

Bond Election on New School Building Asked

Petition is Circulated on Advice of WPA Asking \$85,000 Bond Issue for Consolidated Building and Improvements.

Petitions calling for a bond election to finance the proposed consolidated junior-senior high school building to be erected on the site of the present junior high school building are being circulated over the business district. Ten per cent of the signatures of property owners are required to call an election.

Members of the Artesia Board of Education said they were circulating the election petition at the advice of state WPA officials and after it was learned here the legal and financial setup of the proposed new school plant had been approved by the WPA office at Washington, D. C.

If the petitions now being circulated are signed by the required number of property owners or tax payers, then it will be up to the school board to call the bond election and set the date of said election which may not be under thirty days nor more than fifty days after the board acts on the petition.

The petition asks for a bond issue in the sum of \$85,000. The consolidated building project will cost approximately \$160,000 and of this amount \$75,000 will be supplied by the WPA. The improvements also include the addition of two rooms to the Central school building and if the proposal is given final approval the addition to the Central school will be the first school improvement to be inaugurated. In fact, Supt. W. E. Kerr has stated that the crowded condition of the local schools will be met regardless of whether the WPA gives its final approval. Present enrollment of the three schools exceeds 1,125 pupils.

If the building program is undertaken the addition to the Central school will be the first unit to be built.

The bonded indebtedness of the school district has been reduced to such an extent the new bond issue is not expected to increase the local tax rate, school officials said.

Pres. Donald MacKay of Portales Addresses Rotarians on Tuesday

Donald MacKay of Portales, president of the Eastern New Mexico Junior College, was the guest speaker at the luncheon program of the Artesia Rotary club Tuesday and made an interesting talk on "Extension of Rotary and What Rotary Has Meant to Me." The most important phase of Rotary, according to Mr. MacKay, was the extension of Rotary in the individual. Among other things, he said: "Rotary has enabled me to make a better talk or public address and it has broadened my acquaintance and placed me in closer contact with the residents of eastern New Mexico."

In addition to the speaker, visitors Tuesday included: S. E. Allison and Earl Patterson of Roswell, Clarence Kaiser, now representative of the Artesia high school. D. C. Blue, new member of the Rotary club, was also introduced.

RUSSELL PARTS IN NEW LOCATION

The Russell Parts Service has completed renovating the interior of its new quarters on West Main street, the first door west of the Electric Shoe Shop. In addition to remodeling the building, new display cases have been erected for a display of auto parts and accessories; the stock of auto parts have been practically doubled since the removal of the concern from the old Jackson building on Second street. All wares are attractively arranged and plainly marked.

Boy Scout Campaign for Funds Underway; Response is Good

E. B. Bullock announced here yesterday the annual campaign for the Boy Scout organization of this area was underway and would be completed as rapidly as local business men could be contacted. The response has been very fine up to date and Mr. Bullock said it appeared as though Artesia's minimum quota of \$600 would be raised.

New Equipment Is Installed Here by Nobby Cleaners

The Nobby Cleaners has new equipment in operation installed recently to give better, quicker service. The new machinery enables the Nobby to boast of a cleaning shop just as modern as any to be found in the valley.

The equipment consists of a pressure filter for cleaning and purifying liquids used in the cleaning of clothes and a tumbler for drying and extracting the odor from clothing. The equipment was installed at a cost of approximately \$1,000.

Dallas, Texas, Man Dies Suddenly In Local Hotel Here

Frank McGehee, Dallas, Texas, Business Man, Dies in Bed Sometime Monday Night; Body is Taken to Dallas.

Frank K. McGehee, aged 39, business man of Dallas, Texas, died at the Artesia hotel sometime during the night Monday. Mr. and Mrs. McGehee registered at the Artesia hotel Sunday morning. Mr. McGehee, who was said to have been suffering from injuries sustained in an auto accident near Vaughn Saturday, was confined to his hotel room.

When Mrs. McGehee woke Tuesday morning about 7:30, she found Mr. McGehee dead. It was not learned what time his death is supposed to have occurred. His death was ascribed to infection of lateral sinus.

Mr. McGehee, who had visited here a number of times, was formerly connected with the Pecos Valley Gas Co., also the Mercantile Bank and Trust Co., of Dallas, and also at one time was interested in the promotion of a proposed pipeline connecting the local oil field with a gulf coastal outlet.

The body was shipped back to Dallas, Texas, Tuesday and was accompanied by Harry Hicks. J. Harvey Wilson accompanied Mrs. McGehee on her return to Dallas the same date.

A wife and two children survive the deceased, also his parents and two brothers.

83 ROAD PROJECT IS PROGRESSING

Improvements on portions of highway 83 west of here are progressing in a satisfactory manner, it was learned here recently. About fourteen miles of the road west from the Charley White Draw has been graded and graveled as a WPA project and workmen are completing the last 2,900 feet of grade to the Clements cattle guard, which is just west of Cactus Flat. About a mile and a quarter of the project remains to be graveled.

Work is also being done on securing a right of way for a change of the roadbed from Hope west to the Charley White draw, a distance of about four miles.

Roswell Man Will Make Capital Trip for Small Stockmen

James M. H. Cullender, attorney for the Stockmen's Cooperative Association, an organization of small stockmen, will seek passage of an amendment to "correct the injustices" of the Taylor grazing act.

The association is now engaged in raising funds to send the Roswell attorney to Washington to fight in their behalf. He will go to Washington early next month to work personally for the bill.

Senator Carl Hatch Friday offered "every possible aid" to small New Mexico ranchers if their complaints over administration of the Taylor grazing act "are confirmed and injustices actually exist," an Associated Press dispatch from Washington said.

SEARS MOTOR CO. OPENS SERVICE SHOP

Sears Motor Co., in their new location on Second street, has opened a service shop, in charge of James Rowe. New equipment has been added to the service department and repairs will be made on all cars. The service shop will be operated in connection with the sales of Packard, Chrysler and Plymouth cars and International trucks.

Loose Leaf Binders, special ruling and stock forms—The Advocate.

Enrollment Rural Schools Shows a Gain of Nearly 300

Nearly 300 new students have entered the rural schools of Eddy county since the close of cotton picking season, January 1st, according to information released at the county superintendent's office Saturday.

Enforcement of the compulsory attendance law resulted in getting the students back to school rooms. Attendance at the Harroun farm school increased from seventy to 112 and it was necessary to add a teacher, Jane Crockett, to the staff.

At Dayton school the attendance has increased from twenty-five to fifty-two and a new teacher will be added this week, the superintendent said.

Attendance in the Loving school was boosted from 254 to 358, and in the Malaga school from seventy-nine to 177.

Nearly 1,200 students are enrolled in the twelve rural schools of the county.

DEMOS TO HAVE DINNER

Eddy county democrats will have a dinner in March, but the exact date is not set yet, according to L. R. Conarty, chairman. Two dates are likely, one March 4th and the other March 15th, which is the date of the usual Jackson day dinner.

72nd Meeting Nat'l. Wool Growers to be Held Jan. 26 to 28

ALBUQUERQUE—The tentative program of the 72nd annual convention of the National Wool Growers Association, in Albuquerque January 26 to 28, released in the January number of the National Wool Grower, not only gives New Mexico wide-spread advertising but points to a meeting of far-reaching importance to the livestock industry of the nation.

Governor Tingley will deliver the address of welcome on Tuesday which will be followed by the president's annual address and a discussion of the proposed Argentine treaty by Dr. S. W. McClure of Bliss, Idaho. Like the National Cattle Growers in El Paso last week, the Wool Growers are expected to stand solidly against ratification of the Argentine pact. The afternoon session will be devoted to a discussion of the National Agricultural problems by Undersecretary of Agriculture M. L. Wilson, and the government's 1937 Range Conservation program, by George E. Farrell, Agricultural Adjustment Administration, and F. H. Silcox of the forest service.

Problems of lamb marketing and grading and stamping of meat products by the government will occupy the Wednesday morning session. The afternoon session will be given over to discussion of national lamb sale-campaign, feeder problems and related subject, led by nationally known experts.

Thursday morning, "Wild Life in Relation to the Production of Livestock," will be discussed by Dr. H. L. Shantz of the range management division of the forest service. The wool marketing situation will be discussed by Charles Redd, president, and C. J. Fawcett, manager of the National Wool Marketing Corporation. The afternoon and final session will be devoted to committee reports and election of officers.

President's Ball Will Be Held Here Again This Year

The birthday ball of President Roosevelt will be observed here again this year, the date occurs on Saturday, January 30th. The ball will be held at the Central school auditorium and will be under the supervision of the American Legion, according to Chas. Morgan, chairman of arrangements.

The proceeds of the ball, as is generally known, goes to help stamp out infantile paralysis. Seventy per cent of the funds remain here and thirty per cent are sent to national headquarters. In years past much good has been accomplished with funds left here and with the completion of the Carrie Tingley hospital at Hot Springs, the benefits are expected to be even greater.

Miss Shirley Feather of Roswell was the guest of her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Landis Feather, over the week-end. Miss Feather was here for the P. E. O. luncheon and tea at the Artesia hotel Saturday.

50 Oil Wells Started Since First of Year

Partial Report Reveals the Oil Activity Continuing at Rapid Pace; Eddy County Well Reaches Interesting Depth.

A partial report of the oil activity of southeastern New Mexico, received here this week, indicates the exploration campaign for oil may be extended to a much wider scope of country before the close of another six months. Approximately fifty new wells have been started up since the first of the year or are preparing to start. Drilling thus far has been confined principally to proven areas, but at the same time the size of the producing districts have been extended and enlarged.

Two or three wells will be added to the production column in Eddy county within the next two weeks, if the present drilling pace is maintained. At this time operators are watching the progress of the McIntyre 1-G of the Premier Petroleum Corp., in the NE of sec. 21-17-30, which is drilling below 3225 feet with a hole full of oil. The first pay was developed at 3200 feet and operators hope to strike a second and better pay around 3250.

The Republic Production Co., is preparing to start on its Robinson No. 3, in the center of the NE 1/4, sec. 27-17-29, a south offset to the Mary Dodd No. 1 of the Barnsdall Oil Corp., one of the best wells drilling in this area.

The Continental Oil Co., has announced locations for three new wells in Lea county. One in the Monument district is known as the (Continued on last page, column 1)

Barham Receives Forty Checks for Eddy County Farmers Last Friday

A total of \$16,305.27 was included in forty checks received by County Agent Fred Barham Friday at Carlsbad for farmers who complied with the 1936 agricultural conservation program. It was the second group of checks received at the office and others will arrive later, Barham said.

Mr. Barham asked farmers not to call for checks until notified.

Will Construct A New Theater Bldg. in Artesia

Folkner Cafe Lot Is Site Chosen for Building to Start About March 1st; Theater Plant Expected to Serve New Need.

Ray Bartlett, Ocotillo Theater manager, announced plans this week for the erection of a second theater plant in Artesia. The new theater will be located on the lot now occupied by the Folkner Cafe and actual construction is expected to start about March 1st.

The theater is being built for the purpose of serving those who want a more economical type of moving pictures. The Ocotillo Theater will continue to show the best pictures, while a cheaper picture will be shown at the new theater, according to the present plans. Admission price to the new (Continued on last page, column 1)

Social Security Records

\$1.25 up

If you employ one or more persons the law requires you to keep adequate records.

Your January return must be in not later than February 28th.

The Advocate

Methodists Will Spend \$10,000 on Assembly Ground

At a meeting of the board of christian education of the Methodist conference, held Monday in Pecos, Texas, authority was given the Rev. H. W. Jordan of Carlsbad, chairman, to supervise a development program, involving an expenditure of \$10,000 at the Methodist assembly grounds in the Sacramento mountains. Announcement was also made of a six weeks summer school to be held at the Sacramento assembly, beginning June 21st.

The six weeks course, with full credit toward degrees and teachers' certificates, will be conducted by McMurry College of Abilene, Texas, a Methodist owned and operated institution.

Teachers of national reputation will conduct advanced classes in art, voice and music, the Rev. Jordan said.

Approval of the summer school has been given by the states of Texas and New Mexico.

The intermediate assembly will open June 7th to 12th; young people's departments will meet June 14th to 19th; McMurry College session will open June 21st, and the annual camp meeting, or conference for adults, will begin July 28th.

The Rev. Bob Schuler of the Pacific coast district has been invited to preach at the camp meeting.

Carlsbad Officer to Face Assault Charge in Court

District Attorney George Reese Tuesday filed charges of assault and battery against W. R. (Bill) Anderson, Carlsbad patrolman, on complaint of W. S. Rodenbaugh, Carlsbad photographer, who alleges the officer attacked him.

Reese filed the charges in district court. The officer's bond was set at \$500. Reese said hearing probably would be held February 2nd. The next regular term of district court is scheduled for March. Rodenbaugh said he was attacked by the officer while he was having a conversation with Mike Sedberry, another officer, in front of his photograph studio in Carlsbad.

He said Anderson struck him in the eye, breaking his glasses and lacerating his face, and that he was struck a second time when he stooped to pick his shattered glasses from the sidewalk.

He said he was not quarreling with anyone and had not used abusive or obscene language.

COMMISSIONERS CANVASS ELECTION

The Eddy county commissioners met Saturday at Carlsbad and canvassed the results of the precinct elections held over the county on January 11th. No other item of business was transacted.

In a previous meeting the board of commissioners effected an organization for the term as follows: Joe Lusk of Carlsbad, commissioner from district 1, was made chairman of the board; Jess Funk of the Cottonwood, commissioner from district 2, was made purchasing agent for the county, and L. B. James of Malaga was made custodian of the court house.

W. F. Boyce, Weed merchant, was attending to business matters here Monday.

Artesia and Hagerman Meet at Central Gym in Two Games Jan. 22

The Artesia high school junior and senior cage teams will meet two like teams from the Hagerman high school at Central gym, Friday night, January 22nd, in the second scheduled home basketball game of the season. Despite the fact that unusual interest has been shown in basketball at the high school, the cage teams have hit a series of tough opponents with little success. However, last year the early efforts of the cage team were no better, but consistent improvement was shown throughout the remainder of the season and history has been known to repeat itself.

Anyway the Bulldogs are priming themselves to meet the Hagerman cagers, who have had a good season thus far. The coming games promise interest from start to finish and the boys need the support of every fan if they are to go places in the district.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Middleton on January 13th.

Bulldogs Lose to Dexter Lone Point; Juniors Win Game

In a non-conference game played at the Central gym Tuesday night, the Dexter high school cagers nosed out the Bulldogs by a lone point, the final count was twenty-eight to twenty-seven. The score was knotted sixteen all at the end of the half. Johnson of the local squad was high point man with sixteen points. McCausland with twelve points was the leading scorer for the visitors.

In the junior game, Buchanan of Artesia lead his mates to a nineteen to thirteen victory, accounting for eleven points himself.

Fire Destroys Old Joyce Fruit Warehouse on Tuesday

Fire of Unknown Origin Threatens Building and Property Across Railroad Track; Damage is Held to Minimum.

Fire completely destroyed the old Joyce Fruit sheet iron warehouse building, located on South First street, south of the Myers Company building, Tuesday night, starting about 9:45 o'clock. The origin of the blaze is unknown. One theory is that the building caught fire from a cigarette, tossed out of a car by a passing motorist and whipped into a trash pile near the building by a high west wind.

Steve Lanning of the State Oil Service first saw smoke emerging from the building and turned in the fire alarm. By the time the fire department arrived, the building was burning rapidly, fanned by a stiff wind. Burning embers, blown across the railroad tracks, endangered property of the Alfalfa Association. Trash on top of the association gin caught fire, as did a bale of cotton, which was destroyed. The new truck of the fire department was dispatched to the association yard and extinguished several small trash pile fires. Later a warehouse at the State Oil Service caught fire, but was put out before any damage was done.

Exact damage could not immediately be determined. Several persons and firms lost heavily on stored furniture and fixtures. Ray Bartlett lost household furniture, valued at \$1,000, partly covered by insurance, and theater fixtures valued at \$1,000 which was a total loss. Butcher and meat market fixtures belonging to W. S. Hoggsett of the People Mercantile Co., valued at better than \$1,000 were also lost in the fire, but the loss was partly covered by insurance.

Four new cars of the Guy Chevrolet Co., were stored in the building and all except one was removed without any damage. The amount of loss on the building was not learned.

Eastern New Mexico Association Meets at Hobbs Last Friday

Arba Green and J. K. Wallingford represented Artesia at a meeting of the Eastern New Mexico Association at Hobbs Friday night, which was attended by sixty people from nine communities.

The association is composed of chambers of commerce representatives from practically every east side community. Talks were made by C. A. Pierce of Carlsbad, with the U. S. Potash Company, on the subject of "Potash"; by C. G. Staley, proration umpire of Hobbs, on the subject of "Oil Development in Eastern New Mexico"; by Col. Thomas Boles of Carlsbad on "The Carlsbad Caverns," and by Donald MacKay of Portales, president of the Eastern New Mexico Junior College, on the college. Community representatives included Hobbs, Tatum, Lovington, Eunice, Clovis, Portales, Roswell, Artesia and Carlsbad.

The next meeting will be held with the Portales Chamber of Commerce. Artesia has extended an invitation to the representatives to be guests at a "dutch lunch," to be held here at a later date.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Kaiser and two children have moved here from Joliet, Illinois, and will be located with Mr. Kaiser's father on the farm he recently purchased from the Wetigs. Mr. Kaiser was formerly employed as an electrical engineer in Joliet.

J. B. Neatherlin Dies Suddenly At Early Hour

Death Probably Due to a Heart Attack; Dies at Home of Daughter, Mrs. Albert Lee of Lakewood.

Death has again invaded the ranks of the old-timers and further thinned their number in the passing of J. B. (Uncle Jimmy) Neatherlin, at an early hour this morning. His death occurred suddenly at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Albert Lee, near Lakewood. Apparently in his usual health, Mr. Neatherlin was a business visitor here yesterday. Last night, he complained of feeling ill and got out of bed and built a fire. Albert Lee, his son-in-law, offered to go for a doctor, but Mr. Neatherlin declined the offer, saying it was not necessary. Mr. Lee came into Artesia this morning, starting from home before 5:00 o'clock. When he returned home his father-in-law was dead. His death was thought to have been due to either a severe stomach trouble or a heart attack.

Mr. Neatherlin, aged sixty-four, had spent about fifty-five years in this section. His parents settled in the old Seven Rivers area over a half century ago. He had one of the best recollections of early-day incidents and recalls the time when there was only a lone tamarack tree on the Pecos river, south of the oil field bridge. As a lad he conceived the idea of planting tamaracks on irrigation ditches and after planting several trees at Seven Rivers, took several trees for his uncle to plant, who was ranching north of Roswell. From the plantings north of Roswell the tamaracks were spread over the river bottom in the valley.

His later years were spent in trapping and ranching. He had recently established a line of traps east of the Pecos river.

His body was removed to a Carlsbad undertaking establishment early this morning. Burial will be made in the Woodbine cemetery beside his wife, who died several years ago. Funeral arrangements are pending awaiting word from relatives. He leaves to mourn his loss, two sons, Hiram Neatherlin of Red Rock, this state, and Clyde Neatherlin of Carlsbad, and a daughter, Mrs. Albert Lee of Lakewood.

Only About 1,100 New License Plates Issued North Eddy

Yesterday, the deadline for purchase of 1937 auto or truck license plates without penalty, found only about 1,100 new license plates in north Eddy county against a possible 1,600, according to J. R. Attebery, deputy license collector. There are about 1,300 cars and 300 trucks in north Eddy county, making a total of 1,600 vehicles.

At that time no announcement was made as to a possible extension of time for the purchase of plates, although previously officials said there would positively be no extension of time granted.

Time Extended Ten Days
A number of New Mexico car owners welcomed news yesterday they had ten more days grace in which to purchase their 1937 motor vehicle licenses.

Gov. Clyde Tingley, in Washington for the inaugural of President Roosevelt, telegraphed James R. Wrinkle, his secretary, at Santa Fe Tuesday night authorization of the additional extension of time until February 1st.

Midnight, January 31st, is the final date and no more extension will be granted, and penalty must be applied to every motor vehicle owner operating their vehicles without 1937 plates after the above date.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Dexter were in Lovington Saturday on business.

New Mexico Oil Allowable Remains at 92,800 Barrels

The New Mexico oil allowable is unchanged for the last half of January, it was learned here this morning, being a total of 92,800 barrels daily. The Artesia sector allowable remains at 3,065 barrels daily with a total allowable of 88,590 barrels daily for all Lea county fields. The top allowable per well for Lea county is ninety barrels.

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TELEPHONE 7

CONTROL OF THE MOSQUITO

Freezing weather gives us temporary control of the mosquito plague and will probably lull a great many into a false sense of security. The problem won't bother us particularly until next summer when hordes of mosquitoes swarm out of the bogs to make life miserable for both man and beast. Then perhaps we will remember that something should have been done about the problem sooner. Perhaps most of us have good intentions and think only of the immediate future, but for the past three or four years our intentions have not afforded any relief and the mosquito population will be just as great if not greater during the coming summer.

There is one thing that the local farmers and the Carlsbad project farmers could cooperate profitably in putting across and that is cutting a new river channel from the Dayton bridge south. A new channel into Lake McMillan would mean more water for the south Eddy county farmers and less breeding places for the mosquitoes. A new channel in this section of the country would mean that the actual flow of the river would be delivered in the lake and not spread out over the tamarack flat to create a breeding ground for the pests.

The channel, of course, would not solve the problem, but it would help and perhaps make other control measures easier to institute.

BICYCLES A NEW TRAFFIC PROBLEM

Numerous new bicycles given local children last Christmas has created another traffic hazard and fair-minded people will admit we have too many hazards now for the safety of the public. Many children are riding the streets at night without a sign of a light or a reflector on their bicycle. This is a dangerous practice and such vehicles traveling on the highways constitute a violation of the law.

Cyclists cannot always be seen in time to avoid an accident, particularly in this true when one motorist is trying to drive against the bright lights of another. In several instances later accidents have been avoided because the autos were traveling slow enough to make a quick stop.

Don't let your child ride a bicycle on crowded streets at night without the same equipment of the auto: lights. To do so will be to invite eventual disaster and death. Help cut the accidental death toll. Thirty-seven thousand people killed and many additional thousands injured and maimed for life is too high a price to pay for carelessness in one year. Keep your child off the streets with a bicycle at night.

LABOR VERSUS STRIKES

John L. Lewis, head of the United Mine Workers, is evidently gunning for the presidency in centering his attack on General Motors in the present strike crisis. It is an open and close shop fight. Wages of the strikers are not involved so much as whether the General Motors will be allowed to employ anybody whom they please, or whether they must restrict employment to the union.

And it will be a sad day when any American institution is deprived of the privilege of choosing its own employees. If Lewis and his gang win the present strike, it is logical to assume that the demands of labor will be extended to smaller businesses with labor as dictator of whom we shall employ regardless of their fitness.

A federal statute prohibits the mention or advertising of lotteries in a newspaper or materials that are to be sent through the mails, yet in a way the federal government looks with favor on horse racing and other means of gambling as a means of raising revenue. Newspapers have lost millions of dollars in advertising revenue because any form of lottery advertisement is prohibited, but you can bet on a horse race and take other chances equally as hazardous and get winked at and perhaps patted on the back.

"I have been around here ten years, sir," said an employee to his boss, "doing three men's work for one man's pay, now I want a raise." "I can't give you that," replied the boss, "but if you'll tell me the names of the other two men, I'll fire them."—Exchange.

The Indianapolis News says a new federal tax has been levied on the fats, thereby producing another reason for being slender. And we thought the waist line expansion was the only tax free means of getting bigger without being taxed.

A New York physician warns that cold baths are harmful. Now let some other doctor turn thumbs down on morning calisthenics and vegetable plate dinners and life will be 100 per cent perfect.—Sacramento Bee.

The sit-down strike has been popular for several hundred years and the only difference between the present sit-down strikes and the old timers is that the latter never knew what they were striking for.

"Death Valley" Scotty has been sued for a divorce. Now maybe we can find out if Scotty's reputed wealth is really a myth.

RANGE SUPERVISORS AT WORK IN COUNTY

Two range supervisors will finish checking compliance work in Eddy county within about twelve days, Fred Barham, county agent, reported here yesterday. Tom Coffin, Hope rancher, has been appointed to supervise the compliance work of the ranges in north Eddy county under the new conservation program. Mr. Coffin expects to start his work today. Jerd Wooten is the south Eddy county inspector. About seventy-five ranches, including 500,000 acres are to be inspected.

CARBON PAPER—The Advocate.

Chislings

No country has the monopoly on all the good things. Some of our former residents made a big fuss over the luscious fruits that grow in the northwest part of the United States. Particularly do we remember the time E. J. Fox left here to move to Oregon about how much fuss was raised over the big strawberries that grow there, some as big as a teacup, they said. Now we have a former Oregon resident living in this section, B. H. Nelson, who says the northwest isn't sorter damp, it's wet.

Furthermore we read they have plenty of labor troubles up in that section of the country and some racial troubles. You can't do much good in any of the Pacific coast country unless you are strong for union labor. One former resident of a nearby community who is operating a little eating shop out on the coast, thought he had a nice business until this longshoreman strike set in. One day he was told to join the union or else have his place picketed. And the union secretary wasn't very courteous about the invitation either. He had only a man and his wife working at the eating place, but it cost him \$60.00 union dues. Incidentally a greater part of the \$60.00 went to support the strikers and their families.

Referring back to the Oregon strawberries, Monroe Howard says it does not take many strawberries to do him and we infer from his remarks that when he gets real hungry for strawberries, he will drive up there and get them rather than move up there. The Oregon-Washington fruit would no doubt taste mighty good, but we question whether the average New Mexico resident would trade our sunshine for the privilege of eating fruit, even on a windy day.

When Hunter first reached America he stood gazing at a fine statue of George Washington, when an American approached.

"That was a great and good man," said the American, "a lie never passed his lips."

"Weel," replied the Scot, "I presume he talked through his nose like the rest of ye."

Johnny, who had been to the circus, was telling his teacher about the wonderful things he had seen.

"An' teacher," he cried, "they have one big animal they called the hip-hip—"

"Hippopotamus, dear," prompted the teacher.

"I can't just say its name," exclaimed Johnny, "but it looks just like 9,000 pounds of liver."

A. J. Basel, associate chisling editor, contributes this one:

St. Peter was interviewing the fair damsel at the pearly gate. "Did you, while on earth," he asked, "indulge in necking, petting, smoking, drinking or dancing?" "Never," she replied emphatically.

"Then why haven't you reported here sooner?" said Peter. "You've been dead a long time."

Whoever said the government has not aided in putting more men to work in the ranks of private employment don't know what they

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Warranty Deeds—

C. H. Mullanax, United States, NNE, SENE 13-17-21.

David S. Whiteley, United States, SSE 13, NWN, NSWN 24-17-21.

R. C. Whitenel, S. E. Ferree, Lot 12, Block 47, Artesia Improvement Co., Artesia.

W. E. Brack, Frank E. Miller, ESW, WSE 28-17-26, and a tract of land in SW corner SNW 28-17-26.

Margaretta Sullivan, James R. Everts, Lots 6, 8, Block 12, Forest Hill, Artesia.

Ezra P. Jones, L. May Parks, Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, E½W½, E½ 30, and Lot 4, SESW, SSE 19-16-21.

Monroe M. Howard, R. H. Nelson, S½S½ 11, NNW 14, ENE 15-16-24.

In the District Court—

No. 6340 Tom Morton vs. Lois Morton, divorce.

PIONEER ROSWELL WOMAN DIES

Mrs. Jerry Brown, aged 82, passed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. E. Bloom, in Roswell Sunday night. Mrs. Brown came to the Roswell section in 1905 and had lived there continuously since that date. She owned a ranch in the Hondo community at the time of her death. Funeral services were held in Roswell Tuesday afternoon with the Rev. LeRoy Thompson officiating.

are talking about. It now takes the time of one man to fill out the various governmental inquiries wanting statistical information about your business and all your kinfolks.

A lawyer asked a witness on the stand: "Did you ever ask the defendant for money?"

Answer: "Yes, many times."

"What did he tell you?"

"Told me to go to the devil."

"What did you do?"

"I went to see my lawyer."

To take things as they be

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Solons Studying New Primary Law

SANTA FE—A direct primary bill, hailed as the most likely trouble-maker of the thirteenth legislative assembly, was studied Tuesday by solons of both houses.

Introduced by Senators Don L. Dickason of Albuquerque and W. H. Tate of Belen, the measure is patterned after the Arizona law and Dickason said, includes the best features of the various state measures in force.

Its predicted stormy course thru legislative channels probably will not be charted immediately, leaders said. The bill, SB 19, was referred to the judiciary committee, chairmaned by Sen. Chas. C. Royall of Silver City.

Taking the lead, the upper house had twenty bills and three resolutions on its entry books to show for the first week's work and the house had ten bills and five resolutions.

Briefly outlined the Dickason-Tate primary provisions for nomination of all elective officials from U. S. senator down through the list of state and county officials eight weeks prior to the general election. A special primary for city officials and to fill vacancies is provided for in the bill.

Filing by a candidate must be made not less than forty days nor more than ninety days before the primary date, and must be accompanied by 500 signatures of qualified electors for senatorial, congressional and all state officers except legislators.

Any political organization polling five per cent of the total vote at a prior general election would be entitled to a place on the ballot, and a petition carrying names equal to at least two per cent of the vote cast for governor in at least five counties at the preceding election would put a new party on the primary ballot.

STATE FEEDING 66,000 LAMBS

WASHINGTON—The agriculture department estimated Monday that 5,376,000 sheep and lambs were being fed for market January 1. That is four per cent less than last year.

All the decrease was in the corn belt, where the estimate was 2,632,000 compared with 3,192,000 on January 1, 1936.

State estimates for this year and last included: Oklahoma 50,000 and 45,000; Texas 170,000 and 125,000; New Mexico 66,000 and 39,000; Arizona 15,000 and 15,000.

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Cottonwood Items

(Bonnie Rowland, Reporter)

Bill Petty, who lives on the T. J. Terry place, is quite ill this week with intestinal flu.

Glenn Yarnell from Roswell spent the week-end with his wife and children here.

Many people from this community attended the Herman Steffin sale near Hagerman Wednesday.

F. E. Tucker visited last Wednesday morning with his brother, C. D. Tucker, who owns a cafe in Artesia.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hall have recently purchased the old Coates place and are planning to move there soon.

Mrs. F. McMinn from Carlsbad spent last week with her daughter, Miss Ione, who teaches at the Cottonwood school.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Phillips from Roswell spent Sunday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Bradley and sons.

J. W. Rowland, owner of the Atoka store, was here last Thursday visiting with his brother, Lewis Rowland and family.

Walter Egbert and son Junior from Lubbock, Texas, were the guests last week of his sister, Mrs. R. E. Coleman and family.

Dale Rowland spent last Thursday night at the William Schneider home in the Atoka community, as a guest of Earl Schneider.

Mrs. Ernest Mahan and new son Wallace Ed were brought home last week from the Carlsbad hospital. They both are doing fine.

Mrs. E. L. Parnell visited Monday with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Larson and family, who have recently moved here from Oklahoma.

The E. J. Flowers family moved from this community last Tuesday to near the Pecos Diamond Refinery of Artesia where he is employed.

Mrs. A. D. Hill, Sr., has been moved to Hagerman as she is taking the hot baths there which she hopes will aid in the restoring of her health.

The week old baby of Mr. and Mrs. Juan Florez died last Thursday night. It was buried in the Artesia Spanish cemetery the following day.

Lige Davis left last Tuesday night for Turkey, Texas, after receiving a telegram that his small daughter there was seriously ill with pneumonia.

Mrs. J. E. Taylor was brought home from the St. Francis hospital at Carlsbad Friday where she had been for several days suffering with a sinus infection.

The Cottonwood grade basketball team played a game here Friday afternoon with the Lakewood team. Lakewood won with a score of twenty-eight to three.

Fred Barham, Eddy county extension agent, was at the Cottonwood school Friday to hold a 4-H club meeting, but owing to a basketball game, it was postponed.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Powell, who purchased the Allison farm which lies across the road from the F. M. Privett farm, are planning to improve it soon and move there from the J. I. Funk place.

Mrs. F. R. Zumwalt and little sons moved to their home here last Monday after staying with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. O. E. Puckett of Carlsbad, for several months when she was quite ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Howard moved their house from upper Cottonwood to the Monroe Howard farm where they will live this year. They are adding many improvements to their house.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Cline and daughters moved this week to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Cline. They will be there until they have definitely decided where they will farm this year.

B. D. Essex had the misfortune last Tuesday to smash the first finger of his right hand so badly it had to be taken off near the middle joint. He is the driver of the Cottonwood school bus which goes to the Artesia high school.

Robert Ferris from Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, who visited during the holidays with the C. R. Cline family, has returned here. He has found employment as the candy maker for the Ross Baking Company of Artesia. He is staying with the Clines.

The John M. Norris family moved last Friday from this community to their farm near Hagerman. They have lived in this community seventeen years and will be missed by the people here. Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Norris moved to the house they vacated.

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Old Timer Dies At White Oaks

Businessmen at Carrizozo paid final tribute Saturday to a poverty-stricken Chinese, Ah Nu, erstwhile favorite cook of Hay-Day mining camps in the southwest, who died Friday after a century-long life, most of it on American soil.

Old residents at Carrizozo said Ah Nu was 101 years old and that he arrived in San Francisco from China on an old schooner just about the time that gold seekers first started flocking west.

Ah Nu, like many of his countrymen, depended on cooking and laundry work for his livelihood, and, after work in mining camps fell off, he opened those businesses at White Oaks, ghost of what was once a prosperous gold center, twelve miles north of Carrizozo.

A friend of his who stopped to pay Ah Nu a visit Friday discovered him half-conscious on the dirt floor of his shack, beneath his bed. Apparently he became ill during the night and, in writhing, rolled to the floor.

Ah Nu was given medical aid, but he died in the late afternoon.

Word of his death, in the poorest of circumstances, resulted in a group of Carrizozo men deciding to keep Ah Nu from a potter's grave and a simple, but worthwhile, funeral was ordered for Saturday afternoon.

The Chinese had lived in White Oaks sixty-seven years, and more than once had seen the profits of his laundry and restaurant fade as the result of a bad investment in a gold mining scheme, his friends related.

Health Column

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

Streptococci

One day a group of physicians were gathered in an earnest scientific conference in Paris to discuss the cause of childbed fever. Argument was strenuously debated by the proponents first of one theory then of another. Pasteur, who was not a physician, listened as a guest of the society. He grew more and more impatient. At last he could stand the strain no longer. He marched up to the blackboard and on it drew a chain of dots like this "There, gentlemen," he exclaimed, "is the cause of childbed fever."

That was in 1879 Oliver Wendell Holmes had read his paper "On the Contagiousness of Puerperal Fever" in 1843. Semmelweis had begun in 1847 to sterilize hands with chlorinated lime, a procedure that reduced the mortality in the maternity wards of a Vienna hospital from 9.9 to 1.3 per cent. But neither of them had seen the streptococcus which Pasteur unerringly recognized as the germ which commonly causes the infection.

Since then doctors and nurses have learned that their hands must be kept strictly germ free when they attend mothers in childbirth. Now they are learning that the streptococcus may sometimes travel in their throats. The British Medical Journal recently reported a maternal death that was due to streptococci that were causing tonsillitis in the children's ward and travelled in a nurse's throat to the maternity ward. Streptococci cause other infections besides puerperal sepsis. Nurses who have been looking after these other infections such as scarlet fever, sore throat erysipelas or wound infections should not be allowed to wait on women in childbirth.

Directors Okay Power Line Bid

Directors of the Red Bluff water power control district voted last week to accept the bid of Kenneth Mason of Dallas for the construction of the first unit of a power-transmission line through the irrigation district, says the Pecos, Texas, Enterprise.

Mason's bid was several thousand dollars lower than any of the other three bids offered on the project. His bid was \$42,450. This includes building about twenty-five miles of transmission line from the powerhouse, installing transmitters and establishing rural connections with the farms in this part of the irrigation district.

This project of construction will bring rural electrification to farms in the irrigation districts of upper Ward county and Reeves county, Texas. When this section is completed, the line will be extended through the other districts. It will require approximately 100 miles of power line to reach all the separate districts included in the Red Bluff Water Power Control district.

DIPHTHERIA AT MALAGA

Three cases of diphtheria were reported in the Malaga community last week. Dr. O. E. Puckett, district health officer, and Miss Eunice McKinney, county health nurse, later administered toxoid to a number of pupils in the Malaga schools.

Hatch Offers Aid Small Stockmen

Senator Carl A. Hatch of New Mexico offered Friday at Washington "every possible aid" to small New Mexico stockmen if their complaints over administration of the Taylor grazing act "are confirmed and injustices actually exist."

He said he was seeking additional information on the controversy which has brought charges from small operators that "moneyed stockmen," working through administrative boards, have "been freezing them out" of public domain grazing lands.

Protests which he has received for several months, the senator said, have been "general, rather than specific." He added he would confer with the grazing division on the problem when he received more accurate information.

"If these complaints are confirmed and injustices actually exist, I will be glad to render every possible aid to protect the small stock raiser, and to see that justice is done," he declared.

In one case, he said he had referred to the grazing division a "single complaint from one small grazer" and the trouble was corrected immediately.

SHOOT'S SELF IN FOOT

Joe Rubio, local Mexican youth, accidentally shot himself in the foot with a .22 rifle Saturday while out hunting rabbits. The wound was not regarded as serious.

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P. E. O. FOUNDER'S DAY LUNCHEON AND TEA

In the year of 1869, seven young women, then in college, founded what is known today as the P. E. O. In honor of this day the local chapter J was hostess to the Chapter A of Carlsbad and Chapters B and K of Roswell with a reciprocity luncheon and tea at the Artesia hotel roof garden, Saturday at 1:00 o'clock.

Tables decorated with dark blue glass bowls of pink sweet peas and model stage coaches, covered wagons, carry-alls, etc., lent an old time air reminiscent of the founder's time as well as a festive appearance to the occasion. The place cards, accentuating the old-fashioned motif, were hand-crafted of brightly colored gum drops with lace protectors, and marked the places for the sixty guests who attended the four-course luncheon.

Mrs. Nell Gates, chairman on arrangements, introduced the presidents of the visiting chapters, Mrs. Jane Roberts of Carlsbad, Chapter A; Mrs. Alice Allison of Roswell, Chapter B, and Miss Burr Powell of Roswell, Chapter K, and the speakers of the day.

Mrs. Hattie Mann, president of Chapter J of Artesia, made the welcoming address, which was responded to by Mrs. Lillian Hinkle, ex-governor's wife and sponsor of Chapter J. Mrs. Lu O'Connor, first president of the state chapter, spoke on "Motherly Advice." Mrs. Grace Fall, most recent past president of the state chapter, spoke on "My Term of Office in Retrospect." Mrs. Delilah Williams, present president of the state chapter, spoke on "The Joys Versus Responsibilities of My Office." Mrs. Jane Roberts gave an interesting and informal talk about the young woman at Cotty College in Nevada, Missouri, who is sponsored by the P. E. O. chapters of the state.

Miss Harriet Poorbaugh, supervisor of music of the Roswell public schools, was presented in vocal numbers both at the luncheon and the tea which followed. Miss Poorbaugh has a soprano voice of exceptional quality and delighted her listeners with the artistic interpretation of her numbers and her quiet charming manner. Her capable accompanist at the piano was Miss Lenore Shafer.

The north side of the roof garden was converted into a most attractive lounge with the use of rugs, chairs and flowers and here the guests visited and were entertained until the tea hour. A beautiful candle ceremony honoring the seven founders was in charge of Mrs. Estelle Hayes and Mrs. Mary Thorne of Carlsbad.

During the tea hour the courtesy committee, consisting of Mmes. Zanaida Cole, Rena Shugart, Leeta Reynolds, Marie Martin and Martha Linell, served tea to the following guests of Chapter A, Carlsbad: Mmes. Delilah Williams, Jane Roberts, Lu O'Connor, Leona Stagner, Minnie Crawford, Pearl Lewis, Mabel Anderson, Della Groves, Mary Thorne, Jennie Morris, Estelle Hayes, Marie McLenathan, Jeanette Kern, Myrtle McMillan, Della Hemenway, Eva Harrison, Grace Leurs, Ada Linn, Chapter B of Roswell: Mmes. Alice Allison, Thelma Akin, Grace Fall, Lillian Hinkle, Charlotte Martin, Sadie St. John, Rose Welter, Gertrude Zink, Frances McClure, Amelia Bonney, Chapter K of Roswell: Misses Burr Powell, Nina Cullen, Irene Swann, Harrie Poorbaugh, Esther Morgan, Shirley Feather, Eula Bybee, Helen Snipes, Lenore Shafer, Edith Geyer, Mrs. Harriet Gill and Mrs. Dorothy Holesapple. Chapter J of Artesia: Mmes. Mary Gilbert, Hattie Mann, Irene Brainard, Leeta Reynolds, Wilhelmina Atkeson, Anna Stroup, Hazel Knoedler, Scottie Marshall, Jessie Morgan, Olevia Paris, Rena Shugart, Marie Martin, Mae Martin, Nell Gates, Martha Jesse, Lu Eyck Corbin, Martha Linell, Zanaida Cole and Miss La Rue Mann.

A. F. F. BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. Carl Folkner entertained three tables of bridge and additional guests honoring Mrs. Leland Price with a shower, Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 p. m. The afternoon was spent playing contract at the close of which Mrs. J. A. Brown held high score and Mrs. Donald Fanning had low score. The A. F. F. Bridge club presented Mrs. Price with a lovely gift of a chest and the guests filled the drawers of this chest with their gifts. Club members who were present for the party were: Mrs. Leland Price, Mrs. Leon Clayton, Mrs. Howard Stroup, Mrs. Fletcher Collins, Mrs. J. A. Brown, Mrs. Arthur Paton and Mrs. Herman Dick Jones. Guests invited for the occasion were: Mmes. Harvey Yates, Vernon Bryan, Jimmie Keith, Stanley Carper, Donald Fanning, Lawrence Pashea, Reed Dowell, Marshall Rowley and Misses Inez Knowles and Nina Gray. The hostess served a delicious salad plate at the close of the afternoon.

Social Calendar

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THURSDAY (TODAY)

The Swastika Bridge club will meet at the home of Mrs. Jessie Morgan at 7:30 p. m., with Miss Maurine Lewis and Orville Branscom entertaining.

FRIDAY

The Bridge of the Month will meet at the hotel for 1:00 o'clock luncheon, Mrs. Kenneth Williams, hostess.

Miercoles Bridge club will meet at 2:00 p. m., at the home of Mrs. Hollis Watson.

The Literary club will meet at 6:00 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Niven Baird. Program in charge of I. L. Spratt.

Viernes Bridge club will meet at the home of Mrs. A. G. Glasser at 2:00 p. m.

MONDAY

The Past Matron's club will meet at 2:30 p. m., at the home of Mrs. R. G. Knoedler.

TUESDAY

The Fortnightly Bridge club will meet for a one o'clock luncheon with Mrs. William Linell at her home.

WEDNESDAY

Abnormis Sapiens Bridge club will meet at 2:00 p. m., with Mrs. J. M. Story at her home.

THURSDAY (NEXT WEEK)

So So club meets with Mrs. J. C. Bruce at 2:30 p. m., at her home.

WOODS-FLINT

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Woods of San Antonio, Texas, and Artesia announce the marriage of their daughter, Emily, to Mr. Theodore Todd Flint, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Flint of this city, on January 12th at St. Mark's Episcopal church in San Antonio, Texas.

The wedding was a simple private affair to which only the family and a few intimate friends were invited. The church was decorated with ferns, roses and spring flowers. The vows were made at ten o'clock in the morning with the Rev. McKinstry, pastor of the St. Mark's church, officiating. Mrs. Flint wore a hyacinth blue frock with grey accessories and her flowers were white gardenias. She was given in marriage by her father, A. T. Woods. Morris Brown of San Antonio was best man to the groom.

The bride has attended the University of New Mexico at Albuquerque and the University of Missouri at Columbia, Missouri. While a student in both universities she received the honor and distinction of being voted the most beautiful girl on each campus. She is a member of the Kappa Gamma sorority.

Mr. Flint attended the Benjamin Franklin University in Washington, D. C., and the University of Texas in Austin. He is now connected with the Western Drilling Company of this city.

Following the ceremony an informal luncheon and reception to a very few friends was held at the family home in San Antonio. Their honeymoon was spent in that city. At the present time the couple are making their home at the Woods farm here.

ANNUAL CHURCH CHICKEN PIE DINNER

The St. Mark's Mission Episcopal church held their annual church chicken pie dinner and business meeting Monday evening at the church at seven o'clock. The affair that has been the custom of the members of this mission for a great number of years was well attended with over forty-five guests. After their appetizing courses and good fellowship a short program was presented by the Sunday school youngsters. Piano solos were played by Mary Baird and Margaret Attebery, Margaret Clowe gave a reading, violin solos were played by Val and Don Morgan and Martha Wallingford and Phoebe Welch sang a duet. The regular business meeting of the church followed the program.

FIRST AFTERNOON CLUB

Mrs. Arba Green was hostess to the First Afternoon Bridge club at her home on Main street, Tuesday afternoon. All members were present and the three tables spent the afternoon in their regular session of contract. Mrs. James Nellis won high score for the afternoon. The hostess served a delicious two-course luncheon at the close of the game.

ENGRAVING—THE ADVOCATE

100 Attend Joint Installation Odd Fellows, Rebekah

Members and guests numbering 100 attended the banquet and joint installation of the Rebekah and Odd Fellow lodges at the lodge hall Monday night. Places were laid for those who attended at the banquet tables and the lodge here was honored by more than twenty-five guests from Carlsbad.

Distinguished guests included Mrs. Bertha Hackney, president of the New Mexico Rebekah Assembly, and J. B. Stamp of Loving, district deputy grand marshal of the Odd Fellows of New Mexico.

An interesting and entertaining program preceded the actual installation ceremonies. This program was in honor of the birthday of Thomas Wildy, founder of Odd Fellowship. Violin numbers so well played that the young man was recalled for encores were given by Lewis Story with his sister, Wanda, at the piano. Josephine Payne played a piano solo with admirable technique and artistic finish. Elnora Gage was presented in a tap dance executed with such dexterity that she too was recalled for an encore. Wallace Gage played the mandolin. Mrs. Evelyn Carder read two number with complete poise and charm. Josephine Payne and Elnora Gage sang a duet, with Miss Gage accompanying. Judge S. E. Ferree gave an interesting though short talk on Thomas Wildy.

J. B. Stamp, deputy grand marshal, with his installing officers from Carlsbad, had charge of the installation. The following officers were installed for the ensuing year: Officers of Odd Fellow Lodge No. 11: W. T. Amstutz, vice noble grand; J. T. Fulton, vice noble grand; E. R. Conner, right supporter of noble grand; W. S. Peppers, left supporter of noble grand; L. A. Rideout, right supporter of vice noble grand; W. H. Cobble, left supporter of vice noble grand; A. W. Irby, right scene supporter; J. A. Clayton, left scene supporter; George W. Johnson, secretary; J. E. Walters, treasurer; J. W. Cave, chaplain; Charles Hall, warden; J. E. Sharp, conductor; Frank Thomas, inside guardian; W. A. Martin, outside guardian. Officers of the Sunrise Rebekah Lodge No. 9: Ada Dungan, noble grand; Josephine Johnson, vice noble grand; Harriet Whitener, right supporter to noble grand; Gertrude Cobble, left supporter to noble grand; Jennie McCormick, right supporter to vice noble grand; Ina Cole, left supporter to vice noble grand; Alice Buford, warden; Evelyn Carder, conductor; Nellie Taylor, chaplain; Linna McCaw, inside guardian; Effie Fulton, outside guardian.

MID-YEAR CONFERENCE OF LEGION AUXILIARIES

Fourteen units answered to roll call at the mid-year conference of presidents and secretaries of the American Legion Auxiliary in Albuquerque, January 16th and 17th. A membership of 929 was reported when Mrs. Roy L. Cook, department president, called for officers' reports at the opening of the meeting. National defense was stressed throughout the meeting. The outstanding achievement of the department was the establishment of the scholarship loan fund for sons and daughters of Legion members, who wish to attend higher institutions of learning.

Salvatore Capodice, national vice commander of the American Legion, spoke in place of Mrs. Malcolm Douglas, national chairman of national defense, who was confined to her bed because of illness. Mr. Capodice stressed the thought that the time for national defense is now and not to wait until the sound of firearms. Also that the program for national defense is a program of peace and not of war.

Mrs. Florence Snodgrass of Phoenix, Arizona, national vice president of the western division American Legion Auxiliary, spoke of the Auxiliaries as being highly in accord with the Legion's program. According to Mrs. Snodgrass, the American Legion Auxiliary was conceived in thought, born for God and the country, and baptized in service.

Mrs. Ben Pior, district president; Mrs. Earl Bigler, state chairman of Fidae; Mrs. J. D. McCann, unit president, and Mrs. Irvin Martin, unit secretary, were Artesia women representing the local unit and their state offices at this meeting.

VIERNES BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. Joe Foster was hostess to the Viernes Bridge club last Friday afternoon at her home. There were two substituting guests for the afternoon, Mrs. H. W. Gladly and Miss Elizabeth McCombs of Pennsylvania, who is the house guest of her sister, Mrs. A. G. Glasser. When the scores for the afternoon's bridge games had been totaled it was found that Mrs. Lawrence Carroll had won high score, with Mrs. Wren Barker second high and Mrs. Andy Compary low score. Light refreshments were served by the hostess at the close of the game.

PROF. C. B. WIVEL ADDRESSES WOMAN'S CLUB

Professor C. B. Wivel, professor of social science of the Eastern New Mexico Junior College, addressed the members and guests of the Woman's club on "The Questions of Youth" at the club house Wednesday afternoon at 2:30. Mr. Wivel, a speaker of note, gave a stirring talk on problems confronting each responsible thinking adult. His material had been gathered first-hand throughout years of research and study of youth in schools and colleges. In his tabulated research the three vital questions of youth of today are: "Choosing a Mate," "Choosing Leisure Time Activities," and "Choosing a Vocation." Mr. Wivel flung the challenge of Italy's and Germany's youth-supported dictators at the door of each thinking person in America. He advocates specialized and trained advisors for sex education, the building up of youth centers where decent supervision provides an outlet for leisure activities, and a fair chance for jobs for our youth with the caution that enforced idleness breeds inertia.

Music was furnished by Betty-nelle Lanning, who sang "Top Shop Heroes," by Smith, in a very pleasing manner. Mrs. I. L. Spratt was at the piano.

Mrs. Jeff Hightower, president, issued a call for old clothing, bedding, etc., for the welfare committee. Two new members were accepted, Mrs. Ed Markey and Mrs. Don Myers. Mrs. D. C. Blue was appointed chairman of the flower committee, upon the resignation of Mrs. Crowell Allen.

The club endorsed the resolution concerning the recognition of Elizabeth Garrett, composer of the state song, with some remuneration. A resolution concerning the state extension library board was turned over to the legislative committee for study and decision. Special recognition and commendation of the year's program was received in the form of a complimentary request for year books from the vice president at large, Mrs. W. R. Goddard.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

To help him celebrate his birthday, Bob Strickler invited several of his schoolmates to be his guests at a theater party last Friday after school. The children met at the Strickler home and went in a body to the Ocotillo Theater where seats together were reserved for them. After the show they returned home with Bob for refreshments. A lovely birthday cake with eleven candles on it and an ice course was served. Guests were: Billy Williams, Robert Feather, Roy Jones, Perry Schulze, Bobby Morris, Clyde Dunn, Robert Blount, Mary Nell Montgomery, Phoebe Welch, Jimmie Haskins, Wendell Welch, Tillman Walters, Darlene Frazier, Imogene Manley, Mary Alice Wilson, Beulah Hall, Billie Flemming and Reece Otts. (Contributed)

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APRON AND OVERALL DANCE

Several members of the younger set here have formed a club which meets once a month for entertainment of various sorts. Last Saturday this group had an apron and overall dance at the Woman's club house. They met there for dinner at 7:30 p. m., and dancing started immediately afterwards.

Tables were decorated with colorful paper covers of colonial design and participants came garbed in the recommended attire. After dinner and during the dance hour several contests were enjoyed, among them was the shoe race, won by Mr. and Mrs. Harold Dunn, who were justly rewarded a prize for their efforts. The dance contest was won by Mr. and Mrs. Donald Fanning and they, too, received a prize. Music was furnished by Miss Elnora Gage.

Mr. and Mrs. Crusy Corkran were host and hostess to the members at this affair. Their guests were Messrs. and Mmes. Stanley Carper, Marshall Rowley, Leon Clayton, J. A. Clayton, Donald Fanning, John Williams, Clarence Conner, Roy Ingram, Pete Shoemaker, Orval Gray and Harold Dunn.

THURSDAY BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. Howard Gissler entertained the Thursday Bridge club and guests at her home Thursday at 2:00 p. m. Mrs. Andy Compary was the substitute guest for the afternoon. Mrs. M. A. Lapsley won high score, Mrs. Compary sec-

ond high, and Mrs. Luther Caraway low score for the afternoon's session of contract. The club celebrated the birthday of one of its members at this time and presented Mrs. Marvel Archer with a lovely gift. The hostess served delicious refreshments and a beautiful birthday cake honoring Mrs. Archer. Mrs. W. G. Cook of Hagerman and Mrs. Reed Dowell were refreshment guests at this club meeting.

LLOYD EVANS HONORED

Miss Mary Evans was hostess to a delightful surprise birthday party in honor of her brother, Lloyd, last Saturday evening at her home. Guests arrived early in the evening bringing their gifts honoring their friend, who was much amazed at the turn of events. Dancing was the program of the evening which passed by too swiftly for all. Light refreshments were served late in the evening. The young people who enjoyed this pleasurable evening were: Misses Jessie Lee Cunningham, Dorothy Berry, Dorothy Birdwell of Alamogordo, Helen Meredith Gates, Lela Bess Mann, Rachele Swift and Messrs. Rell Johnson, John Hill, Jr., of Roswell, J. H. Ansley, Charles Kimball, Douglas Phillips, and Lloyd Evans.

SO SO CLUB

Members of the So So club and guest were entertained by Mrs. James Allen at her home last Thursday afternoon. The members

met for their regular handwork and visit at 2:30 p. m. Mrs. D. A. Miller had as her guest her mother-in-law, Mrs. F. A. Miller from Melrose. Club members present were: Mmes. J. C. Bruce, George Hart, L. C. Reynolds, Bryan Elder, Charles Gaskins, C. D. Marshall and D. A. Miller. An appetizing salad course was served by the hostess at the close of the party.



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REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Several farm sales have been reported recently. Frank Miller has purchased the old Gage tract of forty acres, situated two miles southeast of Artesia, from the Gage estate. He also purchased the Walterscheid farm, adjoining the Gage tract, from W. E. Brack. The Brack farm consisted of 160 acres. W. B. McCrory has purchased the old Gilbert farm, seven miles southwest of Artesia from Cole and Mitchell of Kansas City, Missouri. This farm was settled by S. W. Gilbert when he first came to Artesia. These are in addition to the sale of the Monroe Howard farm on the Cottonwood mentioned elsewhere in this issue. C. C. Milman has purchased the Kinney Hammond property on South First street, also lot five in block five from A. U. Crow, formerly of Lubbock, Texas.

NAVAJO SAYS STOCK DYING BY HUNDREDS

GALLUP—Roman Hubbell, well known Navajo authority, estimated Monday that snows and cold weather have caused nearly two per cent stock losses on the Navajo reservation and declared that hundreds of other sheep would be starved to death quickly if another blizzard struck. Hubbell said that about 20,000 sheep have been killed by the weather this season. The loss is not alarming at present, he said. The Navajos depend on sheep for food and clothing. Recent federal estimates placed the total number of sheep on the reservation at about 1,000,000, in addition to about 75,000 horses and nearly 25,000 cattle.

MRS. HARRISON DIRECTOR OF CAMP

Mrs. Walter Harrison of Roswell has been named director of Camp Mary White, a camp for Girl Scouts, located in Bear Canyon in the Sacramento mountains, it was announced at Roswell Monday when the Girl Scout Council convened.

Warden Barker Explains Workings of the Proposed State Bounty Law

Lake Arthur Defeats Artesia Cagers by a Lopsided Score

The Artesia quintet failed to find the basket at Lake Arthur Friday evening and went down to defeat by a count of forty to twelve. H. Nelson, Lake Arthur forward, flung six field goals from the floor, equaling the total score of the locals. Johnson, Irby and Conner made one field goal each for Artesia.

The basketball team was accompanied by the Artesia high school band, who played several selections before the game ended at the Lake Arthur high school gym.

The summary:
LAKE ARTHUR FG FT P
H. Nelson, f6 0 0
King f1 0 1
Payne, f4 0 1
Chandler, f0 1 0
Cummins, c3 1 1
Griffith, c0 0 1
C. Nelson, g4 0 4
Price, g0 2 0

Totals.....18 4 8
ARTESIA FG FT P
Johnson, f1 2 4
Haines, f0 0 0
Box, f0 0 2
Rice, f0 0 1
Irby, c1 3 2
E. Conner, g1 1 0
Womack, g0 0 0
Tidwell, g0 0 0

Totals.....3 6 9

CATTLE SHIPMENTS

Part of the cattle shipments loaded out of Artesia last Thursday were mentioned in the last issue of The Advocate and included 120 steer calves purchased by Joe Nunn from John Fanning, Dayton rancher. Mr. Nunn also purchased twenty-one head of calves from Bun Muncy and eight head from Frank Watkins, also a car of cattle from Mr. Fanning. The livestock shipments went to Texas wheat fields.

SCHOOL TRUSTEE ELECTION

The biennial election for the purpose of electing one trustee or member of the Artesia Board of Education will be held the second Tuesday in February or February 9th, it was announced Tuesday. The place of voting is the City Hall. Voters will be asked to vote on a board member for a term of six years. Two years ago Chas. Morgan was elected to fill an unexpired term of J. E. Robertson.

Social Security forms and systems—The Advocate.

Uncommon Sense on Common Colds

The flap of handkerchiefs being taken from pockets and the muffled sounds of controlled sneezes mark the advent of the "coryza season"—the months of colds! A cold is one thing you can catch without running after it—unless you're clever about it, and combat it in advance.

Building up bodily resistance is one way to prevent colds. Your doctor will tell you that we catch colds more easily when our systems are over-acid; yet many of the foods we eat tend to produce acidity. So the "RX" for household use is to eat alkalizers which counteract the acids and help build resistance. Our best alkalizers are oranges and grapefruit.

After You Catch It

Once you've caught your cold you still need these anti-acids, for acidosis is always present with colds and the alkaline salts of the citrus juices are very effective in restoring the normal alkaline balance of the body.

For your anti-cold or convalescent regime, take note of these recipes. Sound silly to serve punch to a sick-abe? It's not, it's smart.

Orange Egg Nog (Kids Take to It)

1 egg
¼ cup orange juice
2 tablespoons sugar
Milk
Grated orange rind
Beat egg yolk with orange juice and 1 tablespoon sugar. Pour into a tall glass. Beat egg white stiff with remaining sugar and fold three-fourths of egg white into yolk mixture. Add milk to almost full glass and stir well with spoon. Top drink with remainder of beaten egg white and garnish with bit of orange rind grated on top. Serve at once.

Rice and Oyster Chowder (That Hot "Must")

2 cups boiled rice
1 cup chopped celery
1 quart oysters
2 egg yolks
1 cup milk
1 cup boiling water
Salt and pepper
Drain and chop oysters. Put a layer of chopped celery in kettle, add a layer of cooked rice, a layer of oysters. Season with salt and pepper. Repeat until all rice, celery and oysters are used. Pour over this, boiling water and cook slowly 25 minutes. Beat well the yolks of

"In many ways the interest of the livestock industry, agriculture and the State Game Department coincide," asserted Elliott S. Barker, state game warden, recently. "And especially in the matter of predatory animal control their interests are identical. Therefore, their efforts should be combined in a constructive program to reduce the tremendous annual loss of cattle, sheep, poultry and game animals now taken by coyotes and bobcats. Stockmen, sportsmen, and game department officials agree that since coyotes are getting more numerous each year, and constantly taking a greater toll of livestock, poultry, and game animals and birds, that something must be done about it."

"The time has come when something must be done," declared Warden Barker, "and I for one am not going to sit back with any reactionary group and see our antelope, deer, mountain sheep and turkeys destroyed by predators each year in quantities several times greater than the number taken by sportsmen. Stockmen feel the same way about their losses. It is a matter of general public interest where everybody is concerned and can help."

Mr. Barker then gave the following explanation of the bounty program that is being proposed. Many stockmen, farmers, sportsmen, the game department and the governor favor the passage of a coyote and bobcat bounty law. There would be created a coyote bounty fund of \$60,000 annually by appropriation from the general fund, \$5.00 for coyotes and \$3.50 for bobcats probably would be paid and the state keep the furs which would be sold and the proceeds go into the coyote bounty fund to increase it. Then to avoid fraud and duplicate payment any skin to qualify for bounty would have to have the complete skin of the right front foot intact, this to be clipped off when bounty is paid. Skins would have to be sent in within thirty days and bounty paid only to the person who kills the animal. A penalty of \$1.00 to be deducted for each improperly handled skin. Heavy penalties would be provided for fraud, deception, etc., and any person so convicted would thereafter also be deprived of the right to collect bounty. The law would be administered by the State Game Commission with the Cattle and Sheep Sanitary boards, state police and port of entry officials cooperating.

Mrs. Le Dean McCrory and baby daughter returned to their home in the Oil Field Tuesday. They have been with Mrs. McCrory's father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Kerr, for the past two weeks.

eggs and milk; add to chowder. Cook 5 minutes, stirring carefully. Serve hot.

Banana Custard (Invalids Surprise)

¼ cup sugar
3 tablespoons flour
¼ teaspoon salt
2 cups milk
1 egg
¼ teaspoon vanilla
2 bananas, diced
Mix together the sugar, flour and salt. Add milk. Cook until thickened, then boil for five minutes. Add gradually to slightly beaten egg and cook one minute longer. Cool. Add vanilla and diced banana. Serves eight.

Energy Salad (Attractively Healthful)

1 pkg. lemon flavored gelatin
1 cup warm water
1 cup pineapple juice and water
¼ teaspoon salt
1 cup diced pineapple
1 cup dates, quartered
Dissolve gelatin in warm water. Add pineapple juice and water, and salt. Chill. When slightly thickened, fold in pineapple and dates. Turn into mold. Chill until firm. Unmold on crisp lettuce. Garnish with mayonnaise. Serves eight.

Snow Pudding (Dainty as a Snowdrift)

1 cup grapejuice
4 tablespoons white karo
1 egg white beaten stiff
2 teaspoons granulated gelatin
½ cup whipped cream (optional)
Pour ¼ cup cold grapejuice over gelatin and let stand. Heat remaining juice with karo to boiling. Dissolve softened gelatin in hot liquid. Chill; when thick but not set, beat with egg beater until thick and fluffy. Beat in egg white and continue beating until mixture is thick. Fold in cream, if used. Mold and chill.

Simple Grapefruit Whip

2 egg whites
¾ cup sugar
Few grains salt
1 cup grapefruit pulp
Beat the whites of eggs until frothy; add sugar and salt, and continue beating until stiff. Fold in fruit pulp. Serve at once. Use over plain cakes; or serve with custard sauce.
Variations:
Add 1 teaspoon maraschino juice.
Add 2 tablespoons pineapple juice.
Add 1 tablespoon grapejuice.

LOCALS

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Dee Thorpe Monday.

Sybil Pior spent the week-end visiting relatives in Carlsbad.

Jesse Phillips shipped a car of cattle to Decherd, Tennessee, yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Richards made a business trip to Alamogordo Sunday.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Mack Reynolds of the Turkey Track ranch yesterday.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Karl Foster at the St. Francis hospital in Carlsbad this morning.

The Rev. Aubrey Gregg of Roswell occupied the pulpit at the Methodist church during the morning hour.

Charles Verigg and John Garr, who are connected with the Morris Feed Yards at Morris, Kansas, are here on business for the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Skelt Williams of Lovington spent a short time here the first of the week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tex Polk.

W. A. Chaney of Midland, Texas, district manager of the International Supply Co., was here yesterday attending to business matters.

J. Harvey Wilson of Clovis, district manager of the Gas Company of New Mexico, was attending to business matters here the first of the week.

A total of 3,000 drivers licenses had been sold in Roswell Monday, it was announced. This number represents the greater part of drivers in Roswell.

Mr. and Mrs. V. P. Welch had as their guests over the week-end Mr. and Mrs. Winston Daniel and Mrs. Welch's brother, John Hill, Jr., of Roswell.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Whitson had as their guests over the week-end Mrs. Whitson's mother, sister and brother, Mrs. H. C. Egbert, Maragret and Harry.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Mahone and daughter Margaret who have been visiting in Dallas and Texarkana, Texas, returned to their home the early part of the week.

Joe Nunn, local cattle buyer, loaded out three cars of calves to feed in California yesterday. The calves, numbering 180 head, were purchased from Chas. Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Wright, former residents of Las Cruces, have returned to Artesia to again make their home here. Mr. Wright is employed as a salesman at the Guy Chevrolet Co.

Lieutenant Governor Hiram Dow of Roswell is acting governor in the absence of Gov. Clyde Tingley, who is in Washington, attending the inaugural ceremonies of President Roosevelt.

Irvin McCabe, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McCabe of Hope, had the misfortune to break an arm when a truck overturned with him Sunday afternoon. He was brought here for medical attention.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Flint left the first part of the week for New Orleans. Mr. Flint, a director of the Southwestern Irrigated Cotton Growers Association, will attend a national meeting of the directors of all the associations.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Simcoe of Hobart, Oklahoma, accompanied by his mother, Mrs. Albert Simcoe of Clinton, Oklahoma, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gribble Tuesday night, en route home from a trip through the Carlsbad Caverns and a visit with relatives at Tatum and Hobbs.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Foster have had as their guests Mrs. Foster's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Vestal Hastings of Canyon, Texas. The first part of the week Mr. and Mrs. Hastings, Wesley Hastings and mother, Mrs. Florence Hastings, with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Foster motored to Santa Fe for a visit to that historic town.

Mmes. John Brown and Mat Mitchell left for a visit with friends and relatives in Tucumcari Sunday, going by the way of Clovis. Mr. Brown accompanied them as far as Clovis. At Clovis they were met by Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Hall and enjoyed a visit with Vernon Hall, who is stationed at Fort Sam Houston, in San Antonio, Texas.

Early-day residents, who remember Judson C. Osborn, Jr., of San Francisco, California, a former Artesia and Roswell resident, may be interested to learn that he is recovering from a serious illness. He was given three blood transfusions before he began improving. Mr. Osborn, born here, is the son of Judson C. Osborn, well-known Pecos valley attorney.

Hope Items

Miss Frances Johnson, Reporter

Thomas Coffin has been confined to his home this week with a case of the flu.

Damon Guess of Pinon spent two days the latter part of the week in Hope attending to business.

Mrs. Carl Lewis and Sammy spent Sunday in Hope visiting Mrs. N. L. Johnson and daughters.

Charley Fink returned Sunday evening from Clovis where he had spent two days attending to business.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Curry spent the week-end at Bulliee ranch, the house guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Means.

Mrs. Flora Coffin is re-roofing and remodeling the dwelling on the old Tom Coffin farm where she plans to make her future home.

Archie Bentley motored over from his home in El Paso Saturday to visit Mrs. Bentley, who is here nursing her grandmother, Mrs. Mary Teel.

Wayland Hodges, who has been visiting his mother, Mrs. Mollie Hodges, for the past two weeks, left Sunday for his home in San Antonio, Texas.

Mrs. E. W. Wilson left Monday for her home in Dallas, Texas, after having spent several weeks here with her mother, Mrs. Mollie Hodges, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. John Prude motored to Carlsbad Thursday evening and attended the installation of officers of the O. E. S., of the chapter of that city.

Mrs. J. M. Summers of Roswell was in Hope the latter part of the week visiting her daughters, Mrs. J. C. Bumgardner, Sr., and Mrs. Will Scoggin and families.

Mr. and Mrs. John Prude motored to El Paso Monday to meet their daughter, Mrs. Clim Hodges of Colinga, California, who is spending several weeks here visiting.

Mrs. Pearl Wilson and daughter, Mrs. Archie Bentley of El Paso, arrived here Wednesday evening to be with their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Mary Teel, who is ill with pneumonia.

Mrs. Janie Richards of San Pedro, California, arrived here the latter part of the week to be with her mother, Mrs. Mary Teel, who is ill with pneumonia at the home of her son, George Teel.

Mrs. A. I. Williams returned to her home in Amarillo the first of the week after spending several weeks here with her mother, Mrs. Mollie Hodges, who is ill on the Parks ranch west of Hope.

The road through the Mellard pasture which has been used by the ranchers southwest of Hope has been closed and a new road has been made several miles south which runs through the Teel ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Brewer and daughter Mary Frances returned here the latter part of the week from Berkeley, California, where they have been the past year and plan to make their home in Hope.

Mrs. Charlie Hannah and son Jack returned Sunday from El Paso where they went to take their son and brother, Ford, who is in the Masonic hospital under treatment of Dr. Goodwin.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Fisher and children returned to Midland, Texas, the latter part of the week where they are spending a few days while Mr. Fisher is finishing up a fencing job on a ranch near there.

Elmer Teel came down from his home at Fort Sumner Monday evening and spent the night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John

SOCIETY.

PAST PRESIDENTS PARLEY LUNCHEON

Mrs. Alex McGonagill was hostess to the Past Presidents Parley of the American Legion Auxiliary at her home in the Oil Field last Thursday at a one o'clock luncheon.

A very tasteful three-course luncheon whose entree consisted of guinea preceded the regular business meeting. Mrs. J. B. Muncy, Mrs. Fannie Bruton and Mrs. John McCann were invited guests along with the following members who attended this delightful affair: Mmes. Frank Linell, J. M. Story, Lewis Story, Albert Richards, Dick Vandagriff, Ben Pior, Jess Truett and the hostess.

SNOW AND COLDER WEATHER

A high west wind, which prevailed here Tuesday and Wednesday, brought colder weather to eastern New Mexico, while snow and snow flurries visited the northern part of the state. An inch of snow was reported to have fallen in Santa Fe Tuesday. A blizzard which raged in the Rockies of Colorado contributed to the snow and colder weather in this state.

Teel, returning to his home Tuesday. Mr. Teel was accompanied here by Mr. Duncan, also of Fort Sumner.

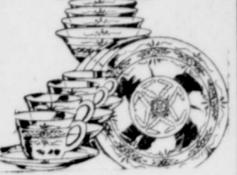
Paul Hodges left Tuesday for Washington, D. C., where he is connected with the federal coast patrol, after having spent two weeks here with his mother, Mrs. Mollie Hodges, who is ill at the home of her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Parks.

D. Swith and Irvin Cox closed a business transaction Saturday in which Mr. Cox purchased the drug store from Mr. Swift. Mr. and Mrs. Swift will spend a few weeks here attending to business after which they plan to go to southern California where they will spend several weeks vacationing and visiting their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Cal Beckett. Mr. Cox employed Mrs. Merel Terry to work in the store with him.

SECOND BABY PRIZES AWARDED SATURDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Smith were awarded four prizes Saturday as the parents of the second baby born in 1937, in accordance with the merchants first and second baby contest, as advertised in our issue of December 31st.

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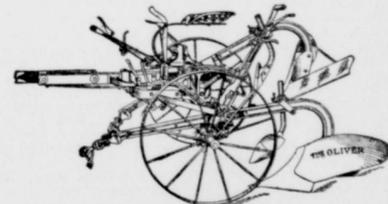
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STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE

Number of application RA-1469 Santa Fe, N. M., Jan. 2, 1937

Notice is hereby given that on the 22nd day of December, 1936, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, W. E. Kerr of Artesia, County of Eddy, State of New Mexico, made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a permit to appropriate the shallow ground water of the Roswell Artesian Basin to the extent of 720 acre feet per annum by the drilling of a 14 inch well approximately 300 feet in depth, located in the SW 1/4 SE 1/4 NE 1/4 Sec. 18, T. 18 S., R. 26 E., N. M. P. M., for the purpose of irrigating 240 acres of land described as being the W 1/2 NW 1/4, the SE 1/4 NW 1/4 and the NW 1/4 SW 1/4 of Sec. 17, T. 18 S., R. 26 E., and the SE 1/4 NE 1/4, and the NE 1/4 SE 1/4 of said Sec. 18.

THOMAS M. McCLURE, State Engineer.

STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE

Number of application RA-1465 Santa Fe, N. M., Dec. 22, 1936

Notice is hereby given that on the 19th day of December, 1936, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931 H. C. Powell of Lake Arthur, County of Chaves, State of New Mexico, made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a permit to appropriate the shallow ground water of the Roswell Artesian Basin to the extent of 480 acre feet per annum by the drilling of a 12 1/2 inch well approximately 250 feet in depth, located in the NE 1/4 NW 1/4 NE 1/4 Sec. 24, T. 16 S., R. 25 E., N. M. P. M., for the purpose of irrigating 160 acres in the NE 1/4 of said Sec. 24.

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 1st day of February, 1937, the date set for the State Engineer to take this application up for final consideration unless protested.

THOMAS M. McCLURE, State Engineer.

STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE

Number of application RA-1474 Santa Fe, N. M., January 2, 1937.

Notice is hereby given that on the 30th day of December, 1936, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, Harvey E. Yates of Artesia, County of Eddy, State of New Mexico, made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a permit to appropriate the shallow ground water of the Roswell Artesian Basin to the extent of 480 acre feet per annum by the drilling of a 15 1/2 inch well approximately 300 feet in depth, located in the NW 1/4 NW 1/4 NW 1/4 Sec. 33, T. 18 S., R. 26 E., N. M. P. M., for the purpose of irrigating 160 acres of land in the W 1/2 W 1/2 of said Sec. 33.

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 11th day of February, 1937, the date set for the State Engineer to take this application up for final consideration unless protested.

THOMAS M. McCLURE, State Engineer.

STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE

Number of application RA-1484 Santa Fe, N. M., January 7, 1937

Notice is hereby given that on the 2nd day of January, 1937, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, E. A. Bivens of Lake Arthur, County of Chaves, State of New Mexico, made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a permit to appropriate the shallow ground water of the Roswell Artesian Basin to the extent of 1200 gallons per minute by the drilling of a 15 1/2 inch well approximately 300 feet in depth, located in the NW 1/4 SW 1/4 Sec. 32, T. 16 S., R. 26 E., N. M. P. M., for the purpose of irrigating 160 acres of land in the SW 1/4 of said Sec. 32.

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 16th day of February, 1937, the date set for the State Engineer to take this ap-

plication up for final consideration unless protested.

THOMAS M. McCLURE, State Engineer.

STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE

Number of application RA-1488 Santa Fe, N. M., January 7, 1937

Notice is hereby given that on the 5th day of January, 1937, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, A. T. Woolk and R. W. Box of Artesia, County of Eddy, State of New Mexico, made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a permit to appropriate the shallow ground water of the Roswell Artesian Basin to the extent of 1200 acre feet per annum by the drilling of a 15 1/2 inch well approximately 300 feet in depth, located about 1/4 mile north of the SW corner of Sec. 3, T. 17 S., R. 26 E., N. M. P. M., for the purpose of irrigating 400 acres of land described as being the S 1/2 and the S 1/2 NE 1/4 of said Sec. 3.

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 16th day of February, 1937, the date set for the State Engineer to take this application up for final consideration unless protested.

THOMAS M. McCLURE, State Engineer.

STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE

Number of application RA-1476 Santa Fe, N. M., January 7, 1937

Notice is hereby given that on the 4th day of January, 1937, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, Lawrence O. Bryan of Artesia, County of Eddy, State of New Mexico, made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a permit to appropriate the shallow ground water of the Roswell Artesian Basin to the extent of 500 gallons per minute by the drilling of a 10 inch well approximately 200 feet in depth, located in the SW 1/4 NE 1/4 NE 1/4 Sec. 18, T. 17 S., R. 26 E., N. M. P. M., for the purpose of irrigating 6 acres of land located in the central and eastern parts of the NE 1/4 NE 1/4 of said Sec. 18.

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 16th day of February, 1937, the date set for the State Engineer to take this application up for final consideration unless protested.

THOMAS M. McCLURE, State Engineer.

STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE

Number of application RA-1482 Santa Fe, N. M., January 7, 1937

Notice is hereby given that on the 2nd day of January, 1937, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, G. W. Bannion of Lake Arthur, County of Chaves, State of New Mexico, made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a permit to appropriate the shallow ground water of the Roswell Artesian Basin to the extent of 390 acre feet per annum by the drilling of a 12 1/2 inch well approximately 250 feet in depth, located on the west line of Lot 15, Sec. 4, T. 16 S., R. 24 E., N. M. P. M., for the purpose of irrigating 130 acres of land described as being all of Lots 15 and 16, and 50 acres in the N 1/2 SE 1/4 of said Sec. 4.

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 16th day of February, 1937, the date set for the State Engineer to take this application up for final consideration unless protested.

THOMAS M. McCLURE, State Engineer.

STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE

Number of application RA-1487 Santa Fe, N. M., January 7, 1937

Notice is hereby given that on the 2nd day of January, 1937, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, T. F. Wilson of Lake Arthur, County of Chaves, State of New Mexico, made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a permit to appropriate the shallow ground water of the Roswell Artesian Basin to the extent of 480 acre feet per annum by the drilling of a 12 1/2 inch well approximately 200 feet in depth, located in the SW corner SE 1/4 Sec. 30, T. 16 S., R. 26 E., N. M. P. M., for the purpose of irrigating 160 acres in the SE 1/4 of said Sec. 30.

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 sub-

stantiated 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 16th day of February, 1937, the date set for the State Engineer to take this application up for final consideration unless protested.

THOMAS M. McCLURE, State Engineer.

STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE

Number of application RA-1479 Santa Fe, N. M., January 7, 1937

Notice is hereby given that on the 2nd day of January, 1937, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, Fred Savoie of Artesia, County of Eddy, State of New Mexico, made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a permit to appropriate the shallow ground water of the Roswell Artesian Basin to the extent of 240 acre feet per annum by the drilling of a 12 1/2 inch well approximately 300 feet in depth, located in the SW 1/4 NW 1/4 SE 1/4 Sec. 6, T. 17 S., R. 26 E., N. M. P. M., for the purpose of irrigating 80 acres of land in N 1/2 SE 1/4 of said Sec. 6.

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 16th day of February, 1937, the date set for the State Engineer to take this application up for final consideration unless protested.

THOMAS M. McCLURE, State Engineer.

STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE

Number of application RA-1481 Santa Fe, N. M., January 7, 1937

Notice is hereby given that on the 2nd day of January, 1937, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, Charlie and John Buck of Lake Arthur, County of Chaves, State of New Mexico, made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a permit to appropriate the shallow ground water of the Roswell Artesian Basin to the extent of 10 inch well approximately 200 feet in depth, located in the NE 1/4 NW 1/4 Sec. 12, T. 16 S., R. 25 E., N. M. P. M., for the purpose of irrigating 160 acres described as being the W 1/2 NE 1/4 and the E 1/2 NW 1/4 of said Sec. 12.

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 16th day of February, 1937, the date set for the State Engineer to take this application up for final consideration unless protested.

THOMAS M. McCLURE, State Engineer.

STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE

Number of application RA-1480 Santa Fe, N. M., January 7, 1937

Notice is hereby given that on the 2nd day of January, 1937, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, Charlie Buck of Lake Arthur, County of Chaves, State of New Mexico, made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a permit to appropriate the shallow ground water of the Roswell Artesian Basin to the extent of 240 acre feet per annum by the drilling of a 15 1/2 inch well approximately 300 feet in depth, located in the SW corner N 1/2 NE 1/4 Sec. 14, T. 16 S., R. 25 E., N. M. P. M., for the purpose of irrigating 80 acres of land in the N 1/2 NE 1/4 of said Sec. 14.

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 16th day of February, 1937, the date set for the State Engineer to take this application up for final consideration unless protested.

THOMAS M. McCLURE, State Engineer.

STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE

Number of application RA-1143 (Change Place Use) Santa Fe, N. M., January 7, 1937

Notice is hereby given that on the 5th day of January, 1937, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, J. G. Moutray & Sons of Artesia, County of Eddy, State of New Mexico, made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a permit to change the place of use of 73.5 acre feet of water per annum appropriated from the Artesian Well No. RA-1143 located in the SW 1/4 SE 1/4 Sec. 6, T. 26 S., R. 26 E., N. M. P. M., by abandoning the irrigation of 24.5 acres of land described as being 5.1 acres in the SE 1/4 NW 1/4 and 19.4 acres in the S 1/2 NE 1/4 of Sec. 8, T. 20 S., R. 26 E., and commencing the irrigation of 24.5 acres of land described as being the north 5 acres of SW 1/4 NE 1/4 Sec. 7, the east 5.1 acres of NE 1/4 NW 1/4 Sec. 8, and 14.4 acres in the NW 1/4

NE 1/4 Sec. 8, all being in T. 20 S., R. 26 E.

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 16th day of February, 1937, the date set for the State Engineer to take this application up for final consideration unless protested.

THOMAS M. McCLURE, State Engineer.

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF W. C. MARABLE, DECEASED

No. 809

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned was on the 20th day of December, 1936, appointed administratrix of the estate of W. C. Marable, 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 said county within one year from date of said appointment as provided by law, or the same will be barred.

BERTHA MARABLE, Administratrix.

RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR THE REGULAR BIENNIAL ELECTION OF MUNICIPAL SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 16, OF ARTESIA, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, DESIGNATING JUDGES AND CLERKS AND AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ISSUE THE PROCLAMATION FOR THE SAID ELECTION.

WHEREAS, the regular biennial election of the Municipal School District No. 16, Artesia, Eddy County, New Mexico, to be held on the 9th day of February, 1937, being the second Tuesday thereof, said election to be held for the purpose of electing one trustee for the term of six years to fill the expired term of one trustee.

AND WHEREAS, three judges and clerks must be appointed to hold said election.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the said election be held at the City Hall, Artesia, New Mexico, Tuesday, February 9th, 1937. Polls to be opened at 9:00 o'clock A. M., and closed at 6:00 o'clock P. M., the same day thereof, and the following judges and clerks are hereby designated and appointed to hold said election:

Mrs. C. O. Brown, John Vandagriff, O. M. Trotter.

Mrs. Harold Dunn, Eula Gray.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Mayor of the City of Artesia, New Mexico, be and is hereby authorized to issue proclamation of said election as herein provided and by statutes governing such elections.

Done at the City Hall this 8th day of January, 1937.

H. G. WATSON, Mayor.

ATTEST: PAUL A. OTTS, City Clerk.

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MITCHELL HEADS COWMEN

EL PASO—Albert K. Mitchell of Albert, New Mexico, was unanimously re-elected president of the American Livestock Association; Cheyenne, Wyoming, was awarded the 1938 convention and San Francisco the 1939 meeting, Thursday before the 1937 El Paso convention adjourned.

Albert Campbell, New Meadows, Idaho, was the new vice president elected. The other re-elected were: Hubbard Russell, Los Angeles, first vice president; Frank S. Boice, Sonoita, Arizona; J. Elmer Brock, Kaycee, Wyoming; Fred A. Hobart, Pampa, Texas, and Tom Jones, Midland, South Dakota.

The executive committee re-appointed F. E. Mollin, Denver, secretary, and Charles E. Blaine, Phoenix, traffic counsel.

Social Security forms and systems—The Advocate.

Crucial Point for West Tex. Wildcat

W. L. Pickens, et al., No. 1 Le-wright, interesting southeast Terry county, Texas, wildcat, ten miles northwest of the Albaugh discovery well in Dawson county, is drilling below 4094 feet in anhydrite, according to the Midland, Texas, Telegram. It is located 660 feet from the north and east lines of section 1, block C-37, public school land.

In the southwestern part of Terry county, Texas, Usacan & Illinois No. 1 Brownfield, section 54, block K, public school land, is drilling hard brown lime at 5582 feet.

Potential test after second acid treatment was scheduled to start Sunday on Honolulu, Cascade and Devonian No. 1 E. B. Duggan, southeastern Cochran discovery and the most northerly producer in west Texas. Initial treatment with 2250 gallons brought the well's rating from 168 barrels a day up to 303 and it was believed to have been further increased by re-treating with 4,000 gallons.

"LARGE END UP" RULE SAVES HATCHING EGGS

Hatching eggs to be hauled or shipped to the hatchery should be packed snugly into the case with the large end up, says Berley Winton, in charge of the poultry office of the Bureau of Animal Industry, as hatching eggs are less likely to be broken when in this position than if they are packed with the small end up.

Each normal egg has an air cell at the large end, Mr. Winton explains, and it is necessary that the membrane separating the inner portion of the egg from the shell membrane neither be broken nor shaken loose. Research at the National Agricultural Research Center, Beltsville, Maryland, has shown that eggs with tremulous air cells hatched only two-thirds as well as the eggs which had normal air cells. Packing the eggs with the large end up removes the pressure from the inner membrane.

Mr. Winton cautions that the egg case should never be placed on the bumper of an automobile, as the vibration at this point is possibly much greater than on the floor inside the car. If the hatching eggs are hauled in a wagon or truck the bed should be matted with straw, which serves as a shock absorber.

In the early part of the hatching season it is necessary to gather eggs often as hatching eggs should not be allowed to chill. They should be stored at a temperature ranging from 50° to 60° F. A frost-proof cellar or basement is usually a good place for storage.

Tests also have shown that hatching eggs should not be held longer than a week to ten days before delivery to the hatchery, Mr. Winton says. Held longer, the eggs decrease in hatchability.

COUNTY AGENT CONFERENCE

The annual conference for New Mexico extension workers will be held at State College, January 25-30, inclusive, with agents from twenty-nine counties of the state in attendance. Matters pertaining to the 1937 agricultural conservation program, program planning, and the development of the 1937 extension program will occupy the principal part of the six days' program.

In the development of the extension program for 1937, special attention will be given to 4-H club work, farm credit, wind erosion problems, and the home economics extension program.

Daily session will be held, commencing at 8:00 o'clock each morning and continuing until 5:00 o'clock each afternoon.

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CHURCHES

ST. ANTHONY CATHOLIC CHURCH
504 S 9th St.

Sunday services:
7:00 a. m. Mass—English.
8:30 a. m. Mass—Spanish.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
Rev. E. L. Askins, Pastor

Sunday school 9:45 a. m.
Morning sermon 11:00 a. m.
Young peoples service 6:15 p. m.
Adult class meeting 6:15 p. m.
Evangelistic services 7:15 p. m.
The W. M. S. meets every first and third Wednesday of each month. Mrs. E. A. Paton, president.

A hearty welcome awaits you at the rock church on Fifth and Quay street.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Pastor, P. G. Woodruff.
Sunday school superintendent, Mrs. W. C. Martin.

General B. T. U. director, Miss Maurine Lewis.

9:45 Sunday school.
11:00 Song service and sermon.
6:00 Baptist Training Union service.

7:00 Song service and sermon.
The mid-week prayer service is held each Wednesday night at 7:00. Weekly teacher's meeting follows immediately at 7:45.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY
613 West Main St.

11:00 a. m. Sunday services.
"Truth" is the subject of the lesson-sermon which will be read in all Churches and Societies of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, January 24th.

The golden text is: "The Lord is good; his mercy is everlasting; and his truth endureth to all generations." (Ps. 100:5)

Among the citations which comprise the lesson-sermon is the following from the Bible:

"He is the rock, his work is perfect; for all his ways are judgment: a God of truth and without iniquity, just and right is he." (Deut. 32:4)

The lesson-sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science text book:

"God is what the scriptures declare him to be: life, truth, love."

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Announcements for the week: Sunday—

9:45 Sunday school. Let us aim at having 150 in Sunday school by Easter, which will be March 28th. A little work will do it.

11:00 Morning worship service. Sermon subject: "Frontiers in Worship," being the third in a series on "Frontiers."

5:30 Junior Christian Endeavor. Katherine McDermott will be the leader. Names of children of foreign missionaries were given to the junior to write to last Sunday night. There are additional names for other juniors who come to the meetings.

6:30 Union meeting of young people at the Christian church. Our young people are hosts to young people of other churches in town. All are cordially invited.

Wednesday—

7:00 Choir rehearsal at the church.

THOMAS MASSIE, Minister.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
Corner Grand and 5th Sts.

The pastor is sufficiently recovered to be in his place Sunday both for the morning and evening services. We would like to have all our people back in their places Sunday.

Sunday school at 9:45. Geo. Frisch, superintendent.
Young peoples meeting at 6:30. Harold Hannah, president.

McMurry College Glee club will give a program at 7:00 o'clock in the church next Tuesday, January 26th. Admission free.

You are always welcome at the Methodist church.
JOHN S. RICE, Pastor.

MRS. L. R. GADDIS TO CONDUCT BIBLE SCHOOL

Mrs. L. R. Gaddis of Alamogordo will conduct a Bible review each afternoon January 25th through January 29th, for the Women's Missionary Society of the Baptist church. Mrs. Gaddis is a very capable teacher and interesting speaker and all women are invited to attend these lectures. Classes will be held each afternoon at 2:30 in the primary department of the Baptist church. Classes will be held also each night at 7:30 for the Business and Professional Women's Circle.

PLATEAU SINGERS TO MEET AT MALAGA

The Eddy County Plateau Singing Convention will hold an all-day session at Malaga Sunday, January 24th. John F. Taylor, president, who is conducting a singing school at Malaga, will be present. All singers are cordially invited to attend.

Southeastern New Mexico to Have a Part in the Cuarto Centennial

It's been many a long year since the vast herds of John Chisum's "jinglebob" longhorns roamed a great area of southeastern New Mexico, a cattle empire larger than many an eastern state or European principality.

But the memory of those romantic old longhorn days lives on in southeastern New Mexico while the prosaic, broadbacked Hereford crops the succulent range grass that once nurtured a more picturesque, if less beefy animal.

And those days will be re-lived in 1940 when that part of New Mexico joins in the state-wide celebration of the 400th anniversary of the advent of Coronado, the intrepid Spaniard who came in search of gold and the Seven Cities of Cibola but found hunger, privation and bitter disappointment.

Artesia, Roswell, Carlsbad and historic old Lincoln town will have their part in the Coronado Cuarto Centennial, detailed plans for which are now being worked out by the Cuarto Centennial Commission.

Billy the Kid, who carried no more terrifying name than William Bonney until his six-shooter and rifle began dealing death by the wholesale, was a far different character from the determined Spaniard in his coat of mail, but many a modern who knows nothing of Don Coronado has heard much of the exploits of Billy the Kid.

Southeastern New Mexico was the principal stamping ground of the famous, or infamous if you wish, outlaw whose six-shooter reputedly carried twenty-one notches before Sheriff Pat Garrett put a bullet through his heart at Fort Sumner one July night in 1881.

It was at sleepy old Lincoln town, then the county seat of an area that now includes Lincoln, Chaves, Eddy, Lea and De Baca counties, that the Kid murdered two guards and escaped only a few days before he was to be hanged for another slaying.

The old courthouse in which he was confined still stands and no doubt will be visited by thousands of tourists during the Cuarto Centennial celebration.

Sheriff Pat Garrett and his deputy, John W. Poe, who accompanied him on that fateful night at Ft. Sumner, no doubt will live again in the pageantry that brings back the frontier days to southeastern New Mexico.

Sheriff Les Dow of Eddy county, slain in a gun fight down in the Carlsbad country, will be remembered, as will Fred Higgins, Jesse Rascoe and other early-day peace officers of the Chaves county that was also split away from vast, old Lincoln county.

No doubt longhorn cattle will be found somewhere and their ears will be slit to form the famous jinglebob that enabled a Chisum cowhand to distinguish the cattle of his boss from afar.

Over across the Rio Grande in Old Mexico there are still plenty of those cattle built like a moose and with great curving scimitars of horns.

It's a pretty safe guess that there'll be rodeos in 1940 such as only southeastern New Mexico can

stage. Some of the old timers will aver that the modern cowhands can't compare with the famous Clay McGonigil, who held his world's roping championship when a full grown steer, not a calf or a goat, was the target of the rodeo contestant's wide loop. But they'll get plenty of argument from the moderns who hold that Bob Crosby's equal as an all-around cowpuncher was not known in the old days. They know he's the best of the present generation.

Lake Arthur Items

Mrs. Clarence Evans, Reporter

F. G. Hartell of Artesia was a business visitor here Tuesday.

Miss Hedrick spent last week-end with her sister in Carlsbad.

Supt. L. E. Dohner was transacting business in Hagerman Saturday.

Miss Marguerite Lane accompanied Miss Alma Lane to Hope Sunday.

The sophomore class enjoyed a party Saturday night at the home of Gervis Cummins.

Ralph Lowery and wife of Las Vegas visited her mother, Mrs. Ollis Smith, Monday.

Mrs. O. V. Moore of Artesia visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Lane, Monday.

Mrs. Moss Spence, Miss Pierce and Mrs. Oran Smith were visiting in Roswell Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Ellington accompanied the Rev. and Mrs. Bowden to Dayton for his appointment there Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Oran Smith and children went to Dexter Sunday afternoon to a house warming for Mrs. S. S. Jones.

The young people's "win-all" organization of Cottonwood and Lake Arthur will have a joint party Friday night at the high school building under the supervision of the Rev. and Mrs. Bowden.

Misses Ann Findley, Hannah and Lora Dell Garrard, Mrs. C. L. Evans and daughters, accompanied by Mmes. T. E. and Jerry Evans of Artesia spent the day Sunday picnicking near Lake McMillan.

PUE CASE TO BE REOPENED

It was reported at Carlsbad Friday the case of Arthur Pue, Eddy county rancher, against the district grazing board of district 6, will be opened in Carlsbad early next month. Pue was recently given a favorable temporary decision by J. E. Stabilein, regional director. New evidence is said to have been uncovered, which makes another hearing necessary.

EUNICE SEEKS WPA FUNDS FOR SCHOOL

SANTA FE—Application was on file Saturday for \$81,000 WPA school project at Eunice, Lea county oil town, where the population was said to have exceeded school facilities.

Farmers Should Measure Land

Farmers should bear in mind that now, when changes are being made in owners and operators, and before it is decided in which fields certain crops are to be planted they should measure their farms, says Fred Barham, county agent.

All producers will be required to furnish a map of their farms and ranches when making application to cooperate under the 1937 agricultural conservation program, and each field should be listed separately so that all the information will be available when the time comes to make the maps for their farms. These maps are to be presented to the community committee as soon as forms for the 1937 program are received and the program gets under way.

It will not only be necessary for the producer to fill in the exact acres in the farm, but it will also be necessary for him to show the measurements in feet or chains of his various fields on the map that he presents.

The producer should also obtain a legal description of his holdings and should make a check to see that these descriptions are correct. In checking legal descriptions on the farms, it has been found that in a number of instances the legal description as given in the county assessor's office has not been correct.

Any producer desiring any information in regard to the measuring of land should contact the extension office, where employees will furnish him with instructions, and chains to use in the measuring, Barham said.

B. H. Nelson, formerly of Glendale, Oregon, has purchased the Monroe Howard farm on the Cottonwood. Mr. Howard and family have moved to their new farm home near the Cottonwood school building.

Facts About New Mexico

(Southwest Tourist News)

The longest aerial tramway on the North American continent is at the Terrero mine near Pecos.

The second longest single lift elevator in the world is in Carlsbad Caverns, second only to that in the Empire State building in New York City.

There are five railroads operating in the state.

The highest golf course in the world is at Cloudcroft, at an altitude of 9,000 feet.

The present largest man-made lake in the world is Elephant Butte lake.

The oldest apple orchard in America is at Manzano. Though over 400 years old, these trees still bear apples.

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Las Vegas was the first meeting place of Teddy Roosevelt's Rough Riders after their disbandment.
One of the largest open pit copper mines in the world is the Santa Rita mine.
There are five fish hatcheries in New Mexico.
Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Birdwell and daughter Dorothy of Alamogordo were guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Blue and family over the week-end.

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50 Oil Wells—

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State A-17 No. 3 in SW sec. 17-19-37. In the Eunice field, the State D-11 No. 4, SW sec. 11-21-36, and the Meyer B-4 No. 18, center lot 2, sec. 4-21-36.

The Gulf Oil Corp., completed two producers in the Eunice district the past week. The Graham State 1-G, SE sec. 17-19-37, flowed 550 barrels of oil in twenty hours after treating with 5,000 gallons of acid from a pay topped at 3895 feet. In the same field the Gulf, Sunshine No. 2, flowed 180 barrels in six hours through two-inch tubing with 905,000 feet of gas from a depth of 3840 feet.

The Gulf has also made a new location in the Monument district for its Anderson No. 3, in the center SE 1/4 SE 1/4 sec. 8-20-37.

A showing of oil was reported in the Magnolia Petroleum Co., State 1-G, NE sec. 24-17-34, near Lovington, near 4350 feet. Two hundred feet of oil was reported standing in the hole while workmen are setting casing.

Will Construct—

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theater, yet to be named, will probably be in the neighborhood of twenty-five cents.

The management will likely conduct a contest for naming the theater and will offer prizes for the best name submitted. The building, to be of the Mission type, will occupy the entire lot or a space of twenty-five by one hundred and forty feet and will cost approximately \$20,000. The plant will be one story with ticket office and confectionery occupying the front, then the auditorium with the cooling equipment on the rear. It will seat 450 people.

Sanders Mills Shoots Self Accidentally With a .22 Rifle Tuesday

Another accident with a .22 rifle was reported here Tuesday. Sanders Mills, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Mills, was wounded by the accidental discharge of a .22 rifle ball Tuesday as he had started to clean the rifle. The ball entered his body on the left side of his abdomen and emerged above the hip, inflaming a painful, but not fatal, wound.

It was reported the rifle had been loaned and was returned home loaded. The lad started cleaning his gun thinking it was empty. The patient is recovering and will soon be out of danger unless complications set in.

Million in Taxes Added by Supreme Court Decision

Approximately \$1,000,000 will be added to the state tax rolls because of the supreme court's ruling holding oil well equipment and machinery liable for assessment, in the opinion of Chief State Tax Commissioner Ben D. Luchini.

Back in his office after a trip to the oil fields where he worked on the assessments several days, Luchini estimated present valuations would approximate \$250,000. The state is empowered under the law to go back five years on the assessments.

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Resettlement Administration to Help Farmers in Need of Subsistence Aid

AMARILLO, Texas (Special to The Advocate)—The rehabilitation division of the Resettlement Administration in region twelve is now taking over all drought farmers whose employment on WPA projects has been terminated and who are in need of subsistence aid, R. I. Kimmel, section chief, announced Tuesday.

Assuming full responsibility for direct relief to needy farmers in this region, the Resettlement Administration, through the division of rehabilitation, has sufficient funds on hand to make direct grants for at least another six weeks.

"Because of continued failures in the drought area," Kimmel said, "we are continuing to make direct grants to a great many farmers in New Mexico and parts of Kansas, Colorado, Oklahoma and Texas. With mounting demands for such aid to farm families being reported from field supervisors," he continued, "we find a considerable number of farmers needing help who had previously made application for financial aid."

Last fall we made emergency seed loans to several hundred farmers. In order to round out that initial aid, these people are now being set up on standard farm plans. Moreover, owing to continued drought, a large number of standard loans, made last spring, are being revised and supplemental loans are being made to provide for the full year's farming operations."

TAKING PROPERTY RENDITIONS HERE

R. H. Westaway, deputy tax assessor, is at the City Hall for the week, taking property tax renditions. Mr. Westaway will be here until Saturday night. This will be the last opportunity local people will have of rendering taxes here. Mr. Westaway reports renditions have been coming in at a lively clip.

TINGLEY TO INAUGURATION

Governor Clyde Tingley and party of four: Attorney General and Mrs. Frank Patton, Adjutant General Russell C. Carlton of the New Mexico National Guard, and George Fitzpatrick, editor of the New Mexico Magazine, left Monday for Washington, D. C., to attend the inaugural of President Roosevelt. Governor Tingley will attend the governor's luncheon on January 21st.

SMITH ON FIVE COMMITTEES

Milton Smith, Eddy county representative in the state legislature, was named on five committees in the appointments. He was named chairman of the oil and gas committee and placed on the following: taxation and revenue, irrigation, drainage and conservancy, game and fish, and appropriation and finances.

McMURRY CHANTERS IN PROGRAM HERE

The McMurry College Chanters, composed of the boys and girls glee clubs of that institution, will appear here in a program of songs at the Methodist church, January 26th, beginning at 7:00 p. m. The program is free and the public is cordially invited to attend.

RESUME CURBING WORK

The laying of curb and gutter has been resumed here with only a few more blocks to be completed. Next week's work is expected to finish the last of the eighty blocks in the original WPA project as advertised.

PROCLAMATION

NOTICE is hereby given that there will be an election at the City Hall, Artesia, New Mexico, Tuesday, February 9th, 1937, for the purpose of electing one trustee for the term of six years to fill the expired term of one trustee of the Municipal School District No. 16, Artesia, Eddy County, New Mexico.

POLLS will be opened at 9:00 o'clock A. M., and closed 6:00 P. M. the same day thereof.

ISSUED this 19th day of January, 1937.

H. G. WATSON, Mayor.

ATTEST: PAUL A. OTTS, City Clerk.

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

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- J. P. Johnson
- Beecher Rowan
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- Ed Kissinger
- Monroe Howard
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- Mrs. S. G. White
- C. E. Coates
- Mrs. Karl Foster

NOTICE! Please do not send money in an envelope for subscriptions—it is liable to be lost—send a money order or check.

Locals

Dr. O. E. Puckett, district health officer, is attending a district health conference in Santa Fe, which convened yesterday and will continue to Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Pearson had as their guests for Sunday dinner Mr. and Mrs. Harold Dunn and Mrs. Pearson's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Durand.

Ruth Hamilton, who has been quite seriously ill for the past several weeks with a lung infection and the flu, is reported improving very nicely at her home.

Miss Esther Morgan of Roswell spent the week-end here visiting with her mother, Mrs. Jessie Morgan, and attended the reciprocity meeting of the P. E. O. while here.

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New Uses Honey Reduces Supply

Many housewives who do not have a supply of honey on hand this winter and who would prefer to buy large cans of it may have to content themselves with honey offered in bottles or in small pails.

Before the middle of December the Bureau of Agricultural Economics reported that the 1936 commercial crop was largely disposed of, and that there was less honey available than ever before at that season of the year.

By mid-December more than three-fourths of the commercial producers of honey were either completely sold out or they had only enough honey on hand to supply the local demand for the remainder of the season.

The demand for honey has been growing rapidly. Use of honey has increased so greatly in new products, especially in the baking field, that supplies have become very light. Wheat bread made with honey, which has been on the market for not more than two years, has been taking millions of pounds of this product. A baker's consulting bureau that furnished one formula for this kind of bread estimated some months ago that six million pounds of honey a year are being used in this formula alone.

One interesting point in the honey situation is the scarcity of comb honey, which is even more scarce than extracted honey. The shortage of comb honey is partly due to the large quantities which have been exported recently to England and Scotland. Another reason is that beekeepers in recent years have been turning increasingly to the production of extracted honey.

Probably not more than a fourth as much comb honey is being marketed now as twenty-five years ago. Several factors have contributed to this. First, beekeepers can produce larger quantities of honey by returning the empty combs to the bees and giving them a chance to fill them again with nectar. Also, because of drought in recent years, it has been difficult to produce comb honey of high quality, especially in the Plains states which formerly sold comb honey in large volume.

Finally, it takes better beekeeping and more effort to produce

Locals

Mr. and Mrs. Le Dean McCrory and Mrs. W. B. McCrory were in Roswell Monday afternoon on business.

J. Will Taylor, Maljamar rancher, was in Artesia Monday. Mr. Taylor is recovering from an attack of the flu.

G. A. Grober returned Saturday from a business visit to Santa Fe, Las Vegas and other north central points of the state.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Coates of Hope left the latter part of last week for a visit with relatives at Fort Worth, Texas.

Work will begin next week on the farm home of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. McCrory on the McCrory farm south of town.

Dr. and Mrs. E. A. Metzger have moved from the Artesia hotel to their new home, the R. W. Dunn residence on Second street.

A six and a half pound daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. John P. Fullilove at the St. Francis hospital in Carlsbad Tuesday.

Two cases of scarlet fever in one local family here were reported Saturday by Dr. O. E. Puckett, district health officer.

Mrs. Gwendolyn Kimball, who is here for a rest cure, has been confined to her bed at her apartment in the hotel under orders of her physician.

W. E. Brack and family have moved to Snyder, Texas. Mr. Brack formerly operated the old Walterscheid farm, two miles southeast of Artesia.

Mrs. Roy Pior of Hobbs is assisting in the office work at the Pior Rubber Co., here for a few days. While Mrs. Pior is here, her son, little Tommy Pior, is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Garrison of Dexter.

good comb honey than it does to produce the extracted product; and the present tendency in beekeeping is to reduce costs to a minimum, especially the time required in beekeeping operations, so that a larger number of colonies can be handled by one person.

Beware of Seed of Unknown Quality

It has been noticed recently that pamphlets or circulars relative to new strains or varieties of grain sorghums have been circulated throughout various areas in the state in an effort to introduce these new crops into New Mexico. It would be well to disregard any information of this type, says Tom Reid of the New Mexico State College, as, in most cases, the varieties or strains have not been definitely proven, and are produced in areas far less adapted to sorghum production than our state. Most of these publications are sent from various parts of the north central states, and as a rule their new crops are not adapted to our conditions.

From time to time through the various United States field stations in New Mexico and other states, new varieties and strains of crops are developed. After being tested the seed is released in co-operators, thus making available foundation seed with known origin. If the farmers are interested in securing information regarding new varieties or strains of grain sorghums for increased plantings, it is suggested that they contact the U. S. Field Station at Tucuman.

New Mexico has been fortunate in the past in that only a small amount of such literature has been distributed, but it is increasing. Therefore, since this state is one of the leading grain sorghum states, it is far better to use the varieties or strains of the various sorghums that have proven themselves and are adapted to our conditions.

To substantiate the fact that New Mexico can produce quality grain sorghum, reference is made to the placings at the International Hay and Grain Show in both 1935 and 1936. In 1935 first place was awarded New Mexico on milo and kafir, while in 1936 first place was given on kafir and second place on milo. This, of course, was in competition with all the other grain sorghum states.

Mrs. E. E. Gillispie and daughter, Mrs. Carroll Ansley, returned the early part of this week from Douglas, Wyoming, where they have been visiting with friends and relatives.

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