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Committee Makes A Set Up For Bank Reopening

Submits Tentative Set Up At Second Depositors Meeting — The Depo- sitors And Stockholders To Supply Cash.

Consistent and continued efforts are being made to speed the re-opening of the First National Bank, closed since the national bank moratorium March 5th. A second depositors meeting held at the American Legion hut last night resulted in closer co-operation being pledged toward the reopening of a bank and a better understanding of the bank's condition. At the first depositors meeting held Friday night in the Legion hut, a committee of three were chosen to look into the affairs of the bank and make any recommendation necessary for the protection of the depositors. The meeting was called with the idea of clarifying any question about the condition of the bank and to give any information about the bank the depositors might want. Fred Brainard presided at the first meeting as chairman and asked for committee nominations, requesting the submission of eight or nine names. Out of eight names elected were Steve Lanning, and Albert Blake. The original motion made by G. U. McCrary was that Ralph Shugart be made a member of the committee. Willis Morgan was made secretary and C. J. Dexter, chairman of the depositors organization.

The committee submitted the report last night at the second meeting and in the report made a tentative set up, which recommended that the depositors supply the \$50,000 in preferred stock, together with \$8,000.00 to be put up by the stockholders. The committee was of the opinion that twenty-five per cent of the deposits set aside would supply the necessary stock fund in addition to the \$8,000 to be raised among the stockholders. The matter of supplying these funds would be voluntary on the part of the depositors, as there is no mandatory provision under which they could be made to do so. The committee further reported that is considered the \$50,000 preferred stock proposal (Continued on last page, column 1)

Miss Louise Compton arrived Saturday from Denver, Colorado where she attended the Colorado Woman's College this past year.

MAY LEASE LAND PLANTED TO COTTON

WASHINGTON, D. C. — Secretary Wallace revealed Monday that consideration is being given a plan for leasing sections of land now planted to cotton and expressed the opinion that expenditure of about \$150,000,000 for this purpose in payments to growers would have the effect of maintaining cotton prices at from 10 to 12 cents per pound.

GAS LINE TO POTASH MINE WILL START AT EARLY DATE REPORT

Gas from the Lea county fields will be piped to the properties of the United States Potash Co., east of Carlsbad by the Phillips Petroleum Company, it was announced recently. Work is to start at an early date on the new project and will give employment to a number of men. The Phillips Petroleum Co., has guaranteed to be able to supply the plant of the United States Potash Co., with gas for a period of ten years.

At the present time the United States Potash Co., is mining potash at the rate of 450 tons every twenty-four hours. A huge warehouse has been practically completed by this company at its refinery east of Loving. The warehouse which covers about a half acre will be used to store potash during the slack season.

WINS GENEVA TRIP



Sidney H. Levy, seventeen-year-old Buffalo (N. Y.) high school student who was declared the winner in the seventh annual competitive examination for high schools on the League of Nations. His reward will be a free trip to Geneva this summer as the guest of the League of Nations association.

DIST. ATTY. REESE GIVES OPINION ON DELINQUENT TAX LAW

Saturday District Attorney Geo. Reese, Jr., gave his opinion on the sales of delinquent taxes under SB144. The high points of the opinion written at Roswell are as follows: The district attorney considers it a little late to mail out notices of sale of property by ordinary mail and quotes a section of the new law requiring such notices to be mailed out by registered mail between May 1st and 15th. He refers to a former opinion advising county treasurers not to hold sales on account of lack of funds. Newspapers publishing the notice of sale would not now have time to comply with the law and county treasurers would not have time to post notices of sale twenty-one days before the sale.

The opinion then says: "I do not believe that the tax sale could be legally held in any event in the absence of the posting and publication of these notices at least twenty-one days prior to date of sale." However, the opinion declares that section 23 of the act may contain a saving clause as to make the sale valid even though notices are posted and published for a shorter time.

In the event that the tax commission is of the opinion that a legal sale can be effected under the existing conditions, the opinion declares, it would be the duty of the treasurer to proceed with the sale in the manner suggested by the commission, and it is possible that if the notices had been posted and published as required by law, the sale might have been upheld in spite of the absence of the mailing of the notices.

However, the opinion says, "I feel that in view of the positive mandate of section 36 of the act, that notices be mailed by registered mail to the delinquent taxpayers, and in view of the fact that no funds were available with which to mail these notices, that I was justified in advising you that no tax sale could be held, and I further feel that my advice to you will be sufficient to absolve you from any liability imposed by section 3 of the act, in the absence of any advice to the contrary from the tax commission or attorney general."

WELCH APPEALS

Attorneys for Gifford I. Welch, Greenfield farmer who was convicted of second degree murder in the death of Rufe Dunnahoe, Chaves county deputy sheriff, which occurred on August 2, 1931, have asked for an appeal. Arguments for an appeal were heard before the state supreme court last week.

PROTEST FEDERAL TAX

The New Mexico Oil Men's Protective Association has wired President Roosevelt protesting the proposed additional federal gasoline tax, William Dooley, secretary said Monday. The additional tax will amount to three quarters of a cent, making a total federal tax of a cent and three quarters.

APPLICATION BLANKS READY FOR FEDERAL LOANS ON THE FARMS

Bryant Williams Has The Application Blanks For Federal Loans On Lo- cal Farms Under Emer- gency Act.

Bryant Williams, sec-treas. of the Hope Farm Loan Association informs us that he has been authorized by the farm loan commission to accept loans on local farms under the emergency farm act. Mr. Williams who will be in Artesia for a few days says that his position as agent for the emergency act has no connection with his services at Hope with the Hope Farm Loan Association. He is taking applications for loans on irrigated farms, but has received no instructions as to whether these loans will be acceptable. Under a previous ruling of the federal land bank at Wichita, Kansas, loans on farms in the artemesia belt were discontinued, but Mr. Williams is of the opinion that farms watered by artesian wells will be acceptable under the new act. At least he will continue to take applications for farms watered either from a flowing well or pumping plant until notified differently.

The limit on loans under the emergency act is \$5,000 on any one farm. The loans draw five per cent interest. The loans will draw interest only for the first three years and after that date principal payments will start. Advanced information indicates that the loans may be made for a period of thirteen years with principal payments made the last ten years.

Interested parties may see Mr. Williams either at the First National Bank or the Alfalfa Association office.

DOCTOR ON INDIAN RESERVATION KILLS WIFE AND SELF SUN.

Dr. L. B. Knecht, age 39, government physician for the Mesquero-Apache Indian reservation, shot and killed his thirty-five year old wife and then committed suicide Sunday night about nine o'clock at his home on the reservation. A daughter, Mary Ann, who slept in an adjoining room was not disturbed. Dr. Knecht apparently shot his wife while she slept and then shot himself thru the temple. Dr. Knecht moved to the reservation about two years ago from Poplar Bluffs, Iowa. Ill health is thought by members of the family to have been the cause of his act. He is survived by a daughter, Mary Ann, age 17 and a son, Boyd, age 12.

MAY CALL SPECIAL SESSION

If the Glass banking bill passes in its original form it might be necessary to call a special session of the legislature, said Governor Seligman Saturday.

Plans Made To Share In Public Works

The members of the City Council and a number of citizens met with the board of directors of the Artesia Chamber of Commerce on Monday evening to outline plans for obtaining north Eddy county's share of the federal public works program soon to be granted the states by the United States government. The meeting was called by Fred Brainard, manager of the Chamber of Commerce to meet the suggestion of Governor Seligman to have a definite program ready to present as soon as a state conference is called. Governor Seligman has said that he wanted New Mexico to be the first state ready to present a definite and unified plan for launching a public works program in the various communities of the state.

As we understand it an outright federal grant will be made to the state amounting to \$4,000,000. The purpose of Monday night's meeting was to obtain an idea of the most feasible program to be undertaken in the community and one that would bring the greatest returns. Mr. Brainard suggested that citizens present discuss various needed projects and present two or more programs as first and second choice. The needed projects in their order named were: City

WOOL BRINGS NEW HIGH PRICE OF 20¢ AT ROSWELL SALE

After establishing the highest price of the season Friday for eastern New Mexico wool at Roswell, another advance was registered Saturday when J. E. Stevens sold 9,000 fleeces or approximately 90,000 pounds of wool at 20 cents per pound. Sheldon and Co., of Boston were the purchasers. Shearing of the wool contracted Saturday will start about June 15.

The best wool sale of the season made to date in the Pecos valley was announced at Roswell Friday when 16,300 fleeces or approximately 163,000 pounds was contracted by a Boston, Massachusetts firm for eighteen cents per pound. The wool contracted is said to be some of the choicest wool in the valley. Shearing will begin about June 15th and the wool will be loaded at Lovington for shipment. Eight clips were involved in the sale.

HEAVY RAINS FALL IN HOPE AREA—HAIL DOES SOME DAMAGE

A heavy rain with some hail fell west of here yesterday afternoon extending into the foothills. L. N. Barley, Hope farmer reports that the rainfall amounted to three or four inches at his place and the moisture appeared to be centered south and west of Hope. Some hail fell in the Hope vicinity, but the stones were too small to do extensive damage. Hope farmers have plenty of moisture to start planting crops. The river has been low for planting operations up to this time, but a big rise was reported on the Pecos yesterday and irrigation water is now plentiful. The rainfall extended well to the northwest of Hope also and the Felix river was said to be running bank full this morning. The rain yesterday extended down as far as the bridge on Eagle Draw.

The range to the east also received moisture yesterday, but complete information is lacking as to its extent. The Williams ranch on the Caprock was said to have been flooded with a heavy rain Tuesday afternoon.

CASABONNE YOUTH HURT

Jack Casabonne, son of Pete Casabonne, prominent Hope rancher is in the St. Mary's hospital at Roswell, suffering from injuries sustained when he fell from a horse, according to word from Roswell Monday. It was not learned how the lad was injured.

CALF CROP IS FAIR— MOISTURE BENEFITS THE DRY RANGES

Stockmen report that prospects are fair for a calf crop this season. The season is underway at a number of ranches and will probably extend to the middle of the month or after. Cattle growers estimate the crop this year will be about seventy-five per cent of normal. The range has been poor in most places with stockwater scarce in some areas. Spotted rains have aided the situation to some extent.

ANOTHER GOLD STAR MOTHER WILL LEAVE FRIDAY FOR FRANCE

Miss Cora Rogers Leaves Tomorrow For New York To Sail For Havre, France On 7th Day Of This Month.

Miss Cora Rogers, the second gold star mother to visit the battle fields of France from the Artesia section will leave here tomorrow. By way of explanation it may be said that Miss Rogers was the foster mother of her nephew, Harry Rogers, who served overseas with the 308th infantry and who was killed in action with the lost battalion. The government has extended to mothers whose sons were lost in action, the privilege of visiting the cemetery at which they were buried. Mrs. Nancy Eipper was the first gold star mother from this area to visit France, making the journey in 1931. Miss Rogers is the only gold star mother from the state leaving at this time, although others will make the trip later.

She leaves tomorrow for New York and on June 7th will sail on the S. S. Washington for Havre France. The journey across the ocean is expected to consume about six days. Miss Rogers will visit the Meuse Argonne cemetery. The itinerary of the journey in France includes a number of places of special interest in addition to the national cemeteries. The mothers will leave Europe on the 29th of June for the United States. Miss Rogers expects to stop and visit relatives in Illinois and Missouri en route home and will arrive here in the fall.

Richard Westaway, county assessor was up from his home at Carlsbad yesterday attending to duties connected with his office.

LOCATION STAKED IN JAL AREA—ACTIVITY ROUTINE PAST WEEK

Oil activity in the southeastern oil field was mostly routine for the week with one new location announced. Carter-Continental has staked a location and completed a cellar for its State No. 1, 660 feet from the north and east lines sec. 28-22-35 in the Jal sector. R. D. Compton is nearing the pay in his Eddy county test, the Brainard No. 4, SE SE sec. 5-18-27. The Western Drilling Co., is making good time on its Green No. 2 SW SE sec. 29-17-29, and is drilling below 1220 feet. Another drilling crew will be added until the well is completed. Drilling is underway on the Cecil Lockhart et al., sec. 7-17-30, Eddy county, below 400 feet.

TESTING CATTLE

Dr. O. E. Puckett, county health office has started the annual tuberculosis test in the south end of the county, assisted by a Carlsbad veterinarian.

MAY RUN FOR SENATE



Mrs. Gertrude Bowler of Sheboygan, Wis., Democratic national committee woman, who has been asked by Milwaukee county Democrats and Democrats from other Wisconsin counties to become the candidate for United States senator in opposition to Senator Robert M. La Follette in the 1934 election.

THE FIVE REFERENDA MEASURES RECEIVED AT THE STATE OFFICE

SANTA FE—The referenda issues began to be joined yesterday. Mrs. Marguerite P. Baca secretary of state announced petitions had been filed for referenda on three more laws of the 1933 legislature, making a total of six.

Warden E. B. Swope, chief of the administration's fight against the referenda, said Mrs. Baca had declined to accept the first of the counter petitions, sponsored by administration forces in an effort to defeat the referenda.

Petitions now have been filed with Mrs. Baca giving the people of the state an opportunity to vote on six laws of the 11th legislature. In the case of three, operations has been suspended until the next general election in 1934. These were the chain store tax, crude petroleum severance and the lubricating oil taxes. Petitions being sufficient against these bills Mrs. Baca issued proclamations arresting the laws.

The other three attacked and on which petitions yesterday were filed are the purchasing agency, highway debentures and delinquent tax collection laws. These petitions, carrying signatures from 24 of the 31 counties, are said to be sufficient to insure suspension of these laws too. Already Baca's force had not been able to count the signatures on the latest group and she therefore is withholding definite announcement. She is expected to say in a few days if the petitions are sufficient to stop these three laws.

MISS TURNER BROADCASTS

Friends of Miss Leola Turner, daughter of F. E. Turner, well known rancher to many of the old timers, may be interested to learn that she is broadcasting a short program over WMAQ at Chicago each Friday night from 9:00 to 9:15 mountain time. Miss Turner will be glad to hear from her Artesia friends and will especially appreciate a note or letter addressed to the broadcasting station.

MORE RAIN AND HAIL

Threatening weather here for several days had failed to bring any appreciable amount of moisture up to yesterday afternoon, although scattering showers continued to fall north and west of here in the hills. Rain and hail fell in the Weed section Tuesday evening and the rain extended as far east as YO crossing.

NO BEER SAYS NEUMANN

SANTA FE—Despite Judge M. J. Helmick's decision holding 3.2 beer non-intoxicating, the state liquor commission will not get into action until after the September 19, election, if then, Attorney General E. K. Neumann said Monday. Mr. Neumann is a member of the commission created by the Lane act, with Mrs. Marguerite P. Baca, secretary of state and Dr. J. R. Earp, state health director.

Mr. and Mrs. B. K. O'Neal of El Paso, Texas were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elzie Swift over the week-end.

Davy Talks Eight Hour Law Here Yesterday

Law Aimed At Merchan- dising Explained — Ef- fective June 9th And Will Be Enforced From June 15th.

The new eight hour law, aimed chiefly to control the working hours of those engaged in merchandising operations was explained here yesterday morning by Ralph E. Davy, state labor commissioner. A number of business men heard Mr. Davy explain the new law yesterday and after the explanation remained to ask a number of questions concerning the operation of their own business. Anyone selling merchandise of any kind, sort or description within the state, whether employers or employees, with one exception comes within the new eight hour labor law and that one exception is the man who owns his own business and receives no regular or fixed salary therefrom. He may work as long as he likes without running afoul of the law. According to Mr. Davy a man who leases a mercantile business would be classed as the owner and would be exempt from the provisions of the law. Owners of a corporate stock of a business, even though the stock is owned by the one man is classed as an employee of the corporation and he comes within the law. The same is true of partnerships and these persons must not work more than eight hours or more than six days a week.

The law becomes effective on June 9th and will be enforced beginning June 15th.

Might Pass City Ordinance
Mr. Davy explained that he was no attorney, but he was of the opinion that the City Council might pass an ordinance regulating the opening and closing of mercantile establishments. He said this was the proper way to regulate unfair competition where an individual merchant persists in keeping long hours.

Business men yesterday indicated that there would be no attempt to agree on uniform working hours at this time, but that they would try to "farm" their employees out in shifts. The present business hours are from 7:00 a. m. to 6:00 p. m.

The law requires that a record of the hours be kept by the employer and this record must be open for inspection at all times. County officers are charged with the enforcement of the law.

Barbershops, newspapers, truckers of raw materials, manufacturing plants, mechanics, farm laborers and common laborers, janitors and traveling salesmen do not come within the law.

Charles Floore returned Thursday of last week from Roswell where he had spent the week visiting his sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Kranz.

50,000 LBS. WOOL TO BE SOLD HERE SEALED BIDS TODAY

The largest sealed bid wool sale of the season is scheduled to be held here today at the Bullock warehouse, when 50,000 pounds of wool from several small clips will be placed up to the highest bidder. Present indications are that the wool will bring a good price.

Tuesday two cars or a total of 60,000 pounds was shipped to Boston, Massachusetts, consigned to the Regional Agricultural Credit Corporation. This wool is of average or better quality and is clips from the following growers: Tom Terry, John Teel, Andy Teel, R. N. Teel, M. O. Teel and Mrs. Anna Coffin.

Shearing operations have started in this district, but will not get well underway before the 15th. Approximately 155,000 pounds of wool has been handled to date thru the Bullock warehouse here.

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TREES

If you don't believe trees make a difference even in one's mental attitude, get out and ride over the plains awhile and then enter the Pecos valley where nice, big trees are not a fable. The fact that we live on the edge of the great open spaces possibly makes us appreciate trees all the more, but we have heard many plains residents express a wish that their particular section of the country could grow trees as tall as the Pecos valley. Not long ago the writer was talking with a man who had come into the valley by way of Amarillo. This man said he never saw a more welcome sight in his life than when he landed here and looked at the nice shade trees and running water.

And speaking of trees and improvements, have you driven up Main street recently and viewed the improvements underway at Puye, the home of the Girl Scouts. This place has been really transformed under the efficient supervision of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Dexter. (We include Mr. Dexter, so as not to hurt his pride, but really we understand that Dexter only takes orders). Both Mr. and Mrs. Dexter have given freely of their time and with the aid of the Girl Scouts have made a wonderful transformation which if cared for will increase its beauty as the years go by.

We have often thought too how different it would have been if the men who laid out the town would have been a little more liberal with the width of the street, especially Main street, which would have permitted the planting of more trees along the business section. Of course trees along the main thoroughfare might not be practical in every respect, but a Main street with trees would have been so outstanding that such an experiment would undoubtedly be worth the effort.

In conclusion, give the Yard and Garden and the City Beautiful contests your support. A blue ribbon may not mean anything to you, but a beautiful town with more trees, flowers and shrubs will pay big dividends outside of the satisfaction you may derive in keeping your place in order.

The cutting of trees killed by the February freeze isn't particularly a part of the City Beautiful program, but it is necessary if the appearance of the town and surrounding farms is to be maintained.

CO-OPERATION MORE NECESSARY

The wholehearted co-operation of every resident of this section is absolutely essential from now until we, as citizens, surmount our financial difficulty, which in short means the re-opening of the First National Bank. Too much stress cannot be laid on this point. We have reached a point in the affairs of the community where one individual cannot afford to look solely at his own personal affairs; reason and fairness should compel him to look to the welfare of his neighbor also.

Not only is co-operation necessary in devising ways and means of placing the bank in the best possible financial position, the same co-operation is even more essential after the bank opens. It will be up to the customers of the First National Bank to say whether the bank shall continue to function or whether the mob spirit shall prevail and the institution closed by a stampede.

The meeting of the depositors Friday evening was wholesome in every respect. It dispelled the feeling that there might be lurking in the background some deep dark secret that might play havoc with the condition of the bank in the event it was reopened. The fact that a meeting of this sort was not held sooner was due to the absence of suggestion. Apparently nobody thought of it, or rather they never thought enough of the idea to urge it with any seriousness until recently.

FIGURE IT OUT

Here it a little problem in simple arithmetic for you: You have two piles of dollars. You have been spending from one of them, and it is growing alarmingly small. So you stop spending from it, and take the dollars from the other pile instead. This, you say, is economy, and reduction of expenses. Absurd as this problem is, it is no more absurd than the antics of our legislative bodies in the matter of taxes. They shift a tax from one class of property to another—thus taking the money from "different piles"—and call it tax reduction. For government, as for individual, there is but one way to reduce taxes—spend less money.

A booklet entitled: "You Can't Turn the United States Into Cash," is a new booklet recently prepared by an insurance service. Life insurance companies, like banks have been hard hit by an unusual cash demand. A life insurance company just as a bank cannot live up to its contract with its policy holders, if the policy holders all demand cash. In fact there is not enough money in the United States to supply a medium of exchange if everybody demanded cash.

The house of the Texas legislature has passed a bill appropriating \$12,500 to cover the cost of prosecuting a suit against New Mexico to divide the waters of the Pecos river. If Texas doesn't quit squaking about how we shall manage our own river, we'll turn the darned thing around and let it flow into the Pacific ocean.

Depositors who contend the government should guarantee deposits may not like the provision so well, if the original Glass banking bill become a law. This measure would prohibit the payment of interest on deposits and would require one-half of one per cent of all deposits to set up a guaranty fund.

As a choice between Ed Swope and Bill Robinson of Carlsbad, two of the latest mentioned aspirants for the U. S. Senate, we'd choose Bill. However, looks like Carlsbad is trying to frame Bill to get him out of town.

And the democratic state central committee has set out to defeat the referendum with a counter move and will concentrate efforts in this direction in eleven counties.

Odd—but TRUE



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PICKED UP ON MAIN

Since the government is going pretty strong in entering all classes of business, we believe that it ought to reverse Huey (Hoey) Long's bill and instead of making it a crime to have more than a million dollars, make it a crime to have less than a million.

We know the subject of patronizing mail order houses has probably been overworked, but did you ever stop to think that among other shortcomings, the mail order houses can't even furnish you a pall bearer when you die.

Of the thirty-eight kinds of fatigue, the worst kind ever experienced by a man was from washing dishes.

Howard Whitson who is looking for an easy job has recently solicited the laundry work of Gandhi in India.

At this time of the year the gardener is optimistic enough to believe he can produce vegetables as big as the pictures on the seed packages.

The Jabs editor of the New Mexican sez: The idea seems to prevail in congress that the best place to balance the budget is on the back of the tax payer's neck.

Jones went to the woods in Maine to get back to nature. Did he? Yes, he got shot by mistake for a deer and was buried yesterday.

What is a debtor, dad? A man who owes money. And what is a creditor? The man who thinks he is going to get it.

Up in the northern part of the state they have classified fishermen into three classes of liars, cheerful, mitigated and damn.

The reason man is classified as the most desirable animal living is because you can skin him over and over and he still lives, whereas the fox for instance, and you can skin him only once.

School teachers may not be so smart after all. We used to hear that all work and no pay makes Jack a dull boy.

The question is how near is near beer if 3.2 beer is near near beer.

Here's a couple we swiped: Hundreds each morning I behold Along the highways walking. Some are walking to reduce; More are reduced to walking.

Here lies a lawyer! Weep if you will. In mercy, kind providence, Let him lie still. He lied for a living; so He lived while he lied; When he could not lie longer, He lied down and died.

BUILDING HAY BARN

J. G. Moutray has started construction on a large hay barn at his farm in the Seven rivers community, about seventeen miles south of here. The barn will be 100 feet long, forty feet wide and fourteen feet high.

LAKELAND ITEMS

Mrs. M. C. Lee, Reporter

Boyce Scarbrough and Frank Rodriguez are chopping cotton for R. L. House.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dauron of Carlsbad spent Sunday with his brother, J. W. Dauron.

Forrest Lee, wife and baby girl and Mrs. M. C. Lee were shopping in Artesia Monday.

Our Sunday school is rapidly increasing in attendance and much interest is being manifested in the work.

Mr. and Mrs. Bub Aaron spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Aaron's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. House near Dayton.

Ernest Millman is spending the week with his father, J. D. Millman assisting with the cattle on his ranch east of the Pecos.

Mrs. Ellis Hnulik and little daughter of near Artesia spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Norwood.

Albert Lee is at home slowly recuperating from an appendix operation at the St. Francis hospital in Carlsbad May 13th.

Mrs. B. Heard and children and Mr. and Mrs. Hawkins came in from Seven Rivers and attended Sunday school Sunday morning.

Alton Ross went to Artesia Monday to have Dr. Womack attend to his collar bone which was broken in an auto wreck a few days ago.

Ernest McGonagill motored to his father's ranch west of town Sunday morning and brought his parent's in to spend Sunday with his family here.

Vera and Lorene Angell returned home Saturday after spending a week with their uncle, Wicher Angell and family on their ranch in the oil field.

TYPEWRITERS

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

CARBON PAPER—The Advocate

Smilin' Charlie Says—



These fellers who're sayin' they won't fight if we have another war ain't figgerin' on the attitude th' girls might take toward the men in uniform — — —

EL PASO PROFITS AS EASY DIVORCE GATE

While Little Rock, Arkansas and Reno, Nevada, have been watching each other closely in envy and rivalry over the easy divorce revenues, El Paso, gateway to Old Mexico, is experiencing financial refreshment from the "tide that comes in as the 'untied' go out."

The Jaurez "easy" divorce business, which has never known a depression, is enjoying a fresh boom.

In the last six days the Jaurez civil court granted 40 divorces, the heaviest week on record, said Judge Ignacio Gutierrez Zamora.

Last year American couples obtained an average of 100 divorces a month.

The average so far this year has been 125. The number of divorces in May is expected to total 175.

The business will gross \$300,000 this year, compared to \$240,000 last year.

Californians are the best customers. Jaurez divorce lawyers have representatives in principal California cities who conduct advertising campaigns, extolling the merits of mail order separations.

NO BEER FOR CHAVES

The recent decision of Judge Helmick at Albuquerque, declaring that 3.2 beer is not intoxicating will not affect Chaves county, Chaves county officers have said. It was announced at Roswell that liquor law violations would continue to be prosecuted unless a decision was forthcoming in the fifth judicial court.

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New Problem for Tax Collectors

Wilson, Okla.—Two hundred houses was the game Carter county tax officials stalked recently, with the authority of Attorney General J. Berry King in their pockets.

The houses disappeared from their sites between tax assessment and collection time.

When 200 families moved from this once booming oil town, they took their houses with them.

The building sites remaining were not worth assessed taxes.

King held that the houses were part of the real estate and might be traced and levied upon, if found.

Many Oklahoma oil field workers live in small "Shotgun" homes, light enough to be raised on skids, hooked on behind oil fields trucks and dragged to new locations.

Others live in "ready-made" sectional homes that may be dismantled and re-erected by a couple of men in a few days.

All of which constitutes a problem for tax collectors in the oil counties where population centers shift with drilling activity.

PROTESTS ON FEDERAL AID

Governor Seligman said Friday he had wired protests to Washington regarding proposed distribution of federal road money. The present plan, which is a point of contention in congress at the moment, is to allocate the money 50 per cent on the basis of population and 25 per cent on mileage and on post roads.

"This would deprive New Mexico of a great deal of money," the governor said, "and I am protesting the arrangement. We need more money than such a plan would permit and we will get it, I hope. We have a sparsely settled states and a population allotment would be unfair to us."

The governor also said he was opposed to the five-hour day at 35 cents an hour as not being a living wage. He said if the pay cannot exceed 35 cents, then the men should be permitted to work eight hours.

If the pay can be raised, he said he favors a five-hour day with a minimum of 50 cents an hour.

SHOTGUN NOTE FORM KILLED BY LEGISLATURE

The banks of New Mexico and other money lenders for years have used a note that was so stringent in its requirements that it became known as the "shotgun" note, says the Hobbs News. It provided that the signer in case of failure to pay waived all immunity, waived service of summons, confessed judgment including attorney's fees and court costs, and waived appeal, etc., the note being a very lengthy one, providing a clause for every contingency that might arise.

The abuse of the authority conferred by the note led to much injustice, and the recent legislature endeavored to correct this by eliminating much of the matter contained in the note, and providing stringent penalties. Any person who now accepts such a note from a debtor is deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and is subject to a penalty of not less than \$50 nor more than \$500 and a prison sentence of not less than 30 days.

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Judge McGhee held court here Thursday in the office of J. H. Jackson, during which time several minor local cases were disposed of.

PERFECT RAINBOW

A perfect rainbow was visible for several minutes Friday evening, after the rain storm clouds had passed. Not only was a perfect rainbow seen, but after a few moments of visibility a second rainbow appeared above the first with a purple coloring between the unusual phenomenon.

COTTONWOOD ITEMS

Messrs. Jess Huff and W. H. Rambo motored to Weed yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Brown attended the ball game at Lake Arthur Sunday.

County Superintendent and Mrs. Ray Rodgers were visiting on the Cottonwood Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cornell of El Paso, Texas are visiting their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Matthews.

Mrs. Floy Larson and family accompanied by her brother, Tolly Parnell is visiting her brother, Ed Parnell and family.

Forty-nine attended Sunday school and church at Cottonwood Sunday. The Rev. Klassen filled his regular appointment.

Miss Alice Norris who taught school at Alamogordo the past year has returned home to spend the summer with her parents.

Messrs. George O'Bannon and Jess Huff returned last week from a visit to the World's Fair and points in Illinois and Missouri.

The Cottonwood Ladies Aid Society held an all-day quilting at the home of Mrs. G. G. Golden. They will return today to finish the quilt.

Mrs. J. A. Clayton and little daughter of Hobbs spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Terry. Mrs. Clayton was accompanied home by her sister, Miss Mary Jane Terry.

Two dances were given on the Cottonwood Saturday night. One was given at the Bruton home on Upper Cottonwood. The other was a dance and a charivari given at the Thompson home for Mr. and Mrs. Ben Thompson. Mrs. Thompson was formerly Miss Hatty Tucker. At the conclusion of the festivities, punch and cake were served.

WANTED—Clean Cotton Rags at The Advocate

NEW WORLD RECORD



Big Jack Torrence of the Louisiana State university track team broke the world's record by hurling the 16-pound shot a distance of 52 feet 8 3/4 inches. The record was 52 feet 7 3/4 inches.

Sioux "Mothers"

A little Sioux girl was brought to school by her mother. The next day she was accompanied by a different woman whom she claimed was also her mother. But with the advent of a third woman also called "mother" the teacher investigated the child's veracity, only to learn that in the Sioux language the same term applies to the real mother and to each of the mother's sisters!

Preparing Parchment

The materials on which the monks wrote their books were chiefly calf's skin or parchment. The latter was first washed, placed in a lime solution to stay for three days, re-washed, stretched on a frame, scraped and pared down to eliminate inequalities. But the task was not completed until the parchment was dusted with sifted chalk and rubbed with pumice.

When Snakes Get Hot

Snakes ordinarily are cold-blooded creatures. But when they get angry they really get hot. Scientists of the Carnegie Institution of Washington have taken the temperatures of some 1,000 snakes and found that they actually run temperatures when riled. Delicate instruments were used in taking the snakes' temperature.

Amethysts

True amethysts range in color from violet blue to deep purple. The finest specimens have been brought from India, Ceylon and Brazil, but they are common in Europe and are found also in the United States, in Maine, Pennsylvania, Delaware, North Carolina and at Thunder Bay and Lake Superior.

Monument to Wheat

In Winnipeg a monolith has been erected on the site of the mill where the first shipment of wheat from western Canada was assembled. The monolith is a 12-ton granite boulder appropriately inscribed to commemorate the shipment which left Winnipeg on October 21, 1876.

Citrus Fruits

Citrus fruits came first from China and other parts of Asia and a long time ago were introduced into the country near the Mediterranean sea and then into the western hemisphere, Miss E. M. Geraghty writes about fruits in the series of articles in Hygeia Magazine.

Seeds Carried Far

Under certain unusual conditions tree seeds may be carried for many miles. Possibly this may not occur with one seed in a million, but the fact is of great interest in explaining the occurrence of scattered specimens far from seed trees.

Milk Leads in Farm Products

Milk is the most valuable farm product. The value for a recent year is given officially at \$2,045,000,000, compared with \$1,564,000,000 for hogs, the second most valuable farm product, and \$1,375,700,000 for cotton, the third in rank.

Branch of Metallurgy

Metallography is that branch of metallurgy which pertains to the structure of metals and their alloys, as revealed mainly by microscopic examination or polished or etched sections and by the appearance of the fracture.

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CHAMPION "QUEEN"



Here is the champion winner. Miss Ruth Magden of Hollywood has won eight whistling contests; three bathing beauty contests; two beautiful back contests; four beautiful leg contests; one beautiful face contest; one long hair contest; three modelling contests, and one contest for the best horsewoman.

TEXAS TO SELL N. M. LAND \$1 AN ACRE

AUSTIN, Texas — The Texas senate Tuesday passed a house bill to permit owners of land formerly considered a part of New Mexico to obtain patents from Texas for \$1 an acre. The land, along the Texas and New Mexico boundary near El Paso, was awarded to Texas by a decision of the United States supreme court.

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Social Activities

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Announcing the approaching marriage of her daughter, Miss Nelda Wilson to Stewart Compton, Mrs. B. D. Wilson entertained Saturday evening at her home with a May-Day bridge party. Mrs. Wilson was assisted in entertaining by her daughter, Mrs. G. W. Willigrod and daughter-in-law, Mrs. Dalton Wilson each of Roswell.

Pink sweet peas with lacy fern held in May baskets which were adorned with butterflies were used as decorations. Four tables of auction bridge were played in which Miss Louise Compton was winner of high score prize and Miss Margaret Nellis the winner of second high prize. A lovely guest prize was presented to Miss Wilson.

A pink and green color note was carried out in the covers and appointments of the quartet tables which were centered with tiny green baskets filled with pink sweet peas. The same color note was reflected in the dainty refreshments. Favors were butterflies caught in tiny nets with the inscription, Nelda and Stewart, June 14th.

The guest list included: Misses Wilma Robinson, Louise Compton, Margaret Nellis, Mary Lynn Haley, Margaret Frisch, Lillian Heflin, LaRue Mann, Jeanne Wheatley, Ethelyn Cobble, and Virginia Goodell and Meses. William Compton, Marlon Graham and Carl Folkner.

UNIQUE TACKY PARTY

Miss Lucille Woolridge of Roswell was named honor guest when her sister, Mrs. A. L. Kite and Miss Cecelia Rehberg entertained with a clever and unique tacky party Friday evening at the Rodden Studio.

The spacious room at the back of the studio made an ideal setting for this party, each guest arrived appropriately costumed, some of which were unusually clever. With rugs, cushions and pillows the guests were seated on the floor in five quartet groups, and after many rounds of auction bridge a guest prize was presented to Miss Ruth French and low to Miss Elaine Feemster. Dainty refreshments were served at the close of the evening.

Those who shared this compliment with Miss Woolridge were: Misses Marjorie Wingfield, Elaine Feemster, Ruth French, Ethel Ransbarger, Velma Richards, Mary Jane Williams, Bertha Richards, Ethel Bullock and Meses. J. D. Jackson, J. O. Woods, Frank Wingfield, Roy Pior, Harold Dunn, Harold Crozier, Christine Nicholson, Lee Burns, Walter Nugent and Harry Jernigan.

CELEBRATE GOLDEN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. James Masteller were complimented Sunday when a large group of friends came as a surprise to help celebrate their golden wedding anniversary.

At the noon hour the party of friends arrived at the Masteller farm home which is on the Paris place southeast of town, with picnic baskets filled with good things to eat. Due to the weather the eats were spread inside, a lovely wedding cake which was baked by a daughter, Mrs. Lillian Taylor of Independence, Iowa was part of the menu.

Those who honored Mr. and Mrs. Masteller on this occasion were: Otice Brown and family and his mother, Frank Herbold and family, Mrs. Boyd, Mrs. Louisa Lucas, Mrs. J. Kissinger, Mr. and Mrs. Arba Green, Paul Otts and family, Martin Yates, Wm. Dooley, Mrs. James Pressley, Mrs. J. H. Naylor, Elmo and James Naylor, Miss Nola Naylor, Miss Nolie Stephens and Orson Mitchell.

BRIDGE OF THE MONTH

Mrs. Stanley Blocker was hostess to members of the Bridge of the Month club last Friday afternoon. Garden flowers were used as decorations.

Seated for an afternoon of contract bridge were: Meses. W. E. Flint, Willis Morgan, Kiddy, J. Harvey Wilson, Bildstone, Joe Hamann, Stanley Blocker and Mrs. Albert Woods. High score prize was won by Mrs. Blocker, who substituted for Mrs. Howard Whitson.

A delicious salad course was served at the close of the games. Mrs. Cash Austin and Mrs. Whitson were guests at the refreshment hour.

Mrs. Woods is a newly elected member filling the vacancy made by the departure of Mrs. Frances Hunter.

Social Calendar

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THURSDAY (TO-DAY)

Black Cat club meets with Miss Pearl Henderson at 7:30 p. m.

H. S. class of 1923 lawn party at the city park at 7:30 p. m.

FRIDAY

Cemetery Board will meet with Mrs. W. S. Williams at 2:30 p. m.

Second Evening Bridge club will meet with Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Hightower at 6:30 p. m.

Young Mothers club meets with Mrs. Howard Gissler at 2:30 p. m.

MONDAY

Library Board meets at the library at 3:00 p. m.

Chevie Six Bridge club meets with Mr. and Mrs. Willis Morgan at 7:30 p. m.

TUESDAY

Fortnightly Bridge club meets with Mrs. Frank Seale at 1:00 p. m.

WEDNESDAY

Abnormis Sapiens club meets with Mrs. Jeff Hightower at 2:00 p. m.

PARTY FOR BRIDE-ELECT

Very delightful was the spring party given Tuesday evening by Mrs. J. D. Jackson and Miss Cecelia Rehberg at the home of Mrs. Jackson on Texas Street, in honor of Miss Velma Richards who will be married to Roy Spivey June 4th.

Spring flowers were attractively arranged thruout the home. In the center of the living room a table was stacked high with beautifully wrapped gifts for the bride-to-be, who upon her arrival found a large gathering of her friends who shared the pleasure of seeing the many lovely gifts unwrapped and admired. The remainder of the evening was spent at auction bridge, high score prize was presented to Mrs. J. O. Woods and consolation to Mrs. LaVerne Vandever.

A dainty and delicious salad course was served by the hostesses at the close of the evening to the following: honor guest, Miss Velma Richards, Misses Ruth French, Margaret Phillips, Bertha Richards, Marjorie Wingfield, Lola Ward, Mary Jackson, Glenn Polk, Mary Jane Williams, Ethel Ransbarger, Meses. Frank Wingfield, Harold Crozier, J. O. Woods, A. L. Kite, Christine Nicholson, Harry Jernigan, Roy Pior, Harold Dunn, LaVerne Vandever and Mrs. Charles Renfro of Melrose.

M. E. CHURCH SOCIETY

The Methodist Missionary Society met at the church building Wednesday morning for a study class on the subject of "What the Church Teaches," with Mrs. Grover Kinder as instructor. At noon a covered dish luncheon was enjoyed in the Sunday school room and at one-thirty the ladies assembled in the church parlors to finish the study.

The business session was held at 3:00 o'clock with Mrs. E. B. Bullock leading the devotionals at which time plans were made to hold a social the latter part of June. The society adjourned to meet with Mrs. Reed Brainard the Third Thursday in June for an all day meeting.

M. E. CHURCH SOCIAL

A social at the Methodist church Friday evening which was sponsored by the Missionary Society proved a very pleasant affair in addition to netting the organization more than ten dollars.

Each guest was measured and paid two cents per foot and one cent for each inch over for admittance. A short program was rendered in which Peggy Brainard and Elsie Jernigan each favored those present with piano solos, Miss O'Leta Mounts two readings and Margaret Mahone a violin solo. A quartet composed of Earl Bigler, D. E. Buckles, Ed Watson and James Allen was very much enjoyed.

Following the program a social hour was observed after which refreshments of home made ice cream and cake was served to almost one hundred guests.

V. E. Eubank of Carlsbad formerly with the McAdoo Drug Co., has accepted a position with the Terrill Drug Co., at Hobbs as pharmacist.

MR. AND MRS. DOUGLAS ENTERTAIN CLUB

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Douglas entertained members of the Friday Evening Bridge club at their lovely home Friday evening of last week.

At the close of an evening of contract bridge Mr. and Mrs. Jack Clady received high prize and Mr. and Mrs. Boone Barnett low. Delicious refreshments were served to the following members: Mr. and Mrs. Dick Vandagriff, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Clady, Mr. and Mrs. Boone Barnett, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas and Miss Mary McCaw and John Richards, who were guests of the club.

PICNIC ON ROCKY

A group took advantage of the holiday Tuesday and had an all day outing and rest at Rocky. Members of the party who picnicked were: Mr. and Mrs. Jack Clady and little Jack, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Douglas, Mr. and Mrs. Boone Barnett and children, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Morgan and the sons, and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Vandagriff. The party left for the picnic ground after the memorial services here.

MONDAY CONTRACT CLUB

Monday at one o'clock members of the Monday Contract club enjoyed a covered dish luncheon at the home of Mrs. Raymond Bartlett.

Those who spent the afternoon at contract bridge were: Meses. Compton, L. P. Evans, Hightower, Bigler, Dexter, Alethea Phillips, John Lanning, and Bartlett. High score was made by Mrs. Hightower.

MR. AND MRS. BRAINARD ATTEND N. M. I. FINALS

G. R. Brainard who is a member of the board of regents of the New Mexico Military Institute at Roswell and Mrs. Brainard were in attendance at the finals from Saturday until Tuesday.

The Baccalaureate service was attended Sunday morning. Monday evening at 7:00 o'clock Mr. and Mrs. Brainard were among the guests at a formal dinner given by Colonel and Mrs. D. C. Pearson at their home on the campus, this being one of the brilliant social affairs of the week. They were also honor guests at the elaborate final ball at Cahoon armory Monday evening which was attended by nearly one thousand couples. The graduation exercises at Lea Hall were attended on Tuesday morning after which Mr. and Mrs. Brainard returned to their home here. Miss Jeanne Wheatley went up with them and was their guest until after the final ball.

FINAL BALL

Among those who were guests at the final ball at the N. M. I. Monday evening at Roswell were: Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Compton, Miss Louise and Kenneth Compton, Col. and Mrs. Albert Woods, Miss Emily Woods, Miss Lorita Hill, Miss Jeanne Wheatley and Melvin Jernigan.

SLUMBER PARTY

Miss Joan Wheatley was hostess at a slumber party at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Wheatley Tuesday evening.

The young ladies prepared their dinner in the evening and breakfast the next morning unaided. Joan's guests were: Misses Glenna McLean, Virginia Gates, Clementine Cobble and Elsie Jernigan.

LOWER BREAD PRICES

C. C. Pior, proprietor of the City Bakery announced yesterday that he had gone back to his former scheduled price on bread of eight cents per loaf or two loaves for fifteen cents. Sometime ago Mr. Pior raised the price of his bread to conform to a price maintained by the Roswell bakeries, but said he had decided to run his own business and make his own prices, hence the reduction in bread prices.

POPPIES NET \$63.87

Mrs. Myron Bruning, chairman of the Poppy Day committee announced that a total of \$63.87 was realized thru the sale of poppies in Artesia Saturday. Poppy Day was sponsored by the American Legion Auxiliary and the proceeds secured were sent to the war orphans and the disabled veterans.

JUNIOR PASTIME CLUB

Carolyn Seale entertained members of the Junior Pastime club at the home of her mother, last Thursday afternoon from two to four o'clock. Mary Catherine Woods received the high prize and Anna Dele Williams low. Light refreshments were served by Carolyn to the following: Nina Mae McLean, Lela Bess Mann, Marjorie Walker, Mary Catherine Woods, Florine Muncy and Anna Dele Williams.

ENGRAVING—THE ADVOCATE

MRS. JACKSON HOSTESS TO IDLEWHILES CLUB

Mrs. J. H. Jackson was hostess to members of the Idlewhiles Bridge club and a number of club guests Tuesday afternoon. Beautiful roses and garden flowers were attractively arranged in the spacious living room where a session of contract bridge was enjoyed.

At the close of the games Mrs. Jim Berry held high score. Tasty refreshments were served to the following club members: Meses. J. M. Story, Jim Berry, T. S. Cox, J. H. Myers, Arba Green, Nellis and Fred Brinard and to the following club guests: Meses. Frank Thomas, E. T. Jernigan, Mahone, Harry Rowley and Howard Williams.

MIERCOLES CLUB ENTERTAINED WED.

A pleasant session of contract bridge was enjoyed with Mrs. N. M. Baird Wednesday afternoon when she entertained members of the Miercoles club.

American beauty roses were effectively used as decorations. Mrs. C. R. Blocker was the winner of high score prize at the close of the games. A delicious refreshment course was served by Mrs. Baird to the following: Meses. Richard Attebery, Hollis Watson, Howard Williams, Aubrey Watson, Elza Swift, Edward Welsh, Mrs. C. R. Blocker and Mrs. Joe Hamann were club guests for the afternoon.

AGRICULTURAL LOANS TOTAL ABOUT \$140,000

The agricultural loans extended to farmers and stockmen by the federal government total approximately \$140,000 from this area. The applications up to date have numbered sixty-nine. One loan for \$30,000 from the Carlsbad area has been sent through the local office. The season for these loans has been practically finished.

THURSDAY BRIDGE CLUB

Members of the Thursday Bridge club met with Mrs. Lapsley for their weekly afternoon of contract bridge last Thursday.

Mrs. Albert Glasser was the winner of high prize and Mrs. Kay Lydia second high. Mrs. Alf Coll was a club guest. Light refreshments were served at the close of the games.

FOR OIL CONTROL

WASHINGTON, D. C. — The house ways and means committee Tuesday decided to open hearings on the Marland-Capper oil control bill Thursday. The proponents and the opponents of the bill will be given a chance to be heard. The measure, advocated by Secretary Ickes, gives the interior department control of oil production.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Nugent visited with his parents at Lovington over the week-end.

FISHING SEASON OPENS

The season on bass and other game fish opened today in southeastern New Mexico, where it had been closed during spawning season. Numbers of fishermen are out to try their luck. All kinds of fish are more plentiful this year and prospects are bright for an exceptional season. The season on game fish has been closed for forty-five days.

Fishing for cat above the Dayton bridge has been permitted since April 15th.

BIRTHS

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bailey Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Kinard announce the birth of a daughter Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Muncy report the birth of a daughter, Sunday morning. The new arrival has been named Yonova.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ben F. Howard of the Cottonwood Monday.

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5.50-19	"	7.90
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6.00-19	"	8.90
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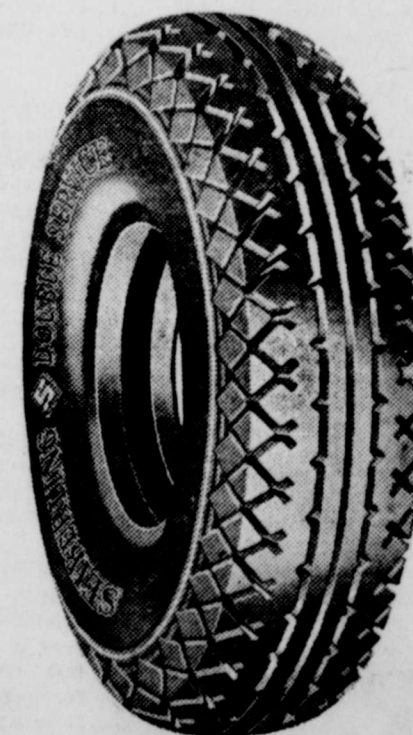
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COTTONWOOD CHURCH

REV. JOHN KLASSEN, Pastor.
Sunday school every Sunday at 10:00 a. m., I. H. Burgess, Superintendent.
Preaching every 2nd and 4th Sunday at 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m.
Everybody invited to attend, you will be welcome.

ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH OF ARTESIA

REV. F. B. HOWDEN, JR., Rector.
Services held every Sunday evening except the First Sunday in the month at 7:30 p. m.
The church school meets at 5:00 p. m.
Holy communion, second Monday of each month, and at other times as announced.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

9:45 a. m. Sunday school. C. O. Brown, superintendent.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY

613 W. Main Street
10:00 a. m. Sunday school.
11:00 a. m. Sunday service.
In the lesson-sermon entitled, "God the Only Cause and Creator," Sunday, June 4th, one of the scriptural selections taken from II Timothy, 1:7, is as follows: "For God hath not given us the spirit of fear; but of power, and of love, and of a sound mind."
A correlative passage from the Christian Science textbook states: "Good cannot result in evil. As God himself is good and is spirit, goodness and spirituality must be immortal. Their opposites, evil and matter, are mortal error, and error has no creator."

THE CHURCH OF CHRIST

Grand and Seventh
Allen Johnson, Minister
10:00 a. m. Bible Study. Pete Loving, superintendent.
11:00 a. m. morning worship and the Lord's Supper.
7:00 p. m. young people's Bible study.

8:00 p. m. preaching.
Brother Allen Johnson will preach at both the morning and evening hour. Brother Johnson is one of the best gospel preachers in the valley and you will enjoy hearing him. The Ladies Bible class will go over to Hope Thursday afternoon and meet with Brother and Sister Cox.
Come and meet with us next Lord's day for both the Bible school and preaching services. Everyone is invited to any and all of our services.

Mrs. Aletha Phillips and daughter, Miss Margaret and mother, Mrs. Hester Cutler expect to leave Friday or Saturday for Denver, Colorado, where they will visit her sister, Mrs. George H. Howes with whom Mrs. Cutler will spend the summer. Mrs. Phillips and daughter will go on to Rock Springs, Wyoming, where they will spend the remainder of the summer with another daughter, Mrs. J. M. Clarke.

Austin Reeves, Upper Penasco rancher, who underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Carlsbad hospital some two weeks ago was able to be removed to his home Saturday.

Wedding announcements, printed or engraved—The Advocate.

Living Buddha Tries a Plane Ride



His holiness, the Panshan Lama (the living Buddha), of Tibet, being assisted from the American plane in which he recently enjoyed his first trip in the air, at Peiping, China. The plane was piloted by an American airman, Julius Barr of Utah.

THE REV. ROWLAND DELIVERS MEMORIAL ADDRESS AT PROGRAM

Members of the American Legion and Legion Auxiliary participated in a fitting memorial program here Tuesday morning. Legionnaires marched from the Legion hut to the First Baptist church and from the church repaired to the Woodbine cemetery to decorate the graves of their comrades.

The Rev. F. C. Rowland, Baptist pastor delivered the memorial address, taking for his subject: "A Message of Sacrifice." The following interesting excerpts are taken from the address:

America comes to another memorial day. This day now has a new significance. Wherever Memorial Day is celebrated those who strew flowers on the graves of the blue coated dead who died that the Union might live will have in mind also the unseen dead, the khaki clad boys, sons and grandsons of those who were arrayed against each other in 1861—who loved and served a common flag and now lie buried—many in European soil. This day is made sacred by the blood of sacrifice.

As a nation, how much we owe to the sacrifice of others, "Other men labored, and ye are entered into their labors." Our inheritance from the past generations is large and rich. We owe a great debt to the men and women of former days who toiled and endured, making possible the manifold richness of our national and spiritual inheritance. The struggles, privations and sufferings of our soldier dead speak eloquently of sacrifice.

How much we owe the spirit of sacrifice as manifested on a more colossal scale in the great World War.

The appalling cost of the World War in human life is staggering. In his "Direct and Indirect Costs of the War," E. L. Boart tells us that the total known dead were ten million; seriously wounded over six million; otherwise wounded fourteen million. They saw things worth dying for. "For scarcely for a righteous man will one die; yet peradventure for a good man some would even dare to die." What made our noble patriots willing to die was that they saw and loved the noble men and institutions of their country. Beauty of liberty and justice—Glories of Christian civilization. They said, "Let us die rather than the government of the people, by the people and for the people should not perish from the earth."

Perhaps like Christ, they saw these things rather as possible than realized, but still worth pressing afterward.

Our heroes have "just gone west" they live yet—On their graves we lay our garlands and plant anew the flag they followed. Taps are sounded, a volley is fired; but their indomitable spirit survives immortal. Yes, just gone west—Over the purple hills and beyond the softly glowing rim of life's day the warrior's spirit takes its flight. Out of the morning, across the white archway of noon-tide, down to the sunset. Out of the din and clamor, out of the bitterness and strife, out of the fierce passion of the combat, into the dreamless silence whose shadows mark the pathway to the stars! Beyond earth's darkening

PUBLIC LETTERS

Lonesome Valley Rancho
Artesia, N. Mex.
May 26, 1933

To The Artesia Advocate,
Artesia, N. Mex.
Gentlemen:

You may print this if you wish. It is how I feel toward the people that I have come to make my home amongst.

I was told when I started on my way westward, you will never be able to stick it out. You won't find folks as they are here. All crooks and on the beat. But I have found the best of folks here, real people, with a real western friendship. People who are always ready to help the man who is down and out, law abiding people.

At this time I shall mention the names of only a few, while they do not live at Artesia, they are in the trade territory of the same. Nowhere will you find better folks than Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Riley, and J. P. Millman. Real western folks with western sportsmanship. However this can not be said of every family here.

Then you find the friendly store of every city. The one in the city of Artesia, is none other than the Peoples Mercantile Co., real salesmen, with the thank you smile and come again voice. Not least or last the stranger's friend in none other than a newspaper. The Artesia Advocate, the best and newest paper in the valley.

Thanking you for what space you may let me have, I shall always remain a booster of the Advocate and the best little city in the valley. I am from Scurry County, Texas.

Yours, truly,
E. E. JONES,
Box 902.

Miss Evelyn Cobble accompanied Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Kimbrough to their ranch home near Lovington last Friday. She expects to spend the summer there.

LOCALS

Charles Mack Knoedler, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Knoedler who has been quite ill for the past two weeks is very much improved at this time.

W. R. Hornbaker left yesterday for Albuquerque to bring home his sons, Wayne and Fletcher, students at the University of New Mexico, the past year.

Mrs. Sam Williams and daughter, Ann Adell, also her mother, Mrs. T. C. Wood went to the ranch with Mr. Williams Tuesday and will spend several days there.

Miss Jeanne Wheatley and Miss Thelma McCaw, Oscar Slease and LaDean McCrory spent Memorial day in Carlsbad visiting friends and while there took a swim at the beach.

Rex Wheatley spent from Monday until Wednesday at Weed with Mrs. Wheatley. Helen Meredith Gates who has been the guest of Barbara Wheatley for the past week returned to the city with Mr. Wheatley.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Brainard attended the final commencement program at the New Mexico Military Institute at Roswell Tuesday. Mr. Brainard is a member of the Institute board of regents.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cole and daughter, Hattie Ruth returned Monday from Hobbs, where they spent a few days visiting Mrs. Cole's sister, Mrs. Tex Henson and Mr. Henson. Mrs. C. E. Mann who has been a guest at the Henson home for ten days remained for a longer visit.

Mrs. Cash Austin who has been visiting her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Hightower, and sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Blocker, for the past three weeks left today for her home at Farmington. Dr. Jennie Roabacher who came down with her for a rest returned to Farmington with Mrs. Austin.

LOCALS

Mrs. M. C. Lee of Lakewood was shopping in town Monday.
Mrs. Nancy Eipper is able to be up again after several days' illness.

Mrs. Chas Rogers is reported seriously ill at her home south-east of town.

Kirk Brookshire of Roswell spent Tuesday here with his sister, Mrs. Nevil Muncy.

Cavitt Jackson spent last week as a guest at the Sam Williams ranch out on the Caprock.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hamann and Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Watson and daughter spent Sunday at Cloudcroft.

Melvin Jernigan is in Roswell several days this week supplying for one of the boys at the Kipling confectionery.

Mr. and Mrs. Deek Phillips have moved up from Carlsbad and will make their home with Mr. Phillips' mother on West Main street.

Norman Grimm who is stationed in the Sacramento mountains near Highrolls with the C. C. C. spent the week-end here with his mother, Mrs. Mary Grimm.

Bert Muncy and family were at their ranch north of Roswell Tuesday and Wednesday. Bert, Jr., remained at the ranch with his grandfather and mother Chatten.

Mrs. John Prude returned this morning from an extended visit with relatives and friends in California. Mrs. Joe Clayton, who accompanied her remained for a longer visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cooper of Carlsbad stopped for a short visit with their grandmother, Mrs. Elizabeth Cooper Sunday as they were en route to Roswell for the finals at the N. M. M. I.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jernigan, Miss Ruth French and Miss Frances Johnson of Hope drove to Alamogordo Saturday, where Miss Johnson visited with relatives, and Charles Horne joined the rest of the party for a day in El Paso.

Mrs. Tom Shipp and small daughter and her friend, Mrs. Bob Allison of Ft. Worth, Texas who have been visiting Mrs. Shipp's parents, Judge and Mrs. G. U. McCrary for the past few weeks expect to leave for their home today.

Mrs. Ralph Shugart and children expect to leave on the afternoon train today for Marion, Indiana, where they will visit with her mother and sister for several weeks. Mr. Shugart will probably make a trip east later and return with them.

A. A. Malphurs, former local manager of the Western Union Telegraph office was here yesterday arranging to move his household goods to Santa Fe where he has been transferred. A. T. Woelk who has served as manager here for several weeks will remain for the present.

horizon, thru the curtained gloom of night, far upon the shoreless sea of fadeless light. Out of the agony of life's Gethsemane, over the quaking summit of Calvary, into the realm of glory, where God's banners never furl, where victory is sure. So the stainless knight of stainless cause moves down the west, where earth's last glimmer fades and dies, and into God's spreading dawn, whose light is eternal, whose breath is cool and sweet—Gone West.

Italian Submarines at Boston



These two Italian submarines, the Ballilla and the Milllire, were photographed at the Boston navy yard as they were taking on stores and fuel. They came over to patrol the Atlantic during the projected flight of Italian planes from Italy to the World's fair in Chicago.

Donald Pior is spending two weeks with his grandfather, J. R. Litchfield at McLean, Texas.

Miss Florine Muncy visited in Carlsbad Monday and that evening had as her over-night guests here, Miss June Brookshire of Roswell and Junior Burks of Carlsbad.

Mrs. Harry Rowley, her son and daughter, Miss Lucille Rowley returned Saturday from several weeks' visit with relatives at various points in Oklahoma.

Among those who were Roswell visitors Memorial Day were: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Linell, Mrs. Alta Linell, Mrs. Albert Richards, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bildstone, Miss Effie McCaw, and Miss Mary McCaw.

Miss Elizabeth Gage and Elmer Skuse returned to State College at Las Cruces Wednesday after spending the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Gage, they went as far as El Paso with John Stephens, who was driving over.

Miss Irene Stuart drove over to Jal Sunday with a party of young folks. She remained for a few weeks' visit at the homes of her brothers. Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Dew, Jr., returned with the party and will visit for some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Stuart.

O. E. Coalsen, formerly manager of the dry goods department of the Peoples Mercantile Co., at Artesia and Carlsbad has accepted a similar position with this company at Hobbs. Mr. and Mrs. Coalsen moved to Hobbs last week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Paddock of El Paso, Texas visited her mother, Mrs. Attebery and other relatives Monday of this week. Miss Janette Williamson of El Paso came with them for a visit with her sister and family, Mrs. Bert Bishop.

The total numbers of visitors at the Carlsbad Caverns for the month of May was 5,445 as compared with 5,565 for May 1932.

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

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

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN:
That a decree of foreclosure and
sale was on the 27th day of January,
1933, made and entered in
that certain cause in the District
Court of Eddy County, New Mexico,
wherein Cesarine A. Kerr is the
plaintiff and Eunice M. Ballard,
C. L. Ballard, Johnnie Opal
Ballard, J. G. Ballard, Rena Ballard,
Willemma Ballard, the unknown
heirs of Wm. H. Ballard, deceased;
R. F. Ballard, Administrator de bonis
non of the Estate of Wm. Ballard, deceased;
Gross-Miller Grocery Company, a corporation;
W. W. Phillips, R. L. Bradley, Bank
of Commerce of Roswell, a corporation;
W. T. Joiner, W. F. Glasier, Joyce-Pruit
Company, a corporation; Southwestern
Public Service Company, a corporation;
Ed Williams; Will Purdy; Harold Hurd;
Herman R. Crile; Carlton P. Webb; The
Eddy County Abstract Company, a corporation,
and all unknown claimants of interest
in the premises described in the complaint,
adverse to the plaintiff, are defendants,
such cause being numbered
5399 on the Civil Docket of said
Court, wherein and whereby the
undersigned James S. McCall was
appointed Special Master and as
such instructed and given power
and authority to offer at public
sale and sell to the highest and
best bidder for cash the herein-
after described property covered
by the real estate mortgage sued
upon and foreclosed in said cause,
to satisfy the following amounts,
which were therein found to be
due from the defendants Eunice
M. Ballard, C. L. Ballard and
Johnnie Opal Ballard, and a first
and prior lien on said property,
said amounts being:
(a) Principal on Judgment
-----\$9,287.62
(b) Interest on Judgment
to date of sale ----- 420.70
(c) Attorney's fees ----- 935.00
(d) Court costs ----- 42.26
(e) Court costs to accrue
herein and expense of
sale -----

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN
That the undersigned as such
Special Master will, in accordance
with said decree of foreclosure,
and in order to satisfy the above
sums of money, on the 22nd day of
June, 1933, at the South front
door of the Court House in Carlsbad,
Eddy County, New Mexico,
at ten o'clock A. M. on said date
offer at public sale and sell to
the highest bidder for cash all of
the right, title and interest of the
defendants in said cause in and to
the following described property,
included in and covered by said
real estate mortgage, to-wit:
Lot 9, 11, 13 and 15, in Block
8 of the Original Town of
Artesia, New Mexico as same
appears of record on the official
plat thereof on file in the
office of the County Clerk at
Carlsbad, New Mexico.
The terms of said sale are that
the purchaser shall pay cash at
the time the property is struck
off to him.
J. S. McCALL,
20-21-4t Special Master.

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE
ESTATE OF ELIZA J. BROOKS,
DECEASED.
No. 660.

NOTICE OF HEARING FINAL
ACCOUNT AND REPORT

TO: Lucy Brooks, Fred S. Brooks
and Frank J. Brooks, the unknown
heirs of Eliza J. Brooks,
deceased, and all unknown persons
claiming any lien upon, or
right, title or interest in, or to
the estate of the said Eliza J.
Brooks, deceased:
You and each of you are hereby
notified that Frank J. Brooks, Executor
of the Estate of Eliza J. Brooks,
deceased, has filed in the
above entitled Court and cause,
his Final Account and Report as
such Executor, and the said Court

THE FAMILY NEXT DOOR



LOCALS

C. R. Coffin, Hope rancher was trading in town Saturday.
Bobbie Feather is spending this week at the Kimbrough ranch near Lovington.
Mr. and Mrs. Rude Wilcox and children spent Sunday at Lovington with Mrs. Wilcox's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Boston Witt.
Mrs. Lawrence Wilde came down from her home at Weed Monday and remained until Wednesday visiting relatives and friends.
Mrs. Margaret Ellis and Guinevere visited Miss Inez Blakney who is at the Wendell Welch home in the oil field over the week-end.
Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Kimbrough and daughter, Miss Evelyn were in from their ranch near Lovington Friday and spent several hours visiting friends.
Gayle Manda and wife arrived Sunday from their home at San Bernardino, California and will visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Manda until Friday.
Edgar Williamson of El Paso, Texas spent a few days here the past week looking after property interests and visiting his sister, Mrs. B. A. Bishop and Mr. Bishop and family.
Mrs. J. J. Rodden of Roswell paid a visit to the Rodden Studio of this city Saturday evening. Miss Lucille Woolridge who has been a guest of her sister, Mrs. A. L. Kite returned to Roswell with Mrs. Rodden.
Mr. and Mrs. Keith McCrary and children were here from their home west of Roswell Thursday evening of last week and again Saturday returning on Sunday. They were guests at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. U. McCrary.

PLANES-LINERS TO CUT TIME OVERSEA

Project Would Make Galway, Ireland, Transfer Point.
Dublin.—The plan to bring New York within three and one-half days of Europe by a combined air-line-ship service was brought a step nearer completion with the filing of the prospectus of the Irish Trans-Atlantic Corporation, Ltd.
The idea back of the scheme is to build a mammoth dock and air field at Galway, Ireland. Passengers landing there from oceangoing liners could transfer to air liners making connections with the principal capitals in Europe.
In the prospectus Sir John Purser Griffith, whose firm is acting as consulting engineers, states a profitable business concern should be built up if the harbor scheme is wisely developed.
"The capital outlay necessary for all harbor works, jetties, shed and buildings for the first stages of the development would be \$10,000," he says in the prospectus. "The estimated outgoings are 7 per cent on \$10,000,000 or \$700,000 a year or \$13,400 a week.
"If the service between Halifax or New York and Galway was carried on by the same vessels as run between Southampton and New York, with two sailings per week; and if the Southampton statutory rate of \$330 a ton was charged on 50 per cent of the gross registered tonnage the weekly receipts would amount to \$13,850.
"The above figures show that the port dues from two Atlantic liners per week would be sufficient to cover all the estimated outgoings.
"The reduced distance of the sea voyage from Halifax to Galway will enable one liner to make a complete outward and homeward journey in two weeks, instead of three weeks as at present between New York and Southampton. This would reduce the number of liners in commission."
Turkey to Admit Women to Diplomatic Corps
Istanbul.—Turkey intends to admit women to the diplomatic service very soon.
From long before the war one of the most backward nations in the world so far as the treatment of women was concerned, Turkey is becoming, under Mustapha Kemal, its soldier ruler, a land of real emancipation.
Girls who were born in the harem are now training for posts in the mercantile marine.
Next are to come the "attachettes" posted to the leading embassies and legations of the world.
Washington, London and Stockholm are among the capitals to which woman diplomats would be sent.
Paris and Rome, owing to the lack of political significance of women in those countries, would be excluded.
Examinations for these diplomatic posts will at first be confined to girls who have male friends serving Turkey abroad.
A bill to admit women to the service will be put before the Turkish national assembly, and it is expected to be passed with little opposition.

HEALTH COLUMN

Conducted by Dr. J. R. Earp, Director, New Mexico Bureau of Public Health.
CANCER
The first person to describe the microscopic structure of cancer was Johannes Mueller who lived between 1801 and 1858. "The microscope is more valuable today" says a national cancer authority, "than in the days of Johannes Mueller. In the beginning cancer is a microscopic disease, and the only way to detect cancer is by the microscope. Some cancers have been cured when they had reached the stage in which they can be recognized clinically, but the per cent of such cures is relatively small."
The same writer points out that the removal of a small part of the body for examination under the microscope is itself a serious undertaking. It is called biopsy. And biopsy should only be done by an experienced pathologist. To cut down the deaths from cancer we are told that two requirements must be met. More people must go regularly to their physicians for health examinations. Whenever suspicious lumps or sores are found by the doctor at such examinations the patient must be referred to a specialist in biopsy. The recognition of cancer in the early microscopic stage means hope for cure and the possibility of a cure at comparatively small expense. Late cancers are very expensive affairs involving extensive operations, great suffering and all too frequently ending fatally at last.
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ANTI-TRUST LAWS SUSPENDED ONE YEAR

WASHINGTON, D. C.—The senate Saturday passed the administration's railroad economy bill. The measure suspends the anti-trust laws for one year to permit a federal co-ordinator and three regional committees of eastern, western and southern railroad groups to work out economies in operations by elimination of duplicating services, provisions for joint use of terminals and trackage, and financial reorganizations to reduce fixed charges and improve carrier credit.
The bill also has two permanent features—a provision for repeal of the recapture clause of the transportation act under which the roads have been required to pay back to the government one-half of earnings exceeding six per cent—and another calling for federal regulation of railroad holding companies.
The senate then made its pending business the independent offices appropriation bill, carrying sharply reduced funds for veterans.
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TAX MOTORISTS AT RATE OF \$800,000 PER MILE:

NEW YORK—New York motorists will pay more than \$800,000 per mile for state roads during 1933! Last year state roads cost then only 130,000 per mile!
State Highway Commissioner Arthur W. Brandt has announced the state will build 100 miles of state road during 1933, as compared with 640 miles in 1932 and 1,000 miles in 1931. But motorists will pay roundly \$80,000,000 in taxes, half in gasoline taxes and the rest in registration fees. These figures are based upon 1932 tax collections, which exceed \$40,000,000 in the case both of gasoline taxes and registration fees.
The state is appropriating \$8,000,000 for highway maintenance and \$5,000,000 for new construction or \$13,000,000 in all. With a tax income of \$80,000,000 during the year, this bill will be fully paid by the motorists in less than three months. Last year \$24,000,000 was appropriated for state roads, or less than one-third of what the motorists paid in taxes.
One-third of revenue from the state's 3c gasoline tax now is diverted to unemployment relief. Twenty per cent of the income from the remaining 2c goes to the counties, and five per cent to New York City. There is an additional federal tax of 1c per gallon.
WANTED—Clean Cotton Rags at The Advocate.

REFERENDA PETITIONS ACCEPTED BY STATE

SANTA FE — Administration wheels were expected to start turning next week to climb back up the hill in a fight against three referenda petitions accepted Saturday by the secretary of state.
Petitions bearing upwards of 60,000 names nearly half the voters of the state, were accepted by Mrs. Marguerite P. Baca, secretary of state, against the chain store tax bill, lubricating oil tax and the severance tax.
Governor Seligman said he had been notified of the chain store tax petition acceptance and was turning the memorandum to the secretary of state over to Attorney General E. K. Neumann for. This was taken to indicate the administration will wage a hard battle to kill the petitions.
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Henry Ford
Dearborn, Mich.
May 22, 1933
I suppose that I may claim to be the first Ford Dealer. I not only made cars, but sold them and frequently delivered them myself.
The "drive away" is not new; often I have driven cars from Detroit to towns in Ohio or Indiana or Michigan to make delivery.
There were no good roads in those days, and the people where I drove had never seen a motor car before.
My first really enthusiastic customers were Country Doctors. They were the first to realize the value of dependable transportation to a widely scattered practice.
Even today I occasionally hear from some of those first Ford users. We had to teach local mechanics how to care for the cars. That is how Ford Service began, which is now found everywhere in the world.
We believed from the beginning that a sale does not complete our transaction with our customer — it creates upon us an obligation to see that our customer's car gives him service. Ford Dealers know their duty to the public in this respect.
I can say of Ford Dealers generally that they have been and are men of character and standing in their communities. Most of them have been with us many years, which indicates that we agree on basic business principles. The Company provides that the methods used to sell the Ford car are consistent with the self-respect of the Dealers who handle it.
The present Ford V-8 is the peak of our 30 years experience. We have never made a better car. Its eight-cylinder engine is powerful and smooth running. The car is admittedly very good looking and has comfortable riding qualities. It is economical in operation because of advanced engine design and low car weight. It is the fastest, roomiest and most powerful car we have ever built.
Henry Ford

Artillery Chief Shows a New Gun



Gen. H. G. Bishop, chief of the field artillery (left), demonstrating a miniature field gun, which he invented, to members of the house military affairs committee. General Bishop got the idea for the gun, known as a trainer, T-5, while he was a patient at Walter Reed hospital, and perfected the gun after his recovery.

FARMERS WANT TO KNOW MORE ABOUT FARM ADJUSTMENT

Many farmers are asking us how and when the new farm adjustment act will be put into effect in New Mexico, but we are not yet in a position to give definite information, says L. H. Hauter, agricultural economist of the New Mexico State College.

Because most crops were seeded before the act was passed, plans will have to be adjusted to meet this situation. There is no longer any need to rush plans in an attempt to control 1933 plantings, but definite plans will be formulated by the secretary of agriculture just as rapidly as hearing can be held. Hearings at which producers, processors, distributors and consumers of farm products will be represented, will be one of the first steps in the administration of the act.

Before the secretary of agriculture, under the powers conferred upon him by the act, issues any regulations, he will consult groups concerned. Should production or acreage control be undertaken on a given commodity? If so, how much should the tax be? What could be accomplished for the commodity by trade agreements?

While the act was before congress, Secretary Wallace in discussing it said, "The philosophy of this bill, as I see it, is to enable producers and processors to work together in bringing order out of the present chaos. They are given the opportunity to work together to make adjustments in production and prices that are fair to the producer, harm no legitimate interest of the processor, and maintain the just interest of the consumer. The normal situation, as I see it, is one in which the producers and processors, working together, are able to draw on each others' knowledge and experience, and with the centralizing power of the government, use that knowledge and experience in such a way as to adjust production to consumption intelligently and practically."

Hearings are necessary for each commodity because the program must be applied differently to different products. A method that might successfully regulate the production and increase the price of wheat, might not accomplish the same purposes for cotton or hogs. The individual characteristics and needs of the different commodity groups must be considered in choosing methods and in applying them.

Marketing and other economic conditions will change from time to time and the application of the program must be altered to meet these changes. Hearings on the different commodities will keep the secretary of agriculture and the other administering officers in touch with the current and changing situations.

LIGHT RAIN HERE

A light rain fell here Friday afternoon, amounting to .13 inches or rain. Spotted showers fell over this section the same afternoon. The moisture was heavier between here and Hope.

Dave Runyan reports that a fine rain fell on his ranch northwest of here Friday afternoon. Water holes were filled and branches and streams in the vicinity ran bank full for several miles.

Wedding announcements, printed or engraved—The Advocate.

RED BLUFF PROJECT TO BE STARTED SOON

In anticipation of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation's approving the project and appropriating the money, plans have been perfected for work to begin at once upon the construction of the proposed Red Bluff reservoir and power plant, it is reported at Pecos. The facts in the case have been laid before the corporation by a delegation of Pecos citizens who went to Washington recently for that specific purpose.

Contracts for the construction of the dam and power plant and transmission lines, together with the award of contracts for the major materials have been made. It is estimated the project will give employment to about 500 men for approximately two years.

The hydro electric power plant will generate power that is much needed in this vicinity. It is estimated the revenues from this plant will pay nearly two-thirds of the cost of the reservoir, power plant and transmission lines. A large portion of the proposed power already has been sold.

Fifty-six years ago farmers began moving into the Pecos valley and began the construction of irrigation canals and laterals fed from the Pecos river. Seven distinct systems eventually were constructed at a cost of several million dollars. Increased development of irrigation alone has so decreased the water supply during the irrigation season that now less than one-half of the lands that used to be watered are now being farmed.

The proposed dam is to store winter and flood waters, holding them for the season when more water is required than the Pecos river now supplies.

OFF GOLD STANDARD BY LAW

WASHINGTON, D. C.—President Roosevelt has decided that the United States should go off the gold standard by statute. Friday he requested Chairman Steagall, of the house banking committee, to introduce a resolution to place the nation off the gold standard by law.

Under the resolution no bonds, no obligations of federal government and no obligations of any form, have to be paid in gold or gold currency.

Chairman Steagall said it would be possible for foreign debtors to pay the United States war debts in any legal money. The law would make it necessary for the president to devalue the gold dollar under the inflation provisions of the farm relief act.

SACRAMENTO CAMP OPERATING WITH ABOUT 200 MEN NOW

The Sacramento camp of the "forest army," began operation Monday. The program calls for a varied program of work. The men will do road work, build telephone lines, clear fire lanes, clear up timber slash, etc. The first contingent was 108 men including six officers. Since there have been added 40 men who went up the middle of last week, there 19 more. Saturday a quota of 30 men was secured who are experienced timber men, but whose ages did not have to be within the limits of 18-25. These men were selected from this vicinity. They receive the same pay as the recruits.—Alamogordo News.

LAND OFFICE HAS INCOME INCREASE

Receipts of the state land office from gas and oil fees and rentals last month exceeded the same period of a year ago by nearly a fourth, Frank Vesely, state land commissioner, said last week. Last year the receipts were \$45,411 and this year are \$10,012 ahead of that figure.

The department has set a goal of \$1,000 a day for this month, Sundays and holidays included, and thus far is exceeding that figure indicating another banner month over last year.

The department is handling about 20 assignments a day at the rate of \$5 each in addition to rentals.

Legion Remembers World War Dead



CHARLES H. KNIGHT, chairman of the Memorial Day Committee of the American Legion in the District of Columbia, laying a wreath on the Argonne Cross on Memorial Day. The Argonne Cross, a beautiful memorial of Vermont marble, marks the World War section in Arlington National Cemetery.

Woodpeckers of Different Kinds; Never Abundant

The red-bellied woodpecker, sometimes called the ladder-backed woodpecker or the zebra bird, is not a migrant. Like the common downy and hairy woodpeckers he stays with us all the year. But he is abundant at no season, and he frequents the remoter woods. He is seen probably more frequently in winter than in summer, because the trees are leafless. Most of my records, says a writer in the Cleveland Plain Dealer, of this strikingly handsome bird have been made in the winter months.

All our woodpeckers have red feathers on their heads, even the likable pebbledownies. The red-bellied woodpecker has a red head, and so strikingly red that he is well named the red-headed woodpecker. This bird is a migrant. He does not really belong here in the winter, but like the meadowlark and the robin and the bluebird and several other common birds he sometimes stays with us. Numbers of red-headed woodpeckers are frequently seen in Ohio in winter.

But when friendly strangers inform me that they have seen a "red-headed" woodpecker I am inclined to be a little dubious. It might have been a true red-head, but then again it might have been some other species with red feathers on its head.

Patents Not Granted on Mere Idea or Suggestion

No patent may be granted on a mere idea or suggestion. The patent office requirement is that "there must be a complete description of the invention and it must be accompanied by drawings suitably illustrating the same if it is of a machine or other device which can be illustrated. If the device is not operative and not so clearly set forth as to make it capable of manufacture from the description, no patent can issue."

Models are not necessary, however, and will not be received by the patent office unless it requests them. It is not required by law that a patent attorney be engaged. But, says a pamphlet issued by the office, "the preparation of an application is a highly complex proceeding and generally cannot be conducted properly except by an attorney trained in this specialized procedure."

"The inventor, therefore, is advised to employ a competent patent attorney, as without skillful preparation of the specifications and claims, a patent grant is of doubtful value."

The life of a patent is seventeen years.

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

JUDGE RULES THAT 3.2 IS NOT INTOXICATING

Brushing aside technicalities and ignoring legislative definitions that are not reasonable, Judge Milton J. Helmick of the second judicial district, of Albuquerque, rendered a decision Thursday holding that beer containing 3.2 percent alcohol is not intoxicating, and therefore may be sold lawfully under the constitution and statutes of New Mexico.

Judge Helmick's decision affects more people than any other decision ever rendered in a New Mexico court. The decision was in the case of E. E. Hamm of Candelaria road, Albuquerque. Hamm was arrested and prosecuted under a charge of selling intoxicating liquor. The court held that since 3.2 beer is not intoxicating in fact, the defendant had not been guilty of selling intoxicating liquor.

Until and unless the Helmick decision is reversed by the supreme court of New Mexico, 3.2 beer may be sold anywhere and by anybody, just as ginger ale and grape juice are now being sold. The only restriction is that the vendor of beer must pay for a federal permit, the cost of which is nominal.

However, there is no provision under which the state of New Mexico can collect any tax from the sale of beer.

OPEN SEASON ON N. M. ANTELOPE IN OCTOBER

SANTA FE—An open season on antelope October 1 to 5 in Socorro and Catron counties was decided on Saturday afternoon by the state game and fish commission as it considered mostly routine matters.

Not to exceed 150 permits will be issued for antelope in those two counties, according to State Game Warden Elliott Barker. He said practically the same regulations as in previous years would govern the season this year. The commission late Saturday started an inspection trip of fish hatcheries.



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MUST CUT PAY TO GET LOANS FROM R. F. C.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Without waiting for enactment of pending legislation, the reconstruction corporation has decreed that corporations coming to borrow from the government must cut salaries of their executives to reasonable figures.

The new policy actually went into effect last week on the Southern Pacific, given loans totaling \$23,200,000, on condition that salaries above \$100,000 be reduced 60 per cent and others proportionately. The road has been noted for paying its officers well.

A bill now nearing passage in congress originally barred from borrowing all companies paying salaries above \$17,500, but it was amended to require that the earnings of executives must be reasonable.

Wages of railroad labor are not affected.

REBUILDING HAY BARN

Col. Woods is rebuilding a large hay barn, located near the central part of his farm.

ECONOMIC AIMS OF AMERICAN DELEGATES

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Here are the chief aims the American delegates will carry with them to the world monetary and econetary conference in London:

- 1.—Stabilized currencies to end uncertainties and form a sound basis for international trade.
- 2.—Lowered tariffs and other trade barriers to revive commerce.
- 3.—Increased prices for basic commodities, particularly wheat and silver; production control agreements on surplus agricultural products.
- 4.—A world-wide program of government-sponsored public work to provide employment.
- 5.—Credit expansion thru central bank action with a view to reviving industry and creating jobs.

SHIPS CATTLE

Watson Brothers shipped twelve cars of range cattle to Gordon, Texas Monday, where the cattle will be placed on grass.

Typewriter kidnappers—The Advocate

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Committee Makes—

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to be subscribed by local people out of the picture at this time. A tentative set up recommended by the committee follows:

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts	\$243,344.10
Overdraft	244.12
Bonds	161,610.75
Stock Fed. Reserve	1,800.00
Bank Building	10,000.00
Furniture Fixtures	2,500.00
Other real estate	7,468.96
Redemption Fund	2,500.00
Cash	128,008.79
Total	\$557,376.72

LIABILITIES

Capital stock	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus	4,927.20
Preferred stock	50,000.00
Circulation	50,000.00
Bills payable	111,456.37
Deposits	290,993.15
Total	\$557,376.72

Albert Blake, one committee member asked to be relieved of his duties at an early date, in as much as he planned to be out of the state this summer. C. J. Dexter, the presiding chairman announced the appointment of T. H. Flint to succeed Mr. Blake. The depositors also voted to let the committee continue any necessary work and to give it such liberties as might be deemed necessary in further investigating the bank.

In reading a four page type-written report prepared by the committee, Steve Lanning, member said they had found nothing irregular in the affairs of the bank. Comparative statements were displayed on the blackboard, showing the examiners report and the statement of the committee with necessary deductions made for charged off paper.

In the general discussion which followed the committee's report, a number of depositors led by E. B. Bullock were insistent in getting a yes or no answer from the treasury department representatives on the tentative set up submitted. It was agreed to let the proposition be submitted thru Hollis Watson, conservator, however it is not known at this time just what course Mr. Watson will pursue, although he has said that he would co-operate in every way with the committee and would notify Chief Bank Examiner Collier today, informing him of the action taken by the depositors.

While those in close touch with the bank are very much pleased with the recommendations of the committee, it is felt that the department may still insist on outside money to strengthen the cash position of the bank. The committee is to be congratulated on its splendid work and it is hoped that the department will accept the set up as outlined above.

EXPERTS INSPECT SECTION FOR SUGAR BEET SEED YIELD

H. A. Elcock of the sugar plant office at Washington, D. C.; J. C. Overpeck, agent of the bureau of plant industry, State College; C. L. Englehorn, soil specialist, State College and J. D. Tinsley, agricultural agent of the Santa Fe Railroad arrived in the county yesterday to confer with W. A. Wunsch, county extension agent, in regard to the possible sugar beet production. While here they will check the sugar beet seed plant at the G. R. Howard farm at Loving.

These men were here yesterday afternoon and stated they were highly pleased with the possibilities of growing sugar beet seed in this section. Mr. Elcock said that sugar beet plants in the Las Cruces area yielded about 2,000 pounds to the acre, which sold for 8½ cents per pound, netting the grower a gross profit of about \$170.00 per acre, less about \$55.00 per acre production cost. The sugar beet seed plant on the Howard farm at Loving, which was inspected yesterday will yield 2,000 pounds per acre according to estimates made by Mr. Elcock.

TAX SALES UNLIKELY

The state tax commission has urged all county treasurers to hold tax sales under the new law, regardless of whether or not funds are available for mailing out notices. The commission has requested that the notices of sale be sent by letter, if no funds were provided for the registration fee. Joe Johns, county treasurer, in a statement issued Saturday said that he had passed the whole matter up to District Judge McGhee and District Attorney Geo. Reese, Jr., and will do nothing until advised by those in authority.

WOODIN TO REMAIN

President Roosevelt is going to keep William H. Woodin at the treasury despite the clamor for his ouster since his name was found on a list of J. P. Morgan and Company's preferred customers. Furthermore the president intends to keep intact his whole official family, cabinet and assistants, to administer the unparalleled powers conferred on him and them to combat the economic emergency, according to dispatches from Washington.

FEW MARRIAGE LICENSES

The new Texas law repealing the gin marriage act has evidently had its effect on border counties in New Mexico. There were only three licenses issued by the county clerk over the week-end and these were to Pecos valley couples.

LAKE ARTHUR ITEMS

Miss Ella Ohlenbusch, Reporter

E. C. Jackson made a business trip over various sections in Texas last week.

Miss Gertrude Bradley is spending this week in Carlsbad visiting Mr. and Mrs. I. R. Funk.

Mr. and Mrs. John Turner of Roswell are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Oran Smith and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Slade of Hagerman were week-end guests of Mrs. Slade's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben McLarry.

Miss Bessie Looney of Artesia returned to her home Friday after spending the week with Miss Vernelle Thomasson.

Mrs. J. W. Haven and son, George Miles, went to Roswell Monday where George Miles took treatments for sinus trouble.

Lee Frazier returned home the first of the week from Tennessee where he went to attend to business matters several weeks ago.

Miss Evelyn Eaker and Lee and Ray Williams motored to Carlsbad Sunday. They were accompanied home by Miss Elizabeth Alexander.

Miss Elizabeth Alexander returned home from Carlsbad Sunday where she had been under medical care at the Eddy county hospital.

Miss Alma Bradley who has been attending State College at Las Cruces, came home Sunday to spend the summer with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Smith of Albuquerque arrived Tuesday for a short visit with Mr. Smith's mother, Mrs. Ollie Smith and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Frazier left Sunday for Dayton where Mr. Frazier will help in conducting a revival meeting there in the Baptist church this week.

Mrs. Ed McWeenie and small son of Las Vegas arrived Sunday to visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Pate and family. She was accompanied by little Miss Margaret McWeenie.

Mmes. J. B. Crook, John Griffith, A. Russell, Fern Russell, Roxie Clark, C. R. Nail and Miss Pauline Russell went to the Hagerman cemetery on Memorial Day to decorate the graves of the soldiers.

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Knoll, Jr., went to Hamilton County, Texas to attend the funeral services of Mr. Knoll's grandmother, Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Knoll, Sr., of Hagerman accompanied them. They returned Sunday evening.

Mrs. T. F. Thomasson was pleasantly surprised with a lovely birthday dinner by her children and grandchildren at her home this week. The table and room was beautifully decorated with spring flowers. Those who enjoyed this occasion with Mrs. Thomasson were: Mr. Thomasson, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. McClain and children, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Perry and children of Hagerman, Miss Bessie Looney of Artesia, Mrs. Beth, Vernell, Loy and Paul Thomasson.

Miss Elsie Pendleton and Frank Frazier were united in marriage Monday morning at the Morris Ranch, in Texas. After the ceremony a lovely dinner was given at the bride's parent's home. About thirty-five guests were present. The table was beautifully decorated with a wedding cake, which Mrs. Rowland of Artesia made, and a color scheme of pink and green was carried out thruout the menu.

Mr. Frazier is well known in this vicinity, having lived here with his parents for a number of years. He is also known in other places of New Mexico as an evangelist singer in the Baptist church. Mr. and Mrs. Frazier arrived here Wednesday to visit with his parents a few days.

ROSWELL MAN SHOT AND KILLED FRIDAY

Roger Salazar, 42, a resident of Roswell for twenty years was shot and killed Friday evening, in the east part of Roswell. Pablo G. Calderon was arrested and placed in the Chaves county jail and charged with murder. The shooting is said to have followed a fist fight. Salazar was shot three times.

Mrs. Rude Wilcox and children expect to return to Santa Fe today after a week visiting here with Mr. Wilcox. Her sister, Mrs. Georgia Lusk came by for her.

LOCALS

Jim Stagner, Carlsbad attorney was attending to legal matters here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Shearman and Children picnicked on the Ruidoso Sunday.

Darrell Swayze, editor of the Carlsbad Morning Sun was a visitor here Monday.

Messrs. Mark Corbin and Fred Brainard were attending to business at Roswell Tuesday.

Miss Amy Williams of Carlsbad was here as a guest of Miss Bertha Richards over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Emlin Davies are here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Schnoor. They expect to be here several weeks.

Mrs. Nell Alberts of Roswell will spend several weeks here visiting her sister, Mrs. Will Ballard and family, a brother, Emery Carper and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Dunn and her father, D. S. Martin spent Wednesday and Thursday of last week in Clovis visiting Mrs. Alice Martin and children.

Mrs. T. H. Flint and son, Ted will go to Albuquerque today. Miss Sue Flint who has attended the State University there this year will return with them.

Mrs. Ben Pior and Sybil were in Roswell Sunday and Monday with Mr. Pior who is spending several days there in the interest of the Pior Rubber Co., of that city.

Howell Gage, of Carlsbad deputy sheriff returned Sunday from Las Vegas and Santa Fe, where he conveyed a patient to the insane asylum and a prisoner to the state penitentiary.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Jones drove up to Clovis May 18th to attend the funeral of C. C. Brown, a brother-in-law of Mr. Jones'. Mr. Brown was well known in the valley, being an employe of the Mabie Lowry Hardware Co., of Roswell for a good many years.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gage had as their guests at a family dinner Tuesday her mother, Mrs. W. S. French, Miss Ruth French, a sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Young of Hurley, their daughter, Miss Elizabeth and Elmer Skuse who are students at the State College at Las Cruces.

Pat Reilly of Hobbs, member of the board of appraisers appointed by the state tax commission to assess oil properties in Lea and Eddy counties was visiting friends here the first of the week. Mr. Reilly informs us that he will likely have the Lea county appraisal work completed soon.

Miss Lucille Morriss, her sister, Mrs. Joe Massie of Roswell and Miss Glenn Polk came down from the mountains Sunday where they had been visiting Mrs. Jernigan, a sister of Miss Morriss and Mrs. Massie. Miss Morriss left Tuesday for El Paso where she will visit with home folks for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Young of Hurley, this state, are here visiting her mother, Mrs. W. S. French and other relatives. Miss Elizabeth Gage and friend, Elmer Skuse who are students at the agricultural college at Las Cruces drove over with them for a week-end visit at the home of Elizabeth's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Gage.

Lt. B. F. Kaiser left Saturday morning for Parris Island, South Carolina, after a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Kaiser at Dayton. Lt. Kaiser will visit relatives at Oklahoma City en route home and also his brother Elwood at Joliet, Illinois. In company with Elwood he expects to visit the Century of Progress underway at Chicago.

EIGHT METHODS OF OPERATING COLLEGE FARM ARE EXPLAINED

The following summary of circular 124 issued by the State College shows eight different methods used in operating an 80 acre farm in the Mesilla valley:

Eight different plans of organizing an 80 acre farm in the Mesilla valley were studied. The only difference in the eight plans is the way that 35 acres of land are used. Returns are measured in terms of labor income, this being the net returns to the operator after allowing for all expenses, cash and non-cash, including interest on the total capital investment. While all plans show a minus labor income with prices that prevailed in 1932 the system where the 35 acres are devoted to growing cotton shows less loss than the other two field crop systems where the 35 acres are devoted to the growing of either alfalfa or corn as cash crops.

Systems where livestock is included show varying results. Including a dairy herd to utilize the food produced on 35 acres gives a slightly lower labor income than any of the three cash crop systems when whole market milk is sold. When cream is sold for butter making the income is much lower, this being especially true when no use is made of the skim milk. When the dairy herd is reduced and a poultry flock or hogs are added to consume part of the feed produced on the 35 acres and to utilize the skim milk produced by the dairy, the income is increased considerably but is still considerably below the income where whole milk is sold. The dairy enterprise made more profitable use of the skim milk than the hogs.

Utilizing the 35 acres for growing feed for feeding cattle and lambs indicated relatively good returns provided a satisfactory margin between the buying and selling price is obtained. It required a spread of 43 cents between the farm buying and selling price of cattle and a spread of 99 cents between the buying and selling price of lambs to give the same returns for the livestock feeding systems as is secured when the 35 acres are used for cotton, when cotton sells for 6 cents a pound.

A change in price or yields will of course change these results. The circular analyzes the systems studied in detail and also gives a detailed analysis of the production methods, standards of production and prices used. It represents a method that may be used by each farmer in estimating the income that may be expected from different methods of organizing his own farm.

DELBERT JONES ON EXTENDED VACATION

Delbert Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Jones of this city, who is a student at the Texas Technological College at Lubbock, Texas will leave tomorrow, the day after school closes for an extended vacation trip. He will go with E. A. Patterson and family, a son of Mr. Patterson and Delbert are school mates. They expect to go to Chicago where several days will be spent viewing the "Century of Progress," from there on to Montreal, Canada. From the Atlantic coast they will drive across to the Pacific making several short stops in California.

MRS. S. S. WARD AND DAUGHTERS TO CHICAGO

Mrs. S. S. Ward and daughters, Miss Lola and Mrs. J. P. Hare left Wednesday by automobile for St. Charles, Missouri. They will be present for the commencement exercises at Lindenwood College of which Miss Lola is a former student and Miss Jack Ward a student at the present time. From there, Mrs. Ward and the three daughters will go to Chicago to visit the "Century of Progress" which is in progress at this time.

John Stephens and daughter who have been visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Stephens for the past ten days left yesterday for their home in El Paso. Miss Nollie Stephens a sister accompanied them to the Pass City for a short visit.

Young, but They Run a Real Business



Citizens of Allentown, Pa., boast that their city has the youngest executives of a manufacturing business. They are William, eleven, and Robert, nine, the sons of Dr. Walter A. Snelling, an explosive expert for the government during the war. The boys manufacture a fine grade of blue-black ink, and know all about the process. William is the president and the treasurer of the firm and Robert is vice president. Their mother is secretary and types their business letters but the boys dictate them and always read them over.

MARKETS

N. Y. COTTON (July Option)

(Furnished by courtesy of Artesia Alfalfa Growers Association)

	Open	Close
Thursday	8.57	8.50
Friday	8.56	8.95
Saturday	9.02	9.10
Monday	9.05	9.16
Tuesday (N. O.)	9.10	9.34
Wednesday	9.40	9.20
Thursday	9.12	

Market acted heavy late last week but was revived by congressional action to take United States off the gold standard. As this is written December option is selling in New Orleans at 9.70, a figure which but a few months ago seemed fantastic and at which all farmers would have been glad to have contracted this year's crop. Now practically none are selling. A decline is overdue and it is worth while remembering that cotton markets go in both directions.

The bearish possibilities are: A burdensome carryover, an increase in acreage, June brings as a rule better growing weather, and a market heavily overbought. The bullish features are: Devaluation of the dollar, announced intention of secretary of agriculture to take acreage out of production by leasing, adjustments and downward revisions of our tariff and increased demand.

To what extent these various features have already been discounted is the problem which the market is now trying to answer. Our opinion is that the market has an equal chance of a two cent move in either direction.

KANSAS CITY Livestock

KANSAS CITY—Close: cattle 7,500; compared with Tuesday, fed steers, yearlings and she stock fairly active, steady; bulk fed steers 5.25-6.25; choice 795 lbs yearlings 6.75; choice 1 198 lbs 6.60; best heavy steers 6.35; few head 743 lbs heifer 6.00; bulk fat heifer and mixed yearlings 5.00-5.50; beef cows 3.25-3.75

Hogs, 10,000; fairly active, 10-15c lower; top 4.65 on 190-300 lbs; bulk desirable 190-350 lbs 4.50-4.65; sows 3.90-4.10; stock pigs 4.00 down.

Sheep 7,000; lambs steady to 25c lower; top natives 7.25; bulk downward from 7.10; Arizonas 6.85-7.10; Texas 5.70; yearlings about steady; Arizona ewes 2.10.

A CORRECTION

I was told by an interested party and friend of the bank and mine that it had been circulated over town that I had put up only \$500.00 to my part of the Director's contribution. I put up \$500.00 in cash, transferred my interest in property I owned in El Paso to Mr. Mark Corbin for him to put up for me in cash \$500.00 which he did in his contribution, and I transferred 12 1/10 shares of my bank stock of the par value of 1,210.00 to L. B. Feather, Trustee of the Director's Trust Fund. Making a total of \$2,210.00. J. H. JACKSON.

POLICE COURT

A. D. Titsworth, who was charged with forgery Monday waived preliminary hearing and was bound over to the action of the Eddy county grand jury. Titsworth had been in the city jail for three days and was taken to the county jail at Carlsbad.

W. L. Moody, of Roswell was arrested here Friday charged with the larceny of a revolver and a leather coat from the car of Joe Parker, Hope rancher. It is alleged that Moody attempted to steal a revolver and gun from the car of Roy Vermillion, but did not carry the act through, later taking the gun and coat from the Parker car. He was bound over to the action of the Eddy county grand jury and was released from the city jail under bond of \$750.

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