-Advocate office. 50-tf

WANTED

NTED-Clean Cotton Rags at e Advocate.

MISCELLANEOUS

ARE YOUR MATTRESSES will renovate and put new on one pair of pillows free every mattress you have rated this month. One day ce, all work guaranteed. Exrug cleaners .- Roswell Mat-Co., 402 South Main St.,

OLITICAL **NNOUNCEMENTS**

Justice of Peace, Pre. No. 6 E. RAGSDALE,

H. BURDITT.

DOES KILLED IN EXTRA SEASON

iters who entered the area Alamogordo during the spece hunting season were sucful, James B. McGhee, of Rosthe state game

en-hundred permits were ishunt doe on this area, but 515 hunters checked in, acig to game wardens who posection during the special A total of 262 doe, 46 onth-old fawns and 68 small were killed during the sea-

bucks were legally killed, it said, because bucks with six inches or under are difto distinguish from doe, it

arly all of the deer killed particular area were unght, due to a lack of for-The special season was deby the game department to e an over-supply of deer particular section.

ER MAN TO HEAD M. E. A. BOARD SECTION

incement has just come Vernon O. Tolle, executive ary, New Mexico Educationociation, that E. O. Mooore ent, board of education, Dexill be in charge of the profor the school board section association next year.

Moore's long experience as nber of the board of educaand his successful presidency large community fits him for rship of this work.

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has long been known that the success of educational ams lie in the hands of resive boards of education, and enefits that they may give public school systems may ine the efficiency and seroffered.

e association has further delthe responsibility to Superent Irvin P. Murphy, at the working out of any part program which may deal board and administrative res.-Penasco Valley News.

TAX NOTICE

ce is hereby given that the tax and the occupation tax due and payable on Jan-1, 1933. Please arrange to care of this matter at once. city ordinance with reference ection of these taxes will

J. M. JACKSON. City Marshal.

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THE FAMILY NEXT DOOR



"A Child Is Born."

Christmas Tragedy."

Thursday at 7:30 p. m.

SPECIAL STUDENTS'

dially invited.

intendent.

Epworth Leagues.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

A. C. Douglas, Pastor

Young people's meeting at 6:00

NIGHT AT BAPTIST

CHURCH SUNDAY







Merry Christmas

THE CHURCHES

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH 6th and Quay Streets

9:45 a. m. Bible school. C. O. under capable supervisors. 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

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

COTTONWOOD CHURCH Rev. John Klassen, Pastor

Sunday school every Sunday at 10:00 a. m., I. H. Burgess, Super-

Preaching every 2nd and 4th Sunday at 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 Social 2nd Tuesday evening of

each month. Everybody invited to attend, you will be welcome.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY 613 W. Main Street

10:00 a. m. Sunday school. 11:00 a. m. Sunday service. Psa. 119:105.

healing are given. Visitors always welcome.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Rev. F. C. Rowland, Pastor.

Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Fred Cole superintendent. Subject: God's Gift to Man.

Preaching 11:00 a. m. Subject: The First Christmas Service. B. T. S., Junior, Intermediate and Senior 6:00 p. m. Subject: The Night the Angels Sang. Evening service 7:00 p. m. Special student night.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN
CHURCH
Fourth and Grand

10:00 a. m. Bible school.
11:00 a. m. Special Christmas
ervice in music. service in music. 6:00 p. m. Christian Endeavor.

Special Christian Endeavor service. Be prompt, please. Wednesday 7:00 p. m. Bible W. B. McCRORY, Pastor.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE Eighth & Missouri Erwin G. Benson, Pastor

"A spiritual church in a friendcommunity." Our Christmas program will be given tonight, December 22, at 7:30 p. m.

Sunday school at 9:45 a. C. J. Wilde superintendent. You are invited to join a grow-

and the state of t

The

Merriest Christmas

in many a year is the sincere wish of Doc and his crew.

DR LOUCKS **GARAGE**

Phone 65 BRESSESSES

TOWNSITE CO. WINS below the 100 mark for about three months. A class for all. Morning worship at 11:00 a. m. \$800 DAMAGES FROM The pastor will preach. Theme: MIDWEST COMPANY Junior meeting at 6:00 p. m. One hour of religious instruction

p. m. An interesting program is Federal Judge Colin Neblett CHRISTMAS PROGRAM arranged by Mrs. Killen, president. presiding judge of the federal dis-Evangelistic meeting at 7:00 trict court at Roswell Saturday p. m. The pastor will bring the afternoon sustained the motion message. Theme: "The First made Saturday morning by counsels for the defense in the case Church prayer meeeting each of the Hobbs Townsite Co., vs. The Midwest Refining Co., for an defendant, and the jury, under instruction from the court, returned a verdict finding the issues in the case in favor of the defend-Next Sunday night at seven students' service on the general was agreed upon by opposing attheme: "The Place of Christ in torneys after Judge Neblett had the College Student's Life," as made his decision.

suggested by the Baptist Student The sum of \$800 was awarded Union, which organization operates as compensation to the plaintiff on the campus of colleges and for the loss sustained by them schools in seventeen of the south- because the Midwest Company ern states. Plans are being made produced only 10 barrels of oil to have the young people at home a day for seven months from their from college during the holidays Turner No. 29 oil well on the be present. Seats are being decplaintiff's property when the daily orated in class colors and reallowable production under proserved for the various groups. ration was 500 barrels. Under Fourteen colleges and universities the terms of the lease which the are represented in the membership Midwest Company was operating, of the local church and former the Hobbs Townsite Company was students are requested to be seatto receive one 64th of all the oil Subject of the Bible lesson for ed with their respective delega- produced from the wells on their Sunday, December 25, 1932 is: tions. Special music and short property, and the sum of \$800 "Christian Science." Golden text: talks by teachers, students, form- was computed as the market value er students and prospective colof the plaintiff's share in the dif-7:30 p. m. Wednesday evening lege students will be featured in ference between 500 barrels and meeting at which testimonials of this program. The public is cor- 10 barrels (or 490 barrels) every day for a period of seven months.

The Hobbs Townsite was asking judgment of \$39,936.78 for loss and damage sustained because the Midwest Refining Co., (now the 9:45 a. m. church school for Stanolind Oil and Gas Co.,) had every age. George Frisch, Superoperated four wells on the plaintiff's property under a schedule 11:00 a. m. morning worship. greatly restricted production from 6:15 p. m. Junior and Senior the potential production of the wells under the proration agree-

The plaintiff contended that by entering into this agreement the Midwest company had violated their legal obligation to the plaintiff, contained in the implied covenants of the lease under which the Midwest company was operating on the plaintiff's pro-

AT ROTARY CLUB

Members of the Artesia Rotary club observed the holiday season with an appropriate program on Tuesday. The Rev. W. B. Mc-Crory, the principal speaker on instructed verdict in favor of the the program gave an interesting talk on the origin of Christmas and its history to date. On this occasion members also distributed ant and awarding the plaintiff number of gifts in a basket and o'clock there will be a special the sum of \$800, which amount drawing for the gifts. Among the gifts was a paper weight in the form of a toy auto turned upside down, presented to J. E. Robertson.

> Visitors present at the luncheon Tuesday included Joe Wertheim, Ray Saladay, J. R. Ogden and Dr. O. E. Puckett, all of

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MODERN Electrical Appliances

Offer a practical solution to the perplexing gift problem . . . we are displaying many new and up-to-date appliances at our show room at the Corner Drug Store . . . Electric Servants save steps . . . see this holiday display.

Richards Electric Shop

AT CORNER DRUG STORE

JOB PRINTING AT THE ADVOCATE

Artesia--We Thank You

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We pause on the threshold of another holiday season to wish you a Merry Christmas and a Very Happy New Year. You have been good to us for twelve years. You have made it possible for us to sell tires at these outstanding prices. And now to show our appreciation we propose to give you SEIBERLING FIRST LINE and SEIBERLING DELUXE TIRES at prices below second and third lines of other makes . . . and-

A TUBE FREE WITH EACH PASSENGER CAR BALLOON TIRE

We invite you to compare prices and quality elsewhere, then come to our store and convince yourself that this is the greatest bargain ever before offered in Artesia, or the Pecos Valley.

ALL PRICES QUOTED BELOW INCLUDE A TUBE FREE (This is good for Christmas Week Only)

SEIBERLING STANDARD

First Line

\$4.15 4.40x21

4.75x19

\$6.30

5.25x18

\$4.57

4.50x21

\$6.10

4.50x21

SEIBERLING DELUXE

\$5.99

4.50x20

5.25x18

\$6.97

\$4.49 4.50x20

\$5.30

\$5.55

5.00x19

\$6.85

5.25x21

\$7.38

4.75x19 \$8.35

5.00x19

5.50x18

All other sizes priced proportionately low.

SPECIAL ON ANTI FREEZE

Alcohol, per gal ______56c G. P. A., per gal _____\$1.49 Prestone, per gal _____\$3.95 Firestone, per gal ____\$3.25

We now have a supply of Artesia Saving Stamps and will be glad to give these to the people we owe them to, if they will call for same

Pior's Service Station

Artesia, N. M.

Ben & Pion

BIESERSESSESSESSESSESSESSES Christmas Greetings

Among our assets we like to count the only one that money cannot buy . . . your good will. And so at this holiday season we extend to you, not as a customer alone, but as a friend, the best wishes for a Merry Christmas.

We also take this opportunity to thank you for your co-operation and patronage during the year 1932.

Pecos Valley Gas Co.

Serving Artesia with an indispensable product Gas

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LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS

COUNTRY IN THE WORLD, HAS

FOUR SOLDIERS AND HAS BEEN AT

WAR TECHNICALLY, FOR 66 YEARS

COMMISSIONERS' PROCEED-NOVEMBER 23rd, 1932; DE-CEMBER 12, 1932.

BE IT REMEMBERED, that the Board of County Commissioners of Eddy County, New Mexico met in special session on November 23rd, 1932, at 10:00 a m. pursuant to adjournment had. At which meeting the following proceedings were had:

Present and presiding: C. W. Beeman, Chairman, R. M. Thorne, Commissioner

C. E. Mann, Commissioner Dis-

Ruth S. Nye, Clerk.

A committee from the Carlsbad Chamber of Commerce met with the Board to further a further and the House Chamber of Commerce met with the Board to further a further and the House Chamber of Commerce met with the Board to further a further a said sum to be withheld by said Highway Commission in each of said years.

Commissioner Thorne read the House Commissioner Thorne read the further and th

the Board to further consider the request of a loan of \$7,500.00 for Election Judges-Mrs. John Fan- its adoption by the Board, said the purchase of a right of way for the Walnut Canyon Road; a full discussion was had and action PRECINCT 8 — Queen, School was deferred until the next regular

There being no further business the Board adjourned subject to

(SEAL) C. W. BEEMAN.

Attest: RUTH S. NYE, Clerk.

BE IT REMEMBERED, that the Board of Finance of Eddy County, New Mexico met at 2:00 o'clock p. m. on November 23rd, 1932, pursuant to adjournment had; at which meeting the following pro-

ceedings were had: Present and presiding: R. M. Thorne, Chairman, C. W. Beeman, Commissioner

District No. 3. C. E. Mann, Commissioner District No. 2.

Ruth S. Nye, Clerk. The First National Bank of Ar-

tesia agreed to put up \$20,000.00 additional in government bonds to secure the deposit of Eddy Coun-It is the further order of the

Board, that the Treasurer be instructed to invest all surplus funds in U. S. Government Bonds. There being no further business the Board adjourned subject to (SEAL)

R. M. THORNE, Chairman.

Attest RUTH S. NYE, Clerk.

BE IT REMEMBERED, that the Board of County Commissioners of Eddy County, New Mexico met regular session on December 5th, 1932, at 10:00 o'clock a. m. pursuant to adjournment had, at which meeting the following proceedings were had: Present and presiding as fol-

lows: C. W. Beeman, Chairman, C. E. Mann, Commissioner Dis-

R. M. Thorne, Commissioner

Ruth S. Nye, Clerk. Whereas, in accordance with Sec. 70-104 of the 1929 Compilaaccordance with

tion of the New Mexico Satutes, the Board of County Commissioners within and for the County of Eddy, State of New Mexico, does hereby proclaim and give public notice this 5th day of December, 1932, of an election to be held in several precincts of County on Monday, January 9th, the object and purpose o which is to vote for a Justice of the Peace and Constable in each

They do further proclaim the places where said election shail be held in the respective precincts of said county as listed below, and do further proclaim that the qualified electors hereinafter enumerated shall constitute the Election Judges of said election in the

several election precincts of Eddy PRECINCT 1 - Carlsbad, Court

INGS OF MEETINGS HELD Election Judges-T. C. Horne,

Election Judges-C. C. West, J. and Wheatley Store. Election Judges—D. Swift, E. A. Chambers, R. H. Bynum.
PRECINCT 4 — School House,

Lakewood. Election Judges-Forest Lee, Tay- New Mexico Highway Commis-

& Pardue Store. Mrs. F. R. Dickson, J. R. Ogden.

House. Ramuz.

Election Judges -

Election Judges-N. M. Tidwell, after January 1st, 1933. Bob McCall, Alvy Williams. Election Judges—T. J. Terry, Victor Buell, Geo. O'Bannon. PRECINCT 11-Oil Field, School

House. Election Judges-Claude Hayes, T. J. Fox, Bur McMurray. Polls are to be opened at 9:00

o'clock a. m. and closed at 6:00 o'clock p. m. The minutes of the former meetings were read and approved. It is hereby made the order of the Board that Warrants No.

15118 to 15238 be issued in payment of claims this day allowed.

C. W. BEEMAN. Chairman.

RUTH S. NYE,

pursuant to adjournment had on December 5th, 1932, at which meeting the following proceedings Present and presiding:

W. Beeman, Chairman, C. E. Mann, Commissioner Dis-

Ruth S. Nye, Clerk. The following resolution was passed by the Board:



Uncle Jake Smith says hes atraid he can't give anybody much fr Christmas this year-but smiles don't cost anything

Resolved that the Board of County, respectfully request the Mr. Ingalls' sister, Mrs. Hollis New Mexico State Highway Commission to advance the sum of NOVEMBER 23rd, 1932; DE- John Lewis and Julian Smith. \$7,500.00 for the purpose of se-CEMBER 5, 1932; AND DE- PRECINCT 2 — Malaga, Malaga curing a right of way in Walnut Canyon, Eddy County, New Mexico in connection with the National L. Williams, L. B. James.

Park Service for the construction the holidays with their mother, of a highway in said Walnut Can
Mrs. Jessie Morgan. yon to the Carlsbad Cavern.

HOME ALONE SHE ALWAYS TAKES

THE RIGHT CAR AND HER MASTER

PAYS HER FARE AT REGULAR INTERVALS

Be it further resolved that said Board of County Commissioners hereby agree that said sum of \$7,500.00 shall be repaid to the lor Ross, John Angel. sion from the Eddy County
PRECINCT 5-Loving, Morrison portion of the Automobile sion from the Eddy County procense fees allocated to the Road Election Judges-Jared Howard, Fund of said County for the years 1934, 1935, 1936, and 1937, PRECINCT 6-Artesia, City Hall. fourth of said sum to be withheld

foregoing resolution and moved ning, Irving Martin, Phillip motion was seconded by C. E.

voted for the resolution and Bee-- Mrs. Ralph man voted No. Thayer, Tom Middleton, John No for the reason this order ties up the road fund during the term PRECINCT 9-Otis, Tipton Gin of his successor in office and as a mechanic, five years of this therefore is a matter for action time was spent with the Plains There being no further business

PRECINCT 10—Cottonwood, Low-er Cottonwood School House. the Board adjourned subject to (SEAL)

C. W. BEEMAN.

RUTH S. NYE, Clerk

NEW SUPERINTENDENTS

IN 22 COUNTY SCHOOLS Twenty-two counties in New

Mexico will have new school superintendents after January 1st comb of Port Arthur, Texas, has as a result of the November 8th been spending the past few days There being no further business election, it was pointed out by the in El Paso, Texas with her daughthe Board adjourned subject to state educational association at ters, Mrs. J. P. Hare and Miss

re-elected. They are as follows: on Tuesday in honor of Miss Chaves, Miss Thelma McCully, Lola's birthday anniversary. Mrs. Roswell; Colfax, J. T. Reese, Ra- Whitcomb arrived the latter part ton; Eddy, H. R. Rodgers, Carls- of the week for a Christmas visit bad; Grant, Mrs. Cora M. Hol- to her parents. BE IT REMEMBERED, that the land, Silver City; Harding, Mrs. Board of County Commissioners Ethel J. Ladd, Mosquero; McKinof Eddy County, New Mexico met ley, Mrs. L. J. Roat, Gallup; in Special Session, on December Roosevelt, A. F. Hunt, Portales; 12th, 1932, at 10:00 o'clock a. m. Sierra Mrs. Patty Num Hills-Sierra, Mrs. Patty Nunn, Hillsboro; Union, Miss Clementine Ivie Clayton.

Elected to replace present superintendents were the following: Bernalillo, Miss Margaret Easter-M. Thorne, Commissioner day, Albuquerque; Catron, Mrs. Clarice Holliman, Reserve; Curry, K. C. Lea, Clovis; DeBaca, Mrs. Mary B. Lucero, Fort Sumner; Dona Ana, Mrs. Calla K. Eylar, Las Cruces; Guadalupe, Mrs. G. Abercrombie, Santa Rosa; Hidalgo, Mrs. Kattie Hall, Lordsburg; Lea, Miss Mettie Jordan, Lovington; Lincoln, Mrs. Ola C. Jones, Carrizozo; Luna, Mrs. Eula Mae Richardson, Deming; Mora, Matias Zamora, Mora; Otero, Mrs. Nellie Simpers, Alamogordo; Quay, M. B. Jumper, Tucumcari; Rio Aribba, Max Sanchez, Tierra Amarilla; Sandoval, Andres Gonzales, Bernalillo; San Juan, Mrs. Leva M. Barton, Aztec; San Miguel, J. V. Gallegos, Las Vegas; Santa Fe, Manuel Lujan, Santa Fe; Socorro; Taos, Floyd Santistevan, Taos; Torrance, Clyde McCulloh, Estancia; Valencia, Manuel A. Baca, Las Lunas.

TYPEWRITERS

New, second hand and factory rebuilts in portables and standards -See us before you buy. Artesia

WANTED-Clean Cotton Rags at The Advocate.

LOCALS

Joe Kintz, Dunken merchant was trading in town Friday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Amstutz, a daughter, Friday.

J. C. Clements, Hope sheepman was attending to business matters here Friday.

Miss Joyce Hunter of Roswell spent the week-end visiting Miss New Mexico, said recently. Helen Sage.

Mrs. Bill Adcock at the Carlsbad hospital last week.

mas shoppers in town Saturday. was 3.64 per cent.)

trading in town from Lakewood last Saturday. Frank Howard came in last join his family, who are located

on the Cottonwood. Lawrence Goodell, who has been employed in southern California for sometime, arrived home last week for the holidays.

Mrs. Nola Phillips underwent a major operation at a Carlsbad ing nicely according to the last paying ability has been materially hospital Saturday and is improv-

The Compton family and Miss Nelda Wilson drove to Roswell ers to meet the tax bill, Asplund Sunday to see Will Rogers in "Too said, than the fact that approxi-Busy to Work," at the Yucca theatre.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert S. Ingalls and son are expected from Lov-County Commissioners of Eddy ing for a Christmas visit with

Watson and family.

Miss Esther Morgan is expected from Roswell and Miss Ruth Morgan from Las Cruces to spend and other necessities of life for

Dr. and Mrs. Chester Russell, accompanied by Miss Dora Russell of Clovis are planning to spend Christmas with Mr. and he said. The first third of this Mrs. Chester Russell, Jr., and Miss has been paid to the state, \$80,000 Ruth Russell at Albuquerque.

John Plowman, Hope sheepman was in town Saturday doing some stallment May 1. trading. Mr. Plowman reports that his sheep have weathered the recent storm in fair shape, although they are "drawn" from the continued cold weather.

G. W. Forsee, formerly of Ama-On roll call Thorne and Mann rillo, Texas has joined the force of Dr. Loncks Garage and is now the afternoon. of Dr. Loucks Garage and is now on the job. Mr. Forsee was employed at Amarillo for eight years Typewriter Ribbons-The Advocate Chevrolet Co.

> Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Bird will leave Saturday to spend the holidays with Mr. Bird's home folks at Blanket, Texas. They will be accompanied by Mrs. Leslie Martin, who will join her mother, 51-1t Mrs. George Johnson in a visit to her grandmother at Clyde,

Mrs. S. S. Ward, accompanied by her daughters, Miss Jack, Mrs. Robert Rehn and Mrs. L. S. Whit-Lola Ward. The mother and Nine county school heads were daughters enjoyed a dinner party

TAXES INCREASE 25 PERCENT IN 12 YRS.

The average taxpayer is paying approximately a fourth more in taxes today than he paid in 1920, when taxpaying ability was far greater, Rupert F. Asplund, director of the Taxpayers Association of

The valuation of property in the state subject to tax has shrunk A son was born to Mr. and from \$403,000,000 to \$314,000,000 in this space of time; but, said Asplund, public expenditures have increased. The average tax rate is Mmes. W. S. Medcalf and Dick 3.32 per cent for 1932; for 1920 it McDonald of Hope were Christ- was 2.63 per cent. (For 1929 it

"It is certain that constantly Mr. and Mrs. R. L. House and diminishing values will necessitate Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lee were further reductions in assessments, said Asplund.

Crop and livetock values have fallen off alarmingly, he said. The vaue of metal and coal produced, week from Billings, Montana to \$32,787,675 in 1929, according to government reports, had dropped to \$13,646,358 in 1931 and while figures are not available for this year he expects the downward trend to continue. These are among the state's chief industries.

> In cities, employes have been laid off, or their wages have been reduced and "such employes are home owners and taxpayers whose taxreduced, if not entirely eliminated.'

> There could be no more striking evidence of the inability of taxpay mately \$2,272,388 (about 20 per cent) of the 1931 taxes remained unpaid six months after the delinquency date of the last half, May 1

160,000 STILL COMING TO N. M. FROM R. F. C.

New Mexico still has \$160,000 coming from the R. F. C. for food the poor, said Governor Seligman Monday.

His application to the R. F. C. based on the survey made by Miss Margaret Reeves, state director of child welfare, was for \$240,000, plus \$12,000 for administrative expenses. The next \$8,000 is to come January 1 and the final in-

QUARTERLY CONFERENCE

Dr. N. L. Linebaugh, presiding elder of the Roswell district, occupied the pulpit at the Methodist church last Sunday morning

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It was announced at Alamogordo recently that plans were being first of the year, as soon made to move the First State filing of the amended Bank of Tularosa to Alamogordo tion papers were completed. county seat of Otero county. Fail- Spence, former resident of ure of the State Bank at Alamogordo a few weeks ago left with the Cottonwood gin, is Alamogordo without a bank. Announcement of the contemplated

TULAROSA BANK MAY MOVE Lawson, attorney for the Tu bank, who stated that the would likely be moved about Arthur and son, of J. R. ier of the Tularosa bank.

move was made by Judge J. L. Typewriter Ribbons—The Ad



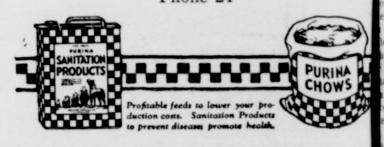
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er levels in the artesian basthe Pecos valley continue to artesian well supervisor, vation wells in the basin. observations have recently her place. aken in an effort to determine ter level elevations as comwith the winter high of 1931. in the water levels for all Johnson. served in Chaves county reshows the water to be 4.1 than in 1931 and Eddy coun-

as where the pugging of abed and leaky artesian wells et higher than last winter. water levels were reached er, Mrs. N. L. Johnson.

ddy county during the latter recorder, located five miles go on the market there, of Artesia, the water levels ember being about two feet than recent tests by Mr.

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showed Smith said from these obserhe was convinced the artesad high in Eddy county durthe latter part of November d an average of more than et higher for 1932 than at any during 1931.

gging of leaky artesian wells year. Dexter and Greenfield diss vicinity.

ts to the Chaves and Eddy sister of Mr. Swift. line show an average water nwood district wells are an av- and Mrs. E. P. Cox. of 5.98 feet higher this year last. This district also has a of wells which show as as ten feet higher than the

part of the artesian water an average of about 7 feet in the wells this year than here are a number of wells and east of Artesia in the Reed entertained with a kid school low zone which are 10 feet party Friday evening at the home his year than in 1931.

the artesian head would

BE YOU ARE

ft handed has been developed opticians and engineers. purpose was explained by

stitute at a show sponsored institute and the Cook Counometric association.

to become self conscious, to stammer, or develops an lority complex if teachers or its insist on his writing with ight hand," Zersen said.

e have discovered that if a n is left handed, he also is eyed.' That provides a means arning definitely whether a is right or left handed."

the test, the subject looks gh a funnel-shaped device at a oard bearing two letters. If es an 'L' then he is left eyed eft handed. If he sees an 'R' pposite is true.

other interesting developin the use of light were on Two would make the task dentist easier. One lights up tient's mouth while the other false teeth. Natural teeth up white. False ones have a

ight for the optician enables see every vein or muscle in e. There's even a light for eyes. It spins 'round and d on a wheel. The eyes of one watches it rotate naturally and needed exercise.

ell, Dick my boy," said his 'my congratulations! I you're engaged to one of the Robbins twins."

ather!" replied Dick, heartily. said his uncle, "how on you manage to tell them

said the young man. "I y!"-Lindsay Post.

HOPE ITEMS

Charley Hepler passed through Hope, Monday en route from the mountains to Loving with a load Hilary White and son, Simmie

returned Monday from Lake Valley, where they visited J. J. Wallace and family. Miss Effie Fite arrived here

me and average four feet high- Saturday night from Las Cruces this time than they did at the to spend the holidays with her nding time in 1931, C. G. parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Fite.

Miss Alice Ruth Williams is Roswell last week after seriously ill at her home here the testing of a number with an attack of flu. Mrs. J. W. Reed is substituting at school in

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Johnson and daughter, Mary Grace, spent the week-end in Loving with Mr. mith said that the average of Johnson's mother, Mrs. Nettie

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Prude and son Norman motored to Carlsels are now 4.12 feet higher bad Tuesday to spend several days with Mr. Prude's mother, Mrs. Lucienda Walters.

Miss Marjorie Johnson returneen most active wells show a ed Sunday from Tech College at level elevation this winter of Lubbock, Texas to spend the Christmas holidays with her moth-

Sam Lewis is taking one hunof November, the well super- dred and seventy-five calves to the said. This fact was demon- railroad at Turqouise, this state by the automatic water to be shipped to Kansas City to

> Miss Mary Louise Cole arrived Saturday evening from State Collego at Las Cruces to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cole.

Dr. L. N. Linebaugh, presiding elder of the Roswell district of the New Mexico conference was in Hope Sunday evening to hold the first quarterly conference of this

Mrs. Cal Beckett motored to has been most active, the state Artesia Sunday to spend several er having plugged four wells days with Mr. and Mrs. Elza Swift while she is visiting in Hagerman and Lake Arthur New Mexico. Mrs. Beckett is the

Miss Myrtle Cox and her brothelevation of 2.65 feet higher er, Curtis Cox, are expected to 1932 than 1931. Wells in this arrive here Thursday from Flagty average one to five feet staff, Arizona to spend the Xmas this year than last. In the holidays with their parents, Mr.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Alcorn and daughter, Betty Sue, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Alcorn and two small daughters and Paul Alcorn of San Angelo, Texas arrived here Sunday to be with their mother, om Artesia south to Dayton Mrs. J. G. Alcorn who is seriously ill here.

Mmes. W. S. Medcalf and J. W.

of Mrs. Reed in honor of Mrs. Smith said that as a result Jonas Wallace, daughter of Mr. recent moisture, irrigation and Mrs. J. W. Reed who is visite curtailed for several days ing here from Lake Valley, this state and Mrs. Cal Beckett of e to rise in all parts of the Canoga Park, California, who is here visiting her parents, Mr. and lans to begin immediately in. Mrs. D. Swift. Kid games were g all wells in the valley and played and Mrs. C. J. Ferrel, Mrs. ree that part of the artesian Wallace and George Teel furnished aw pertaining to allowing an music on the piano and violin for an well to fow uncontrolled. entertainment. Refreshments of .Smith said with the proper chicken salad sandwiches, doughation from artesian well own- nuts, salt nuts, coffee and hot nd the continued plugging of chocolate were served to the and abandoned wells in the guests. Those invited were Mr. by the state engineer and the and Mrs. Charley Cole, Mr. and Valley Artesian Water Con- Mrs. Earl Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. ney district there was no doubt Lee Glasscock, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. that the water levels would Teel, Mr. and Mrs. Will Keller, nue to increase year by year. Mr. and Mrs. Dick McDonald, Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cole, Mr. and Mrs. LEFT HANDED John Prude, Mr. and Mrs. John Teel, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Teel, Mr. UCAGO,-A means of discover- and Mrs. J. H. Bridgman, Mr. thether a person is truly right and Mrs. C. J. Ferrel, A. J. Cox, Mrs. Hilary White, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Richards and John Richards of Artesia, the guests of honor, W. Zersen of the Chicago light- Mrs. Wallace and Mrs. Beckett and the hostesses, Mrs. Reed and

edical science has discovered Calling Cards, 100 for \$1.75, on ha naturally left handed child best grade paneled or plain stock. -The Advocate.

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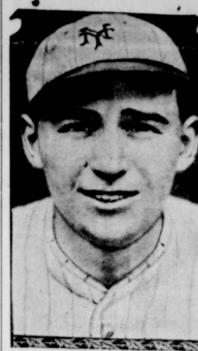
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Among the deals consummated at the annual meetings of the National and American baseball leagues in New York was the trading of Fred Lindstrom, outfielder, by the New York Glants to the Pittsburgh Pirates. Fred is from 1924 by McGraw.

FEDERAL DEFICIT

WASHINGTON, D. C .- A treasury report Saturday showed the

was \$1,142,473,015. The figure was \$6,000,000 less than the total deficit predicted by President Hoover in his budget message to congress for the fiscal year ending June 30 next. On December 14 the deficit

stood at \$794,000,000 in round figures and increased as a result of \$418,764,000 paid into the sinking fund.

This payment was the first to this fund during the current fis-

Asparagus Fern as Decoration Asparagus fern wound about the cords makes an attractive disguise for the mechanics of the Christmas tree lights which are used as table decorations. The lines of trailing green may be made to simulate a

pumpkin vine, with tiny paper

-The Advocate.

pumpkins at each light.

IS \$1,142,437,015 COUNTY AGENTS DISCUSS PLANS FOR

federal deficit on December 15 A HEREFORD SHOW

1934.

County agents of five southeastern New Mexico counties discussed of \$68,330, reduced from the \$150,- about a twenty per cent cut in upplans in Roswell, Friday for the holding of a Hereford show and bull sale in Roswell March 27 and possible the holding of a baby beef show in conjunction with the Hereford show and sale in the spring of

W. A. Wunsch, Eddy county agent, was among those present. Others were J. R. Thomas, Chaves county; Oren Beaty, Lea county Leslie Beaty, Otero county; and Ralph Will, Roosevelt county.

Stockmen from these five counties and from DeBaca, Curry and Lincoln counties were also present, Mr. Wunsch reported. They entered in the making of plans for this year's show. The eight counties in Calling Cards, 100 for \$1.75, on this section of the state are in the Chicago and was "discovered" in best grade paneled or plain stock. district which has been formed by cattlemen and county agents for the

ready for the show in 1934.

CAVERN APPROPRIATION CUT

000 of last year, will not materially keep expense. injure the administration work at the cavern, Col. Thomas Boles, of 28 and for the starting of baby Carlsbad, superintendent of the beef projects there which will make Carlsbad Cavern national park said Friday.

This bill has been cut to \$43,000,- makes at The Advocate.

holding of the show. Roswell was 000 for the coming year in the con chosen for the location because of mittee report and is a drastic cut its central location to all counties from previous supply bills for the interior department.

Calves born after February 1 will | Comparatively few individual be put on feed June 1 and will be projects are included and no new ones have been added of any conse-

quence to the bill. Col. Boles stated that the reduced bill would virtually cut out all con-The new interior department ap- struction work at the caverns for propriation to the Carlsbad caverns the coming year and would result in

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engine is more powerful as well as more economical. Improved Free Wheeling is combined with a "silent second" Syncro-Mesh gear-shift. Chevrolet engineers have developed a remarkable new invention that wins a complete victory over vibration: The Cushion-Balanced Engine Mounting. And as far as prices are concerned, several models now sell at the lowest figures in Chevrolet history. Chevrolet is able to do all this because Chevrolet has the advantage of being the world's largest builder of cars for 4 out of the past 6 years. Chevrolet builds cars in greater volume-buys materials in greater quantities-does everything on a bigger, more economical scale. Hence, Chevrolet is in a position to provide a better car at a better price than could possibly issue from any other source. The leader can accomplish what others dare not try!

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EDDY DEMOCRATS ENDORSE NEUMANN FOR DISTRICT JUDGE

given endorsements for state po- days' trip to Albuquerque. sitions at a meeting of the Eddy county democratic central comnoon. Seven endorsements were his cousins, the McCaw families. made for federal appointments, as follows: Emmett Patton of Roswell, for U. S. marshal; Ben friends. Roten of Carlsbad, fer deputy U. S. marshal; W. J. Barker of Santa Fe for U. S. district attorney; J. S. McCall of Carlsbad, for assistant U. S. district attorney; J. D. Hudgins of Carlsbad, deputy collector internal revenue; C. F. Montgomery of Carlsbad, collector of customs.

State endorsements included J. W. Lewis, Sr., of Carlsbad, district highway engineer; G. D. Macy of Roswell, state highway engineer, Lee of Carlsbad, chief clerk, state interests of his company. highway department; J. R. Holt of Carlsbad, re-endorsed for deputy tax collector; Rude Wilcox oil and gas inspector; A. E. Lusk, last week, returning Sunday. of Carlsbad, second choice for the same position. H. F. Christian of Carlsbad, position with the state tax commission; B. O. James, surveyor, state highway department; George A. Fessler, open endorsement. Also the following clerical endorsements were made: Mary C. Coffin, J. L. Cargil, Miss Edna Hays and Mrs. J. W. Arm-

J. S. Windham of Carlsbad was given first choice endorsement as state highway inspector and Jack Williams also of Carlsbad was given second choice. F. E. Little of Carlsbad was endorsed as highway patrol foreman. E. V. Albritton of Carlsbad was re-enauto license collector.

E. K. Neumann of Santa Fe, attorney general was given the Eddy county endorsement for dis- are expected from Dos Cabezes, trict judge of the fifth judicial Arizona tomorrow for a visit

J. L. Truett, democratic county chairman was given a rising vote of thanks for his activity in behelf of the democratic party this expected from Wellington, Kansas year. Miss Josephine Fessler of tomorrow for a holiday visit to Carlsbad was re-endorsed for clerk Mrs. Booker's parents, Mr. and in the county delinquent tax col- Mrs. Emery Carper. lector's office at Carlsbad.

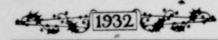
Five names were endorsed for post masters in the following seriously sick the past week folprecincts: Ray Soladay, for post lowing a relapse from her recent master at Carlsbad; J. L. Truett illness. She was reported to be for post master at Artesia; J. C. better this morning. Wyman for post master at Loving; Virgil Craig for post master at Hope; Mrs. M. C. Lee for post master at Lakewood.

Attending the committee meeting from Artesia were J. R. Atteberry, J. L. Truett, Mrs. C. R. Vandagriff, Miss Velma Richards, Rude Wilcox, Pat Reilly, G. U. McCrary, Col. A. T. Woods, Hugh Burch and J. B. Muncy.

Loose Leaf Binders, Special Ruling and Stock Forms-The Advocate

MINERION NO PORTUGEN CONTRACTOR OF THE STATE CHRISTMAS DAY

IT IS not definitely known when Christmas was first celebrated. The institution of the festival is attributed to Telesphorus, who flourished in the reign of Antoninus Plus (131-161 A. D.). The reason for the final choice of December 25 cannot now be determined. As Christianity spread, the feast of the winter solstice, the time when the day begins to increase, and light to triumph over darkness, was changed into the Feast of Christ, the Light of Life.



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LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Dexter were coswell visitors Saturday.

E. Garrett has been critically ill the past week, but

Mr. and Mrs. Bishop Lary re Several local democrats were turned last Friday from a few

mittee at Carlsbad Thursday after- Angeles to spend the holidays with ments of \$185,158.80 on lands al-

Ruby, small daughter of Mrs.

tions Tuesday. children left this morning for a vi- linquencies caused by the failure sit to Mr. Martin's parents at Blue of certain land owners to pay.

Hill, Nebraska. J. S. Noland of Midland, Texas land man for the Barnsdall Oil Roswell Drainage District was

Mr. and Mrs. William C. Scott, of Tulsa, Oklahoma, accompanied of Artesia, first choice for state Col. Woods on a trip to Santa Fe

> Mrs. William W. Scott returned to Dallas, Texas last Sunday after a weeks' visit at the home of her uncle, Col. Woods and family.

Miss Juanita Wright arrived from Las Cruces Tuesday to spend the holidays with her grandparens, Mr. and Mrs. S. Bradley.

H. C. Martin of Pecos, Texas with the purchasing department of the Santa Fe railroad, was attending to business matters here

Howard and Kirk Yeager drove their sister, Miss Helen, who is dorsed for the position of deputy teaching there and will spend the vacation at home.

> with Mr. and Mrs. Will Ballard and other relatives in the valley.

> Mr. and Mrs. Grady Booker are

Mrs. George Frisch has been

Miss Lucille Norriss will accompany her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Jernigan of Pinon, on Saturday to El Paso, where they will be Christmas guests of their mother.

Wink Hardin, Hope rancher was attending to business matters here yesterday. Mr. Hardin reports that Mrs. Hardin has been ill with the flu, but is slowly im-

Miss June Carper will go to Roswell tomorrow to be present at a dance to be given in the Women's club house by the Chum's club of which she is a member. Richard Wheatley and Miss Jeanne Wheatley are also planning to

Mr. and Mrs. Sig Iverson and children of Amarillo, Texas and Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Luther of South Bend, Indiana, who are visiting the Iversons in Amarillo, are expected tomorrow for a holiday visit to their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Van Welch.

W. E. Ragsdale has rented his home on West Main street to G. V. Price of Carlsbad, manager of Peoples Mercantile Co., who plans to move to Artesia soon. Mr. Ragsdale will occupy one of his apartments near the corner of

DRAINAGE DISTRICTS ORDERED TO PAY THE BACK ASSESSMENTS

Commissioners of the three drainage districts in the Pecos valley, Roswell, Dexter-Greenfield, G. S. Wheeler came in from Los and Hagerman, must levy assessready assessed for construction to make up for delinquent or un-Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Rester ex- paid lands within the three dis- Mr. and Mrs. Luther Frazier Frank Young of Roswell was en-Roswell, for register of the U. S. pect to go to Amarillo, Texas to- tricts, under terms of a decision and family of Albuquerque are dorsed for the position of U. S. Colin Neblett in United States few days this week. district court at Roswell.

The effect of the decision is that Smith of the Oil Field, and Jewel owners of lands within the three Kimball underwent tonsil opera- districts who have already paid their assessments will have to pay family. again up to the limits of their as-Mr. and Mrs. Carl Martin and sessed benefits to make up de-

In this case Gerald Parker, Fred L. Dickey, J. Gist Search and others were plaintiffs and the should a vacancy occur. Dwight Co., was here yesterday in the defendant. The suit was one to determine whether or not a writ of mandamus should be issued to compel commissioners of the districts to levy assessments in of Texas, formerly residents of from Hobbs Tuesday and yestercould be issued, but refused to on moving back to Lake Arthur. grant plaintiff's petition for at-

> was entered March 18, 1932, and cent from January 1, 1932.

Additional delinquencies which have accrued, and which do not appear in the original judgment for \$185,158.80, will bring the total to approximately \$270,000, attorneys said Saturday. Later delinquencies, not taken into considapproximate \$105,000, divided as follows; Roswell Drainage district, \$35,000; Hagerman district, \$27,000; and Dexter-Greenfield Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ballard district, \$43,000.

Woman's Rights Battle

In June, 1848, under the leadership of Elizabeth Cady Stanton and Lucretia Mott, the first woman's rights convention was held at Seneca Falls, N. Y.

"Father of Medicine"

In art Aesculapius is usually represented as a bearded man wearing a mantle which leaves the right shoulder and breast bare.

Can't Please Them

Give the sovereign people what they want and half of them will dislike you when they get tired of it.-Toledo Blade.

URGED FOR GOVERNOR



Mrs. Jean Springstead Whitte more, Democratic national commit tee woman for Porto Rico, has been mentioned as a likely candidate for appointment as governor of the island. Mrs. Whittemore is a native of Kansas and went to San Juan twenty years ago as a teacher.

LAKE ARTHUR ITEMS Miss Ella Ohlenbusch, Reporter

teacher, was ill with tonsilitis a few days last week.

B. C. Moots, who is working near Vaughn, was visiting his folks here Saturday and Sunday. The Lake Arthur schools will

turn out Friday afternoon for a week's vacation for Christmas. have been working near Albuquer- attorney and M. Willhoit of Lovque for the past few months are ington was endorsed for the secback in Lake Arthur.

seventh and eighth grade teacher office at Las Cruces. here for several years, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Ben Frazier and

Miss Lois Bivens, a student in Simmons University at Abilene, Texas is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. A. Bivens, during the Christmas holidays.

Miss Wilma Walden entertained with a forty-two party Saturday evening in honor of her brother, Charles Walden, who has just returned from Breen, Colorado.

Charles Doyal and son, Cecil, order to make up the delinquen- Lake Arthur, were business visitcies. Judge Neblett held that ors here the first part of the such a writ compelling that action week. The Doyals are planning

year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. ing to bring Mrs. Nola Phillips Original judgment in this case Ray E. Jackson, died at the St. home from the hospital. Mary's hospital in Roswell Sunday the order which was made Satur- morning at 11:00 o'clock. The day by Judge Neblett carries with Jacksons came to Lake Arthur a cousin, Leonard Twinen, who it interest at the rate of 6 per about three weeks ago from Texas. has been here for the past few Frances was taken ill about a months with his parents, Mr. and week ago and was taken to Ros- Mrs. J. H. Jones, left Saturday well for treatment.

D. G. Wilkins, superintendent of the Tularosa schools and Mrs. Wilkins spent a few hours in the B. W. Knoll home Sunday after- California Monday for a two over to Luna yesterday, after eration in the original judgment Miss Jewel Flowers, who visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Flowers. Miss Flowers is one of the Tularosa high school teachers.

Celebrated Christmas

APTAIN SCOTT and his men on their way to the Pole once celebrated Christmas day by having a wash in a cupful of water each, and by washing their shirts. On another occasion, after being on short rations they kept Christmas day by consuming such luxuries as raisins and chocolates for break-

fast, and for supper they indulged in four courses. First of all, there was a full whack of pemmican, with slices of horse meat flavored with onion and curry powder and thickened with biscuit, then arrowroot cocoa and biscuit hoosh sweetened, then plum pudding, then cocoa with raisins, and finally, a dessert of caramels and ginger. three to six pounds, are most in de- Palo Alto, California on November "After all this," says Scott, "it was difficult to move. Wilson and I pay a premium for heads of this View, California paper. Flamm couldn't finish our share of the plum pudding. We felt thoroughly warm and slept splendidly." But the advance was slow the following day owing, probably, to the tightening of the night before.

"A Merry Christmas," as Other Nations Say It

THIS is how the nations of the world express the wish "A Merry Christmas": France: Bon Noel; China, Tin Hao Nian; Portugal, Boas Festas; Japan, Kinga Shinnen; Turkey, Ichok Yilara; Hungary, Boldog Karacsonyi Unnipeket; Greece, Chrystovjena; Croatia, Sretan Bozic; Holland, Een Vroolijk Kerstmis; Spain, Felices Pascuas; Germany, Froehliche Weilnachtan; Sweden, Glad Julen; Italy, Felice Natale; Rumania, Cracium Felicitatiune; Bohemia, Vancoe; Poland, Wesolych Swiat; Denmark, Glaedelig Jul.

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ENGRAVING-THE ADVOCATE

DOW FAVORED BUT NOT ENDORSED BY LEA CO. DEMOCRATS

Endorsement of a candidate for the office of district judge of the fifth judicial district has become rather complicated, each county in this district having endorsed a different person for the office of district judge, which be-Mrs. Moss Spence, Lake Arthur comes vacant January 1st, by the resignation of Judge G. A. Richardson. Lea democrats meeting in Lovington Saturday agreed not to endorse any individual unanimously, but twenty nine of the

thirty-five delegates said they would support the candidacy of Robert C. Dow, Lovington attorney. William J. Barker of Santa Mr. and Mrs. Len Gibson, who Fe was backed for U. S. District retary of the cattle sanitary board. Land office; Frank Young of morrow to spend Christmas with rendered Monday by Federal Judge visiting friends and relatives a marshal of New Mexico and Emmett Patton Roswell attorney, for Miss Mae Brewer, who was the the register of the U. S. land

LOCALS

Mrs. Albert Glasser has been on the sick list the past week.

Mrs. Fred Brainard and Mrs. Clyde Guy were shopping in Roswell Tuesday.

Mmes. Myron Bruning, Albert Richards and Jess Truett drove to Roswell yesterday.

Mrs. Frank Sewell drove over day went to Roswell, accompanied by Mrs. A. L. Mount.

Anson Jones, accompanied by for his home in Ohio. Mrs. Elsie Cunningham and two

children arrived from Los Angeles, They were accompanied by weeks' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Cisco. They were accompanied by a friend, Bert Burgess. Announcements have been re-

ceived here of the birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Gelwick, on Way to North Pole former residents of Artesia, at law.

CABBAGE GROWERS CAN

New Mexico cabbage growers says H. C. Stewart, of the New meeting the market demands and cutting the cost of production, the New Mexico cabbage grower can continue to make a profit.

more exacting, and the medium Roy H. Flamm, which occurred sixed heads, which weigh from at the U.S. Veterans hospital at mand. Many dealers are willing to 9, 1932. According to a Mountain size over large heads or crops of un- shot himself over the heart on even heads. On the richer type of Armistice morning. It was thought soil, head size can be decreased by his mind was unbalanced. closer spacing. Twelve to sixteen inches in the row, and rows thirty- Lt. Flamm was employed in the six inches apart should give the de- state senate of New Mexico. He sired results under New Mexico con- was colonel aide de campe to ditions. With cheaper chemicals, Governor A. O Larrazola, deputy this is a good year to try heavier game warden, member New Mexfertilizer applications. The New Mexico Experiment Station has intendent Otero county in 1913. proven conclusively that it pays to ertilize cabbage.

follows this operation, can be lessoned if nitrate fertilizers are dissoved in the water used in the transplanting tank. When mechanical transplanters are not used, nitrate water may be applied in a small hole in which the plant is ordinarily set. About three to five pounds of nitrate to each fifty galons of water will not be too strong to damage the young plants. Carelessness in dissolving the nitrate may do more harm than good. Disease control is also important.

In some areas Black-rot has destroyed more than fifty per cent of the crop. Carefully treating the seed with mercuric compounds and crop rotation will minimize the damage of this disease. Clean seed beds are a requisite in producing

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May this happy Yuletide bring you to new joys and rich experiences that will make life sweeter and better as you journey on in pleasant associations in which you may have many opportunities to gain happiness through a life that will add to the joys of others.

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Francis Geraldine Jackson, 12 Buell drove to Carlsbad this morn- BALLOT LAW IS BASIS EARTHQUAKE ROC OF ELECTION SUIT WEST COAST THE

ALBUQUERQUE, - The constitutionality of the absentee voters A severe earthquake shook law passed by the legislature in 1927 west from Rawlins, Wyomi will be one of the points raised in Long Beach, California, at an election contest suit filed Satur- p. m., (P. S. T.) Tuesday day by three democratic candidates but damage was confined to in the Sandova county election.

ballots cast in the November election in Sandoval county be rejected on the grounds that the law is un- lins to Salt Lake City, constitutional. They claimed only rocked the entire state of Ne persons in the military and naval where it seems, from early rep service are qualified to cast absent to have been centered, tee ballots in New Mexico under a California from Long Beach strict interpretation of the present San Bernardino, in the south,

The suit alleged that 82 ballots San Francisco and Sacrame cast by voters in the Canyon and Perry Byerly, seismologi the Cabezon precinct were illegally the University of California, MEET MARKET DEMANDS rejected. They asked that these be ed to check his instruments

should not lose heart because of de- FORMER EX-SERVICE by a severe shock at 10:10 creased yields and lower prices, MAN SHOOTS SELF Mexico State College. By better IN PALO ALTO, CAL.

Older residents of Artesia may be interested in the belated an-Market preferences are becoming nouncement of the death of Lt.

After his return from France, ico police and county road super-Lt. Flamm married Mrs. Lois

Poynter in 1917 shortly before The shock of transplanting, and leaving for France. Mrs. Poynter the check of growth which usually resided here for a number of years with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Warnock.

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ST. NICHOLAS day is December 6. It is a children's festival in Holland, Belgium and parts of Germany, and serves as a preliminary to Christmas. It is on the night of the 5th that St. Nicholas comes with gifts. Christmas day is observed as a holy day rather than as a holiday.

The contestants asked that 54 stopped clocks in most places

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No injuries were reported out the central valleys, in

found his needle had been th off the drum for seven m and then thrown back on b other tremendous jolt.

The earthquake lasted 10:10 p. m. until 11:15 (12:15 p. m. M. S. T.), said and is the strongest of shocks recorded on his in ments since the disastrous Barbara earthquake in 1925 w wrecked a good portion of

SCHOOLS TO GIVE CHRISTMAS PROGR.

Two schools, the Central high school will give a Chris program at the Central auditorium Friday afternoon ginning at 1:30 with the from the Junior high scho asisting the Central. The gram based of the Christmas to will be appropriate for the se and the public is cordially in to attend.

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