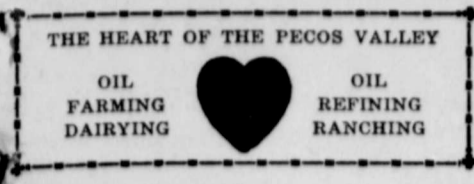


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Monument Test Responds to An Acid Treatment

Amerada Well Flows At Rate of 212 Barrels 1st Three Hours and Makes Total of 1,589 in Last Eleven-Hour Period.

Probably the most interesting development in the southeastern oil area during the past week was the response made by the State 1-D of the Amerada Petroleum Co., sec. 1-20-36, near Monument, to acid treatment. After plugging back to 3946 feet the Amerada was treated with 2,000 gallons of acid and after a swabbing test, the well started flowing at the rate of 212 barrels through tubing, but would not flow through the open casing. On a later test the Amerada averaged 154 barrels per hour and during the last eleven hour period made 1,589 barrels of oil.

A well in the Eunice district will be completed shortly. This is the State 2-B of the Humble Oil and Refining Co., sec. 29-21-36, which was drilled to a depth of 3914 feet. On a drill stem test the oil rose 3630 feet in seven minutes. Estimates place the production of the well at 4,000 barrels.

Two locations were made the past week, both in Lea county. These include the Isabell No. 1 of the Amerada Petroleum Co., sec. 15-24-36, and the Ogg 3-B of the Texas Company, sec. 34-24-36.

Other producers completed included the Repollo Oil Co., Adkins No. 1, sec. 9-21-36, which was drilled to 3900 feet. The test flowed at the rate of thirty-five barrels per hour through tubing with 1,250,000 feet of gas. The Texas Company has completed its Ogg No. 4-A, sec. 35-24-36, which when drilled to 3486 feet, flowed sixty-seven barrels per hour through tubing and 200 barrels open with 5,000,000 feet of gas.

Wells abandoned during the period included one for Eddy county, the Neal Wills, Levers No. 1, sec. 35-29-28, drilled to 825 feet. The Argo Royalty Co., Burner No. 1, sec. 6-20-32, was plugged and abandoned after developing a hole of sulphur water at 2925 feet. The Moore No. 1 of the Texas Company, sec. 21-20-32, drilled to 2975 feet was plugged and abandoned after encountering a hole of sulphur water.

An interesting test in Eddy county is the Texas Company, Fred Cole No. 1, sec. 35-19-33, which has shut down to rig up cable tools at 1515 feet.

PLANT ARBOR VITAE

The Joyce-Fruit Co., has planted fifteen Arbor Vitae bushes on the parking at the west and north of the store building. Bermuda grass will also be planted in the parking. The grass and bushes are a part of the program to improve the appearance of the parking.

SURFACING HOPE-YO ROAD

The Hope-Yo road crew started operating a rock crusher Tuesday to provide surfacing materials for the eight miles of new road between Hope and the YO crossing. All of the new road has been graded.

Conoco Retailers Hear Advertising Plans Explained

Distributors of Conoco products in five localities: Hobbs, Lovington, Carlsbad, Artesia and Hagerman, met here Friday evening and heard the new advertising program of the Continental Oil Co., explained by John Lanning, district supervisor of the Continental, and J. P. Anthony of Albuquerque, division manager.

On March 20th, the Continental Oil Co., will inaugurate an intensive advertising campaign on the new germ processed motor oil and the campaign will run through June 12th. Newspapers, posters, bill board and farm journals will be used to tell the public about the modern oil for the modern automobile, truck and tractor. Mr. Anthony, in referring to company activities in 1934, said the germ processed motor oil experienced a 59.6 per cent gain over the previous year.

Mr. Lanning gave a resume of (Continued on last page, column 1)

Dunken Robbers Caught In Texas Sheriff Reports

Sheriff Perry Bean of Chaves county announced at Roswell Saturday that two men had been apprehended in Texas and one of the men, Fay McNarlin, had been positively identified as the welder of the machine gun in the Dunken holdup which occurred at the Dunken store on January 25th. The other man taken at McCarney, Texas, has not been definitely connected with the holdup.

The men are alleged to have escaped an officers' trap on the previous week at Fort Stockton, Texas. McNarlin is wanted in several Texas counties for numerous felonies and will not be brought back for trial in Chaves county, according to the early announcement. Sheriff Bean left Monday to view the prisoners.

The robbers took \$165.00 in cash, several cartons of cigarettes, a gun and watch from the Dunken store and Joe Kintz, proprietor, on the evening of January 25th.

McNarlin, who was said to have been arrested at San Angelo, Texas, was identified from a photograph by Mr. Kintz and his two sons, John and Joe, Jr., as the man who handled the machine gun.

Income Tax Larger Than Last Year

WASHINGTON—The treasury reported Saturday night that income tax returns for the past 15 days in March showed an upturn of 29 per cent over the comparable half month of last year.

Eagerly awaited, on the grounds that these first returns on 1934 incomes would furnish an accurate gauge on the volume of business transacted last year, treasury officials were gratified to discover receipts of \$191,358,909 as compared with only \$147,794,894 last year.

On the basis of these preliminary returns, income taxes of about \$300,000,000 are predicted for the month, as compared with \$232,000,000 collected in March of last year. It was said at the treasury, however, that these figures could not be used as a final guide, because of the delay in getting clearances of the remitted sums.

Income tax payments, regardless of the form in which made, are cleared through the federal reserve banks, and reach the treasury only after several days following payment. Thus, returns made on the deadline (midnight, March 15) will not show their full velocity in the treasury reports until several days later.

COUNTY BOARD MEETS

The Eddy county board of education met at Carlsbad Tuesday and made plans for completing the various budgets to be presented to Budget Auditor Grisom, who will visit Eddy county early in April. John Shearman, board member, stated yesterday the rural school districts would have more money to operate on another year. The increased budget, however, will not increase taxes.

Blackie Smalley Dies After His Return To Mena, Arkansas, Jail

Blackie Smalley, about 45, returned to Mena, Arkansas, from Carlsbad to face charges of robbery of \$2,000 from a Polk county woman, died at the county jail Saturday.

Sheriff Walter E. Jones said Smalley, alias Bill Williams, became ill about an hour after his arrival at Mena on the 13th. Smalley's widow, who told officers in New Mexico she was a sister of Adam Richetti, former lieutenant of the late Charles A. "Pretty Boy" Floyd, came to Mena Saturday from Wewoka, Oklahoma. She was with Smalley when he was arrested at Hobbs but was not held.

WATER PIPE LINE FOR RANCH

Construction of eight miles of water pipe line that will feed a 600,000-gallon reservoir for cattle in the Three Forks canyon was launched Saturday by the National Livestock company, John R. Joyce, II, manager, announced at Carlsbad.

The line will run from the main reservoir of the company to the Three Forks canyon reservoir and will open from 25 to 30 sections of land for grazing that has hitherto been closed because of lack of water.

It will require about three weeks to install the line. Twenty men will be employed on the project.

Tree Nursery Is Started On Main

Albuquerque Donates 2000 Trees For the Project Recently Completed.

The city of Artesia will have plenty of Chinese elm trees to furnish property owners if the tree nursery started at the corner of Seventh and Main does not meet with some catastrophe. Two thousand young Chinese elm trees were secured free from the city of Albuquerque through the Chamber of Commerce and set out on two lots, property of the Misses Clark by FERA labor supplied by M. W. Evans, county administrator. The city has agreed to care for the trees until they are large enough to plant, it is understood. Last year Artesia secured 1,500 young trees from Albuquerque, which were planted, but owing to the age of the trees and to the prevailing drought, practically all of the trees died. This year the trees will be started in a nursery and cared for until the trees reach the age of transplanting.

Holders Fourth Liberty Bonds Can Make An Exchange Up To 27th

Local people who hold fourth liberty bonds may be interested in the communication addressed to the First National Bank from Henry Morgenthau, Jr., secretary of the treasury, calling attention to the exchange agreement. If you have any of these bonds and wish to exchange them for longer term bonds, the officers of the First National will be glad to render any assistance possible.

The telegram:

First National Bank of Artesia: The treasury would again appreciate your help as given on previous occasions in reaching individual holders called fourth liberty loan bonds to advise them of opportunity to exchange for new issue treasury bonds. This offer terminates Wednesday, March 27th. Bonds eligible for exchange are fourth liberties. Please use your good efforts not only in contacting your own customers but as a public service offer your facilities to your community. Suggest you get in touch with local newspapers requesting them to bring facts to attention of public. Many holders of bonds of small denominations probably unaware advantages of exchange into new issue. Would appreciate reply by wire collect whether we can count on your cooperation.

HENRY MORGENTHAU, JR., Secretary of the Treasury.

State Gets Increase 400 Barrels of Oil In the April Allowable

The state oil production for the month of April has been set at 49,700 barrels daily, according to a telegram received by C. J. Dexter, New Mexico production chairman, Tuesday. The April allowable represents a 400 barrel increase over March, which was 49,300 barrels.

Baldwin's To Start A Fourteen-Day Spring Opening Sale Friday

Friday Baldwin's Artesia dry goods and ready-to-wear merchant will inaugurate the spring opening sale with special prices on many items of spring merchandise. Many surprising values are offered on ladies' new spring suits, spring dresses, hosiery, outing and prints, staple piece goods, spring silks, men's suits and men's and ladies' shoes and oxfords. The sale will run through fourteen days, to Saturday, April 6th.

WORK ON GYM BEGUN

Work commenced Tuesday morning on the new gymnasium building at the Junior high school grounds. The building, to be made of concrete, is under an FERA project and will be completed within about ninety days.

Settlement Made On All the Issues Of Utility Stock

A number of local people were made happier this week by the announcement from Roswell that a settlement had been reached on the majority of all issues of utility stock, sold through the Southwest Public Service Co. Stockholders, who were represented by Judge C. R. Brice of Roswell, in a suit to recover on one issue of preferred stock sold here several years ago, will be paid twenty percent cash, and the remainder of the value of the original issue will be covered in a new issue, less twenty percent attorney's fees.

Checks and new stock certificates for the clients of Judge Brice will be mailed from Roswell, it was announced yesterday. New stock has also been issued in the General Public Utility Co., for those who did not join in the suit. It is understood here dividends will be paid on the new preferred stock in the General Public Utility Co., on April 1st to stockholders of record March 20th.

Cotton Parity Rental Checks Aid Farmers

Parity Checks for \$10,026 and \$3,739.50 for Rental Received in Last Week; Estimate 525 Will Sign 1935 Contracts.

Cotton farmers in this valley are being reimbursed at a very opportune moment by receiving parity checks amounting to \$10,026.00 and rental checks amounting to \$3,739.50 within the last week, according to County Agent Wunsch. These are greatly appreciated by the farmers due to the fact that their operating expenses are unusually large at this time of the year because of seed purchases and planting. This amount is a small percentage of the total checks to be received by cotton farmers in the valley. The farmers are cooperating very favorably with the 1935 cotton reduction program. Practically all of the producers who signed contracts in 1934 are renewing their contracts again this year. A large number of farmers who did not sign cotton reduction contracts last year are eager to take advantage of the benefits to be derived from 1935 cotton reduction contracts. It is estimated that the total number of contracts including both new and old signers, will be approximately 525. It is being planned to have all 1935 contracts completed and ready to send to Washington by the last of the month. Any farmers who are interested in signing up contracts this year should not delay in attending to this matter. Farmers of this district are requested to contact H. A. Denton, committeeman, at his office.

Albuquerque Man Is Elected Head of the Masonic Grand Lodge

Reuben Perry of Albuquerque was elected grand master of the grand lodge A. F. & A. M., of New Mexico Monday afternoon in the first day of the week-long annual session of the Masonic orders opening Monday in Clovis.

Approximately 300 Masons, delegates and visitors, attended the sessions Monday, including William T. S. O'Hara, grand high priest of the Royal Arch Masons of the United States, from his Toledo, Ohio, home.

Perry, who was deputy grand master, succeeds W. H. Duckworth of Clovis to the high office. Edward R. Paul of Santa Fe was elected to the office vacated by Perry, and other officers named were: Raymond E. A. Drolet of Farmington, senior grand warden; Alva A. Hamilton of Tucuman, junior grand warden, and Peter Cameron of Albuquerque, grand treasurer, and Alpheus A. Keen of Albuquerque, grand secretary, were re-elected to their offices.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Clady left Monday to attend the opening session.

BRIDGMAN SELLS HIS SHEEP RANCH

J. H. Bridgman, Hope merchant, has sold his sheep ranch south of Hope consisting of thirty-two sections of deeded, government and state land, it was announced here Friday. The new owner, Melvin Tulk of Lovington, took charge of the ranch Saturday. The deal is understood to have involved 1,200 head of sheep.

Roosevelt Speaks On The Military Crisis Of Europe

WASHINGTON—A transatlantic extension of the "good neighbor policy" as the solution for Europe's acute military problems was projected yesterday by President Roosevelt, while, on Capitol Hill, record-smashing national defense outlays totalling more than \$1,500,000,000 were discussed.

Disarmament, the president told newspapermen, is a component part of his "neighbor" policy, and, despite the crisis resulting from Germany's announcement of a determination to rearm, the chief executive still held out hope for future arms limitation.

Meanwhile, the United States was brought into direct touch with the European situation for the first time. Sir John Simon, British foreign minister summoned Ray Atherton, American Charge D'Affaires in London, and gave him an outline of Britain's position for transmission here.

At the same time, Secretary Swanson told newspapermen the navy was considering plans for building battleships after present limiting treaties expire and was not deviating from its program of laying down 78 smaller vessels by 1939.

Secretary Roper also entered the discussion that has swept about the world since Adolf Hitler's abrogation of the Versailles treaty with an assertion that "we're for peace," and an added statement that he did not "anticipate our getting into a war in the near future."

A contrasting assertion that (Continued on last page, column 1)

Corn-Hog Program Ready By April 1

All Contract Are Signed Up Here; Hope to Have Fifteen New Contracts.

The corn-hog program is well underway and R. L. Paris, in charge of the program in Artesia, has applications for 1935 contracts already signed up for members who had a 1934 corn-hog contract. He states that he has had no new applications for 1935 corn-hog contracts; however, the committeemen at Hope have had approximately 15 requests for contracts this year from men who did not have 1934 corn-hog contracts. It is the plan of the corn-hog association to have all applications completed and in the county office before the end of this month. Any who are interested in these applications should take immediate steps to see the community committeemen who are handling these applications.

Why We Need An Artesia Hospital

T. M. Bobo, well-known Cottonwood farmer, writes interestingly on the need of a hospital in Artesia. Mr. Bobo, who was a patient at an El Paso hospital for several weeks recently, probably had occasion to feel the need of a hospital close at hand more than a great many people living in Artesia.

He says: Many dollars leave our little city we could keep at home. Also our doctors could be on the ground when called instead of having to go to Carlsbad or Roswell, where they have patients. I was taken to El Paso by Dr. Womack, where Dr. Multhaupt, who is a very fine surgeon, performed an operation, which was a success, although in two weeks I suffered a relapse. I was a very happy man when the three doctors called in said they had the trouble under control.

The presence of my family, letters, and visits of friends, was a great comfort to me and aided in my recovery until I was able to be brought home in the Hartford ambulance, managed by Mr. Archie Bentley, and Mrs. Bentley, my special nurse.

The money that I spent and that others have spent could have been spent here had we a hospital.

Yours for a hospital at home,
T. M. BOBO.

PRESIDENT TO VETO BONUS

WASHINGTON—A renewed warning that the president will veto an outright cash payment bonus bill was issued Monday, lending fresh energy to congress members who hope eventually to win a compromise.

In fact, house leaders agreed to cast aside gag rules and permit votes not only on the two major cash payment measures but also the most talked of "compromise," under which veterans would get negotiable bonds instead of cash for their adjusted compensation certificates.

Funeral Services For Miss Minnie Davidson Held Here Monday

Funeral services for Miss Minnie Davidson, aged 27, who died in Clinton, Oklahoma, March 14th, were held here Monday afternoon, with the Rev. A. C. Douglas, Methodist pastor, officiating. The body arrived on the afternoon passenger train and after services here, it was sent to Roswell, where burial was made in the Roswell cemetery, with Dr. F. L. Linebaugh officiating at a short service at the graveside.

Miss Davidson was a sister of Mrs. E. A. Beatty of the Oil Field. Another sister, Mrs. Beatty of Hobbs, survives her, in addition to two sisters and two brothers, whose names were not learned, and her father, J. F. Davidson of Siloam Springs, Arkansas.

CLOSED BANK NOW PAYING DEPOSITORS

Delivery of the final dividends completing 100 percent to depositors of the closed First National Bank of Gallup is expected by April 1, Al Smyers, in charge of the receiver's office, announced last week.

C. E. Mann of Artesia served as receiver for the Gallup bank for several months.

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Two Roswell Men Held For Giving Four Cold Checks

Elza White, Jr., and Charles S. Corn, both of Roswell, were arrested in Alamogordo Friday on information from Eddy county officers and charged with issuing several worthless checks, including four passed here. Deputy Sheriff Irvin Martin returned with the two men Friday night and after lodging them in the city jail, took them on to the county jail at Carlsbad.

It is understood here that both White and Corn face similar charges in two other southeastern New Mexico counties, Chaves and Lea. They also face a state charge at Alamogordo for transporting cattle across the state line into El Paso, Texas, without inspection, it was said.

Monday White paid \$45.60 to the holders of the four cold checks here.

Sheriff Dwight Lee said here yesterday he had turned White over to the custody of Howard Beecham, sheriff of Otero county, who took White to Alamogordo. Corn is still confined in the Eddy county jail.

Damage Suit Is Underway Now In Dist. Court

Miller Asks Damages of \$50,000 From Owner of Carlsbad Inn; Judge Sentences Johnson To Life In Pen.

The trial of Paul Galloway, Carlsbad youth, on charges of involuntary manslaughter, growing out of the death of Mrs. Annie Plinsky, Carlsbad boarding house operator, in an auto accident at Carlsbad several weeks ago, was concluded in the Eddy county district court at Carlsbad Friday.

Mrs. Plinsky met her death when struck by a car driven by Galloway at Carlsbad early in February. The case of Galloway went to the jury Friday noon. The defendant was found not guilty after the jury deliberated two hours and forty-five minutes. The trial was the last criminal case to come before the court during the present session.

In the first of the civil cases, the jury awarded a verdict to the defendant in the case of the Southwestern Public Service Co., versus J. D. Armstrong, in which Armstrong sought to recover \$1,784.18 from his former employer, alleging this sum was due him for overtime service. The jury was discharged Friday night and ordered to return Monday.

Tuesday Judge McGhee summoned a special venire of thirty-six to serve on the \$50,000 damage suit of Clayton Miller, administrator of the estate of Felix Miller, against W. A. Moore of Carlsbad, owner of the Carlsbad Inn. The suit grew out of the Carlsbad Inn fire on December 23rd, at which time the Carlsbad Inn was destroyed by fire and four people lost their lives. The summonses were served by Deputy Sheriff Irvin Martin to the following men, principally residents of north Eddy county: James Norris, Charles Martin, E. S. Westcott, L. G. Price, John Fanning, N. T. Kelly, Jr., B. N. Shipp, R. L. Cole, Paul Terry, R. L. Vogel, John Boren, Stanley Carper, C. L. Blount, Merrill Sharp, C. A. Reno, Victor Buell, J. R. Duncan, Ervin Cox, H. M. Moutray, I. P. Johnson, W. M. Ross, Frank Walker, F. H. Houghtaling, Monroe Howard, Ed Watson, Dayton Reser, Oscar Cave, W. D. Sterrett, Everett O'Bannon.

Lewis S. Levese pronounced one sentence Monday after hearing a plea of guilty. Ernest Johnson, convicted of larceny March 13th, pleaded guilty to four previous convictions of felonies, which under the state law made a life sentence in the state penitentiary mandatory, it was understood. Other pleas on arrignment Monday were: Dorothy Lee Jewel, who pleaded guilty to a charge of perjury. Jack Long pleaded not guilty to a similar charge. The couple was charged with swearing falsely by information filed by District Attorney George Reese wherein they denied ever having lived together at Long's cabin at a Carlsbad tourist camp.

The jury in the \$50,000 damage suit of Miller against Moore was impaneled yesterday morning and the case is expected to be completed today.

Festival of Music To Get Underway At Roswell Friday

The Pecos Valley Music Festival sponsored by the Pecos Valley Music Teachers' Association will be held in Roswell Friday and Saturday.

Over three hundred young musicians will participate in the festival which will include piano and voice recitals Friday morning, a public festival program Friday night and violin contests and orchestra ratings Saturday. All of these events will be held at the First Baptist church of Roswell.

There will be a luncheon and business meeting for the music teachers at the Nickson hotel Saturday at 12:30.

Of the 300 or more contestants, approximately 150 will play solos and the others will play in piano ensembles, glee clubs and churches. Contestants will participate from Carrizozo, Tularosa, Portales, Artesia, Hagerman, Carlsbad, high schools, junior high schools and colleges.

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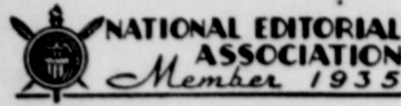
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SHARE THE WEALTH

The press has been criticized for playing up crime and making glorified heroes out of criminals. Now that the department of justice has turned the tables on criminals, the press has seized the next best straw to cater to human curiosity by reporting the rabid activities of Huey (Hoey) Long, Louisiana senator, in his efforts to get the public attention. Huey has gotten publicity worth thousands of dollars to him as far as gaining notoriety goes and a lot of people will stop at nothing nowadays to gain the public notice.

Huey has been and still is the biggest present-day detriment to free speech. How long do you suppose he would last on his share the wealth program, if it were possible to make such an economic division? Does anybody, except the moron, imagine that Huey could conduct his present-day activities in the million dollar limitation, with the innumerable trips back and forth from Louisiana to Washington, his body guards, his state militia and other expenses such as a dictator would incur, if he were given the power?

Apropos of the share the wealth plan, the Santa Fe New Mexican says:

In addition to this there is the oft repeated assertion that if the wealth were divided every Saturday night it would be back in the same hands by Wednesday morning. Disappointing thought, but there must be some truth in it. The thing has been tried and worked out that way according to the findings of a high school student who has sent us a book by Sir Charles Bell, "Tibet past and present."

"The Tibetans," it says, "have several democratic traits in their character. One of these was exemplified in the next king (following King Ti-Song-De-tsen, latter part of the eighth century), Mu-ni Tsem-po, who ordained that all men should share equally in the wealth of the country. An equal division was made, but the equality soon disappeared. Yet twice again all were made to share and share alike. But the inequalities became worse than before, for it was found that the poor, who had become indolent during their time of ease, became poorer than ever. After the third attempt the king was poisoned by his mother."

"And after the third attempt . . ." Oh, well, our nerves being what they are we'll just have to let Huey worry about that.

MOST BENEFICIAL

Oddly perhaps from the viewpoint of those who argue for road construction in their own locality as against such construction elsewhere, this newspaper urges the construction and permanent hard surfacing of the road leading east from Artesia to the oil fields in the Artesia, Maljamar and Hobbs fields.

The basic reason is this: Whenever and wherever permanent roads are built for service to established traffic in considerable volume, the indirect benefits to all sections of the state are measurable through increased business of some sort. Often the building of a road in northeastern New Mexico has the effect of increasing traffic in distant sections of the state. Inversely the result is the same if roads are built elsewhere than in the northeastern section.

At present probably the heaviest industrial haulage in the state is in the oil fields of southeastern New Mexico. That section of the state lacks roads for economical handling of heavy traffic. The situation should be corrected. Given an improved and permanent highway into the oil fields there will be more prompt completion of development leaving promotion capital now operating there, free to go to other fields or prospective fields in the state to carry on development work.

The highway east from Artesia would help keep in New Mexico the business that is now being diverted to Texas. The neighboring state, realizing the benefit to be had from oil field operations in southeastern New Mexico, has built good roads up to the New Mexico line. Better traffic ways are thus opened to heavy haulage to the oil fields and Texas gets the patronage that New Mexico might have if its roads were serviceable.

One of the first big jobs of the new highway commission should be consideration of the improvement suggested. That action would indicate a return of the old policy of the highway commission to build roads first where roads are most needed and generally beneficial to the state.—Las Vegas Optic.

PLANT MORE TREES

The planting season for trees and shrubbery is rapidly passing. There is only a few days left in which trees may be planted safely. We don't know of anything that has brought greater returns to the Pecos valley in comfort and beauty than the trees and shrubbery planted in previous years. The problems connected with soil erosion during the past three years have been many because soil erosion is a real menace to the southwest, challenging the best minds of the nation to devise ways and means to stop it.

From present developments it is clearly evident that the federal government will take steps to stop this waste. Scientists say the country is gradually becoming more arid, although the aridity is a very slow process, but it will bring on the necessity for some form of protection and there is no better way than to plant trees.

JONES CHAMPION FLY WEIGHT WRESTLER AT UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS

Schoolmates and friends of Delbert Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter A. Jones, may be interested to learn that he recently won the fly weight wrestling championship of the University of Texas, at Austin.

In an intermural contest he won a decision over Alton Mauer, former University champion, defeating him in a seven minute contest. Delbert was awarded the decision on a time advantage. He also won two preliminary matches at the University recently.

Delbert, a former Texas Tech student, was the fly weight champion of that institution in 1933.

No Diamonds On Tax Rolls of Eddy County Says the Tax Assessor

Eddy county is one county in the state without diamonds, at least there are no diamonds rendered on the tax rolls if we may take the word of Richard Westaway, assessor. Each year Westaway is required to list the personal property of all taxpayers and of all questions asked the taxpayer whether or not he is in possession of a diamond, not one has answered yes. When the assessor questioned one man who was wearing a diamond stud in his tie, the man said it was nothing more than glass. And there are approximately 50,000 separate renditions in the county.

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MANN DRUG CO.

Chislings

Here is the theme song of the Townsend club, sung to the tune of "Huey Come Along, Huey Come Long!"

Cheer up, Grandpa, don't you cry!
You'll wear diamonds by and by.
Uncle Sam has money mills
Made to grind out brand new bills.
He will help you in your cause
With his old age pension laws.
No more worry over bills,
Butchers' duns or doctors' pills.
Leave that all to government.
Dine on squab and caviar,
Sport a streamlined motor car.
When the blizzards bliz a bit,
Off to Palm Beach gaily flit,
Lead a life of pleasure bent,
But you must spend every cent!
Whoopee, Grandpa! Stay alive!
Life begins at sixty-five!

A friend spent the night with a farmer. The next morning he appeared downstairs with a black eye.

"How did you get that?" asked the farmer in surprise.

"Oh, I just happened to fall in the guest chamber, that's all," answered the visitor.

"Gee! you didn't break it, did you?" anxiously inquired the farmer.

"Dear, this is heaven."
"Well, I'm not a harp."

An old colored preacher over in Virginia was noted for his use of six-cylinder words, many of which he did not always understand himself. He startled his congregation one morning with this announcement:

"Brethern an' sistern, pay me strick mind, foh I'm erbout to 'nounce. Nex' Sunday—dat is one week from dis day—dar will be a mos' impurtant celebration in dis congregation. An' I want all ob you to be on han' to witness de holy doin's, foh I's gwine ter baptize nine adults and sixteen adultresses."

Squad leader: "I heard the battalion commander called you a blockhead. Is that correct?"

Plebe: "No sir, he didn't make it that strong. He just said, 'Pull down your cap, here comes a woodpecker.'"

The barber had scraped him, nicked him and cut him.

"Get me a glass of water, please," gasped the victim.

"Do you feel faint, sir?" asked the barber, solicitously.

"No," replied the victim. "I just wanted to see if my mouth would still hold water."

The report of a lost child here last week caused some consternation among the officials until the child was found. A California tourist, who was traveling a la 1900, stopped off to see the town, only to lose one of his brood of seven. Investigation surrounding the mystery of the lost child revealed that the tourist was driving a truck and for convenience the children were piled in the rear of the truck and were supposed to have been protected by an endgate, which had fallen out while driving over some of our residential side streets and one of the children had

Bar Finds Zinn Guilty Misconduct

SANTA FE—The State Bar Commission Saturday reported to the state supreme court that Justice A. L. Zinn of that body "violated his duties as a member of the bar when he comingle" with his personal funds, certain sums given him as an officer of the court.

No recommendation was made. The matter now is up to the supreme court which is the judge of the members of the bar. The court designated the commission to hear the evidence, leaving the judgment to the court.

The findings were signed by the seven members of the commission who sat.

Zinn received two \$500 remittances from H. L. Williams of Prescott, Arizona, to apply on delinquent taxes and judgments against Williams. Zinn was special assistant state tax attorney for McKinley county at the time. It was charged that Zinn applied the \$1,000 to his own brokerage account, not keeping the money in a special account and by so doing violated his duties as a member of the bar.

Scout News

It has been definitely determined that a Boy Scout Camp-O-Ral will be held at the new state park between Clovis and Portales April 25 to 27. This decision was reached by a vote of area scoutmasters.

Every troop and every Scout should be given the opportunity of attending this great event, says P. V. Thorson, executive. A goal of 600 Scouts has been set and each district will be asked to be responsible for a certain quota as agreed upon by themselves.

The ability to camp in patrols will be the objective of the Camp-O-Ral as in the past. In addition to this there will be special events including first aid, signaling, archery, fire by friction, and other Scout activities.

A complete detailed bulletin will be sent to every scoutmaster within the next two weeks.

The annual Camp-O-Ral poster is now open to every Scout in the area.

Ford Has Biggest Schedule In March

DEARBORN, Michigan — The largest domestic production of Ford V-8 cars and trucks since the V-8 engine was introduced by the Ford Motor Company three years ago has been scheduled for March, it was revealed recently at the company's home offices here. Production of 160,000 units is planned.

Under the March schedule, the Ford Company will build more than 6,000 units a day, in order to keep pace with continued increasing demand for the 1935 Ford V-8 cars and trucks. March production this year will be more than twice as great as Ford's domestic production last March, when 77,947 units were built.

Since the new cars were announced late last December, Ford production has moved steadily upward. Production in January totaled 100,793 units, and February's production will approximate 130,000 units. With the March schedule set at 160,000 units, the Ford Company by the end of March will have produced more than 400,000 1935 model cars and trucks in the United States alone.

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accidentally been dropped from the rear of the truck. Unfortunately the child accidentally landed in a chug hole. The child was not able to climb out of the chug hole, but no doubt cried for aid, but was not heard until the next morning when Will Crockett happened to step out in his front yard. Crockett is reported to have gone back in the house and told his family he had heard the faint voice of a child, which appeared as though it were coming from a well. A search resulted in finding the child in the said chug hole, where he had spent the night unmolested.

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Messrs. O. C. Gray, J. C. Floore, Bert Shipp and Raymond McCullough returned Friday from Santa Fe, where they were called before the federal grand jury to appear in the case of Clifford Kidd and George Lewis, charged with issuing counterfeit \$10.00 bills. Kidd was billed and Lewis was set free, set free.

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The front axle is stronger—20%. The frame has been strengthened—with a new X-member, double reinforced side rails, new cross members at front, center and rear. The chassis is mounted on the Ford Full-floating Springbase—giving more uniform tire wear, longer brake life, better brake action, improved over-all operation, easier riding and handling.

But the way to find out what this new Ford V-8 Pickup will do for you—and save for you—is to put it through a tough trial on your own job. Your Ford dealer will let you have one any time you say.

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THE CHURCHES

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10:15 a. m. Sunday school.
11:00 a. m. Sunday services.
"Matter" is the subject of the lesson-sermon which will be read in all Churches and Societies of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, March 24th.
The golden text is: "Woe unto him that saith to the wood, Awake; to the dumb stone, Arise, it shall teach! Behold, it is laid over with gold and silver, and there is no breath at all in the midst of it." (Hab. 2:19).

Among the citations which comprise the lesson-sermon is the following from the Bible: "When the even was come, they brought unto him many that were possessed with devils; and he cast out the spirits with his word, and healed all that were sick." (Matt. 8:16).
The lesson-sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook: "The theology of Christian Science includes healing the sick. Our Master's first article of faith propounded to his students was healing, and he proved his faith by his works."

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
A. C. Douglas, Pastor

Church school with graded lesson material for all ages at 9:45 a. m. George Frisch, general superintendent.

Morning worship begins promptly at 11 o'clock. The sermon will be delivered by the pastor. Subject: "A New Heart—A New Spirit."
Epworth League devotional service begins at 6:30 p. m. and closes at 7 o'clock. Following the devotional service Bible study for 30 minutes with Mr. Hornbaker as instructor.

Evening worship at 7:30. Sermon by the pastor. The service is informal and helpful. We hope you will attend.

Strangers within the city and those without church homes we especially invite to worship with us.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Pastor, P. G. Woodruff.
Sunday school superintendent, A. L. Wilkinson.
General B. T. U. director, Miss Maurine Lewis.

9:45 Sunday school. Topic: "Practicing Our Christian Profession," or "Peter Describes the Christian Life." I Peter 3:8-18. Golden text: "Sanctify the Lord God in your hearts." I Peter 3:15. Let each individual resolve that he or she is going to do his or her best to make our Sunday school what it ought to be, for the glory of the Lord.

11:00 Song service and sermon. Give the preaching service of the church the place of prominence that the Lord intended it should have, and forsake not the assembling of yourselves together.

6:30 B. T. U. training service. Form the habit of being on time, a habit which will be of value to you in every phase of life. Equip yourself for the service of the Lord by proper training.

7:30 Song service and sermon. Complete your evening worship service by staying for the evening preaching service. You thus honor the Lord, and he in turn will honor you.

On Wednesday night at seven-thirty at the church the regular mid-week prayer service will be held. This mid-week service should be the medium of power for the whole church life. If you aren't interested enough in the Lord's work to pray for its success, the chances are you aren't doing much of this work for the Lord.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Corner 7th and Grand Ave.
A. G. Hobbs, Jr., Local Evangelist.

Bible school, 10 a. m.
Preaching 11:00 a. m.
Sermon subject: "Essentials of Discipleship."

Young people's meeting at 6:15 p. m.
Juniors meet 6:30 p. m.
Evening preaching service 7:15 p. m. Subject: "Marriage."
Ladies Bible class Thursday at 2:30 p. m.
Mid-week service 7:00 p. m. Thursday.

We are still growing. We have just recently purchased seventy-five additional seats. Come and be with us.

The program for Thursday night is a sermon by Paul Otts. I am sure all who come will be well repaid and benefitted.

The subject for Sunday night is "Marriage." Many are interested in this subject; many others ought to be. Every high school student needs this lesson.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
708 Missouri St.
John A. Brice, Pastor

Mrs. Margaret Wilde, Sunday school superintendent.

We invite you to spend this hour of study of the word with us. We have classes for all ages, with efficient teachers, good discourses and friendly worship.

Morning studies 11:00 a. m. Sermon by the pastor-evangelist. Sermon theme: "The Three Lands"

New Mex. Farmers Get Near \$2,000,000 Benefit From AAA

WASHINGTON — Rental and benefit payments made in New Mexico by the farm adjustment administration through January 31 amounted to \$1,969,519.41.

The AAA reported Monday that \$983,525.68 of this total was made in cotton payments, \$765,590.15 on wheat and \$220,403.58 under corn-hog contracts.

Payments by counties in New Mexico follow:

County	Total
Bernalillo	\$ 1,388.00
Catron	174.00
Chaves	209,082.98
Colfax	27,780.93
Curry	440,406.95
De Baca	3,004.55
Dona Ana	370,253.37
Eddy	291,600.85
Grant	419.15
Guadalupe	2,919.85
Harding	93,500.19
Hidalgo	1,142.76
Lea	12,164.39
Lincoln	9,011.66
McKinley	833.42
Mora	2,077.65
Otero	4,396.59
Quay	296,594.12
Rio Arriba	413.05
Roosevelt	116,247.89
San Juan	8,462.16
San Miguel	4,592.97
Santa Fe	1,081.70
Sierra	1,105.62
Union	70,865.61
Total	\$1,969,519.41

George Friedrich Martich, rich manufacturer of Dresden and the father of 14 children, eloped with his 13-year-old niece.

In Which Israel Dwelt."

N. Y. P. service 6:30 p. m. Come and enjoy this hour of discussion with our young people.

Ecclesiastes, the preacher has said, "There is nothing new under the sun" but we believe the original program planned for our young people's service this Sunday will be new and quite worth while. Evangelistic service at 7:30 p. m. We dare to be evangelistic in these days of turmoil and faithlessness. We invite you to come and hear the preaching of the word of God in all its fullness.

The mid-week prayer service each Wednesday evening is given over to Bible study. We have completed the ages of eternity past and the Eden age, and will take up the anti-deluvian and post-deluvian ages next.

The Women's Missionary society will meet at the home of Mrs. Chester for an all-day meeting this Thursday. The president, Mrs. Everett Paton, urges that all be present.

You are cordially invited to all services.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

9:45 Bible school.
11:00 Preaching.
Topic: "A Man Who Made A Mistake."
7:00 Young Peoples meeting.
7:30 Wednesday prayer service.
W. B. McCROY, Pastor.

Livestock Report Shows Condition Has Not Changed

RANGES: There was very little change reported on the condition of ranges March 1 from that of a month ago. During February there has been some moisture in the form of rain or snow in practically all parts of the state. Ranges are generally short of moisture in the lower altitudes. Snowfall in the higher altitudes of northern part of the state and in Grant and Catron counties of western New Mexico have caused livestockmen to be encouraged over prospects for spring range feed. There has been no appreciable growth of grass or weeds on ranges yet and unless the weather warms up soon the start of feed will be delayed considerably. Reserves of feed supplies are low and stockmen are using only the necessary amounts of shipped in feed to maintain their stock. Stock water in streams is low in most parts of the state but wells generally supplying sufficient. Wheat pasture in the eastern part of the state is only fair. The condition of ranges is reported at 57 percent of normal compared with 55 last month and 83.7 for the 10-year average.

CATTLE AND CALVES: Cattle are in fair condition. Reports indicate they are thinner than a month ago. Prospects for a calf crop depend much on spring range feed. Because of a feed shortage in all counties early range feed is necessary to sustain the early calves. Demand for cattle of all classes during the past month has been exceptionally strong with increased prices. There have been some offers to contract 1935 calves for late fall delivery. The condition of cattle on March 1 was 68 percent of normal compared with 69 last month and 85.8 for the 10-year average.

SHEEP AND LAMBS: Sheep and lambs are in fair to good condition and about the same as a month ago. Because of open warm weather during the past month losses have been exceptionally small. The lamb crop prospects will depend to a great extent on the weather during the next sixty days. Unless there is early range feed it is doubtful if heavy lamb losses can be prevented. The condition of sheep on March 1 was reported at 71 percent of normal the same as last month as compared with 86.0 for the 10-year average.

HARDING COUNTY CATTLE DYING

Reports over the state are to the effect Harding county ranchers have been losing cattle, caused from eating soapweed. An analysis of the weed shows that it contains more saponin this year than last. The increase in the amount of poison is attributed to dry weather.

The price of pets is going up in Ohio. The state tax commission, according to report, is going to subject bird seed, fish food, and other pet food to the retail sales tax imposed by the state.

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Ancient Tombstone Found Near The Cap Rock By A Carlsbad Engineer

The recent finding of a flat limestone slab, which apparently was the gravestone of an early resident of southeastern New Mexico, first reset the date when white men first settled here, says the Carlsbad Current-Argus.

The slab was found by Marshall Sellman, an engineer with the state highway department, who is with a party locating a route for a new highway to Hobbs. It bears the name "J. R. McCann," the dates "1721-1751," followed by the words "At Rest," all cut into the rock.

It was found east of the Cap Rock line, about 60 miles southeast of here. It was lying about 200 yards south of the present highway.

While the chance is recognized that it might be the work of a practical joker, it is believed by many who viewed the stone that its weathered appearance indicates its age.

Floyd Fitzsimmons, a Carlsbad contractor, from a history of the

southwest, learned that a "Judge McCann" entered New Mexico with Coronado, and later became the first judge in Lower California. It is believed that the McCann whose tombstone was found was a possible descendant of Judge McCann.

Efforts are being made to learn more closely the conditions under which McCann came to New Mexico. A Carlsbad high school history teacher is delving into New Mexico history in an attempt to learn who McCann may have been.

Certainly residents, or visitors either, in New Mexico were so few in those early days as to make possible a historical recording of such people. A trek into southeastern New Mexico at that early date was comparable to a Lindbergh hop over the Atlantic.

Charged with possession of several gallons of liquor, Tenie Chrisman and her son, Melvin Chrisman, of Luray, Virginia, have been given three months in jail.

SHIPS CAR OF CALVES

Herbert and Courtney of Elida loaded out a car of calves Saturday purchased from John Ward and Sam Turner of Hope. The car was consigned to Elida.

The Advocate was recently in receipt of a letter from B. H. McFadden of Glendale, California, in which Mr. McFadden enclosed a remittance for renewal of his subscription. He says he is glad to see evident progress in New Mexico. Mr. McFadden, an owner of a farm south of town, has taken The Advocate since 1914.

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Social Activities

SPLENDID PROGRAM AT WOMEN'S CLUB WEDNESDAY

The regular meeting of the Artesia Women's club met at the club house Wednesday. Mrs. Martin Yates presided during the business session preceding the program.

The annual election of officers was deferred to the third Wednesday in April instead of the first Wednesday on account of this date being guests' day. The president appointed the following as members of a nominating committee: Mmes. H. A. Stroup, S. S. Ward, Howard Gissler, N. M. Baird and A. T. Woods.

A motion was put before the club to give the use of the club house for the afternoon meetings of the Girl Scouts. The motion carried and the club house will be used in the future by the Girl Scouts.

Complaint has been made in the neighborhood about children congregating at the club house and defacing the property, as well as injuring the shrubs, also making unnecessary disturbance. It is hoped that this practice will be stopped and if not, efforts will be taken to put an end to it.

Mrs. Howard Whitson, program chairman, presented little Miss Hattie Ruth Cole and Master Lewis W. Story in a musical number, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Fred Cole. Hattie Ruth sang in a sweet little voice, "On the Good Ship Lollypop." Lewis accompanied on the violin.

W. R. Hornbaker was presented by Mrs. Whitson and talked on two subjects; first, "The Easter," secondly, "A Good Appetite." Mr. Hornbaker's latter subject dealt with woman's mission to the coming generation, who are being provided for physically, but whom he believes are dying morally.

MRS. HOWARD WILLIAMS COMPLIMENTS DAUGHTER WITH BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mrs. Howard Williams complimented her small daughter, Catherine Louise, with a lovely birthday party on her twelfth birthday, last Saturday.

Guests arrived at 4:00 o'clock and enjoyed an hour of appropriate games; they also presented the honoree with beautiful gifts. With Mrs. Ben Pior at the piano, the children marched into the dining room, softly lighted with candles, found their places by the clever little hand-made place cards and sang while standing, "Happy Birthday." The long dining table was beautifully laid and centered with a large white birthday cake decorated with twelve pink candles, lighted.

Mrs. Williams served sandwiches, fruit jello, birthday cake and lemonade to Catherine Louise and her guests, Wanda Story, Sybil Pior, Dorothy Linell, Marietta Starkey, Lucy Jean Hnulik, Wanda Morris, Lujanna Monschke, Bernia Marie Baldwin, Bettyne Lanning, Jane Shugart, Edna Carder and Billie Williams.

MARJORIE CROCKETT HAS BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mrs. Will Crockett was hostess in entertaining with a birthday party for her small daughter, Marjorie, on her seventh anniversary, Thursday afternoon from 4:00 to 6:00 o'clock. Mrs. Crockett was assisted in entertaining by Marjorie's teacher, Miss Kathleen Newman.

Various games were enjoyed by the children, both indoors and outside. Marjorie and her guests were seated at a long table for refreshments. A beautiful birthday cake formed the centerpiece. Tiny baskets filled with Easter egg candies were the favors at each plate. Hot cocoa and cookies were served to the following children: Orlena, W. C. and Albert Martin, Louise Hayhurst, Patsie Ruth Snyder, Billy Jean Baker, Guinivere Ellis, Shirley Bartlett, Josephine Stewig, Patsie Jean and Carol McCrary, Emily Estes, Mary Bell Walker, Peggy McCaw, Georgie Hammond, Helen Young, Catherine Crockett and Marjorie, the honor guest.

MRS. KIDDY ENTERTAINS SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS

Mrs. Hugh Kiddy entertained members of her Sunday school class and their little friends at her home last Friday evening with a delightful St. Patrick party.

Appropriate games were played, including the potato race, Irish golf, and many other interesting ones. Mrs. Kiddy served delicious punch and Blarney cakes.

The class members and friends enjoying this affair were: Barbara Wheatley, Catherine Louise Williams, Jane Shugart, Delores May-erhofen, Peggy Linell, Virginia Gordon, Lucia Hnulik, Ruth Hamilton, Edna Carder, Sybil Pior and Dorothy Reno.

Social Calendar

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THURSDAY (TODAY)

Choir rehearsal at Methodist church at 7:30 p. m.

FRIDAY

Bridge of the Month meets at the Artesia hotel at 1:00 p. m. Mrs. Leslie Martin hostess.

SATURDAY

The Elementary Principals of Eddy county will meet at the I. O. O. F. hall for luncheon and an afternoon session. I. H. Burgess will preside.

MONDAY

Legion Auxiliary anniversary supper 7:00 p. m. at the hut.

The Past Matron's club meets with Mrs. Reed Brainard at 2:30 p. m.

TUESDAY

Contract Study club, scheduled to meet March 26th, has been postponed until April 9th.

The Fortnightly Bridge club meets with Mrs. I. L. Spratt at 1:00 p. m.

WEDNESDAY

The Abnormis Sapiens Bridge club meets with Mrs. J. Hise Myers at 2:00 p. m.

The Book club meets with Mrs. I. L. Spratt at 2:00 p. m. Mrs. Walter Graham will give the review.

THURSDAY (NEXT WEEK)

The Charlotte Burnett Circle of the Baptist W. M. U. will meet with Mrs. W. C. Martin at 2:30 p. m.

The Faculty Bridge-34 meets with Mr. and Mrs. Alton Partee at 7:30 p. m.

MISS MOORE BRIDE OF LYNN BUFORD SUNDAY

Miss Alice Moore became the bride of Mr. Lynn G. Buford Sunday morning at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Floore. The impressive ring ceremony was read by the Rev. P. G. Woodruff, pastor of the First Baptist church, in the presence of Mrs. M. A. Moore of Roswell, mother of the bride, Mrs. J. C. Floore and Charles Floore. Mrs. Buford, daughter of Mrs. M. A. Moore of Roswell, was born in Alamogordo, this state, and came to Artesia with her parents ten years ago. She graduated from the local high school with the class of 1933, served as secretary of the Chamber of Commerce for one year and for the past year she has been an efficient stenographic clerk in the Artesia district office of the Eddy county FERA. Mrs. Buford will continue with her present position.

Mr. Buford, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Buford of Springdale, Arkansas, is a graduate of the high school there and also a graduate of the St. Louis College of Pharmacy. Coming to Artesia about three years ago, he has been associated with the Corner Drug Store for the past two years.

The bride wore a pink French crepe, trimmed in frills of silk organza with white accessories. She changed to a green sport dress for the short wedding trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Buford are at home to friends at the R. G. Knoedler residence at 317 West Dallas street.

MISS MOORE GIVEN BRIDE-ELECT PARTY

Mrs. J. K. Wallingford entertained Saturday afternoon, March 9th, complimenting Miss Alice Moore, whose engagement to Lynn G. Buford had been announced.

Guests were seated at two tables for an afternoon of bridge at the attractive Wallingford apartment in the Artesia hotel. Miss Ruth Bigler was awarded the beautiful high score prize.

A dainty refreshment plate was served by Mrs. Wallingford to the following: Misses Alice Moore, Corinne Puckett, Virginia Goodell, Nina Gray, Maurine Lewis, Helen Bullock, Ruth Bigler, Mmes. W. C. Baldwin, C. J. Dexter and Roy Langston. Orange blossoms were used for favors with a symbol of the wedding rings for the honoree. At the close of the refreshment hour little Martha Wallingford, daughter of the hostess, pulled in a small wagon filled with a shower of kitchenware for the bride-elect.

DRESSMAKING

For dressmaking call Mrs. Doll at 221.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS HAS PICNIC

The Willing Workers' class of the Nazarene Sunday school held a joint meeting with the Junior Boys' class on Tuesday afternoon at four o'clock. The children met at the home of Mrs. J. A. Breece and then enjoyed a drive to the Pecos river where games and an old-fashioned picnic supper were enjoyed.

Those present were: Wilma and Lois Owen, Cora Lee Boggs, Vesta Rogers, Louise Sanders, Lorraine and Edna Ruth Forsee, Delphi Dixon, Bernice Wilde, Stella May Mathis, Dorothy Wilde, June Kennedy, Darlene Frazier, Marjorie Florie, Leona and Juanita Chester. J. D. Rogers, John Arnold Breece, Charles and Ralph Lee Forsee, Doan Watkins, J. W. Boggs, Roy Florie, Earl Stephens and Wilson Hillard.

The sponsors of the picnic were: Mrs. Forsee, Mrs. Chester, Mary Jane Wilde and Mrs. John Breece.

ST. PATRICK BREAKFAST BRIDGE ON SATURDAY

Miss Mary Woods entertained with a beautiful Saint Patrick breakfast-bridge at her home at the Whitson apartments Saturday morning from 9:00 to 12:00 o'clock. Lovely bowls of sweet peas were used for decorations and individual corsages with shamrock favors were found at each plate. A dainty breakfast was served in courses at quartet tables by the hostess.

At the close of several rounds of auction, Mrs. Joe Hamann was presented a lovely high score prize.

Miss Woods' guests for this delightful affair were: Misses Jean Macdonald, Beulah Strang, Helen Bullock, Winifred Detterick, Alma Thompson, Lucille Morris, Corinne Puckett, Margaret Williams, Mmes. Joe Hamann, Fletcher Collins and Kenneth Williams.

CHARLOTTE BURNETT CIRCLE HAS MEETING

The Charlotte Burnett Circle of the Baptist W. M. U. met at the home of Mrs. Morrison Livingston last Thursday afternoon.

The new officers of the newly re-organized circle were in charge. They are: Mrs. Roy Langston, chairman; Mrs. P. G. Woodruff, vice-chairman; Mrs. Morrison Livingston, recording secretary; Mrs. Ernest Scoggins, corresponding secretary, and Mrs. Howard Byrd, treasurer.

Mrs. Langston presided during the business session. Plans were made for future activities of the organization. Sixteen members were present. The hostess served light refreshments at the close of the meeting.

IDLEWHILES BRIDGE CLUB WITH MRS. ARBA GREEN

Mrs. Arba Green was hostess to members of the Idlewhiles Bridge club at her home Friday afternoon.

The membership of the club has been reduced to two tables for the present. Seated for the session of contract were: Mmes. J. Hise Myers, M. W. Evans, T. S. Cox, Frank Smith, James Nellis, Mrs. F. G. Hartell and Mrs. Eliza Swift, substituting guests, and the hostess. High score was held by Mrs. Hartell at the conclusion of the games.

Dainty refreshments were served by Mrs. Green.

MRS. WELLS HOSTESS TO THE DORCAS CLASS

Mrs. Virgil Wells was hostess to members of the Dorcas class of the Baptist Sunday school on Wednesday afternoon at her home. Mrs. Morrison Livingston was co-hostess.

Mrs. W. G. Cook, president, presided during a brief business session. Hand work on a charity layette took up part of the afternoon. Light refreshments were served during a social hour which followed. Those present were: Mmes. Roy Langston, John Dunn, P. G. Woodruff, W. G. Cook, W. C. Martin, Walters and Howard Byrd.

TUESDAY EVENING CLUB AT THE ARTESIA HOTEL

Mr. and Mrs. J. Harvey Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Attebery entertained members of the Tuesday Evening Bridge club at the Artesia hotel, Friday evening.

Dinner was served in the coffee shop at 7:00 o'clock, games of auction were played on the mezzanine floor. At the close of the evening Mrs. Attebery held high score for the ladies and Mr. Wilson for the men.

Guests were: Messrs. and Mmes. Albert Richards, Howard Williams, C. R. Blocker and Howard Whitson.

FAMILY DINNER AT STAGNER HOME

A family dinner was enjoyed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Stagner last week complimentary to Mr. and Mrs. Rex Ragsdale of Oakland, California. The guest list included Mr. and Mrs. James W. Stagner and family of Carlsbad, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Carter and family, also of Carlsbad, and Mrs. Mary Evans and family, and the honored guests, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Ragsdale. Mr. and Mrs. Ragsdale, who had been visiting his parents in Oklahoma, left for their home at Oakland after spending a short time in Carlsbad.

SUNDAY SCHOOL PARTY AT THE PRESBYTERIAN MANSE

Members of the Rev. W. B. McCrory's Sunday school class enjoyed a Saint Patrick party at the Manse, last Thursday evening.

The class, which has been recently organized, elected officers on this occasion. For president they chose Mrs. Frank Smith; vice-president, James Allen; secretary and treasurer, Mrs. William Linell. Mrs. Frank Smith and Mrs. Hugh Kiddy were co-hostesses in entertaining. Well-planned games furnished amusement throughout the evening. Delicious Saint Patrick refreshments were served by Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Kiddy at the close of a delightful evening.

Those present were: Messrs. and Mmes. William Linell, James Allen, Howard Bartlett, Donald Marshall, Frank Smith, Hugh Kiddy, Miss Beulah Strang, L. C. Reynolds and the Rev. and Mrs. McCrory.

P. E. O. MEETS WITH MRS. FRED COLE

At its last meeting at the home of Mrs. Fred Cole, Friday afternoon, the new president, Mrs. V. L. Gates, was chosen by Chapter J. P. E. O., to attend the biennial convention of the supreme chapter which will be held in Yellowstone Park in the fall. The appointment will be officially made at the state chapter meeting in Clovis next month, as the delegate also represents Chapter K at Roswell and Chapter L at Albuquerque.

The latter part of the afternoon was taken up by the annual study of the constitution—supreme, state and local—and the state by-laws. As managed by Miss Merrill Bradley, the quiz severely tested the memory and was a matter of absorbing interest for an hour or more.

The chapter is planning to entertain Chapter A of Carlsbad at its next meeting, April 5th.

MRS. LINELL ENTERTAINS ON HER 71ST BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Frank Linell entertained a large group of friends with a St. Patrick party on her 71st birthday anniversary last Thursday evening at her home.

A delightful session of bridge was enjoyed. The lovely high score prize was presented to Mr. and Mrs. P. V. Morris and consolation to Mr. and Mrs. Boone Barnett.

A delicious refreshment plate was served by the hostess at the close of the evening. Guests on this occasion were: Messrs. and Mmes. J. A. Richards, Lewis Story, William Linell, H. W. Clady, Dick Vandagriff, Ben Pior, Walter Douglas, P. V. Morris, Boone Barnett and Mr. Linell.

FRIDAY EVENING BRIDGE WITH MR. AND MRS. DOUGLAS

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Douglas entertained members of the Friday Evening Bridge club with a dinner party at the Oasis Cafe at seven o'clock. Games of auction followed at the Douglas home.

At the conclusion of the games, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Vandagriff were awarded the high score prize and Mr. and Mrs. Boone Barnett the low prize.

All members were present on this occasion.

A. J. COX CHEERED ON 77TH BIRTHDAY

A. J. Cox, who has been confined to his bed for some time, was remembered by relatives and friends on his 77th birthday Sunday.

Several relatives drove down from Roswell and many friends of the family called, each bringing gifts to cheer him on this anniversary date.

EASTERN STARS TO CLOVIS

Several members of the Artesia Eastern Star lodge left yesterday for Clovis to attend the grand lodge session of the Eastern Stars, beginning today and ending Saturday. Among those who attended were: Mmes. Jeff Hightower, Sid Cox, John Rowland, R. G. Knoedler, Jessie Morgan, Alf Coll, S. W. Blocker and Mr. and Mrs. Arba Green.

MAYHILL COUPLE MARRIED (Delayed)

Willie L. Stimson and Miss Clara Brantley, both of Mayhill, were married at Alamogordo last Saturday, March 9th, by Elder Tice Elkins. The contracting parties are well known and popular young people residing in the Mayhill community.

THE GIRL SCOUTS HAVE STEAK FRY

The Girl Scouts met Monday for a steak fry at the home of Irene Gillespie. All present had a very enjoyable time.

WANTED—Clean Cotton Rags at The Advocate

FINE STOCK OF CAR PARTS
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WE THANK YOU

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

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WALLINGFORD TALKS TO ROTARY ON MEXICO

J. K. Wallingford, manager of the Artesia hotel, was the principal speaker at the luncheon program of the Artesia Rotary club Tuesday noon and talked on the subject of "Mexico." Mr. Wallingford, who spent two years in the interior of Mexico with the geological department of the Standard Oil Co., gave some interesting first-hand information on conditions as they exist in Mexico today and of the interesting places to see on a visit to the southern republic. Mr. Wallingford left Mexico shortly after he narrowly escaped alive and has never returned since.

J. B. Stapp, local attorney, was the only visitor present. Charles Morgan, president, announced that Donald MacKay of Portales, president of the Eastern New Mexico Junior College, will address the club during the luncheon hour next week.

CHICKEN PIE SUPPER

Rebekah benefit, served from 5:00 to 8:00 p. m. Saturday, I. O. O. F. Above Baldwin's store—35c. 12-1tc

QUAY COUNTY SCHOOLS CLOSED

All schools were closed in Quay county this week after three deaths occurred the latter part of last week from spinal meningitis.

Unthreshed baled oats hay for sale. Alfalfa Growers Association. 12-1tc

CARD OF THANKS

We extend our sincere thanks to our friends and neighbors for the assistance and sympathy shown us in the loss of our wife and mother. We especially appreciate the faithfulness of Doctors Stroup and Russell and the beautiful floral offerings.
P. P. Mann and family. 12-1tp

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FOR SALE: Bargain in 9-tube combination radio and Victrola, excellent cabinet, at a real price. Andy Anderson. 8-tf

NOTICE TO FISHERMEN: Shiners and worms for sale 2 1/2 miles east of Atoka; also have a team of horses for sale. R. E. Wade. 12-1tp

SEED CORN FOR SALE

Save money on your seed corn. White June and Hickory King for planting. See L. R. Buck on the Cottonwood. 12-4tp

REAL RADIO BARGAIN

New 1935 model Stewart-Warner Radio, long and short wave. Was \$60.50, now \$49.50. McClay Furniture Store. 12-1tc

FOR RENT

FOR RENT: Two-room furnished apartment and furnished sleeping room with garage. Call at Second and Richardson. Mrs. Margaret Threlkeld. 12-1tc

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WANTED: Local man to handle store and confectionary trade. Distribute and collect new, fast-selling DATED PEANUTS. Liberal money-making proposition. We guarantee no loss and quality to you, you guarantee same to customers. Write Automatic Vending Company, Box 813, Roswell, New Mexico. 12-3tc

Cottonwood Items

Mrs. W. M. Waldrip is reported ill this week.

Mrs. Clarence Pearson is on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Reed motored to Roswell Tuesday.

The Cottonwood store is being rebuilt and enlarged.

Mrs. Brown is visiting her sister, Mrs. R. E. Coleman this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ingram have recently moved to their new home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Southard and family are moving to south Texas this week.

The Cottonwood ladies aid netted \$37.54 on serving at the Southard sale Tuesday.

Messrs. Oscar Pearson, Jess Funk and J. A. Reed were El Paso visitors last week.

Mr. Willbanks is moving near the Cottonwood store from his homestead west of the Cottonwood.

Mrs. Noah Burck recently returned from a visit with her mother and sister at Hot Springs, this state.

Mrs. Dora Montgomery, who is taking a beauty course in Roswell spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Hill.

Otho and Oliver Davis of Oklahoma stopped off for a short visit with their mother, Mrs. L. R. Buck, and Mr. Buck while en route to California for a visit with their brother, Charlie Buck.

Mr. and Mrs. Stafford Brown of Carlsbad visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Brown, over the week-end. They also visited with Mr. and Mrs. Vedder Brown at Hagerman before returning home.

SPRING ARRIVES

Spring arrived officially today. The precise moment was 6:18 a. m. (MST), this morning.

At that time the earth's axis was at right angles to the rays of the sun. Night and day were of equal length in the northern hemisphere.

NEW CHRISTIAN MINISTER HERE

The Rev. Thomas L. Massie, new minister of the Christian church, will hold services at the church Sunday, both morning and evening. The Rev. Massie arrived here yesterday.

An interesting experiment at a recent radio show was that of lighting an electric light bulb by passing wireless waves through a man's head. Such experiments should aid in determining the relative conductivity of solid ivory and a vacuum.

TREES FOR SALE

Trees for winter or spring planting. Roselawn Nursery. 1-tfc

LOCALS

G. U. McCrary was a business visitor at Roswell Tuesday.

Miss Agnes Ann Williams of Elk was a guest of Miss June Carper several days this week.

Mrs. Josephine Pior is critically ill suffering from a relapse of the flu at the home of her son, C. C. Pior.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Dexter left Monday on a brief business visit to Torrance and Los Angeles, California.

Dr. and Mrs. Chester Russell were called to Albuquerque Friday by the illness of Dr. Russell's sister, Miss Ruth Russell.

Jerry Chestnut of San Angelo, Texas, vice-president of the Pueblo Oil Co., spent yesterday here looking after business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Morgan expect to leave Friday for Ponca City, Oklahoma. They will probably not return before the first of April.

Mrs. W. S. Williams, her son, Woodrow, and daughter-in-law, Mrs. John Williams, drove over to El Paso Monday and returned on Tuesday.

Elwood Kaiser, who was called here by the death of his mother, Mrs. B. F. Kaiser, returned yesterday to his home at Joliet, Illinois. Arthur Kaiser is planning to remain until the first of April.

Mr. and Mrs. Perly George, accompanied by Mrs. Frank Walker, visited in El Paso, Texas, over the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George's daughter, Mrs. John Fullilove and Mr. Fullilove.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Woermann, accompanied by Mrs. Delos Haynes and Paul Piaget, all of St. Louis, Missouri, are spending a few days here looking after property interests and visiting Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hamann.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Blocker and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hamann drove up to the Sacramento Camp Sunday. The road from the foot of the mountains up to the cabins has been impassable all winter, due to the rains and heavy snowfall.

Mrs. Herbert Rickett (nee Miss Stella Mauldin) of Jerome, Idaho, former resident of Artesia, spent the week-end here visiting friends and old acquaintances en route home from a trip through the Carlsbad Caverns. Mrs. Rickett left here about 1914.

Mrs. Albert Glasser returned Friday from a vacation trip to the west coast with her mother and sister and friends. Mr. Glasser met her in Vaughn, the rest of the party continued their trip homeward and expect to arrive at their homes in Pennsylvania this week some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Wilde drove over from Hobbs Friday to visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Wilde. En route here Mr. Wilde stopped in Carlsbad to get a deer head he had mounted. The antlers measuring 26 1/2 inches from tip to tip, was one of the finest specimens brought out of the hills last fall and were mounted free.

NEW STREAMLINED TRUCK

Steve Lanning, proprietor of the State Oil Service, returned from Kansas City last week driving through a new streamlined Ford oil truck. Built along the line of the late model automobiles, the machine is the last word in truck manufacturing with a large storage tank and compartment at the rear and on the side of the truck between the front and rear wheels for storing barrels, greases and oils. The new truck has been repainted in the color scheme used by the State Oil Service, blue and white.

RAGSDALE RECOVERING

W. E. Ragsdale is recovering from injuries received in a thirty-foot fall into a well pit about two weeks ago. Mr. Ragsdale, who was working on a well on his farm southwest of town, happened to the misfortune of pitching head first into the pit. But for several feet of water in the pit the fall no doubt would have been fatal. As it was, he escaped with painful bruises, but no serious injury.

RUTHERFORD BABY DIES

Clinton Glenn, three months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Rutherford, died Tuesday after suffering an attack of pneumonia. The body was taken to Tinnie yesterday, former home of Mr. and Mrs. Rutherford, where burial was made, after funeral services at the Rutherford home, conducted by the Rev. A. C. Douglas.

REMODELING HOME

The Albert Richards home on West Main street is being remodeled and re-roofed.

Penasco Items

Monday Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Cleve went to Mescalero.

Saturday there was a dance at the Clifford Longbotham home.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Schrier visited with the Leslie Bates family last week.

Cecil Brazilton is reported doing nicely and will be able to leave the hospital soon.

Messrs. W. T. and P. H. White and Elsie visited with Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Cleve and sons Sunday.

Visitors to Roswell this week were Messrs. and Mmes. Frank Crockett, Mat Mills, L. T. Bates and R. E. Bates.

Week-end visitors at Roswell included: Mr. and Mrs. George Shely, Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Mobley and daughters, Lillie and Bonnie, and Miss Edna Page.

Mayhill visitors Sunday were Austin Reeves and family, J. W. Harwell and family, Mrs. Belle Longbotham, Miss Hazle Powell, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Cox, Roy Kemper and Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln Cox.

SPENCER ATTACKS NEW LEGISLATION

Residents of more than half of the rural school districts in Eddy county are forced to pay increased property taxes as a result of the passage of house bill 77, providing that the cost of transportation of school children should come from the direct charge, Geo. R. Spencer, of Carlsbad, county superintendent of schools, said Saturday in attacking the law.

The 20-mill limitation amendment forces this expense to come from the maintenance fund, as it has in the past, in case taxpayers are already paying up to the full limit of the 20-mill levy, Spencer said. More than half of the districts in the county are under this limit, however, so have their taxes increased.

The maintenance fund comes largely from the sales tax, Spencer claims.

W. E. KERR IS ELECTED CHAIRMAN SECONDARY EDUCATION CURRICULUM

W. E. Kerr, superintendent of the Artesia schools returned Monday from Santa Fe, where he attended a one-day conference of the state board of education on the revision of the present school curriculum. Experts from the George Peabody College of Nashville, Tennessee, who are working under the direction of the general board of education, were also present at the conference.

Dr. Lloyd Tremain of the State University was made chairman of the committee to revise the state elementary curriculum and Mr. Kerr was chosen chairman of the committee to revise the secondary curriculum.

HIGHWAY DEBENTURES SALE IS APPROVED

SANTA FE—Sale of \$500,000 in state highway debentures to a syndicate composed of the First National Bank of St. Paul, Boettcher and company of Denver, and the International Trust company of Denver, was approved by the state board of finance at Santa Fe Tuesday afternoon.

The three firms bid \$1,000.70 for each of the bonds with interest at 2.75 per cent for the issue of \$250,000 expiring April 1, 1942, and interest at 3 per cent for the issue of like amount expiring April 1, 1943.

DUDLEY FRANK NAMED ACTING ADMINISTRATOR AS BRAUGHT SUCCESSOR

Dudley Frank, who came to Santa Fe several weeks ago as a special representative of national headquarters of FERA, and has served in the legal department and as deputy acting administrator under Col. Ellis O. Braught, was named Friday as acting administrator of FERA for the state of New Mexico.

MOHAIR PRODUCTION

Mohair production in 1934, including kid hair, in six leading mohair states was 12,409,000 pounds compared with 15,895,000 pounds in 1933 according to the estimate of the division of crop and livestock estimates. The decline in mohair production was due to a 22 per cent decrease in the number of goats clipped and 7 per cent decrease in the average clip per goat.

TO ATTEND SYNOD MEETING

S. W. Gilbert and the Rev. W. B. McCrary expect to attend a meeting of the Presbyterian synod of New Mexico, in Albuquerque, March 28th. The meeting has been called for the purpose of discussing the future status of the Presbyterian sanitarium in Albuquerque.

WANTED—Clean Cotton Rags at The Advocate.

LOCALS

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Russell Lee of Hope Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Baldwin of Lamesa, Texas, spent the week-end here with the C. R. and W. C. Baldwin families.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Knoedler and family moved the first of the week to their farm, four miles south of Artesia.

New Mexico's first landscaping project, beautifying a mile stretch along the highway near Las Cruces has been approved.

Governor Clyde Tingley has asked the schools of the state to observe Arbor Day, April 5th, with an appropriate program.

Miss Linna McCaw had as her dinner guests Sunday Mrs. Hubert Ricketts of Jerome, Idaho, a former schoolmate, and Miss Merrill Bradley.

Mrs. John Lanning left with Mr. Lanning Wednesday for his trip in the plains country around Hobbs and Lovington. They will return the last of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Hannah and sons, Harold, Joe and Frederick, spent the week-end in Albuquerque with Ernest, Jr., who is a student at the State University.

Mr. and Mrs. Reed McCaw of Vaughn were over-night guests of Mrs. Mary McCaw Tuesday. They attended the Simms funeral in Roswell Wednesday before returning home.

C. O. Brown left Monday for Kingman, Kansas, in response to a message stating that his father was critically ill. The elder Mr. Brown, who is eighty-eight years of age, has been in failing health for several months.

Gail Hamilton, local manager of the Mountain States Telephone Co., returned last week from El Paso, Texas, where he attended a two weeks school of instruction conducted by officials of the Mountain States Telephone Co.

Dr. C. L. Womack left Sunday for eastern points, driving to El Dorado, Arkansas, with his sister-in-law, Mrs. H. L. Quimby, who had made a visit at the Womack home. Dr. Womack returned to Dallas, Texas, to attend a session of the Southwestern Medical Association convention and is expected home Friday.

SCOUT HUT PROPOSED

Drawings have been made for a Boy Scout hut under an FERA project. Under the original proposal the hut would be located on the vacant lot northeast of the City Park. Plans call for construction of the building using native stone, the hut to be built on the order of the early model United States fort.

M. W. Evans, county administrator, said Tuesday efforts would be made to have a hut for both the Boy and Girl Scouts constructed, which would likely alter the original plans.

BOARD OF EDUCATION APPROVES REQUESTS

SANTA FE—H. R. Rodgers, state superintendent of public instruction, said yesterday bond issues of \$30,000 for Jal; \$15,000 for Eunice and \$65,000 for Clovis had been approved by the state board of education.

He also said the board had approved adoption of a new series of elementary histories and a civic text and a history of New Mexico for elementary grades. Bids will be received up to June 11.

FEBRUARY MOISTURE IS ABOVE STATE AVERAGE

ALBUQUERQUE—Precipitation in New Mexico during February averaged 0.73 of an inch or 0.02 of an inch above normal, according to records of 183 reporting stations in the state, Erie L. Hardy, meteorologist of the U. S. weather bureau reported Thursday.

DISTRICT SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION

A Baptist district Sunday school convention will be held in Carlsbad March 27 and 28, it was announced here recently. Several prominent church leaders from Nashville, Tennessee, are expected to attend, in addition to churchmen from various sections of the southwest.

MITCHELL HERE

William Mitchell of New York, president of the Maljamar Oil and Gas Corp., arrived Monday to spend a few days here looking after business matters.

NEW LOVINGTON POSTMISTRESS

Mrs. Mamie Love has been appointed postmistress at Lovington, succeeding Mrs. Emma Coleman. The appointment was effective on March 10th.

Residents Concerned Over Reputed Sale of Cloudcroft Preserve Timber

Some concern has been manifested by the residents of the Pecos valley as well as those of Cloudcroft over the proposed sale of timber lands in the Cloudcroft reserve by the Southern Pacific railroad to a private concern. The sale of the timber land consisting of about 2,300 acres, now said to be near consummation will mean that the timber in the Cloudcroft reserve will be cut without restriction and thereby endanger the mountain residents as well as the artesian basin.

F. G. Irwin, Elk merchant, has written W. B. McCrary, manager of the Artesia Chamber of Commerce at length about this matter and we are reproducing Mr. Irwin's letter for the information it contains. The letter:

Dear Mr. McCrary: Your letter of the 14th was here upon my arrival at Elk Saturday, relative to the cutting of the timber at Cloudcroft.

In our conversation Friday I told you what little I knew of the existing conditions. Yesterday I went to Cloudcroft and went into the matter with some of the local people.

There seems to be a variance of opinions on the subject and I will give it to you as near as I can boil it down.

Prior to 1900 J. A. and C. B. Eddy built the Alamogordo, Cloudcroft and Sacramento Railway. Later this railroad was known as the El Paso and Southwestern, and still later became the property of the Southern Pacific Railway Co. The town of Cloudcroft was laid out by Dr. Frank Lynch shortly after the railroad was built. A short time later by an act of the New Mexico state legislature 2300 acres was deeded to the town of Cloudcroft for a summer resort.

The question now arises as to whether the town of Cloudcroft is owned by the Southern Pacific Railway. If it is, the Southern Pacific Railway Co., can sell the timber. If it is not the property of the Southern Pacific Railway Co., it would take an act of the state legislature to dispose of the property.

This is the way the information comes to me. It is only hear-say, as I gathered it from local people. There is another angle to it. It seems that one, Louis Carr, has been endeavoring to get the timber in the Cloudcroft vicinity, and has had representation at Santa Fe for quite a period. The state timber

should not bother. While there always is certain damage to timber in cutting it out, the cutting will be done under the supervision of the state. However, in Cloudcroft, this would be a different condition, and would be cut without restriction should a private party purchase this timber.

I further understand that the matter of timber in and around Cloudcroft has caused certain interested parties to interest United States Senator Hatch. He was requested to take the question up with the powers that be at Washington with the thought in mind that the area might be purchased and made a forest preserve. I have been informed that Senator Hatch was able to have the appropriation set aside for this purpose, but the matter stopped at that point.

The Southern Pacific Railway (if it owns this property) seems to be willing to dispose of it to a private individual or individuals or for a preserve. The private individual question is the one that worries Cloudcroft residents. I do not know how the matter of title can be straightened out unless the records at Santa Fe will definitely show. At any rate, there seems to be a great deal of concern over the timber. El Paso, Alamogordo, Roswell, and it is said Artesia, have had meetings of their Chambers of Commerce with the idea in mind of entering a protest covering the removal of timber from the Cloudcroft vicinity. Apparently this is not true as far as Artesia is concerned.

I do not seem to be able to get anything very definite on the whole affair. It is all hear-say. I understand that Cloudcroft formed a Chamber of Commerce about a week ago. Ray Daniels was elected president. I was unable to contact

Lights Off!

Electric lights will be off at short intervals tonight, the 21st, from 10:00 p. m. to 4:00 a. m. in Artesia during the above time due to the necessity of replacing a pole which was knocked down by an auto near Roswell. We ask that you bear with us until repairs are made. Southwestern Public Service Co. 12-1tc

A controversy over who possesses the horns of the cow used by Dr. Jenner in his experiments which led to the discovery of vaccination for smallpox is still going on. If the various claimants are to be believed, at least five of the aforesaid cow's horns have been located.

For the fourth time Sir James Heath, 83, of London, has journeyed to the altar. His recent bride is Dorothy Mary Hodgson, 36.

Unthreshed baled oats hay for sale. Alfalfa Growers Association. 12-1tc

him yesterday. You may want to carry this matter further with the other towns who seem to be interested. I am returning the clipping to you and if there is anything further that I can do in the matter I will be glad to cooperate. If I am able to get anything further in the way of information, I will send it on to you.

With kindest personal regards, I am Yours very truly, F. G. IRWIN.

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VIGORO VIGORO
IN 5 AND 10 POUND PACKAGES FOR FLOWERS AND GARDENS.
The results will justify the small expense. We recommend the use of this fertilizer. We also have a limited quantity of Swift's Read Stear 20% Acid Phosphate.
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Announcing
The Opening of
SY'S MEAT MARKET
In Our Grocery Department.
Mr. Sy Hogsett, formerly of Roswell, has leased our Meat Department and will serve the trade with the best of Fresh Meats and Market Items; handling only strictly grain-fed baby beef.
Mr. Hogsett is a thoroughly experienced market man, having been in charge of some of the leading markets in Roswell for a number of years. We invite you to visit his market for your fresh meats and assure you your patronage will be appreciated by both him and ourselves.

MARKET ITEMS

Veal Patties, per lb.....	30c	Chicken Legs Made of Veal and Pork, lb.....	30c
Rolled Prime Ribs of Baby Beef, per lb.....	25c	Chuck or Arm Roast of Baby Beef, per lb.....	15c

GROCERY ITEMS

10 Pounds of Sugar.....	55c	1 qt. Bottle Hypro.....	16c
2 lb. Box of Salted Crackers.....	19c	6 Bars Big Ben Soap.....	25c
24 lbs. Gold Medal Flour.....	\$1.05	1 Large Oxydol and 1 Bar Lava Soap.....	25c

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LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, General Land Office at Las Cruces, New Mexico, February 14, 1935.

NOTICE is hereby given that Charles P. Riley of Artesia, N. Mex., who, on February 25, 1930, made additional homestead entry, No. 038557, for W 1/4, Section 8, Township 18 S., Range 29 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 30 day of March, 1935.

Claimant names at witnesses: John D. Millman, of Carlsbad, N. Mex., Basil Kimbrow, of Lake Arthur, N. Mex., Carl C. Millman, Bill C. Johnson, both of Artesia, N. Mex.

PAUL A. ROACH, Register. 8-5t

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF ADDIE M. TRIMBLE, DECEASED. JOHN W. TEEL, ADMINISTRATOR. NO. 455.

NOTICE OF HEARING FINAL REPORT

STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

TO: Mary Angeline Teel, Lizzie Jane Beckett, Fannie Pearl Brooks, William Joe Trimble, Alice Lanora Sultermiere, Carl Freddie Trimble, Roy Elmer Trimble, Carrie Irene Wrathers, and all the unknown heirs of Addie M. Trimble, Deceased; and all unknown persons claiming any lien upon, or right, title, or interest in or to the Estate of the said Deceased, Addie M. Trimble:

You and each of you are hereby notified that John W. Teel, Administrator of the Estate of Addie M. Trimble, has filed his Final Report as such Administrator in the Probate Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, in the above entitled cause, and that the 10th day of April, 1935, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M., at the Court Room of said Probate Court at Carlsbad, Eddy County, New Mexico, has been fixed as the day, time and place of the hearing of objections, if any, to said Final Report; and that at the said time and place, said Probate Court will proceed to determine the heirship of said Estate and the interest of each respective claimant therein or thereto, and the persons entitled to the distribution thereof.

That J. B. Atkeson whose address is Artesia, New Mexico, is the Attorney for the Administrator. WITNESS my hand and seal of office, on this the 21 day of February, 1935.

R. A. WILCOX, County Clerk. By DOTTE C. CRAFT, Deputy. (SEAL) 9-4t

NOTICE STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE

Number of application RA-297. Santa Fe, N. M., Feb. 25, 1935.

Notice is hereby given that on the 18th day of February, 1935, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, Chas. R. Martin of Artesia, County of Eddy, State of New Mexico, made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a permit to appropriate the underground waters of the Roswell Artesian Basin to the extent of 1250 gallons per minute by drilling a 10 inch in diameter well located in the NW 1/4 SW 1/4 Section 15, Township 18 South, Range 26 East, to replace an 8 inch well located in the NW 1/4 NE 1/4 Section 16, Township 18 South, Range 26 East, for the purpose of irrigating 160 acres of land as declared under RA-297. Applicant agrees to plug well declared under RA-297 and restrict rights of new well to those as filed under RA-297.

Any person, association or corporation deeming that the granting of the above application will be truly detrimental to their rights in the waters of said underground source may file a complete sworn statement of their objections substantiated by affidavits with the State Engineer and file proof of service of a copy thereof upon the applicant with the State Engineer on or before the 5th day of April, 1935, the date set for the State Engineer to take this application up for final consideration unless protested.

THOMAS M. McCLURE, State Engineer. 10-3t

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

In the Matter of the Estate of Anna E. Stough, deceased. No. 588.

Notice of hearing final account and report and application for discharge of S. E. Ferree, Administrator.

The State of New Mexico, to Lena A. Mellon, Olive S. Spurling and Elizabeth Stough Byashe, formerly Elizabeth A. Stough and all other persons claiming any interest in the Estate of Anna E. Stough, deceased.

Greeting: You and each of you are hereby notified that the final account and report and application for discharge of S. E. Ferree, administrator of the estate of Anna E. Stough, deceased, has been filed in said matter and under order of the

probate court the said court will at nine o'clock A. M., on the 1st day of April, 1935, in his court room in Carlsbad, Eddy County, New Mexico, proceed to hear objections, if any there be, to said final account and report and to settle same and to determine the heirship of the estate and the interest of each respective claimant thereto and the persons entitled to a distribution thereof.

And you and each of you are hereby cited to then and there appear and show cause, if any you have, why said final account should not be approved, settled and allowed and the said administrator discharged and why said estate should not be distributed and the administration thereof closed.

The attorney for said administrator is S. E. Ferree whose post office address is Artesia, New Mexico.

Witness, the Honorable P. J. McCall, Judge of Probate of Eddy County, New Mexico, and the seal of said Court this 25th day of February, 1935.

R. A. WILCOX, County Clerk. (SEAL) 9-4t

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF FRANCIS M. KELLER, DECEASED. NO. 734.

NOTICE

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

NOTICE is hereby given that an Instrument purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of Francis M. Keller, Deceased, has been filed for Probate in the Probate Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, and that by Order of the said Court the 10th day of April, 1935, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock A. M. at the Court Room of said Court in the City of Carlsbad, Eddy County, New Mexico, is the day, time and place set for hearing Proof of the said Will and Testament.

THEREFORE, if any persons or person wish to object to the Probate of said Last Will and Testament, are hereby notified to file their objections in the office of the County Clerk of Eddy County on or before the time set for said hearing.

DATED at Carlsbad, New Mexico, this 23 day of January, 1935.

R. A. WILCOX, County Clerk. By DOTTE C. CRAFT, Deputy. (SEAL) 9-4t

NOTICE STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE

Number of application RA-1225. Santa Fe, N. M., March 5, 1935.

Notice is hereby given that on the 21st day of January, 1935, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, Alma Bottorff of El Paso, County of El Paso, State of Texas, made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a permit to appropriate the underground waters of the Roswell Artesian Basin to the extent of 3 acre feet of water per acre per annum on 233 acres of land by drilling a 10 inch in diameter well located in the NW corner of Lot 4, Section 4, Township 16 South, Range 25 East, N. M. P. M., for the purpose of the irrigation of 233 acres of land described as follows:

Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, Section 4, T. 16 S., R. 25 E. 186 acres

Lots 4 and 5, Section 3, T. 16 S., R. 25 E., 47 acres

Total 233 acres.

As this application is a replacement covered by RA-1105, RA-1106, RA-784, RA-785, RA-782 filed in the State Engineer's office, and applicant agrees to plug or repair all abandoned or defective wells pertaining to this application on request by State Engineer.

Any person, association or corporation deeming that the granting of the above application will be truly detrimental to their rights in the waters of said underground source may file a complete sworn statement of their objections substantiated by affidavits with the State Engineer and file proof of service of a copy thereof upon the applicant with the State Engineer on or before the 15th day of April, 1935, the date set for the State Engineer to take this application up for final consideration unless protested.

THOMAS M. McCLURE, State Engineer. 11-3t

NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF SUIT

THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO W. A. SCOTT impleaded with the following named defendants against whom substituted service of a copy thereof has been obtained, to-wit: W. F. Lindsey, Zola Corzelius, W. A. Scott, the Unknown Heirs of Beulah Scott, Greeting:

You and each of you are hereby notified that a suit has been filed against you and others in the District Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, No. 5910 on the Civil Docket of said Court wherein A. A. Kaiser and Birdie Kaiser are plaintiffs and you and others are defendants.

The general objects of said suit is to obtain the release and cancellation of an oil, gas and mineral lease executed by plaintiffs to W. A. Scott covering the West one-half of the Southeast one-quarter of Section Seven, Twp. 18 South, Range 27 East, N. M. P. M., to obtain judicial establishment of full right and ownership of plaintiffs in and to said lands and interests therein as against all claimants and defendants in said cause named.

You and each of you are further notified that unless you enter your appearance, answer or plead in this cause on or before May 6th, 1935, judgment will be rendered against you by default.

The name and business address

of plaintiffs' attorney is George Threlkeld, Roswell, New Mexico. Witness my hand and the seal of the District Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, this 11th day of March, 1935.

R. A. WILCOX, Clerk. (SEAL) 11-4t

NOTICE STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE

Number of application RA-1244. Santa Fe, N. M., Feb. 27, 1935.

Notice is hereby given that on the 27th day of February, 1935, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, J. R. Cline of Artesia, County of Eddy, State of New Mexico made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a permit to appropriate the underground waters of the Roswell Artesian Basin to the extent of 1500 gallons per minute by drilling a 12 1/2 inch in diameter shallow well to the approximate depth of 175 feet located in the NW corner SE 1/4 SE 1/4 Section 7, Township 16 South, Range 26 East, N. M. P. M., for the purpose of supplementing the supply of water for the irrigation of 80 acres of land and the irrigation of 80 acres of land said 160 acres described as follows:

SE 1/4 SE 1/4 Section 7, Township 16 South, Range 26 East, 40 acres

S 1/4 SW 1/4 Section 8, Township 16 South, Range 26 East, 80 acres

SW 1/4 SE 1/4 Section 8, Township 16 South, Range 26 East, 40 acres.

Any person, association or corporation deeming that the granting of the above application will be truly detrimental to their rights in the waters of said underground source may file a complete sworn statement of their objections substantiated by affidavits with the State Engineer and file proof of service of a copy thereof upon the applicant with the State Engineer on or before the 6th day of April, 1935, the date set for the State Engineer to take this application up for final consideration unless protested.

THOMAS M. McCLURE, State Engineer. 11-3t

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

MARtha A. DEAN, Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of John Dean, deceased, Plaintiff, vs. MARtha A. DEAN, ZENOBIA DEAN SLAUGHTER, SALLY ANN DEAN, NETTIE JOE DEAN, CLAUDE DEAN, BEULAH DELORES DEAN, HOMER E. DEAN, DAISY DEAN FOX and all persons claiming to be heirs of JOHN DEAN, deceased, Defendants. NO. 738

NOTICE

THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO MARtha A. DEAN, ZENOBIA DEAN SLAUGHTER, SALLY ANN DEAN, NETTIE JOE DEAN, CLAUDE DEAN, BEULAH DELORES DEAN, HOMER E. DEAN, DAISY DEAN FOX and all persons claiming to be heirs of John Dean, deceased:

You and each of you are hereby notified that Martha A. Dean, the executrix of the Last Will and Testament of John Dean, deceased, has filed her petition herein praying that the rights of all persons interested in the estate of John Dean, deceased, be ascertained and

declared by this court and that you shall determine to whom disposition be made.

That the following is the description of the real estate to which said John Dean had any interest so far as known at the time of his death and belonging to said estate, to-wit:

Northwest Quarter and the North half of the Southwest Quarter of Section Twenty-one, Township Seventeen South, Range Twenty-six East, NM-P, Eddy County, New Mexico.

That Martha A. Dean is the sole beneficiary under said will and is the only person to have appeared and claimed any interest in said estate.

That you and all other persons who have or claim to have any interest in said estate are cited to appear before this court in the chambers of the Probate Judge in the Courthouse of Eddy County, New Mexico, on the 16th day of April, 1935, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. then and there to submit in the manner provided by law, your respective claims to heirship, ownership or interest in said estate as provided in said will of John Dean, deceased, or otherwise to show cause why such petition should not be granted.

Dated this 18th day of March, 1935.

R. A. WILCOX, County Clerk of Eddy County. By DOTTE C. CRAFT, Deputy. 12-4t

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF C. BERT SMITH, DECEASED. NO. 713.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that J. W. Lanning, Administrator of the estate of C. Bert Smith, deceased, has filed his final report as administrator of said estate together with his petition praying for his discharge and order of distribution of the funds of said estate; that the Honorable P. J. McCall, Probate Judge of Eddy County, New Mexico, has set the 13th day of April, 1935, at the hour of 2 o'clock P. M. at the court house in the city of Carlsbad, New Mexico, as the day, time and place for hearing objections if any there be, to said report and petition.

WHEREFORE, any person or persons wishing to object are hereby notified to file their objections with the County Clerk of Eddy County, New Mexico, on or before the date set for said hearing.

R. A. WILCOX, County Clerk. By DOTTE C. CRAFT, Deputy. (SEAL) 11-4t

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF MYRTLE C. JACKSON, deceased. NO. 743

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned was on the 15th day of March, 1935, appointed administrator of the estate of Myrtle C. Jackson, deceased, by Hon. P. J. McCall, Probate Judge of Eddy County, New Mexico.

Therefore all persons having

claims against said estate are hereby notified to file the same with the County Clerk of Eddy County within one year from date of said appointment as provided by law or the same will be barred. (Signed) HOLLIS G. WATSON, 12-4t Administrator.

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF JOHN DEAN, deceased. NO. 738

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned was, on the 6th day of March, 1935, appointed executrix of the estate of John Dean, deceased, by Honorable P. J. McCall, Probate Judge of Eddy County, New Mexico.

WHEREFORE all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to file the same with the County Clerk of Eddy County within one year from date of said appointment, as provided by law, or the same will be barred. (Signed) MARtha A. DEAN, 12-4t Executrix.

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF H. A. WATSON, DECEASED. NO.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned was on the 15th day of March, 1935, appointed Administrator of the Estate of H. A. Watson, deceased, by Honorable P. J. McCall, Probate Judge of Eddy County, New Mexico.

Therefore all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to file the same with the County Clerk of Eddy County, New Mexico, within the time prescribed by law from the date of said appointment as provided by law or same will be barred.

LAURA WATSON, 12-4t Administratrix.

HOGSETT TO OPERATE MEAT MARKET HERE

W. S. Hogsett, recently of Roswell, has opened a meat market in the grocery department of Wheatley, Price and Thompson. Mr. Hogsett, who formerly managed the M. System Grocery at Roswell, is now operating a grocery and market at Jal, but plans on disposing of the Jal establishment within the next two weeks.

Mr. Hogsett has moved in a Frigidaire display case and a Hussmann cooler and will have all up-to-date equipment.

Typewriter Ribbons—The Advocate

151,879 Tourists Spend \$6,248,736.00 In N. M. Last Year

The popularity of New Mexico as a mecca for automobile vacationists from all parts of the country is indicated by a report just released by the Conoco Travel Bureau, a branch of Continental Oil Company and America's largest free travel service. According to the report, 151,879 travel bureau tourists spent more than \$6,248,736.00 in this state last year.

It was also revealed that motor travel throughout the entire United States was unusually heavy during 1934. Hotels, tourist camps, restaurants and many other types of business took in more money from tourists than during any other year since 1929. The bureau supplied detailed trip services to 969,485 vacationists, a figure 41 per cent greater than the organization's total for 1933. Statistics also show that travel bureau tourists spent in excess of 40 million dollars while they were away from home.

The Conoco Travel Bureau is an organization maintained by Continental to provide motorists with up-to-date information on North American roads, routes, hotels, cottage camps, scenic and historical attractions plus any other data likely to make vacation trips pleasant and profitable. More than 100 carefully trained men and women are employed in the bureau's central offices at Denver. Conoco's

22,000 service stations act as field branches. It is predicted that one and one-half million vacationists will rely on travel bureau assistance during 1935.

Mlle. Marie Buisson of Brussels shot Henri Fouches because he was "such a poor dancer that he made her ridiculous."

By sliding down a clothes line five members of Robert Zobel's family escaped death when their home burned at Calgary, Alberta.

For Sound Sleep A HOT MILK DRINK

Have you ever been so tired that you couldn't sleep or so worried that slumber refused to come? Next time try what so many others have tried and found successful—a glass of hot City Dairy Milk just before retiring. It does a lot to soothe and quiet weary nerves; sound, healthful sleep and complete rest are the results.

Milk contains most of the elements necessary to perfect health. Only a tremendous variety of other foods could give you the same elements that you get in a single glass of City Dairy Milk. Start the milk drinking habit now!

City Dairy Helbert & Tillerson, Props.

Advertisement for Plymouth 4 door sedan, featuring a car illustration and text: 'HAVE YOU COMPARED PRICES this YEAR? THIS BIGGER, FINER PLYMOUTH SELLS FOR THE SAME AS THE 1934 MODEL! PLYMOUTH 4 door SEDAN'.

Advertisement for Keller Motor Co., featuring a car illustration and text: 'KELLER MOTOR CO. Phone 77'.

Advertisement for Southwestern Public Service Company, featuring text: 'ONE-THIRD WASTED \$300,000,000 of this nation's lighting bill is wasted, according to the latest estimates of experts. Why? Because we don't wash lamps and reflectors, don't use brighter and better wall and ceiling surfaces and don't install properly designed reflectors. Are you letting yourself derive the full benefit from the current you buy for lighting purposes? Look around and see. BETTER LIGHT BETTER SIGHT Southwestern PUBLIC SERVICE Company'.

Advertisement for Joe Johns, featuring text: 'NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS PAY ALL TAXES NOW AND SAVE INTEREST AND PENALTIES! All personal property, upon which taxes are not paid during life of this moratorium will be levied on and sold for taxes, plus interest, penalty and cost of sale. SEE BELOW Taxes May Now Be Paid Without Interest, Provided: First: That 1934 Taxes are paid by June 15, 1935. Second: Having paid 1934 taxes in full on or before June 15, 1935, the 1933 taxes and prior years may be paid any time before December 1, 1935, without interest, provided further that 1935 taxes are paid in full before delinquency dates of the respective halves. Third: One-fourth of 1933 and or prior years may be paid prior to December 1, 1935, without interest and the remainder paid one-fourth each year at 6 per cent interest per annum, from date of delinquency. FOR FURTHER INFORMATION SEE JOE JOHNS, Treasurer and Collector Eddy County Carlsbad, New Mexico'.

Breaks 4 Bottles, Saves Gov't. \$2



EVERY time four empty quart bottles pass through the bottle-breaking machine shown above, an increase in revenue is assured for the Treasury Department, as this eliminates four bottles from counterfeiting and bootlegging use, thereby assuring the payment of federal taxes in the legitimate consumption of spirits at the rate of \$2.00 per gallon.

Under regulations effective Jan. 1, 1935, the government has made it a federal offense to allow liquor bottles to circulate around. All

bottles must be destroyed as soon as they are emptied. Penalty is a fine of \$1,000, imprisonment for ten years, or both.

The latest regulation of the federal government, which became effective March 15th as another measure to rid the country of the bootlegger will make it necessary for every distiller to fill only new bottles having blown in the shoulder the words: **FEDERAL LAW FORBIDS SALE OR REUSE OF THIS BOTTLE.** The place and number of the distiller must also appear on the bottle.

CONSTRUCTION ON MAJESTIC PROGRESSING

Construction on the new Majestic Theater building continues to progress rapidly. Approximately twenty laborers have been employed by Contractor Hefflin on the project since the wrecking and removal of the two old buildings several days ago. The foundation has been completed and the brick layers are making good time on the walls.

DISTRICT CONFERENCE TO BE HELD APRIL 14th

At an executive committee meeting of the Pecos Valley Young Peoples league, held in Carlsbad Sunday afternoon, arrangements were made to hold the next meeting of the conference at Carlsbad April 14th.

Attending from here were: Fletcher Hornbaker and the Misses Dawn Hornbaker and Virginia Gates.

Rabbit Control To Improve Ranges

In the work of reseeding overstocked, and consequently overgrazed, ranges of New Mexico, one of the greatest problems to be solved is the damage done to young plants by rodents, especially rabbits, says C. P. Wilson of the New Mexico State College.

Although many of the range plants produce viable seed, even those, if forage is scarce, may be eaten by small rodents.

Rabbits are especially fond of alfalfa, young bushes of chamiza and winter fat, and at times may graze young smooth brome grass destructively. From the time that chamiza or winter fat bushes are three or four inches tall to about a foot tall, they are liable to be destroyed by rabbits. The animals are particularly fond of the stems of the young bushes, often digging into the soil three or four inches to obtain more of them and then letting a large percentage of the leaves lie where the bush stood. If the young bushes are not ruined by the first attack of this sort, they are easily killed later. Since blue grama grass is not so subject to attacks and since it produces viable seed fairly abundantly and endures drought well, in some parts of central and northern New Mexico it could be reseeded at comparatively small expense.

In addition to poisoned grain, which is often used for killing rodents, poisoned alfalfa tips and poisoned salt, at some seasons of the year, can be used effectively for reducing the rabbit population. At times, many rabbits can also be killed economically with a .22 rifle.

Floyd Wells Dies From Injuries Received In Dynamite Blast

Floyd Wells, employe on the Rattlesnake Springs pipe line job at the Carlsbad Caverns National Park, died at 2:30 o'clock Friday afternoon at a Carlsbad hospital from injuries sustained in a premature dynamite blast on March 12th.

He apparently was recovering from his injuries when he suddenly became worse Friday morning. Death came quickly.

Wells' leg was broken, his face was lacerated and he suffered internal injuries in the blast. Wells was standing nearby over a charge of dynamite when it exploded. Rocks were hurled against his body by the blast.

In the middle of the night Dorothy Vaughn, 9, of Seattle, awoke to find a burglar robbing her room. She sat up in bed and shouted "Boo," and the burglar took to his heels.

Health Column

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

Bone Eaters

Offhand you might think a person rather queer for eating bones. Really it is we who are queer, we North Americans and our dainty European ancestors; for most peoples of the world are bone eaters. They eat the soft ends and the porous insides of the long bones, they crunch and munch the small bones of birds and little animals entire and some of them, the Chinese certainly, have discovered how to extract the important bone mineral by the use of that natural acid which we call vinegar. Only last year some nutrition experts investigated the well known Chinese dish "sweet-sour spare-ribs." It is made by breaking the ribs into small pieces and cooking them, with any meat that happens to be attached, in sweetened vinegar. The resulting dish is so rich in available calcium, the essential bone material, that it will easily supply the body's calcium need for a day.

How do these peoples know that their bodies must have calcium, a discovery which science has made only in recent years? How do the Chinese know that nursing and pregnant mothers must have an extra supply of calcium? Yet they have a tradition by which these mothers must be provided with a special dish made from the bones of pigs' feet cooked in vinegar. Who told the American Indian to prepare his tortillas with lime water? You may answer these questions. I will simply add that racial wisdom is such that we should offer lessons in diet to other races with a good deal of humility.

Our own experts seem to have decided that we should get our calcium from milk. We need, says Professor Sherman, one half to two thirds of a gramme of calcium daily. Children and mothers need a gramme. To supply this we must give them at least a quart of milk every day. But if milk does not agree, or if you cannot get pasteurized milk and prefer not to take the risk of drinking raw milk, then you may take your calcium in the form of decalcium phosphate. Or you may eat bones.

Waste

The United States spends \$3,535,000,000 annually on curing or trying to cure sickness and only \$121,000,000 in preventing it. An ounce of prevention may be worth a pound of cure and so you might say we do not need to spend so much on prevention. But while we go on paying \$3,535,000,000 for cure surely it might prove cheaper to buy a little more prevention? We are not now discussing the humane side of the subject. It may be better to have had tuberculosis and recovered than never to have had tuberculosis at all. Most victims would say not. But we are leaving all that on one side. Would it not pay us in cash dividends to invest more money in the prevention of disease?

Sooner or later the victims of tuberculosis are numbered among the unemployable. Then we have to pay for keeping them and their families in food and shelter and for the "costs of medical care." (A few of them may be capitalists and whether we pay for these or not I will not venture to decide. But in any case they are a small minority).

A certain Miss Ruth Seder has done some cost accounting with actual records of 361 patients in New York and New Jersey. When tuberculosis was diagnosed within six months of the development of symptoms the average cost (including loss of wages) of their illness was \$2,750. When there was delay of six months to a year the average cost became \$3,125. When more than a year had elapsed between onset of symptoms and diagnosis the cost rose to \$3,950. The average cost of the diagnosis was less than \$2.50. Compare this with the proved cost of delay.

Is it worth while to spend money on health education, on immunization against disease, on routine examination for detecting illness in the early stages? And while we spend so little on prevention is it fair to suggest that some of the \$3,535,000,000 that we spend on curing or trying to cure sickness might be classified as waste?

MAY CONSOLIDATE STATE TAX AGENCIES

SANTA FE—Gov. Clyde Tingley said Monday "consolidation of tax collecting agencies will save the state \$75,000 and it may go far beyond that."

"In the past, for example, three field men might go to Los Lunas, one to collect gasoline taxes, one to collect liquor taxes and one to collect something else," the governor said. "There's no reason why one man can't handle the three jobs, saving the state two salaries and traveling expenses."

The governor said he will wait a report from State Treasurer James Connelly on the needs of the consolidated department before appointment of the new commission of revenue but said this matter will be attended to, probably before the end of the week.

Demand Increases For Dairy Cattle

Dairymen who have cows or bulls for sale, or who are in the market for either, will probably find some information of value to them in the following article by E. E. Anderson, of the New Mexico State College.

The scarcity and high prices of feed for the past year have made it necessary to cull the herds all over the state very heavily, says Mr. Anderson. In some areas the herds have been nearly wiped out. This, together with more favorable prices for dairy products, has created a limited demand for dairy cows at the present time. With favorable weather and crop conditions this coming year, the demand for dairy stock should be greatly increased. The demand, however, will be limited in proportion to the amount of feed raised. At the present time, there is also a limited demand for especially well-bred dairy bulls.

There are certain sections of the state that did not suffer so severely from the drought and consequently there are still some surplus animals for sale. The Extension Service will do everything possible to aid the buyer and seller of dairy animals to get together. Therefore, if you wish either to buy or sell dairy stock and desire to avail yourself of this service, get in touch with your county agent. While he may be unable to help you make the purchase or sale, as the case may be, within your own county, his connection is such that he can find out if the transaction can be handled in any other part of the state.

HOPE PASTOR SETS NEW HICCUP RECORD

The Rev. Ray McGrew, pastor of the Hope Methodist church, a patient at the St. Francis hospital in Carlsbad, has set a new all-time western hiccup record. Friday he ended thirteen days, fifteen hours and forty-six minutes of hiccuping. The Rev. McGrew was taken to Carlsbad about three weeks ago suffering from pneumonia. After he recovered, or partly recovered, from pneumonia, he started hiccuping; doctors were not able to check the hiccups until they had apparently run their course. The Rev. McGrew has improved rapidly and will be released from the hospital shortly, if no further complications set in.

HOCKENHULL NAMED FARM LAND OFFICIAL

WICHITA, Kansas—Andy W. Hockenull of Clovis, Monday was elected vice-president and treasurer of the production credit corporation of Wichita, an agency of the farm credit administration for the ninth land bank district.

Hockenull, a former governor of New Mexico, immediately announced his resignation from the board of directors of the farm credit administration for the district in order to take the place. He succeeds Arthur F. Jones of Portales, who resigned recently.

Advocate Want Ads Get Results

315 IN STATE WANT TO BUILD FHA HOMES

ALBUQUERQUE—A survey of 27 towns in the state has revealed that 315 persons are anxious to build homes under the federal housing plan, William A. Fuels, manager of the New Mexico Retail Lumber Institute, said last week.

He said the estimated value of the homes would be \$964,000 and their construction would provide 600,000 man hours of work.

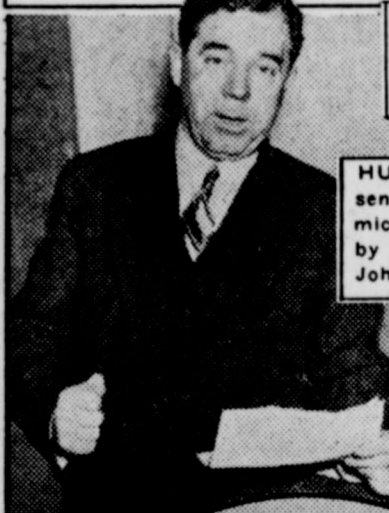
Although to date the state has been hampered by the lack of organized agencies to make the loans, Fuels said, he was hopeful this condition would be remedied and the money made available.

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In The WEEK'S NEWS



JOHNSON BLASTS AT HUEY—General Hugh S. Johnson, former NRA administrator, is shown preparing a radio blast at Huey Long, the Louisiana "Kingfish." Johnson has also just assumed the role of newspaper columnist.

HUEY ANSWERS BACK—Huey Long, senator from Louisiana, is shown at the microphone as he answered charges made by General Johnson during a radio talk. Johnson, in rebuttal, called Huey a "political termite."



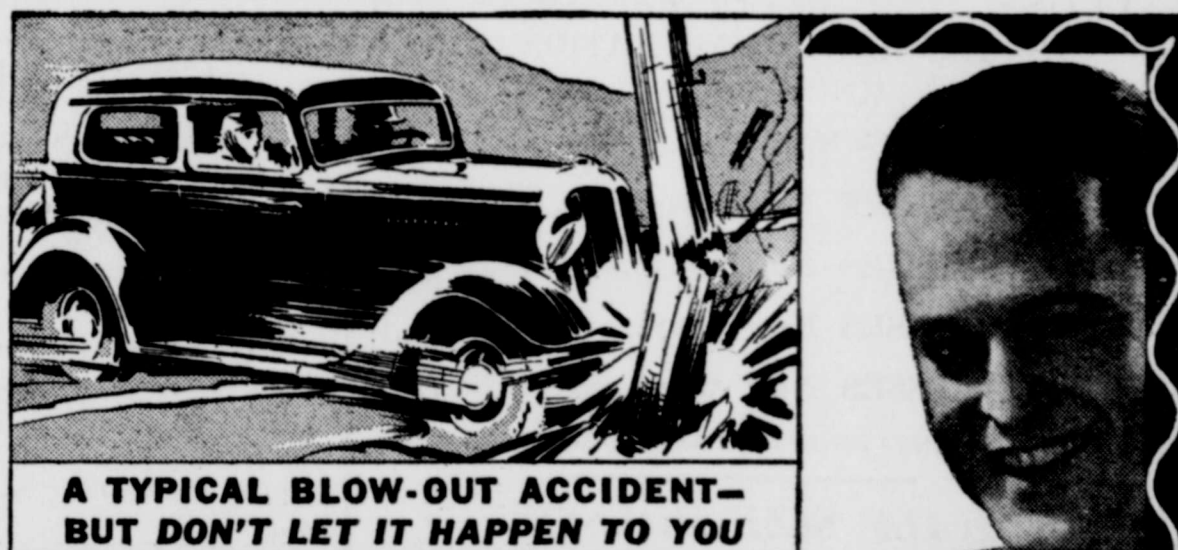
CASH FOR WARM SPRINGS—Keith Morgan (right) vice-president of the Warm Springs Foundation and Treasurer of the President's Birthday Ball Fund, accepts a check of \$5,525.37 from the Voice of Experience, who collected that sum from his radio listeners.



PUZZLE TO DOCTORS—With his heart on the wrong side, possessing but one lung and intestines occupying a chest cavity, active little 6-year-old Wallace Rossell, of Glendale, Cal., will be the center of a medical conference.

HENRY FORD WALTZES—The motor magnate is shown waltzing with a student at the Berry Schools, Mt. Berry, Ga., an institution for the education of mountain girls and boys to which he has contributed more than \$1,000,000.

HERE COMES SPRING—When Spring comes Milady will be in fashion if she wears this chic ensemble as worn by Sally Blane. Navy blue and grey wool is used in both the jacket and smartly tailored suit.



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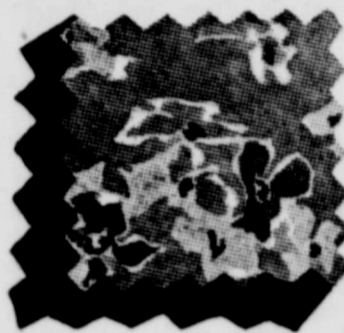
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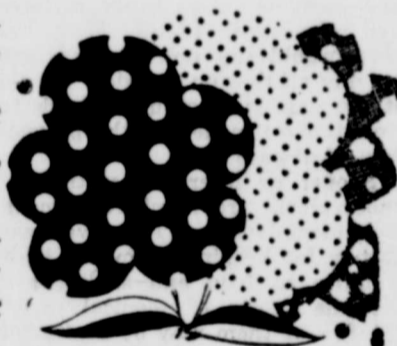
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Penasco Items

(Delayed)

There was a dance at the home of Albert Davis Saturday.

Miss Rachel Powell spent the week-end at Elk with her parents.

Floyd Childress of Roswell visited with Austin Reeves Sunday.

C. W. Shull and Miss Letitia Reeves were Artesia visitors Sunday.

John Shearman and Robert Gage were Elk and Mayhill visitors Sunday.

J. W. Harwell and Earl Lindley returned from Smyer, Texas, Wednesday morning.

Elbert Reed and Thomas Harwell of Elk school were absent part of last week as a result of their vaccinations.

Cecil Brazilton was rushed to Roswell Thursday for an examination for appendicitis and underwent an operation Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Shattuck of El Paso Gap visited with Miss Edna Page Wednesday while en route home from Hot Springs.

A. C. Trotter has moved from Cloudercroft to the Cleve farm. His two daughters, Arnell and Mary Jo, entered Elk school Monday.

Miss Letitia Reeves returned from California last week. C. W. Shull of Cloudercroft met her at El Paso and brought Miss Reeves to Elk.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Vicars entertained with a Sunday dinner Messrs. and Mmes. Oris Cleve, Bryan Runyan and Bernard Cleve and Tom Gates.

Messrs. and Mmes. Frank Crockett, Austin Reeves, Cecil Brazilton, Mrs. S. N. Mobley, Ernest Parr, Tom Mobley and Miss Hazel Powell were Roswell visitors last week.

The Rev. Harold Scoggins, presiding elder from Clovis, preached at the Lower Penasco church Friday, March 8. He preached at Cloudercroft Saturday morning and held conference there in the afternoon.

Among those persons who attended church services and quarterly conference from the Lower Penasco were: Messrs. and Mmes. Frank Crockett and Austin Reeves, Mrs. Oris Cleve and Mrs. Boyd Williams.

Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Cleve entertained with a dinner and bridge party. Guests present were: Messrs. and Mmes. Jim Mayhill, Jack Vicars, and Oris Cleve, and Messrs. F. G. Irwin, Ernest Parr and Tom Gates.

Thursday the Ladies' club met with Mrs. H. J. Powell. Those present were Mmes. Austin Reeves, Bernard Cleve, Jack Vicars, Earl Paxton, Boyd Williams, Tom Runyan, and Misses Alexander of Hope, Letitia Reeves, Agnes Ann Williams, Edna Davis, Hazel Powell and Forence Savoie.

Lakewood Items

Mrs. M. C. Lee, Reporter

(Delayed)

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lee transacted business in Artesia Wednesday.

James House, wife and children spent several days last week with Levi Howell and wife near Seven Rivers.

Willie Norwood and wife are moving to the Hnulik farm near Artesia where Willie will work this spring and summer.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Angell and mother, Mrs. Alice Angell, spent Sunday with Lewis Angell and family east of the river.

Mrs. J. N. Foster, Mrs. R. L. House and Mrs. M. C. Lee attended the funeral of Mrs. B. F. Kaiser in Artesia Tuesday afternoon.

R. L. House and James Scarborough went to the Cap Rock with Will Howell and wife and played for a dance Saturday night.

Jim Foster went to Loving Tuesday bringing back a load of cake which he took to the Cottonwood where he is feeding a bunch of sheep.

John Tomlinson of Elk City, Oklahoma, brother of Mrs. Lewis Stewart, came in Friday night and spent Saturday with his sister and husband, leaving for home Sunday.

Carney Heard came in Saturday from Chillicothe, Missouri, where he has been attending college the past six months. Carney has a diploma in telegraphy and has hopes of obtaining a position in Denver, Colorado, which city he visited en route home.

WANTED—Clean Cotton Rags at The Advocate.

OVER-GRAZING IS BIG PROBLEM IN CONTROL OF POISON WEEDS

Over-grazing probably is the greatest single obstacle in the reduction of livestock losses from poisonous plants on the western ranges, in the opinion of Arthur B. Clawson of the U. S. department of agriculture, who spends each summer in the mountains at Salina, Utah, in the heart of a great cattle and sheep country.

Plant poisoning usually increases as feed becomes scarce or limited as to variety. This condition means hungry animals, and the bureau of animal industry finds that very frequently it is livestock with vigorous appetites which eat poisonous plants. It is the opinion of many stockmen, however, that some animals with depraved appetites actively seek out certain poisonous plants, such as the loco weed.

Sometimes vigorous appetites are the result of greediness. More often animals are hungry, possibly for something lacking in their feed, but more often because they do not have enough palatable feed, a direct result of over-grazing.

When feed is scanty because of a lack of rain, as has often been the case in the last few years, over-grazing may be unavoidable. But over-grazing because of overstocking can be avoided. Some ranchmen report that plant poisoning over a number of years has increased as their pastures have been over-stocked and over-grazed, and has decreased when the number of animals was reduced and vegetation allowed to become more abundant. The U. S. forest service, realizing the danger of over-grazing, has been gradually cutting down the number of cattle and sheep grazed on certain overstocked national forest ranges.

Many of the cases of livestock poisoning reported may be blamed on dry years. Light rainfall means, in addition to scanty growth of grass, that many areas cannot be used because waterholes or streams are dry.

With the realization that plant poisoning probably has as its basic cause a shortage of feed, unavoidable in the case of drought, but avoidable when pastures are deliberately over-stocked, the problem becomes more a matter of learning how and when to graze rather than a matter of complete eradication of poisonous plants, says Mr. Clawson.

Eradication of such plants is good policy, of course. Many ranchers feel that the cost of destroying certain growing plants is more than offset by the livestock saved. But it is almost impossible to eliminate all poisonous plants. Many, such as the whorled milkweed, grow from roots that are difficult to eradicate. Others, such as some of the locos and lupines, come from seeds which may lie dormant in the soil for years, so that large areas which apparently are free from some noxious weed will become infested again when conditions are right for seed germination.

The bureau of animal industry, in more than 30 years of work on the range, each year has acquired more information as to what plants are poisonous, when they are dangerous and where these plants grow. The investigators try to find cures, when possible. But the problem is mainly one of precaution; avoiding the dangerous plants when possible and at other times grazing in spite of them by making sure that animals have plenty of safe feed both as to variety and quantity.

Mr. Clawson pays tribute to the practical information which is obtained from livestock men. While some know only that their livestock losses are caused by a "poisonous weed," others more vigilant cannot only point to the specific plant, but often know where it is found, when it is to be avoided and what remedy, if any, is effective. While no two men are likely to agree on all of the hundreds of plants which may be poisonous, a study of those suspected and elimination of those proved "not guilty" adds to the definite information already available.

70,000 ESTABLISHED ON FARM

WASHINGTON—A total of 75,000 farm families have been established on new farms under the rural rehabilitation program of the AAA and federal relief administration, officials revealed last week.

They said it was "only a start." The government is financing qualified farmers in the purchase of land and equipment.

WANTED—Clean Cotton Rags at The Advocate.

Filed for Record

In the District Court—No. 5938 W. C. Russell, et al., vs. Jennie Russell, et als.; NE 27-20-28; suit to quiet title.

No. 5939 B. H. Ellsworth vs. J. W. Smith, suit for possession of land; Blk. 1 and Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, Blk. 2, Greene Western.

No. 5940 Porter Stone vs. Carmen Stone, divorce.

No. 5941 State of New Mexico vs. R. W. Bruce and Bert Shipp, injunction.

Marriage Licenses—Lynn G. Buford and Alice M. Moore, Artesia.

Lee Johnson and Gertrude Standerfer, Wink, Texas.

Lane Barnett and Helen Thurston, Wink, Texas.

Walter Howard and Cubah Cullen, Red Bluff, Texas.

Rafael Ferragillo and Julia Villalpando, Carlsbad.

Warranty Deeds—Maria F. Urquidez, Mattie E. Pardue, L. 1, Blk. 33, Loving.

J. R. Ogden, Mattie E. Pardue, Lots 2, 4, 6, Blk. 9, Loving; Lot 8, Blk. 9, Loving.

Dean Smith, A. J. Crawford, N½, SE, ESW 14, NNE 23-24-26, 29-20-25.

Warranty Deeds—John B. Sears, F. E. Baker, S. 1/3 L. 1, 3, B. 11, Gibson addition.

W. T. Smith, G. H. Sellmeyer, SWNE; NWSE; S½SE; 29; SE 32-20-25.

L. M. Howell, J. E. Howell, SSE 29-20-25.

In the District Court—No. 5944 The Republic Co., vs. Geo. W. Moore and Caswell S. Neal, to foreclose mortgage on L. 14, B. 82.

No. 5942 In the matter of the last will and testament of Myrtle C. Jackson, deceased.

No. 5943 Kelly Polk vs. Sunshine Valley Creamery, Inc., a corporation; suit to correct account.

Marriage Licenses—Elmer Strich and Beatrice Holway, Hobbs.

Hope Items

Frances Johnson, Reporter

Supt. Edwin Hawkins spent Saturday in Carlsbad attending to business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bridgman spent Sunday in Artesia as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Watson.

Raymond and Aleck Buckner returned Sunday from Estelline, Texas, where they went to take Mrs. Aleck Buckner and children to visit her parents for a few days.

Eunice Teel returned Saturday from El Paso, Texas, where she has been since last fall taking a business course at a business college there.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Young and small daughter left Thursday for their home in Moore Park, California, after having spent several weeks here visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Young.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Bunting returned the first of the week from Hot Springs where they spent several days visiting Mrs. Bunting's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Inman, and attended to business.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Parks and Mrs. Parks' mother, Mrs. Hodges, are expected to return the latter part of the week from Amarillo and Estelline, Texas, where they are visiting Mrs. J. P. Parks and attending to business.

Mrs. Dollie Ford left Thursday for her home in Memphis, Texas, after having spent several days here visiting her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Will Keller. Mr. and Mrs. Keller accompanied Mrs. Ford as far as Roswell on her return trip.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Altman returned Friday from Roswell where they spent several days with relatives and attended the funeral of Mrs. Altman's father, George Davis, who passed away at his home there Tuesday morning after a two weeks' illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Coates returned to their home in Breckenridge, Texas, Wednesday after having spent several days here

Government Contests Right To File On the Lands Near Caverns

Testimony in the C. L. White homestead case, in which the government is contesting White's homestead filing on land on which White's City is built, was completed late Friday afternoon before J. M. Dillard, United States commissioner at Carlsbad.

Should the land office rule against White, he has the right to appeal to the secretary of the interior.

The government alleges that White homesteaded the property, which is located at the mouth of Walnut canyon leading to Carlsbad Caverns National Park, as a speculative venture and not as a home. White denies this, claiming that it was not until after he had filed on the land and built his home there that he saw the possibilities of the site as a location for a filling station, restaurant, garage, store, and tourist camp.

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visiting relatives and friends and attending to business. Mr. Coates' father, Claude Coates, returned with his son and daughter-in-law to Breckenridge, where he plans to spend several weeks visiting.



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Douglas Opens New Grocery and Market In The Nobby Building

Walter Douglas has opened a grocery and meat market in the new Nobby Cleaner building at 318 Main street. Mr. Douglas, who formerly operated a meat market in the Wheatley, Price and Thompson grocery, completed moving operations the first of the week and arranged his new stock ready for business this morning. In addition to the meat market fixtures, Mr. Douglas has added new grocery fixtures and a fresh stock of staple and fancy groceries, fresh fruits and vegetables. Several specials will be offered for Friday and Saturday.

MONEY READY FOR ALAMOGORDO DAM

The \$2,500,000 asked by the Carlsbad irrigation district for the construction of a reservoir at Alamogordo creek near Fort Sumner and for the installation of cement lining in main and lateral canals of the district, has been set up in a bill in congress, according to a letter from J. J. Dempsey, representative from New Mexico, addressed to the Carlsbad Chamber of Commerce Saturday.

"We have been given positive assurance of the approval of this amount," his letter said.

Dempsey said that under the plan, \$1,500,000 of the amount would be spent this year.

It is not known what effect might come from a recent appeal to the

state supreme court on the question of the right of district directors to enter into a contract with the government for the borrowing of this money. The appeal was made by F. G. Tracy and a group of Carlsbad land owners from a decision handed down in district court recently approving the right of the directors to enter into this contract and declaring that all land owners in the district would be bound by the contract.

FINE STOCK OF CAR PARTS
Dr. Loucks Garage

Conoco Retailers—

(Continued from page one) the coming advertising campaign and displayed a chart showing the enlarged reproduction of the various ads that will appear in thousands of newspapers where Conoco products are distributed. These advertisements explain the advantages of germ processed motor oil and the superiority of the new germ processed over ordinary mineral oil.

About thirty-five attended the meeting held in the Artesia Hotel roof garden.

Roosevelt Speaks—

(Continued from first page) United States is in danger of being drawn into another general European war unless the "present policy of drift and increasing military expenditures is checked," was made last night by Raymond Leslie Buell, president of the Foreign Policy association.

The senate munitions committee, meanwhile, cheered by President Roosevelt's sympathy with its plan for conscripting both men and profits in war time, received testimony that the U. S. Steel corporation piled up a surplus of \$96,000,000 during the World war on a claim the money was needed for plant expansion.

Premier Petroleum Co. Elects New Officers and Directors On Thursday

The postponed meeting of the Premier Petroleum Co., occurred last Thursday afternoon with all stockholders present. The principal item of business was the election of officers and directors. C. C. Spicer of Los Angeles was elected president; J. W. Berry of Artesia, vice-president, and C. J. Dexter of Artesia, secretary-treasurer. Alvah M. Kaime and George W. Nilsson, both of Los Angeles, California, compose the board of directors in addition to the above-named officers. A stockholder, Dr. William deKoch of Los Angeles, also attended the meeting.

Visiting officials and stockholders were very enthusiastic over the oil prospects of this section. The first well of this company, the Dexter No. 1, located in the NW NE sec. 20-17-30, was spudded Monday.

Germany Scraps Versailles Treaty

Intense excitement gripped European capitals Saturday as the German government, suddenly sloughing off the military provisions of the Versailles treaty, decreed compulsory military service in the reich.

The action, following soon after Gen. Herman Wilhelm Goering's announcement that Germany has on "official" military air force, was taken in many quarters to be the reich's direct answer to the French adoption of two-year compulsory service and the recent British white paper criticizing German rearmament.

Paris, in particular, was stirred by the news from Berlin, Frenchmen recalling the similar sequence of events that preceded the outbreak of the World war.

Telephone wires between London, Paris and Rome, prime movers in an attempt to weld European nations into an inclusive security agreement that might lessen the danger of war, were kept hot as statesmen of the three nations consulted as to the significance of the German move.

BERLIN — Denouncing Germany's neighbors for rearming in asserted violation of the Versailles treaty, Adolf Hitler cited the French action in doubling the term of army conscript service as the last straw leading to the German cabinet's decree which, it was estimated, will approximately quadruple the reich's regular army.

W. M. Chandler, Former New York Congressman, Passes Away Saturday

Walter M. Chandler of Albuquerque, former congressman from New York, died Saturday in a New York hospital from intestinal trouble and a heart attack, according to word received here. Chandler had been a resident of New Mexico for the past four years, living at Albuquerque. He left Albuquerque last November for New York with the intention of disposing of his property in the east and moving to Albuquerque.

Mr. Chandler gave two lectures here about two years ago. His principal lecture was on Russia. He was the author of a two-volume work, "The Trial of Jesus From A Lawyer's Standpoint." Chandler served the nineteenth district of New York for eight years as congressman and actively supported the democratic ticket in the last general election of this state. He never married.

Pior's New Service Station To Be Open About 1st of April

The erection of an all-steel service station building at the corner of First and Texas, north of the Artesia hotel by F. B. Pior, is expected to be completed this evening. Plumbing and concrete work is expected to be finished in time for the opening of the new station about April 1st. The new all-steel station will be fourteen by fifty-one feet with three driveways and four gasoline pumps to serve the public. The building will be modern in every respect with two rest rooms. In addition to the above-named equipment, a hydraulic greasing rack will be installed.

Products of the Continental Oil Co., and Seiberling tires will be distributed by the new station.

Unthreshed baled oats hay for sale. Alfalfa Growers Association. 12-1tc

Tractor for Sale in Good Condition
Dr. Loucks Garage

NEAR BILLION AND HALF BROUGHT BY SALES TAX

SANTA FE—State Treasurer James Connelly reported Tuesday the sales tax since enactment of the law in May of last year to March 1 of this year has brought in \$1,441,323.84 and that 11,212 licenses have been issued, making the total income under the law \$1,441,849.80.

His report showed the tax in January of this year produced \$178,338.13 and in February \$155,318.18.

October of last year was the peak with \$186,829.91 collected and May, the first month, was low with \$109,175.85.

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