











LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Las Cruces, New Mexico, July 5, 1934.

NOTICE is hereby given that Shelby S. Webber, of Artesia, N. Mex., who on January 22, 1930, and who, on November 14, 1930, made original homestead entry No. 040361, and additional homestead entry No. 040364, for N 1/2 Sec. 25, T. 16 S., R. 31 E., S 1/2 SW 1/4 Sec. 20, NE 1/4 NW 1/4, NE 1/4 SE 1/4, NE 1/4 Section 29, Township 16 S., Range 32 E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make 3 year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before S. W. Gilbert, U. S. Commissioner, at Artesia, N. Mex., on the 16th day of August, 1934.

Claimant names as witnesses: Taylor Monett, of Lovington, N. Mex., Clarence Dizier, of Hagerman, N. Mex., Luke Taylor, Tack Vowell, both of Artesia, N. Mex. PAUL A. ROACH, Register.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF CHAVES COUNTY, STATE OF NEW MEXICO.

IN THE MATTER OF THE LAKE ARTHUR DRAINAGE DISTRICT. No. 3790.

NOTICE OF HEARING ON PETITION FOR ORDER AUTHORIZING REFUNDING OF INDEBTEDNESS AND SUPPLEMENTAL REPORT OF COMMISSIONERS FOR MODIFICATION OF ORDERS CONFIRMING ASSESSMENTS.

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners of the above named Drainage District have filed in this court a petition for an order authorizing the refunding of the indebtedness of the said Drainage District and a supplemental report for modification of orders heretofore entered confirming previous assessments, which said petition is as follows, to-wit: "Come now the commissioners of the Lake Arthur Drainage District and respectfully petition the court for an order authorizing the district to refund its indebtedness and also submit to the court their supplemental report and respectfully request the court to modify by order in the manner herein specifically stated, orders heretofore entered in this cause, confirming assessments for cost of construction, and in support of such petition and report show unto the court: 1. That the total indebtedness of said drainage district, including interest to March 1, 1934, is the sum of \$223,583.52, and that such indebtedness is evidenced by bonds and coupons.

2. That all of said bonds and coupons are now held by Robert N. Erskine, under power of attorney from the owners and holders thereof.

3. That said district is greatly in arrears in its payments for principal and interest upon the said bonded debt, and many bonds and interest coupons are long past due and unpaid, due to the fact that the land owners in the district during the past several years, on account of depressed financial conditions and crop values, have been unable to pay the assessments levied against them under orders of the court heretofore issued to pay for cost of construction and to liquidate the said indebtedness, and the commissioners state upon information and belief, that it will be impossible for the district ever to pay off the said indebtedness as it now exists and the only way the district can ever clear itself of said bonded debt is to secure a compromise settlement from the holders of the outstanding bonds and coupons, and obtain a new loan upon a long time basis and low rate of interest with which to liquidate the compromised sum.

4. That on account of the matters above mentioned, it is necessary for the said district therefore to refund its present indebtedness as provided by the laws of the State of New Mexico, and for such purpose the commissioners have made and submitted in behalf of said drainage district to the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, an application for a loan sufficient to refund its outstanding indebtedness, including bonds and coupons, and after a full investigation and inspection of the lands in said district, the Reconstruction Finance Corporation has authorized a loan to the said drainage district, subject to the conditions set forth in the Corporation's Resolutions herein-after described, in the sum of ONE HUNDRED TWENTY-TWO THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED (\$122,500.00) DOLLARS, of which amount TWENTY-FIVE THOUSAND (\$25,000.00) DOLLARS is expressly stipulated to be used for expenses of refinancing the said district, as specifically provided in paragraph 4 (a) of said Resolution; the balance of said proposed loan, to-wit: ONE HUNDRED TWENTY THOUSAND (\$120,000.00) DOLLARS the said bondholders have agreed to accept in full settlement of all amounts due upon the said bonds and coupons, and the said bondholders have agreed in consideration of such payment, to surrender the said bonds and coupons and to release the said district from all liability thereon; that the amount so advanced by the Reconstruction Finance Corporation as aforesaid, will bear interest at the rate of 4% per annum, and repayment may be made in thirty-three (33) years, during the first three (3) years of which interest only must be paid, and thereafter, payments of principal and

THE FAMILY NEXT DOOR



No Brains

GRAZING TO BE UNDER FEDERAL CONTROL AS NEW BILL IS SIGNED

WASHINGTON, D. C.—President Roosevelt signed the public domain bill, known as the Taylor bill, to regulate grazing on the public domain in the west, just before departing on his cruise, according to a bulletin of the American Game association. This bill gives the secretary of the interior power to set up grazing control units on 80,000,000 of the 173,000,000 acres of unappropriated public domain in the west. The act is "to stop injury to the public grazing lands by preventing overgrazing and soil deterioration, to provide for their orderly use, improvement, and development, to stabilize the livestock industry dependent upon the public range, and for other purposes."

President Roosevelt issued a statement declaring that "the federal government, by enacting this law, has taken a great forward step in the interests of conservation, which will prove of benefit not only to those engaged in the livestock industry but also to the nation as a whole." Overgrazing of livestock on many areas has brought about starvation to the native grazing wildlife, such as deer and antelope, conservationists point out. Many of them have made fights to exclude livestock grazing from public lands, maintaining among other arguments, that these public lands should be held for public property—the wildlife upon them. Sheep, it is said, have been particularly harmful. They ruin the grazing for everything, cattle included, and crop the grass so close that soil and wind erosion are easily started, conservationists declare.

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tion hereof and the order of the court herein requested, and that all such persons shall then be given a full and fair hearing upon said matters at which time they may present to the court such evidence and arguments as may be relevant to said matters." Notice is hereby further given that by order of the court duly made and entered in said cause, the matters and things set forth in said petition and report will come on for hearing before the court in the main court room in the courthouse at Roswell, Chaves County, New Mexico, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., on the 20th day of August, 1934, at which time all parties interested may appear and remonstrate against any and all matters therein set forth. WITNESS my hand and the seal of said court, this 10th day of July, 1934. (Signed) D. P. GRIENER, Clerk of the District Court. By (Signed) LOUISE McCONNELL, Deputy. (SEAL) 28-4t

The Bookkeeper

Poring over his books is continually subjecting his eyes to a strain. No matter how "strong" his eyes may be, they need care. At the very first sign of being strained they should be examined and proper glasses ground for them. An Optometrist is the one to consult—it is his business to rectify this trouble.

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NEW MEXICO DAY AT FAIR

August 14th has been designated as "New Mexico Day" at the World's Fair or Century of Progress at Chicago. The Santa Fe railroad has arranged to extend exceptionally low rates to Chicago for those who care to attend the Fair. A special Santa Fe train will run from Albuquerque leaving on August 12th and may be boarded at any Santa Fe point. The special will arrive in Chicago for New Mexico day August 14th and depart on August 17th. Coach and intermediate tickets are good for fourteen days. First class tickets are good for thirty days.

C. O. Brown, local Santa Fe agent, will be glad to furnish additional information with reference to the special rates now in effect. Typewriters for rent—The Advocate.

PRESIDENT PLANS CONFERENCE SOON

WASHINGTON, D. C.—President Roosevelt has informed officials that after he returns to Washington he intends to call a conference of leading industrialists to discuss plans for the decentralization of industry.

This decentralization aims at the gradual transfer of many factory units from congested city areas to semi-rural surroundings. The subsistence homestead experimentation carried on by the administration has this in mind. Along with it goes giving men who will work at the transplanted factories an opportunity to own their homes and raise food for their own use.

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General Business Conditions Expected To Improve In Fall

While still contained in price movement, the stock market during the past week recovered the major portion of the moderate recession that ran from June 19th to July 3rd.

A year ago—on July 18th—the 1933 stock market advance culminated at 108.67, using closing prices on the Dow-Jones industrial average.

At present this average is about 13 points below the February top and 14 points above last October's low.

A year ago we were witnessing the culmination of the April-July advance. The volume of trading for June, 1933, was 125,619,530 shares, a daily average of 4,831,520 shares.

For June of this year the volume of transactions was only 16,800,155 shares, a daily average of 646,159 shares.

Carrying the comparison for these three years forward for the months of July, we find that from

CARLSBAD MAN STABBED

Jimmy Martin of Carlsbad, a spectator at a baseball game between Carlsbad and Malaga, was stabbed in the region of the stomach Sunday afternoon when the game developed into a free

for all between the Malaga and Carlsbad players. Details as to how he was stabbed are lacking nor was it known how severely he was injured when the report reached here.

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CROP LOANS BEING MADE TO FARMERS

Emergency crop loans for general purposes which were discontinued May 31, are again being made available to farmers in all of the drought stricken agricultural areas until September 1, the Farm Credit Administration announced last week.

According to the announcement, crop loans limited to \$250 to one individual for general purposes, and \$400 for summer fallowing or for combined purpose of summer fallowing and the purchase of seed for winter wheat, winter rye or barley, may be made in all the designated "stricken agricultural areas," whether primary or secondary.

The reopening of the emergency crop loan facilities will not interfere with the making of feed and forage loans in the emergency drought areas from the recently appropriated \$525,000,000 fund.

The crop loans, including loans for feed for livestock in secondary areas, are being made from the \$40,000,000 fund appropriated in the act of congress approved February 23, 1934; whereas the loans for livestock feed and forage production in the emergency areas are being made from a part of the recently appropriated \$525,000,000 drought relief fund.

If an applicant already has obtained an emergency crop loan during the year 1934, his new crop loan plus the principal amount of the old crop loan must not exceed the \$250 limit for general purposes, or the \$400 limit for the purpose of summer fallowing. Loans will be made only to applicants who do not have other available sources of credit, and any farmer applying for a crop loan in excess of \$150 must submit written evidence from a production credit association that his application for a loan of approximately the same amount has been rejected.

Applications for the loans are received by the county loan committee already established and sent to the regional emergency crop and feed loan offices established at Minneapolis, Salt Lake City, Dallas, Texas, St. Louis and Memphis. Checks to approved applicants are mailed directly to borrowers from these offices.

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HOPE ITEMS

Frances Johnson, Reporter

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Longbotham and daughter Virginia of Lower Penasco spent Sunday in Hope.

Bobbie Woods returned the latter part of the week from Roswell where she had been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Luther Trimble.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lewis and son Sammy of Pinon were visiting in Hope Monday. From here they went to Artesia where they were attending to business.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Evans and family left Tuesday for their home in San Angelo, Texas, having spent a week here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Miller.

Julia Wathen and Raymond Lovett of Dexter were married in Roswell Saturday by the Rev. C. C. Hill. Mr. and Mrs. Lovett will make their home on a farm near Dexter.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Swift, Mrs. Harold Merhens and children and Elsie Dell Beckett returned the latter part of the week from Cloudfort and Ruidoso where they spent a few days vacationing.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bryant of Carlsbad spent Sunday in Hope visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Swift. Mrs. Swift returned to Carlsbad with Mrs. Bryant Sunday evening to spend a few days visiting there.

Mrs. Janie Richards and Sidney Richards of San Pedro, California, and Mrs. Pearl Wilson of El Paso left Monday after spending a week here visiting relatives for points in Texas where they will visit friends and relatives before returning to their homes.

The Teel family had a family reunion Sunday at the home of Houston Teel on Lower Penasco. A picnic lunch was served at noon under the trees in the yard. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. John Teel and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Teel and family, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Teel and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Cole and family, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Teel, Mr. and Mrs. Houston Teel and family, Mrs. Mary Teel, Mrs. Janie Richards, Mrs. Hila Teel, Mrs. Pearl Wilson, Sidney Richards, Curtis Teel and Ezra Teel.

Wilhelmina Wilburn entertained with a treasure hunt starting from her home Monday evening. The treasure hunt covered a distance of about two and one half miles square with the guests hunting in groups of four. The treasure was found by Irene Nabors, Mary Louise Cole, Barbara Glasscock, Hoyt Traylor, John Phillip Bush and Sam Lovejoy, hanging in a sack on the wall of the garage at the Wilburn home. After the hunt the guests went to the park where a picnic lunch was served. Guests were Betsy Parks, Iva Ruth Glasscock, Frances Johnson, Josephine Jackson, Barbara Glasscock, Irene Nabors, Mary Louise Cole, Helen Jordan, Janet Parks, Bly Miller, Virginia Glasscock, Elsie Dell Beckett, Effie Fite, James Ray, Curtis Cox, Raymond Buckner, Wallace Johnson, Leamon Glasscock, Martin Adams, Claborn Buckner, Sam Lovejoy, John Phillip Bush and the hostess, Miss Wilburn.

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1934 LAMB CROP IS LARGER THAN 1933

WASHINGTON—The Bureau of Agricultural Economics reported Tuesday that the 1934 lamb crop was 29,339,000 head, or 1 per cent larger than last year's crop but smaller than both the 1931 and 1932 productions. The crop of 10,559,000 head in the native sheep states was 2 per cent smaller than the 1933 crop, however.

The increased crop for the entire country was attributed by the bureau to a sharp increase in the number of lambs saved per 100 ewes on January 1 in most of the western sheep states, which more than offset the small decrease in the native sheep states and a marked decrease in Texas.

The percentage lamb crop this year was 81.8 compared with 80.3 in 1933 and the 10-year average of 85.7 the number of breeding ewes a year old and over on January 1 this year was 364,000 head smaller than on January 1, 1933.

The 1934 lamb crop of 18,780,000 head in the 13 western sheep states was 487,000 head larger than the 1933 crop, about the same as the 1932, but was 2,648,000 under the record 1931 crop.

The crop this year exceeded that of last year in all western sheep states except Texas and South Dakota. A decrease of 1,003,000 head was reported in Texas. Excluding Texas the increase was 1,500,000 head over last year.

STATE LEVY SET AT SIX MILLS BY THE TAX COMMISSION

SANTA FE—The state tax levy Friday was set by the tax commission at five mills in the 20-mill limit, and an additional mill for interest and sinking funds.

The state valuation was estimated at \$292,000,000, but might go as high as \$295,000,000 when all counties are complete, Chief Commissioner Byron O. Beall said. On the former figure and 90 per cent collections, the state would receive about \$1,700,000.

FERA SCHOOL IN EL PASO

A FERA school has been established in El Paso and the Artesia community has been permitted to select four students to attend a two months session with all expenses. The names of four young ladies submitted have been approved and will report Monday. Included in the students from here are: Misses Anna Louise Gage, Cherrie Burette, Mae Cara Marable and Dorothy Sue Kuykendall. The school is under the direction of Miss Lettie Brown of the El Paso Y. W. C. A.

POTASH AGAIN REDUCED

A drop in the price of potash, the third within a few weeks, was announced at Carlsbad Monday following the action taken by California producers of potassium chloride in reducing their product from 44 cents to 35 cents per unit.

This will amount to more than \$5 per ton on the local refined product. The reduction pushes the price to the lowest point to which potash has ever been sold in modern times.

CONSUMERS SHARE PROCESSING TAX

The fact that processing taxes on farm products included in the Agricultural Adjustment program are collected at the point of processing or manufacturing does not mean that the tax falls unequally on states where processing plants are concentrated.

Processing tax collections are heaviest in the large processing centers but the tax is spread out as a factor in the price of the product and is shared by consumers generally, regardless of the location of the processing or manufacturing plant where the tax is collected.

The tax has the same effect upon price to the consumer as would a rise in the price of raw material to the extent of the tax.

About 19 percent of the total wheat processing tax has been collected in Minnesota but this does not mean that Minnesota consumers pay more than their share of the processing tax. It simply means that Minneapolis is an important milling center and that a large share of the tax, eventually shared by bread buyers throughout the country, is collected at that point.

Similarly, Chicago is a processing center for hogs. Up to June 1 of this year, nearly 200 million dollars in processing taxes were collected in Illinois out of a total of 47 million dollars in hog taxes collected.

Nearly one-third of the income from the production of wheat, corn, hogs, cotton and tobacco allotted under adjustment programs now being received, on the average, by three million contract signers who are operating in the adjustment programs, is derived from processing taxes.

The fact that processing taxes are shared proportionately by consumers over the entire country makes the burden very light and the tax, while it adds but a small fraction to the retail price, brings a large percentage increase to the farmer.

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DRY WEATHER MAY CAUSE RELAXATION IN FARM PROD'N RULES

WASHINGTON — The steady continuance of the country's worst drouth has led farm officials to consider relaxation of virtually all production restrictions next year in major farm commodities—wheat, corn, hogs, and possibly cotton.

Officials said, however, such a step would be taken only if the next several weeks bring no break in the dry seige which is reducing surpluses at a rate alarming to the men who aimed their program at paring the depression accumulated mountains of farm products.

It was explained officially, however, that removal of restrictive regulations would not mean any basic change in control plans. Nevertheless farmers might be allowed to plant full acreage in 1935. As officials explain it, they could receive government check as at present in return for signing contracts that would pledge reduction in 1936, if that became necessary.

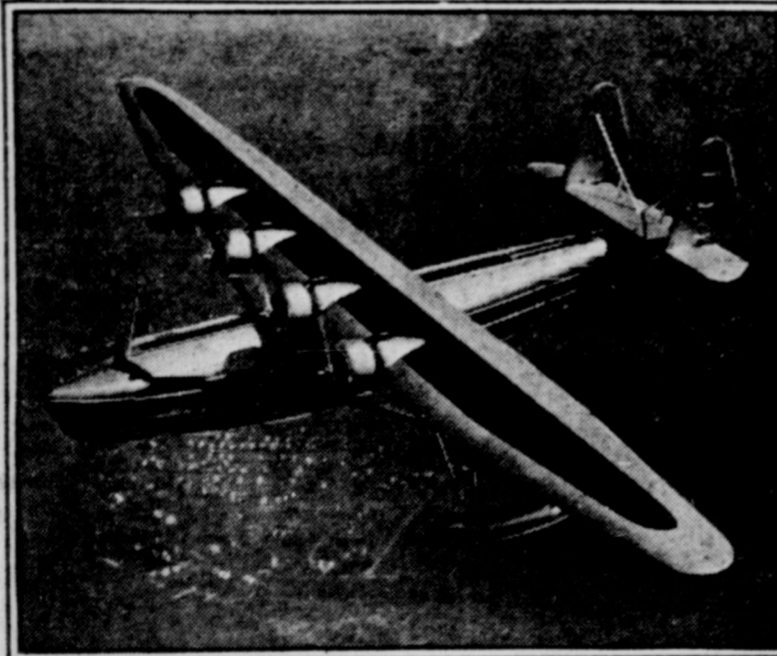
For example, if there should be a normal, or more than normal, production of wheat in 1935, growers already would be pledged to acreage reduction the following year.

Hoping for a break in the drouth, the farm administration has drafted tentative plans for next year which include smaller reductions than those enforced this year, but a measure of restriction nevertheless. That tentative program embraced a uniform contract and several improvements on the concededly somewhat cumbersome machinery set up to handle programs now under way.

Mrs. Ethel James of El Paso, Texas, stopped off for a short visit at the B. A. Bishop home en route home from a visit in the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. O. Gilbert and family at Pampa, Texas.

Harve Muncy was a business visitor in Carlsbad Thursday. He was accompanied by his daughter Mrs. Bill Lundquist and her son Vernon Brookshire, who spent the day visiting Vernon's uncle, Kirk Brookshire and family.

TO LINK THE AMERICAS



The first of America's new super air-liners, the Sikorsky S-42, will soon start on its first flight between this country and Brazil. At present undergoing the last of a series of strenuous tests at the hands of Colonel Lindbergh and other aviation experts, the giant nineteen-ton ship is the largest and fastest flying boat now ready for regular transport service.

General News Briefs—

(Continued from page one)

assassinating Chancellor Dollfuss. Nazis set off bombs in various parts of the country as the trial started.

Dollfuss Buried Little Engelbert Dollfuss was laid to rest in Vienna after an impressive funeral service at which thousands mourned in silence.

Johnson "Cracks Down" Gen. Hugh S. Johnson, recovery administrator, interrupted his vacation at Agua Caliente, Mexico, long enough to "crack down" on two large industrial firms and also take a hand in the Chicago stock yards strike, ordering strikers to feed and water stock, pending settlement.

German Idol III President Paul Von Hindenburg, mar of many battles, is under the constant care of four physicians and the public was warned by an official that it might expect the worst. Physicians gave no notice of how long the aged German leader might be expected to hold out.

Blue Eagle Celebrates The Blue Eagle celebrated its first birthday on the 31st. It made its appearance August 1, 1933, as a special badge of merit to employers signing the president's unemployment agreement.

Col. A. T. Woods and daughter Miss Emily drove down from Santa Fe Sunday and returned again Tuesday.

Fletcher Hornbaker returned from a two weeks vacation trip in which he visited the Century of Progress in Chicago, the latter part of last week. It is reported that Fletcher viewed the body of the notorious bandit John Dillinger the next day after he was slain by federal officers in Chicago.

Outlook For Coming Year Bright Is The Indication Now

Turn To Better Times Is Reality and Not a Myth; Lumber Industry and Others Report An Increase in Revenue.

(By Special Correspondent) Nearly five years ago—it is almost ancient history—America, and the world in general, was entering what was to be one of the worst economic conditions in history and which, as time went on, proved to be a much larger rut than had at first been anticipated.

The story is old—Everyone knows, and perhaps remembers with a twinge of unhappiness, the sudden rush for safe ground as stocks zoomed downward. Manufacturers stopping their machines. Stores closing their doors. Banks breaking. Buyers keeping their money in their pockets.

During the last year the lumber industry, one of the country's largest, has climbed from its lowest point in 60 years of operation back to a place where prices, volume and wages are on a profit basis, the increase rated as 30 per cent in volume, 55 per cent in employment, 60 per cent in prices, 90 per cent in wages and 120 per cent in pay rolls.

The furniture assembling industry reports that its business has increased materially over the last year, that in increased wages it has amounted to more than \$25,000 per week and has placed approximately 700 men back to work, with the outlook for further increase greater than ever.

The tobacco manufacturing industry, which employs something like 50,000 workers, 75 per cent of whom are women, says that it has increased pay over 10 per cent and has adopted a cigar merchandising plan which will assure a better product.

Gross revenues of the nation's two large radio networks during the period from December 1933 to May 1934, inclusive, marked an increase of 38.5 per cent over the previous year, it was recently disclosed by officials of these companies.

C. G. Crockett, president of the Standard Fertilizer Co., Inc., of Williamston, North Carolina, relates that the fertilizer business in North Carolina has been put on a sound economic basis, increased wages, and bettered living conditions after a trying period in which losses had to be continually sustained.

Credit Ratings Regained Fully 98 per cent of the ruthless competition brought on by the depression in Michigan has been eliminated and credit ratings, in general, have been regained. June wholesale prices reached their highest level since March, 1931, according to the Bureau of Labor Statistics. The current index is at 75 per cent of the 1926 average.

Outstanding in the picture during the first three weeks of June was a continuation of the May level of activity at the steel mills, although a decline is usual at this season of the year, the Federal Reserve Board said in its monthly review. As measured by the seasonally adjusted index, production advanced from 86 per cent of the 1923-25 average in April to 87 per cent in May and was rising in June.

The number of employees in the automotive parts and equipment industry increased from 72,500 in February 1933 to 180,222 in March 1934. Total pay rolls were reported to be higher today than

in 1928 when there were 128,000 employees. Automobile production in April reached 260,620 units, the largest for any three months since May, 1930. It was an increase of seven per cent over the March figure, and 100 per cent higher than the total set down for April 1933. The gain over the April 1932 output amounted to 143 per cent, and over April 1931, to seven per cent.

The alloy casting industry says that the smallest increase in sales volume is 50 per cent for the first six months of 1934, over the entire year of 1933, while the greatest increase, 350 per cent, was for the first six months over the corresponding period of 1933.

A general fireproofing company located in Ohio showed by its reports that it had passed the peak of its employment in 1929. The company, however, would show a small profit for the first half of this year, but contracts had been taken at a close margin to provide work for employees.

A large steel company reported that it would finish the second quarter of the year "in the black," according to its officials.

So the turn toward better times has become a reality, the indicators of such industries as bituminous coal production, cotton receipts, electric power production, bond prices, brokers' loans, money rates, lumber production, freight car loadings, etc., stimulating better business conditions.

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Table with columns for dates (July 27-31, August 1), Open, Close, and values for cotton prices.

YIELDS ARE BOOSTED ON TERRACED FARMS

Extension workers and farmers in the northeastern part of New Mexico are progressing rapidly with their FERA programs, says G. R. Quesberry of the New Mexico State College.

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The quickest, most satisfactory plan of building terraces appears to be by using a grader to raise the terrace to an elevation of ten to twelve inches and following with a Fresno scraper to get the elevation. The Fresno will give the terraces the necessary elevation more efficiently and is used to take the soil from the lower side of the terrace, only.

Advocate Want Ads Get Results Mrs. Eugene Van Deren left Sunday for Cynthia, Kentucky, where she will visit her parents for the next three weeks.

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In the District Court: No. 5804 First National Bank of Artesia vs. Frank H. Donahue, et al. note \$2286.60. No. 5805 The Board of County Commissioners vs. Geo. G. Ison, et al. to condemn land for road. No. 5806 W. E. Smith vs. John W. Womble, damages.

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