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Achievement Day Program By 4-H Club

County-Wide Affair Held in Artesia Saturday—Public Sees Exhibits of Boys and Girls at High School.

All Eddy County 4-H Club projects which were started last spring were brought to a close with an "Achievement Day" program in the auditorium of the Artesia Junior-Senior High School Saturday.

Exhibits, which were placed on display for the public to see in the laboratories of the home economics department, included salads, breads and cookies made by members enrolled in first, second and third year cooking projects.

All 4-H Club girls were dressed in the national 4-H Club uniform dress of green and white. A parade of members, both boys and girls, led by the Artesia High School band, was held down the streets of Artesia just before the program opened in the afternoon.

The program opened with the singing of the state 4-H Club song, composed by Mrs. Ivy Yoast, who is in charge of the publicity department of State College.

A short history of 4-H Club work was given, followed by Lois Howard and Lynn Cobble talking about the county encampment.

The Otis 4-H Club boys and girls, dressed in Spanish costumes, danced "La Varsoviana," a Spanish folk dance. Lois Howard, Lynn Cobble, Helen Parker, Harold Bradshaw and Helen Johnson gave a demonstration on "Correct Etiquette."

Awards in a style revue, in which all members of the sewing club girls modeled their dresses and suits, were as follows: Third year sewing — Lois Howard and Enid Porter, first; Helen Johnson, second; Juanita Cline, third.

Miss Helen Mosier, home economics instructor in Carlsbad High School, and Miss Mary Luther, home economics instructor in Artesia High school, served as judges. Miss Vernita Conley, county home extension agent, was in general charge.

Misses Blanche Fesler and Mattie B. Tidwell gave a demonstration on clothing selection, followed by the "Four-Leaf Clover Song." The Cottonwood 4-H Club girls and Otis 4-H Club boys danced the Virginia reel.

Col. Pistole Finds Tonic in Handclaps

Col. William B. Pistole is at home after about ten months spent at William Beaumont Hospital, Ft. Bliss, El Paso, and is renewing old acquaintances. He feels he is finding the warm handclaps of his friends a worthwhile tonic and expects to return to the hospital for further treatment greatly improved at the end of three weeks at home.

He was brought to Artesia Saturday by Mrs. Pistole and her grandson, Bob, who drove to Ft. Bliss for him.

Col. Pistole, author of "Kernels from an Old Nut," weekly column in The Advocate, said he did not feel up to writing last week. It is hoped the home influence and the fellowship of his old friends will prompt him to write one of his splendid articles for next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben F. Pior are among the thousands in Los Angeles this week for the twentieth annual national convention of the American Legion and American Legion Auxiliary. They left the latter part of last week.

FOOTBALL SCHEDULE OF BULLDOGS

The complete schedule of Artesia High School for the 1938 season is given below, along with scores of games last season wherever the two schools were matched.

Friday, Sept. 23, 2:30 p. m., Artesia at Ft. Sumner; Artesia 45, Ft. Sumner 0.

Friday, Sept. 30, open date.

Friday, Oct. 7, 8 p. m., New Mexico Military Institute of Roswell here; Artesia 25, Institute 6.

Wednesday, Oct. 12, Artesia (second team) at Hagerman (first team) at Hagerman.

Saturday, Oct. 15, Artesia at Tularosa.

Friday, Oct. 21, Artesia at Jal; Jal 12, Artesia 6.

Thursday, Oct. 27, 8 p. m., Hagerman (first team) at Artesia (second team).

Friday, Nov. 4, Artesia at Lovington; Lovington 7, Artesia (second team) 6.

Friday, Nov. 11, Armistice Day, 8 p. m., Portales here; Portales 42, Artesia 0.

Friday, Nov. 18, Tatum here; Artesia 26, Tatum 6.

Thursday, Nov. 24, Thanksgiving Day, Artesia 3, Carlsbad 0.

Improvements in Artesia Include A Store Building

Building in Artesia is continuing and permits for a number of improvements have been issued the last month. They include a business structure and some residences, as well as lesser improvements.

The business building is being constructed on West Main Street west of the Simon Food Store by Walter Douglas, to which he will move his grocery and meat market upon its completion about Nov. 1. It is a 25x60-foot reinforced concrete building, having a 25x40-foot basement seven feet deep.

Dwellings under construction or on which work is to begin soon under city permits include the following: Glenn Booker, adobe, Spanish style residence at 608 West Quay, on which work began last week.

George Frisch, residence at 610 South Roselawn, nearing completion, to be occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Hastings.

Bill Bullock, frame house at 509 Missouri, on which work just has begun.

Guy Roberts, 400 block Texas, residence, to begin work soon.

A permit also was issued to Mrs. Hattie E. Paton to stucco the residence at 901 Dallas which she recently purchased.

Extension Meeting On Education To Be Held on Friday

Final Organization for Flying Professors at 5 in Carlsbad

Dr. J. T. Reid, director of extension at the University of New Mexico will visit Carlsbad today to conduct a final organization meeting in connection with the program of extension by airplane, to be offered in Southeastern New Mexico this fall.

The meeting, to which the public is invited, will be at 5 o'clock Friday afternoon in the high school auditorium.

The program as outlined, calls for a course offered either for credit or non-credit one evening each week in Carlsbad, and for a series of lecture-discussions to be held probably bi-weekly. Four centers in Southeastern New Mexico have been selected to profit by the service this fall.

Student Flyer Is Killed at Roswell Port

Second Lieutenant Robert P. Lesser, a student officer in the Army Air Corps at Kelly Field, San Antonio, Tex., was killed when his plane crashed as he was attempting to land at Roswell last Thursday afternoon.

Lesser, a West Point Military Academy graduate, died en route to a hospital. He was one of a group of student fliers making a final flight before next month's graduation.

Lieut. B. J. Webster, the flight commanding officer, said he did not know the cause of the accident. One witness said the plane was approaching the field when it "turned around a couple of times and crashed on its nose." The ship was demolished.

The fourteen other student fliers and two officers' ships resumed their flight to El Paso later. Lieut. Webster and another officer remained in Roswell, where an inquest was held the same day.

Eddy Busses Are Operated Below the Average for State

Average cost of transportation of each pupil in Eddy County to school last year was \$35.29 while the state average was \$39.42, figures just compiled reveal.

The cost per mile for each Eddy County bus during the year was 16.87 cents compared to the state average of 13.27 cents, while cost per mile for each pupil for Eddy County was 5.4 cents compared to the state average of 6.2 cents.

The total budget set aside for last year's transportation was \$601,133 and actual expense of the year's transportation was \$633,710.36.

During the year Eddy County busses traveled a total of 161,910 miles while the state average was 4,999,140 miles.

The average route in this county is eighteen miles, while the average state route is listed as 17.16 miles, it was revealed.

Of the 791 busses operating in the state last year, 25 were in Eddy County.

Egotism is just a realization of how good you are. "Swell head" is a realization that you are even better than you are.

Two More Units Of Boy Scouts Being Planned

Two more units in Artesia immediately is the goal of the Boy Scouts, as planned at a meeting at the office of W. S. Gilbert here Friday morning of local scouters and C. K. Eisler of Hobbs, field executive of the Eastern New Mexico area, serving districts 3, 8 and 9, of which Artesia is the center of district 8.

The scouters are especially interested at this time in work among the older boys and Spanish-American boys and it is hoped to organize units of these groups at once.

Troop organization is in line with the expansion program being staged over the entire area.

Although the immediate objective as outlined at the meeting is set up for the two types of group named, Mr. Eisler said other units being considered are a cub pack for boys 9 to 12 years old, a new Scout troop for boys 12 years old and older, or a senior unit for boys more than 15 years old, with specialized activity beyond the regular Scout program.

Besides Mr. Eisler and Mr. Gilbert, the scouters present were M. G. Schulze, E. B. Bullock and Frank Smith.

GINNERS LEARN ABOUT THE NEW COTTON ACT

The Eddy County farm extension agent, Fred Barham, discussed the Smith-Doxey Act, regulating cotton grading, with cotton ginner of the northern part of Eddy County at a meeting Tuesday afternoon in Artesia at the Chamber of Commerce rooms. A similar meeting was held in Carlsbad that morning.

The new act, designed to promote the raising of cotton in more uniform staple, provides government sampling of cotton in areas of one grade of lint.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Basil returned Friday from San Angelo, Tex., where they spent the summer. They are living in their trailer.

Bulldogs Open Season at Fort Sumner Friday

Greeno Hopes Game Will Point Out Probable Line-Up for First Home Clash Against NMMI Oct. 7.

The Bulldogs of Artesia High School will experience their first season under fire for the 1938 season Friday afternoon, when they invade Ft. Sumner for the initial football game of the season.

Although Artesia beat Ft. Sumner last season 45 to 0, Coach Joe Greeno said the local lads will have to put forth their best to win, for the up-state school has a much better team than in 1937.

The coach said he may use 25 or 26 men against Ft. Sumner, and by that method will get a better line-up on them than he has had previously. He can tell more about the men under competitive conditions than in practice, he said.

Coach Greeno hopes tomorrow to be able to spot the first string line-up for the initial home game, which will be Friday, Oct. 7, against the Colts of New Mexico Military Institute, Roswell.

There are eight lettermen in the probable line-up for tomorrow's game, Coach Greeno said. He is starting the season with a light line, but hard-charging. There are three new men who have been showing up well in the line, H. Crockett, Juarez and Burgess, he said.

The coach is finding Archie Pior, utility halfback, probably the fastest man on the team. However, the whole backfield looks but it is the duty of all the people to obey them, he said.

Antelope Permits Are Issued to 430 Sportsmen Monday

Drawing Eliminates 120 Hunters from Among 550 Who Made Application

Total of 120 New Mexico big game hunters are going to be disappointed this year because they will be unable to get a permit to hunt buck antelope. Just how many of the 120 hunters who will be denied these permits are Artesians and Eddy County men, could not be learned.

Four hundred thirty New Mexico hunters were placed on the approved permit list Monday by the state game garden following a drawing of applications. A total of 550 applications were made for the hunting of antelope and only 430 permits were issued, with the result that it was necessary to reject 120 applications.

The open season on buck antelope in this area will be for four days, beginning Sept. 29. What is known as the Roswell area includes the Flying H ranch, the Mossman range, the Louis Mennicke ranch, and the J. P. White, Jr., ranch east of Roswell.

All sportsmen who have been granted the antelope permits are to be notified immediately, it was announced, and those who have not been granted the permits will be (continued on last page, column 6)

OIL MEN ARE TO DISCUSS PROBLEMS

A meeting of oil producers, pipeline men and purchasers will be held at 7:30 o'clock Wednesday evening at the Artesia Hotel, with a view of getting things running more smoothly in the oil industry in Eddy County.

It is alleged allowables are being juggled and improperly handled in this area and operators believe the meeting will tend to create a better understanding among men in the different divisions of the oil industry.

The meeting next week will probably be followed by regular monthly conferences at which operating and marketing problems of common interest will be discussed.

CCC Increases Output of Work In Southwest

Every CCC camp in the Southwest has been brought up to full strength of 200 men. Authorized strength was held to 165 men during the last two years because the corps was divided into a larger number of camps. When Congress extended the life of the CCC this year, until 1940, and set the total strength at 300,000, the number of camps was stabilized at 1,500. This allows 200 men to a camp.

"It was good news to the Forest Service and the other federal agencies using CCC Camps," said Edward P. Ancona, CCC administrative officer for the Forest Service in New Mexico and Arizona. "The 20 per cent increase in man-power means we can get 20 per cent more work done by the camps."

The nineteen CCC camps in charge of the Forest Service in New Mexico and Arizona were brought up to full strength of 3,800 men during July. As a result, the camps not only used their entire quota of New Mexico and Arizona youths, but had room for an additional number from Eastern states.

Minority Can Run Things, Watson Says At Rotary Meeting

The lack of interest of the average citizen in public matters was pointed out Tuesday noon at the regular weekly meeting of the Artesia Rotary Club by Neil B. Watson, city attorney, who spoke on "Good Government and the Individual Citizen."

Government is designed to be "of, for and by the people," Mr. Watson said, but the majority do not take part. Officials are elected frequently by a minority, and the officials so elected make laws, but it is the duty of all the people to obey them, he said.

Mr. Watson cited two special elections in Artesia recently, one called by the council seeking permission to sell the Sipple building and one called by the Board of Education for a bond issue. Both affected the taxpayers of Artesia, but in the first case there was a total vote of 144 and in the second, a vote of 107, which, Mr. Watson declared, did not reflect the wishes of all the people, but of the few who troubled themselves to vote.

Hagerman Plans For Big Fair on Sept. 30, Oct. 1

The Hagerman community is planning for the largest fall fair there in its history Friday and Saturday, Sept. 30 and Oct. 1. Plans are being pushed for the event, the principal features of which will be staged in the school gymnasium.

The premium list has been increased over that of last year and many attractive entries have been made in each division.

Every effort has been made to list all known products of this part of the Pecos Valley. In addition to the regular list of premiums offered in the agricultural division, an additional grand prize has been announced by John Garner, president of the fair, for certain farm products.

Livestock judging will be the second day of the fair, and officials announce stock to be shown must not be taken there prior to that morning. A number of 4-H Club boys and girls are expected to exhibit in this class.

An outstanding feature of the event will be a football game at the new field in Hagerman. There also will be baseball, races and other sports attractive to youths.

The Artesia and Roswell High School bands have been invited and each is expected to attend the fair one day.

TAX COLLECTIONS ARE GOOD IN EDDY COUNTY

In the collection of taxes in New Mexico for 1937, Eddy County was second, with a percentage of 93.71. Grant County, with a collection of 95.99 per cent, was first.

Other counties collecting more than 90 per cent were, by percentage: Hidalgo 93.01; Chaves 92.94; Lea 91.34; Luna 91.09, and Colfax 91.02. McKinley County collected 89.80 per cent. Counties collecting less than 70 per cent of their taxes include: Sandoval 68.91; Rio Arriba 60.99; Valencia 60.61; Socorro 57.79, and Taos 46.19.

Mr. and Mrs. George Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Jones spent Tuesday in Roswell.

IS ALREADY CONSCIOUS OF CHRISTMAS

Artesia is becoming Christmas conscious already, as business men have started to discuss the customary decorations for the city.

Or perhaps "customary decorations" is the wrong term, for a movement is afoot to enlarge on those used last year.

No definite steps have been taken, but it is learned plans are going ahead quietly for at least one group display representing a scene from the original Christmas Eve.

Christmas decorations will probably be put up a little earlier this year than heretofore, either on Thanksgiving Day, with the finishing touches completed in time for lighting the Saturday evening following, or else to be done so as to be lighted Thanksgiving night.

In many of the larger cities in recent years, Thanksgiving has come to be the signal for Christmas lighting and decorations, as well as Christmas displays in the stores.

Republicans Will Enter Full Slate For Fall Election

Will Be Named Here Today—Dunnam Is Made County Chairman

Eddy County Republicans meeting at the office in Artesia of William Dooley at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon will enter a full slate in the November general election, it was decided Friday afternoon by a 2-to-1 vote at the county convention in Carlsbad.

The county central committee, following the convention, set the nominating meeting for today. W. A. Dunnam of Carlsbad was elected county chairman.

E. A. Hannah of Artesia was chosen convention chairman and Mrs. J. U. Falke of Carlsbad served as secretary. Mr. Hannah also was elected chairman of Precinct 6, Artesia.

The keynote address was delivered by J. S. McCall, Carlsbad attorney, who declared it was up to the Republican party to save the state and nation from ruin.

Fifty-six delegates to the state convention at Albuquerque next Monday were named, each to have half a vote. They are: Artesia—E. A. Hannah, William Dooley, E. N. Bigler, Juan Montoya, O. M. Trotter, Sefrino Gillespie, M. E. Baish, Charles Morgan, Van Welch, C. J. Dexter, Neil Watson, A. B. Hanks, Rufus Wallingford, R. A. Shugart, Mrs. Frank Linell and Milton Kelley (colored).

Carlsbad—W. F. McIlvain, R. L. Halley, Cecil Lane, W. A. Dunnam, Adolph Heinz, J. S. McCall, Caswell Neal, Robert Hughes, A. W. Dallman, Dewey Gann, Dan Harroum, Mrs. George Fredrick, Court Knight, Mrs. S. J. Henley, Arthur Pae, Jerd Wooten, J. U. Falke, Virgil Tucker, Mrs. George O'Connor, O. H. Anderson, Oscar Dowling, Mrs. Nell Haupt, Mrs. E. H. Hemenway, Mrs. J. U. Falke.

Loving—Fred Nymeyer, Mahan Wyman. Malaga—J. L. Williams, Alvin Harroum, O. L. Wood, C. L. White, Richard Judkins. Cottonwood—A. D. Hill, Oscar Pearson, I. S. Reser, Ralph Hershey.

Hope—J. C. Whisenant, Mrs. J. C. Whisenant, Les Glasscock, J. R. Saddler.

Charles Nelson Dies Wednesday

Charles W. Nelson, a native of Eddy County, died at 5 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the D. E. Webb residence in Artesia.

Funeral services and burial are to be this afternoon at Lakewood Cemetery.

Mr. Nelson, a son of Mr. and Mrs. William T. Nelson, was born March 2, 1882, on Seven Rivers.

Ten New Wells Are Producing; Wildcat Is Dry

Only Five Locations Are Made in Southeastern New Mexico Oil Fields the Last Week—One in Eddy County.

Eleven oil wells were completed in the Southeastern New Mexico fields the last week, of which only one, a wildcat, bailed dry. The others are all producing. Only five new locations were made, four in Lea County and one in Eddy County.

The completed wildcat, Tidewater, State 1-L, NW sec. 23-12-36, in Northeast Lea County, had a total depth of 5,294 feet. Plugged back to 3,240 feet, it was shot with 30 quarts of nitro from 3,210 to 3,230 feet. Having bailed dry after the shot, it is now being plugged to abandon.

The other completions were as follows: Great Western Producers, Leonard 1, NE sec. 32-23-37, total depth 3,615 feet; flowed 40 barrels oil a day.

Humble, Fopeano 6, NE sec. 35-20-36; total depth 3,850 feet; flowed 39 barrels a day.

Shell, State 1-G, SE sec. 22-17-34; total depth 4,765 feet; flowed 91 barrels oil a day through choke on tubing.

Shell, State 4-H, SE sec. 13-21-35; total depth 3,907 feet; flowed 155 barrels in 11 hours.

Shell, Swigart 1, SE sec. 25-17-34; total depth 4,700 feet; flowed 148 barrels in 6 hours.

Southern Petroleum Exploration Co., Downes 4, SW sec. 32-21-37; total depth 3,780 feet; flowed 97 barrels in 14 hours.

Texas, Lien Lands 15, NE sec. 20-20-37; total depth 3,850 feet; flowed 211 barrels a day.

Texas, State 1-S, SW sec. 35-17-34; total depth 4,675 feet; flowed 10 barrels oil per hour.

Twin Oil, Corrigan 2, NE sec. 4-22-37; total depth 3,743; flowed 120 barrels in 4 hours through choke on tubing.

Two States Oil Co., Hill 2-A, SW sec. 31-20-38; total depth 3,785 feet; flowed 10 barrels oil per day through choke on tubing.

In Eddy County, New Mexico Eastern Gas Co., Stephens 2, NE sec. 20-17-28, was located.

Lea County locations: Stanolind of Texas, State 1, NW sec. 27-17-35; Twin Oil Co., Hare 2, SW sec. 33-21-27; Shell, State 1-N, SE sec. 24-21-35; Shell, State 4-A, NE sec. 31-17-35.

Progress among wildcats of interest was as follows: Eddy County G. E. Quillin—Carper Drilling Co., McFaddin 1, NE sec. 3-19-31, Sand area Eddy County. Total depth 2,745 feet; oil sand from 2,675 to 2,700 feet; approximately 1,800 feet oil in hole; shut down to test.

Barney Cockburn, State 1, NE sec. 16-18-31. Drilling at 2,800 feet. Dominion Oil Co., Johnson 2, NE sec. 35-16-31. Total depth 3,932 feet; will probably deepen.

Fullerton Oil Co., Johnson 1-A, NW sec. 35-16-31. Total depth 3,871; cleaning out after shot.

Fullerton, Little 1, NE sec. 28-18-31. Drilling at 3,390 feet.

(continued on last page, column 2) Photo Studio Here Changes Management

Managership of the Rodden Studio, operated since last fall by Lawell Van Antwerp, has been taken by Miss Mary Adair, who came to Artesia from Floydada, Tex. The name has been changed to "The Elite Studio."

Miss Adair took charge last Thursday and Mr. Van Antwerp and family left Monday for Oklahoma City to make their home.

The old photographic negatives, filed alphabetically, have been retained under the new managership.

CLOWE SPEAKS TODAY AT ROSWELL ROTARY

D. I. Clowe of Artesia is the principal speaker this noon at the weekly meeting of the Roswell Rotary Club, delivering his noted address, "We Live in America."

The talk was prepared for a district meeting of Rotary at Mountaintain a few weeks ago and has been reproduced in several publications, including The Advocate.

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Chaw some sand and git some grit;
Don't sit in the dumps a-growlin',
Smile a few an' boost a bit.
Fall in while the band's a-playin'.
Ketch the step and march along;
'Stead o' the pessimistic brayin'
Jine the hallelujah song;
Drop your hammer—do some rootin',
Grab a horn, you cuss, an' split
Every echo with your tootin',
Smile a few an' boost a bit.—Anonymous.

GOOD TIME TO SEE AMERICA

American travelers in Europe have been asked to return to the United States. Timely, at the least.

The thing which strikes us most is that the average traveler who goes abroad is seeking "culture" of the Old World. We are not entirely uncultured, we hope, but we have never been able to understand just what one might hope to gain in that line by a casual trip abroad.

The wonders of the world interest most travelers, after they get to foreign soil, at least that is the way we found it, rather than things cultural. Of course, we all utter "Ohs" and "Ahs" when we see beautiful cathedrals, hear a Strauss waltz played by artists or are shown beautiful pictures.

But for us the "Ohs" and "Ahs" emitted by ourselves as well as others who visit the Carlsbad Caverns mean more than all the rest. "See America First!" That slogan has been tossed around for years, but now, with the world in a turmoil, is a splendid time to think more about it.

New Mexico has enough wonders to occupy anyone for several weeks. Then there are the other wonders of the Great Southwest, the beauties of the Rocky Mountains, the splendors of the North woods, the scenery of the Eastern mountains and New England, not to mention two world fairs coming up next year, one in Frisco and one in New York.

So why not see America first, especially New Mexico?

LEAVE 'EM BURIED

Personally we don't care a hang about what they do with us when we are dead, but there are many persons who would shudder to think that their earthly remains might someday be disturbed.

But that is just what archeologists do right along at their workaday jobs, dig up the skeletons of long-departed persons, even to royalty.

It may be well to know what made the world click hundreds and thousands of years ago, which is what the archeologists are attempting to determine, but it might be better to consider the future, which seems to hold in store some mighty frightful experiences for our descendants, provided "civilization" continues long enough to have some.

From the way things look, archeologists thousands of years hence, provided the human race still exists, will have plenty of bones to dig up which were planted in the year 1938, from battlefield burial grounds.

Why not leave the graves of the Indians alone and look to the future?

ALBUQUERQUE RAG TAKES THE COOKIES

Some of the more polite newspapers recommend to their readers that they "Please turn to page 5," when a news story is broken over to another page.

But the Health City Sun, Albuquerque, takes the cookies for originality.

A front page story interested us, so we started to read it. At the bottom of the column we ran into: "Try page 3—it should be there." So we did and sure enough it was there, with this heading it off: "We started this on page 1."

So we looked further. We found these lines at the bottom of other page 1 stories: "Look on page 3—sorry" and "Hold your temper—try page 4."

Once again we investigated. Here's what we found: "A hang-over from page 1" and "Yep—here it is from page 1."

NEW GAME HAS ADVANTAGES

Six-man football, which has become quite popular the last year, is to be played at Alamogordo this fall. It is a great game, which incorporates all of the principal rules of eleven-man football, but uses only six players.

It has many advantages over the old game for intramural games. Eleven-man football probably will survive for an indefinite period for inter-school games, but within an institution it allows more to enjoy this healthful game, where larger teams would not be possible because of a limited number of students and potential players.

From the standpoint of the coach, it is a great game, for it helps develop players for the more orthodox game.

We're for it in Artesia.

THE FIRE SIREN

Everybody likes to follow the fire truck, which is all right as long as they follow it. The statutes of this city say that a person must follow the fire truck not closer than one block and that they must park their cars at least a block away from the scene of the fire. When the department strings a hose vehicles are prohibited from running over it. These are a few of the regulations that are drawn up to aid the fire fighters. Their observance is necessary to the safety and aid of the fire department.—Portales Tribune.

CHURCHES

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH Fourth at Grand

Sunday
9:45 a. m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a. m.—Morning worship
6:30 P. M.—Christian Endeavor
7:30 p. m.—Evening worship.
Wednesday
4:00 p. m.—Junior choir and K. Y. B.
7:00 p. m.—Adult choir practice
Henry S. Stout, Pastor.

CHURCH OF CHRIST Seventh and Grand

Wednesday
3 p. m., ladies Bible class; pres-ent study, "Women of the Bible."
8 p. m., mid-week service; song practice and sermon.

Sunday
10 a. m., Bible classes for all ages.
11 a. m., sermon by the local minister.
11:50 a. m., Lord's supper.
8 p. m., sermon by the local minister.

We welcome everyone at all of these services.

Allen E. Johnson, Minister

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Corner Grand and Roselawn

9:45 a. m., Bible school.
10:50 a. m., morning worship.
7 p. m., Baptist training service.
8 p. m., evening service.
Wednesday, 8 p. m., teachers' meeting, Bible study and prayer service.

Thursday, 2:30 p. m., W. M. S. Third Thursday in each month.
8 p. m., Brotherhood meeting.
S. M. Morgan, Pastor

ST. ANTHONY CATHOLIC CHURCH 504 North Ninth Street

Priest in charge, Rev. Raymond Oosdyke, O. M. C.

Time of Sunday Masses:
7 a. m. for American speaking people.
9 a. m. for Spanish-American people.

Instructions
Saturday, 10 a. m., for the school children.
Saturday, 2:30 p. m., for the Daughters of Mary.

Saturday, 3 p. m., for Converts. Confessions are heard Saturday at 7:30 p. m. and Sundays before the Masses.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE Fifth and Quay

Rev. E. L. Askins, Pastor, 708 West Missouri Street.
B. G. Sanders, Sunday school superintendent.
Mrs. E. A. Paton, W. F. M. S. president.

Miss Berthold Alcorn, N. Y. P. S. president.
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
Sermon, 11 a. m.
Junior and N. Y. P. S., 7 p. m.
Choir practice every Tuesday at 7:30 p. m. Miss Berthold Alcorn, choir director.

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"Reality" is the subject of the lesson-sermon which will be read in all societies and churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, Sept. 25.

The Golden Text is: "Thy throne, O God, is for ever and ever: the sceptre of thy kingdom is a right sceptre."—(Psalms 45:6.)

Among the citations which comprise the lesson-sermon is the following from the Bible: "The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom: and the knowledge of the body is understanding."—(Prov. 9:10.)

The lesson-sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook: "The one Mind, God, contains no mortal opinions. All that is real is included in this immortal Mind."

Letter Supposed to Have Been Written by the Christ Himself

The following letter, said to have been written by Jesus Christ, appeared in The Vandalia Leader at Vandalia, Mo., and is being reprinted by special request.

The original letter, said to have been written by Jesus Christ, was found in the early days of Christianity by a child. There is promise that whoever may have a copy of this letter in his possession will prosper and be followed by good fortune, if he publishes it, but if he does not heed the command, bad luck will follow him until it is made public.

From the hands of the child who found it, the letter is said to have passed into the hands of a convert of the Christian faith.

For some reason this convert failed to have the letter published. He kept it, however, as a sacred memento of Christ and is passed on to his oldest son, and on down through many generations, but was never published.

The tradition is that when it finally was published it had been in one family for more than 1,000 years. During all this period of time, the story goes, the family suffered repeated and continuous misfortune. Discouraged, members of the family migrated to countries other than where the letter was found, evidently Palestine, and finally one of them came to America, bringing the fatal letter with him.

The family having possession of it settled in Virginia, still keeping the fact of the letter a secret. Descendants of the family moved farther south, still followed by misfortune. Finally as the last member of the family lay on her death bed she called a neighbor woman named Thompson and gave the letter to her, relating its history.

The Thompson woman's attempts to have it published were rewarded when it appeared in the Rome (Ga.) Tribune, Oct. 31, 1891. From there it was printed in the Dalton (Ga.) Citizen, and Miss Fannie Mortman of Marion, Ind., clipped it from the paper, keeping it in her possession for many years.

Recently Miss Mortman had it republished in a Marion paper, stating that during the time she had retained the letter in her possession without having it published or attempting to she had a species of bad luck which she attributed to her failure to secure publicity for the letter.

"It is my prayer that this be published," The Advocate's contributor said.

Here Is the Letter
"Whosoever worketh on the Sabbath day shall be cursed. I command you to go to church and keep holy the Lord's Day without any manner of work.

"You shall not idle or misspend your time in bedecking yourselves in superfluities of costly apparel and vain dressing, for I have ordered it a day of rest.

"I will have that day kept holy that your sins may be forgiven you.

"You will not break my commandments, but observe and keep them, they being written by my hand and spoken from my mouth.

"You will not only go to church yourselves, but also your man-servant and maid-servant. Observe

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my words and learn my commandments.

"You shall finish your work every Saturday at 6 o'clock in the afternoon at which hour the preparations for the Sabbath begins.

"I advise you to fast five Fridays in the year, beginning with Good Friday and continuing the Fridays following in remembrance of the five blood wounds He received for you and mankind.

"You shall love one another and cause them that are not baptised to come to the church and receive the holy sacrament, that is to say baptism, and then the supper of the Lord and be made a member thereof and in so doing I will give you long life and many blessings.

"Your land shall be replenished and bring forth abundance and I will comfort you in the greatest temptations, and surely he that doeth to the contrary shall be cursed.

"I will also send hardness of heart on them, and especially on the hardened and unpenitent unbelievers.

"He that hath give to the poor shall find it profitable.

"Sabbath Day injunction: Remember to keep holy the Sabbath Day for the seventh day I have taken as a resting day myself.

"And he that hath a copy of this letter from my own mouth and keepeth it to himself shall not prosper but he that publisheth it to others shall be blessed by me, and if their sins be as many as the stars at night, and if they truly believe that they shall be pardoned and they that believe not this writing and my commandments will have my plague upon you and you will be consumed with your children, goods, cattle and all worldly enjoyments that I have given you.

"Do but once think of what I have suffered for you, if you do it will be well for you in this world and in the world to come.

"Whosoever shall have a copy of this letter and keep it in their possession, nothing shall hurt them, neither pestilence, lightning nor thunder, and if any woman be in birth and put her trust in Me, she shall be delivered the child.

"You shall have no more news of Me except through the Holy Scripture until the day of judgment.

"All goodness and prosperity shall be in the house where a copy of this letter shall be found."

Paul Terry, who lives south of Artesia has the honor of bringing in the first bale of cotton ginned this season. The business man made up a purse of \$70 for the first bale of cotton, which was brought in on the 17th.

At a recent meeting of the board of directors of the Citizens State Bank of Artesia, C. E. Mann was elected as cashier to succeed A. C. Keinath.

First celebration of the New Alfalfa Festival and Cotton Carnival is successful and has prospects of becoming an annual feature of the city's progress.

Artesians will be glad to know that after an absence of almost four years, Jeff Hightower and family are coming home. Mr. Hightower has been connected with a hardware store in Clovis and we understand he has bought an interest in the Brainard-Corbin Hardware Company here.

Mrs. W. E. Ragsdale has returned from Roswell and will give piano and violin instruction.

Mrs. Mary Dayton Reser and Miss Virginia Atteberry entertained Monday night honoring Miss Zaida Mann, who leaves next Monday for Baylor University.

New York City, Sept. 17—In one of the most active and excited markets of the year, cotton prices were lifted from 150 to 152 points today, equivalent to about \$7.70 per bale.

Typewriters for Rent—The Advocate.

Plan to Have Eggs When Prices Soar

Farm Records Prove Flocks Producing in Winter Make Greatest Profit

Farm records prove that those flocks producing the most winter eggs made the greatest profits, therefore it pays the poultryman to plan and prepare for high winter egg production, says E. E. Anderson of New Mexico State College.

Pullets must be depended upon to produce most of the fall and winter eggs, as most old hens go through a molt and stop laying when egg prices are highest.

Proper management in the spring and summer should have provided pullets from high producing strains, hatched at the right time to come into production in the early fall, with good feed and care to make them thrifty and healthy.

There are several fall practices which, if followed, will increase the possibility of securing a continuous supply of eggs when prices are high.

Pullets should be put into a clean laying house in the fall before cold weather and before they begin to lay. If this is delayed too long, a much lower egg production may result. By thoroughly cleaning the laying house and yards before the pullets are placed in them, the spread of diseases and parasites from the old hens to the pullets may be eliminated.

There is not much use in keeping the pullets clean and healthy during the summer if they are to be put in an unclean house for the laying season.

A few days before the pullets are to be put in the laying house, they should be caught, culled and examined for lice and worms. The sickly appearing, the runty, the underdeveloped, and those lacking in their breed characteristics should be culled out. Pullets that have lice should be treated then, for if the lice are allowed to remain on the birds, it will necessitate later handling, which will interfere with egg production.

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It's Not Saved Until It's Safe

By T. C. RICHARDSON, Secretary
Breeder-Feeder Association

Work piles up during cotton picking time and the inclination is to let other things go until the staple is safely ginned. It is impossible to plant all feed crops so that they mature and may be harvested at their best either before or after cotton picking time, and the best that can be done is to hire extra labor or else let some crops deteriorate in the field.

There is a great deal of difference in the feeding value of all hay and forage crops, depending on whether they are cut and cured at their best, or allowed to become over-ripe and woody. Weather damage in the shock is also much greater than in the stack or in the barn, and it is like throwing away part of the crop after it is made to let it stand too long, either before or after harvesting. In the case of grain sorghums birds often destroy more than enough to pay the cost of getting it into stack or barn.

Haying and curing dry bundle feed cannot be done in rainy weather, especially if it is warm enough to encourage mildew, but moisture helps rather than hinders the making of ensilage so long as the ground is not too muddy to permit harvesting. Troy Fenner, an Erath County farmer, last year got caught with a crop of forage ready for harvest, and saved it in fine shape by using an abandoned cistern as a silo. His cows doubled their milk production when he began feeding the ensilage and this year he had a large trench silo ready to fill when the crop was ready.

It has cost a good deal of labor and several months time to produce the fine feed crop that the Southwest has this year, but it is not saved until it is safe—in the mow, the stack or the silo. It is worth making an extra effort to see that none of it is wasted by standing in the field too long. Every bushel of grain and every ton of forage is potentially a few pounds of meat, milk or other livestock product, and every pound of these products is equivalent to money in the purse.

Government crop estimates indicate the largest corn and grain sorghum crop the Southwest has ever had, and the same may be said of hay, for the season has been unusually favorable in most sections, promising later cuttings than normal. Corn 182,937,000 bushels; grain sorghums 86,086,000 bushels; hay (except alfalfa) 4,385,000 tons; alfalfa, 1,124,000 tons. Let's save it all in this fat year—next year may be a lean one.

There is still time to sow winter cover crops for grazing, to help protect the soil from washing by winter rains, and to harvest next spring or turn under for soil-improvement. There is a wide choice of crops for the purpose, including wheat, oats, rye, vetch, bur clover Italian rye grass, rescue and winter peas, and there is not a farm in the Southwest that cannot benefit by using one or the other. All livestock and poultry need green feed in winter, no matter how much dry feed they have.

Most of these crops like a firm seed bed and can therefore be drilled in clean cotton ground without other preparation. If a drill is not available it will require more seed to insure a stand, but any implement that will cover the

seed properly will serve the purpose.

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WARRANTY DEEDS—

J. S. Ward, et ux to Hattie E. Paton, \$10, lot 1, blk. 47, Artesia Imp. Co. Add., Artesia.

Frank E. Miller to George Westfall, \$150, lot 5, blk. 4, Roselawn Add., Artesia.

Virgil B. Stewart to W. A. Wilson, \$1,600, S½ lots 2-4, blk. 5, Green's Highland, Carlsbad.

Eugene Coats to Ella Coats, \$1, lot 8, blk. 2, Orig. Carlsbad.

E. Barker to Ray Hatcher, \$10, S 1/3 lots 8-10, blk. 7, Gibson's Add., Carlsbad.

Alfredo Lopez to Angel Lares, \$40, 100x40 ft., blk. 31, Fairview Add., Artesia.

J. T. Woodward, et ux to W. Leo Merrel, \$300, E½ lots 2-4, blk. 164, Woodard's Add., Carlsbad.

B. H. McFadden to R. W. Dunn, \$500, W½W½NE¼NE¼ 20-17-26.

QUIT CLAIM DEEDS—
C. P. Pardue, et ux to Walter Craft, \$1, lots 4 and 6, blk. 12, Malaga.

MINERAL DEEDS—
W. E. Farmer, et ux to Annie Henderson, E½NW¼ and W½NE¼ 4-18-25, \$10.

TAX DEEDS—
State Tax Commission to Marie H. Merrick, \$4.22, SE¼SE¼SW¼ 12-23-26.

State Tax Commission to J. W. Dingler, \$50, lot 7, blk. 57, Artesia Improvement Co. Add., Artesia.

DISTRICT COURT—
No. 6788. Ray Bartlett vs. Roy S. Lowe, et al. Foreclosure. \$1,173.75, 70 acres of E½NW¼ 13-17-25.

Cottonwood Boys Are Injured When Their Horses Fight

Two Cottonwood boys underwent an unusual experience Saturday afternoon and each was injured, when horses they were riding began fighting and threw them. Raymond Pearson, 6-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Pearson, and J. K. Funk, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kersey Funk, 4 years old, not only know what it is to be tossed from the hurricane deck of a horse, but they realize that horses can scarp too.

The Funk boy nearly lost his big toe in the melee, when one of the mounts stepped on it. His playmate, J. K. Funk, sustained a painful cut below one of his knees. The wound had to be sewed together.

Bears are plentiful in the Jemez Mountains this year, says A. J. Connell, head of Los Alamos ranch school near Santa Fe. Connell said the bears are friendly enough and at times like to frolic near the Los Alamos buildings. Increased numbers of the animals was attributed by Connell to the trapping ban which has been in effect for several years.

Paul Bugg returned Saturday from Clovis, where he spent about two weeks on business.

Wool Situation Is Improved, Report Of Bureau Shows

Mill Activity Has Increased and
Prices Are Somewhat
Higher

The domestic wool situation has improved in recent months, the United States Department of Agriculture reports. Mill activity has increased and prices of wool are somewhat higher than in early summer. Domestic prices may strengthen more before the end of 1938, but no marked rise appears likely until the foreign wool situation is improved. Wool manufacturing activity has increased in some European countries in recent months, but Japanese buying remains greatly curtailed.

Total supplies of Southern Hemisphere wool for the current season may be slightly larger than in 1937-38. On the basis of returns from three important countries, the quality available is likely to be about the same as the average for the five seasons 1932-33 to 1936-37. The larger supplies this season, compared with last, are the result of a considerably larger carry-over, since combined production in the three countries is estimated to be slightly smaller than last season.

The weekly rate of consumption of apparel wool by United States mills in July was the highest reported since last August and was 11 per cent more than in July last year. But because of the small consumption in the early months of 1938, total for the first seven months of the year was more than 40 per cent smaller than a year earlier and 20 per cent less than the average consumption for those months in the five years, 1932-36.

Unfilled orders for wool piece goods increased in the second quarter of this year. With stocks of finished and semi-finished goods relatively small, and with prospects for some improvement in the general business situation, it is expected that mill consumption will increase further during the remainder of 1938.

United States imports of apparel wool for consumption from January to July of this year were 11.5 million pounds compared with 12.6 million pounds imported in those months last year and an average of about 29 million pounds for the 5 years 1932-36.

Supplies of raw wool in the United States on Aug. 1 were much larger than at the corresponding

time in 1936 and 1937. But mill consumption during the remaining months of 1938 is likely to be larger than a year earlier and imports probably will remain relatively small. By the end of the year, therefore, stocks may be no larger than a year earlier.

The loan program for wool producers has provided an important stabilizing influence on domestic prices during recent months. According to an announcement a total of 80 million pounds of wool had been appraised for loans by Aug. 20, and of this quantity loans had been completed on 32 million pounds with the remainder in process. The loans have averaged about 17.4 cents per grease pound at warehouses.

Wool prices in the United States during the remainder of 1938 will be influenced chiefly by domestic mill consumption of wool, and by changes in wool prices in the foreign markets. Domestic mill consumption was very small in the last half of 1937 and early months of 1938 and stocks of finished and semi-finished wool goods were sharply reduced. Mill activity has increased since May in view of the small stocks of wool goods, and prospects for some improvement in the business situation generally, it is expected that domestic mill consumption will increase further during the remainder of this year.

The recent sharp increase in wool prices and mill activity in the United States, however, has not been accompanied by a corresponding improvement in foreign countries. While there has been a slight increase in activity in some European countries the curtailment of Japanese wool buying is a serious handicap to general improvement in the world wool situation.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Flint have closed their palatial ranch home for the winter and have moved back to their apartment home at the Brooks apartments.

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Enrollment in Eddy County rural schools up to the end of last week totaled 1,062 pupils, about 100 more than last year at the same time, with an expected increase of more than 600 at the end of cotton season, a check-up showed.

Of the eleven rural schools in the county, all have opened with the exception of Atoka School, which will not open until after cotton picking season.

Thirty-five teachers are employed in the county schools.

Loving and Otis Schools have the largest enrollment of any. Total students and teachers enrolled at the various schools up to Friday were as follows: Otis, 7 teachers, 290 students; El Paso Gap, 1 teacher, 21 students; Dayton, 1 teacher, 35 students; Oil Field, 1 teacher, 26 students; Rocky Arroyo, 1 teacher, 16 students; Lovington, 9 teachers, 350 students; Malaga, 5 teachers, 152 students; Harroun Farm, 3 teachers, 74 students; Lakewood, 3 teachers, 78 students; Cottonwood, 4 teachers, 110 students.

Miss Kitty Gayle Flint, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Flint, left last Thursday for Fort Worth, Tex., where she has enrolled at T. C. U. as a junior. Miss Flint chose a Fort Worth college this year on account of her sister, Mrs. Frank Dent, living there. Mr. and Mrs. Dent moved from New York City to Fort Worth within the last year.

Mrs. Lawell Van Antwerp, who took her daughter, Phyllis, to Oklahoma City for the school year, returned recently.

Mrs. Ben Dunn, who was taken to a Carlsbad hospital in a critical condition, was removed to her home here Sunday after a week in the hospital. She is very much improved.

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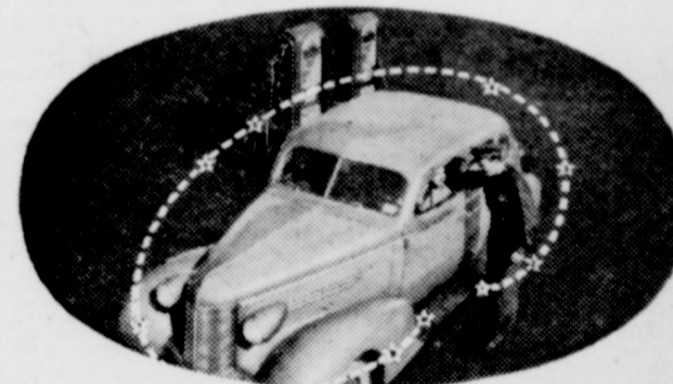
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SOCIETY

Aim of Mrs. Lanning, President of Artesia Woman's Club, Larger Home

The first regular meeting for the year of the Artesia Woman's Club was held at the club house Wednesday afternoon, with a splendid attendance. Mrs. Jim Berry and Mrs. Clarence Conner were hostesses of the day. They used wild asters and wild baby-breath to decorate the home.

Mrs. John Lanning, president, in her address, gave as her aim for the club a larger clubhouse. She does not recommend another club, but did stress a building fund, as there is a balance of a little more than \$400 in the treasury.

A second aim is a junior woman's club. Mrs. Irvin Martin has been chosen as sponsor, with Mrs. Arthur Paton as co-sponsor.

Mrs. Lanning explained the duties of a new committee, a courtesy committee, which she hopes will add much to the club this year.

In conclusion, Mrs. Lanning stressed that club women have pride in their club and that they particularly "welcome strangers to our city and make them feel at home with us."

Mrs. Lewis Story accepted the chairmanship of finance to fill the vacancy made by the resignation of Mrs. J. J. Clarke. Mrs. Grady Booker, chairman of the program committee, presented the programs of the year for approval with a word of explanation on each program.

Mrs. Wallace Gates gave two piano selections, "Brahms Rhapsodie, Opus 79 No. 2" and "Reflections in the Water," by Debussy. The tones and technique were outstanding, as well as the poise and personal charm of this talented young musician.

Mrs. Martin Yates, Jr., gave a splendid report of the Triennial held in Kansas City last May. Mrs. Yates was the only delegate from Artesia and one of the twenty delegates from New Mexico. The keynote which sounded time and again throughout the Triennial was: "Women Can Bring Peace and Cause War to Cease." Mrs. Yates brought many of the outstanding speakers for a close-up to the club, and in giving the highlights of the convention made club women feel much of the inspiration and enthusiasm experienced by those who attended.

An election of delegates to the convention of the New Mexico Federation of Women's Clubs which will be held in Silver City Oct. 13-15, was held with the following being elected: Mrs. Martin Yates, Jr. and Mrs. Jesse L. Truett, delegates; Mrs. Morrison Livingston and Mrs. Hollis Watson, alternates. Mrs. Lanning will be a delegate by right of her office, as will Mrs. C. R. Blocker, secretary of the state federation, and Mrs. G. R. Brainard, chairman of state finance committee. In addition to the voting delegates, others are expected to attend.

Due to the lateness of the hour the rest of the program was omitted and notice was given that the Oct. 5 meeting will be postponed on account of the Roswell Cotton Carnival.

VIERNES BRIDGE CLUB WITH MRS. GILLISPIE

Mrs. Ed Gillispie was hostess in entertaining the Viernes Bridge Club Friday afternoon.

Those enjoying the weekly session of contract were: Mmes. Fletcher Collins, Joe Foster, Albert Glasser, Boone Barnett, Jack Clady, C. R. Vandagriff, Wren Barker, Andy Company and Frank Palmer and three substituting guests, Mmes. Kay Lydia, John Jenkins and Irene Ansley. High score prize was awarded to Mrs. Company and second high to Mrs. Ansley. The hostess served a delicious salad course at the conclusion of the games.

ENGRAVING—THE ADVOCATE.

Social Calendar

Beatrice Blocker, Society Editor
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THURSDAY (TODAY)

All day meeting of the Home Makers Circle at the Baptist Church, covered dish luncheon.

Young Matron's Circle will meet with Mrs. Howard Stroup, 2:30 p. m.

Episcopal Guild meets with Mrs. J. R. Attebery at 2:30 p. m.

The Charlotte Burnett Circle will meet with Mrs. Dell Walters, 2:30 p. m.

Swastika Bridge Club meets with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Shook at 7:30 p. m.

FRIDAY

The Catholic Ladies' Altar Society will meet with Mrs. Ray Everett at 2:30 p. m.

A call meeting of the Nazarene Missionary Society will be held at the home of Mrs. Hillard, Northeast of the city, all day with covered dish luncheon.

Miercoles Bridge Club meets with Mrs. C. R. Baldwin at 2 p. m.

Viernes Bridge Club meets with Mrs. Albert Glasser, 2 p. m.

The Dollar Club of the First Christian Church will meet with Mr. and Mrs. Ballard Spencer at 7:30 p. m.

TUESDAY

First Afternoon Bridge Club meets with Mrs. F. G. Hartell at 9 a. m., instead of the afternoon hour.

WEDNESDAY

Abnormis Sapiens Bridge Club meets with Mrs. Walter Nugent, 2 p. m.

So So Club will meet with Mmes. Keith and D. A. Miller at the Keith Miller home in the Oil Field, 1 o'clock luncheon.

The Wednesday Night Club meets with Mr. and Mrs. Boone Barnett at 7 p. m.

THURSDAY (NEXT WEEK)

Presbyterial Executive Board will meet at Presbyterian Church in Artesia at 2:30 p. m. Presbyterial officers and officers of societies which make up the Presbyterial expected to attend.

The Thursday Supper Club will meet with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stroup at 7:30 p. m.

PAST MATRONS' CLUB MEETS AFTER VACATION

The first meeting of the Past Matrons' Club after the summer vacation was held at the lovely country home of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Funk on the Cottonwood Monday.

An all day meeting was held with a covered dish luncheon at the noon hour. The table, spread with a beautiful lace cloth, was attractively set with vari-colored pottery and a bouquet of pink, blue and white asters was used as a centerpiece. Covers were laid for twelve members: Mmes. Jeff Hightower, J. M. Story, Lewis Story, Alf Coll, R. G. Knoedler, T. S. Cox, Arba Green, J. C. Floore, Funk, W. S. Metcalf and Tonnie Cole, the last two of Hope, and three guests, Mrs. Calvin Dunn, worthy matron of the Artesia chapter of the O. E. S.; Mrs. Walter Douglas, a past matron, and Mr. Funk, who acted as host, serving a delicious fried chicken dinner.

The afternoon was spent in discussing matters pertaining to the club and the O. E. S. as the ladies knitted, crocheted and sewed. At the close of the afternoon, Mrs. Funk served watermelon on her well-kept lawn. It was a delightful day for all who attended.

HASTINGS ENTERTAIN CLUB

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Hastings entertained their bridge club last Thursday evening at their home.

Members enjoying a delicious buffet supper were: Messrs. and Mmes. William J. Bowden, Jr., Howard Stroup and Joe Foster and

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the hosts. At the close of a pleasant session of contract, Mr. and Mrs. Bowden were awarded a crystal prize.

LEGION AUXILIARY HAS MEETING MONDAY

An all day meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary was held at the home of Mrs. G. B. Dungan Monday. A covered dish luncheon was enjoyed at noon by a large number of the members who were present.

Pillows with slip covers were made to be sent to Ft. Bayard for the use of disabled veterans. The meeting was called to order at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon by the president, Mrs. Raymond Bartlett. Liberal contributions were made for both the welfare and rehabilitation departments of the organization. The Junior Auxiliary organization has been divided into two sections with Mrs. Ed Paul to sponsor the younger girls and Mrs. John Runyan the older girls. Plans for a party in the near future to entertain the Legion boys were discussed and committees were appointed. Mrs. John Runyan, chairman of music, made a short talk on music.

Mmes. John Runyan, Jack Clady and Ollie Ackerman were hostesses during the social hour in the late afternoon and they served light refreshments. Visitors were Mmes. R. D. Rice, Howard Williams and C. N. Calmes.

W. M. U. CLINIC IN CARLSBAD TUESDAY

Four local women attended a Baptist W. M. U. clinic held in Carlsbad Tuesday. They were Mmes. J. Hise Myers, Harve Muncy, F. P. Turner and Ernest Scoggins.

Missionary societies were represented from all the valley towns, and close to 100 were in attendance. Several out-of-state workers appeared on the program.

MISS IZARD TO SCHOOL

Mrs. Tom James accompanied her sister, Mrs. Gussie Izard, and a niece, Miss La Vern Izard, to El Paso the first of the week, where Miss Izard entered a business college to complete a business course. Mrs. Izard and daughter will spend the winter with another sister, Mrs. Billie Farmer, who is employed at Ft. Bliss.

Typewriters for rent—Advocate.

FORTNIGHTLY BRIDGE CLUB

Members of the Fortnightly Bridge Club were very delightfully entertained by Mrs. Glenn Booker Tuesday at the home of Emery Carper.

Gorgeous dusty pink wild asters and wild baby-breath were used to decorate the living rooms and also for the centerpiece on the lace covered dining table with tapers of matching color. The table was set with delicately tinted pottery. Covers were laid for the following club members: Mmes. John Lanning, William Linell, Hollis Watson, J. R. Attebery, J. B. Atkeson, Albert Richards, Charlie Martin, C. R. Blocker, Landis Feather, Lewis Story and C. R. Baldwin.

Mrs. Booker was assisted in serving a delicious fried chicken luncheon by her sister, Mrs. Grady Booker.

At the close of five rounds of contract, with scores running high, the highest score of the games went to Mrs. Watson.

CHB CLASS ELECTS OFFICERS THURSDAY

The annual election of officers of the CHB Class of the Presbyterian Sunday school was held last Thursday evening at a regular meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Kiddy. Wallace Gates was elected president; Mrs. M. G. Schulze, vice president, and William Linell, secretary and treasurer.

A covered dish supper and steak fry was enjoyed in the Kiddy garden with twenty-eight present. Outside games entertained the guests after the supper until a late hour in the evening. The regular meeting date of the class social has been set for the second Thursday evening in each month.

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MARY KATHERINE WOODS ENTERS NURSING SCHOOL

Miss Mary Katherine Woods, daughter of Col. and Mrs. A. T. Woods, entered the Hotel Dieu School of Nursing in El Paso the first of this week. Miss Woods was accompanied to El Paso by her mother and Mrs. M. A. Corbin.

Miss Woods is a graduate of the local high school with the class of 1937. She expects to major in dietetics.

PAST NOBLE GRAND CLUB WELL ATTENDED

The September meeting of the Past Noble Grand Club was well attended Friday evening, when Miss Mary McCaw and Mrs. Walter Douglas entertained at the McCaw home.

The business meeting was presided over by Mrs. W. H. Cobble, chairman. A social hour was enjoyed after the regular meeting and a delicious refreshment plate served to the following guests: Mmes. John Lanning, Harriet Whitner, J. M. Story, C. M. Davis, W. H. Cobble, Beulah Jones, Ward Cave, Harve Muncy, Nellie Cogdell, Ed Conner, Effie Wingfield, C. Bert Smith, George Johnson and G. B. Dungan and Misses Merrill Bradley, Linna McCaw and Ella Bauslin.

MRS. DEXTER HOSTESS TO 1937 BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. C. J. Dexter entertained the 1937 Bridge Club at the Artesia Hotel Friday afternoon. Luncheon was served from a lovely appointed table in the Coffee Shop and the afternoon session of contract was enjoyed in the hotel apartment of Mrs. Dexter.

The annual election of the club was held with Mrs. Faye Harde-man named president. Substituting guests were: Mmes. Lewis Story, Lucille Hare and A. T. Woods. Club members present were: Mmes. Landis Feather, Mary Evans, Kenneth Williams, E. N. Bigler, Howard Whitson, D. A. Miller, Neil Watson and Raymond Bartlett. High score award went to Mrs. Bartlett, second high, Mrs. Harris.

B. I. L.'S GUESTS OF P. E. O. AT PICNIC SUPPER

The P. E. O. sisterhood enjoyed a delightful picnic supper Friday evening in the lovely garden of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Corbin. The program committee, composed of Mmes. Rex Wheatley, M. A. Corbin and E. P. Mahone, were the hostesses. The B. I. L.'s were guests and a delicious barbecue supper was served to about forty members and guests. Various games furnished amusement during the early evening.

A regular meeting of the organization was held in the afternoon at the Corbin home with Mrs. Fred Cole, president, presiding. Mrs. L. Vandever and M. Murphy, and W. E. Kerr spoke on the subject, "How Does Our Community Rate," and a particularly interesting paper was read by Mrs. Ralph Shugart, "Women of the White House." At the close of the meeting, Mrs. Corbin served a refreshing iced punch.

CHURCH SOCIETIES

An all day meeting of the Baptist Home Makers Circle was held at the church last Thursday with a covered dish luncheon. About twenty ladies were present. They were joined at the luncheon hour by their pastor, the Rev. S. M. Morgan.

The business session was presided over by Mrs. J. M. Story, chairman. The remainder of the day was spent on a quilt and comforter. An all day work meeting of the circle is being held at the church today and work will be continued on quilts and comforters.

The meeting of the Methodist Missionary Society last Thursday afternoon at the parsonage, with Mrs. John S. Rice, Mrs. Pat Gormley and Mrs. Frank Wilson as hostesses, was well attended.

Mrs. Reed Brainard, president, presided. Dates set for the study classes were the last Thursday and Friday in this month, Sept. 29 and 30. The study will be conducted by Mrs. R. O. Cowan.

A program on "Planting the Gospel in Mexico" was interestingly presented, with Mrs. Elwood Kaiser, leader. Those assisting in the discussions were Mmes. Landis Feather, J. H. Jones, Nell Feemster and C. R. Baldwin. The impressive meditation hour was conducted by Mrs. Mary McDonald. She used as her theme, "Beautiful, but Can It Be." Light refreshments were served by the hostesses.

The Presbyterian Missionary Society met at the home of Mrs. W. E. Kerr last Thursday afternoon with a good attendance and a renewed interest after the summer vacation periods. The program on the subject of "Challenging Facts" was presented by Mrs. Ed Paul. The devotionals were led by Mrs. Ralph Shugart.

Light refreshments were served by Mrs. Kerr during a social hour after the program.

The Nazarene Missionary Society met at the home of Mrs. A. W. Wilde last Thursday for a work day program. Most of the members were present to assist in work on a quilt and sewing for a needy family.

At the close of the afternoon the hostess served ice cream and cake.

ARTWOOD PIRATES BRIDGE

Mrs. Bryan Shoemaker entertained members of the Artwood Pirates Bridge Club Wednesday evening at her farm home, which was decorated with myriads of fall garden flowers, including dahlias, cosmos and roses.

There was one substituting guest, Mrs. Roy Ingram, and the following club guests: Mmes. Harvey Yates, S. A. Lanning, Jr., W. L. Vandever and M. Murphy, and Mrs. J. O. Wood, winner of high score prize; Mrs. Lawrence Carroll, winner of second high prize and the traveling prize; Mrs. Ingram, winner of consolation prize, and Miss Elaine Feemster. The hostess served refreshments in two courses.

LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Green and family have moved from the farm to the Rose Wetig residence on North Roselawn.

Mr. and Mrs. V. D. Bolton and son, Billy, and Mrs. Fred Cole were El Paso visitors Tuesday. They drove over and back the same day.

Richard and Earl Beck, Jr., of Seattle, Wash., are here visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Jackson, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Buford Gray, Miss Ina Cole and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Cole and children drove to Clovis Sunday, where they were joined by Mr. and Mrs. Herman Cole for a visit to the Conchas and Alamogordo dams.

Blaine Haines, son of Mrs. Ruby B. Sharp, is attending State Teachers College in Silver City this school year.

Mrs. Jennie Barnes, sister of Mrs. A. W. Wilde, who has visited for the last two months in the Wilde home, expects to leave today for her home in Topeka, Kan. Mrs. Barnes will visit other relatives briefly in Kansas City en route home.

Mrs. M. A. Cole, mother of Mrs. A. L. Neatherlin, who makes her home with her daughter and family, went Saturday to Hope, where she will visit her two sons and their families, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cole and children and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Cole and children.

W. Leslie Martin, accompanied by Mrs. Hiley Johnson, went to Carlsbad Wednesday for Mrs. Martin and infant son, Marshall George. Both Mrs. Martin and son are getting along nicely. However, Mrs. Martin must remain quiet for a period of time after returning home.

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WORLD NEWS
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BRIEF FORM

From Near and Far, Some Timely, Some of Human Interest

"The Taylor Bicycle Family," George Taylor, Mrs. Taylor and five little Taylors, stopped last week in Amarillo after a 70-day trip from Omaha, Neb. They were en route to Dallas, traveling on two bicycles equipped with trailers. "It's a slow way of traveling," says George Taylor. "With two children in one trailer and three in the other, besides camping equipment, we have to push up all hills." Souvenirs of the "Taylor Bicycle Family," sold for a nominal price, are employed by the Taylors to finance the trip. "But I'm going to get a job when we get to Dallas," says Mr. Taylor. "We've done enough bicycling."

At least 100 of the 216 Indian Tribes in the United States will be represented in the Federal exhibit at the 1939 Golden Gate International Exposition on Treasure Island.

The new Republican committee-man of Milton, Wash., Boston Curtis, won office without the sign of a campaign. He collected his fifty-one votes without even offering a platform. Boston Curtis, a mule, was entered in Washington's blanket primary election by Kenneth Simmons, Democratic mayor of Milton, who saw to it that Boston's hoofprint was attached to the filing notice and himself signed as witness. Simmons said he wanted to demonstrate his belief many voters know not whom they support.

The proof of a dog's loyalty and devotion was clearly demonstrated at Lelia Lake, Tex., by the action of a fox terrier puppy. Byron Scott was making an early morning call and noticed the dog by the side of the highway. Attaching no significance at the sight of the pup, he did not investigate. Four days later he again saw the dog in the same spot. Investigation disclosed that the puppy, evidently abandoned by transients, had stood guard over a small and frayed shoe of a boy about five years old, evidently his master. The dog had gone without nourishment and without any shade to protect him from the sun. A well beaten patch was worn in the ground about the shoe. Now the puppy has a soft bed at the Scott home and for his bed fellow is the shoe which he curls around each night.

The Texas motor patrol is on the job. Patrol cars will carry soap, towels, and ice water for the motorist has to change a tire or do other emergency road repairs. W. H. Richardson, chairman of the state safety commission, announced. It is an added act of hospitality, he explained. Motor police now assist motorists who have tire or car trouble on the Texas roads, even motorists from out of the state.

"I knew this was going to happen before I got home with it," said the bus passenger to detectives at Emporia, Kan., who demanded that he open his suitcase for them. The bus driver had reported he believed the passenger had a suitcase filled with liquor. (Kansas is a "bone dry" state.) The passenger opened his bag, which clinked as he walked with it. Inside was an assortment of hand-cuffs and leg-irons. He explained he was a Wichita peace officer and was returning home after taking some prisoners to the state prison at Lansing.

F. P. Watson, automobile engineer of Sydney, Australia, has patented the nearest thing to a self-parking automobile. The invention permits cars to move themselves sideways into a parking space that would otherwise be too small to enter.

Unless the National League race ends in a tie, the 1938 World Series will open Wednesday, Oct. 5, with the first of two games on the home field of the National League champions. Third, fourth and fifth games will be at the American League park and the sixth and seventh, if necessary, will be back at the National League field. This was decided at a conference among the New York Yanks, leading the American, and Pittsburgh, Chicago, Cincinnati and New York of the National.

In The WEEK'S NEWS



NOT A "LONG TIME" between drinks! for this South Carolinian! Senator Cotton Ed Smith (above), 73-year-old political war-horse, cools off at well on his plantation at Lynchburg after winning re-nomination in hot campaign against New Deal-backed Gov. Olin Johnston.



CZECH AND DOUBLE CHECK! . . . Remembering Belgium's fate in 1914, Czechoslovakia whipped her small army into fighting trim to defend her mountain borders against invasion. Three Czech infantrymen (below) take an enemy trench under fire during nation-wide fall maneuvers.



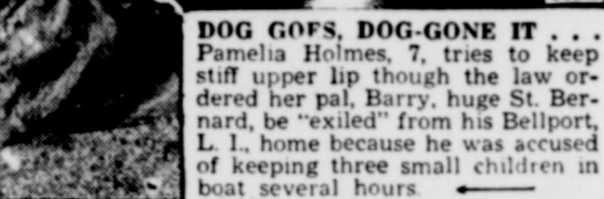
TWO-TIMER . . . Col. Roscoe Turner holds Thompson trophy won with record 283-m. p. h. flight around 300-mile closed course at Cleveland air races. In capturing prize for second time, he beat Frenchman Detroyat's 1936 record of 264 m. p. h.



GLASS OF FASHION . . . Decorative note for homes is this new fire-screen (below) fashioned of "toughened" glass, made possible by discovery of special tempering process. Screen adds charm to all-glass fireplace in rich brown, trimmed with bands of deep red and topped by peach-tinted mirror.



EXTREMES MEET . . . Science's pet, new synthetic material called korseal, comes to rescue of Dither, New York Bronx zoo's pot anteater from wilds of South America. Declaring hunger strike, Dither refused food from any kind of vessel until enticed to lick milk from inside of korseal tube.



DOG GOES, DOG-GONE IT . . . Pamela Holmes, 7, tries to keep stiff upper lip though the law ordered her pal, Barry, huge St. Bernard, be "exiled" from his Bellport, L. I. home because he was accused of keeping three small children in boat several hours.

Cottonwood Items
(Ora Buck)

Clyde Nihart was a business visitor in Artesia Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Reno have their new home about finished.

Mrs. Ed Taylor is having her feet treated at Artesia.

The Ladies' Aid met at the home of Mrs. Tom Terry last Thursday.

J. C. Jetton of Lake Arthur was on Cottonwood Friday afternoon.

Noah Buck, Henry Hall and Clint Powell were transacting business in Carlsbad Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Drennan and family left last week for Swenson, Tex., where they will make their home.

J. R. Cline and son, Buster, went to Clouderoft last Thursday, where they attended to business.

Mrs. Jim Morris of Artesia was a dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Buck Tuesday of last week.

Jim Elliott has installed a new gas pump and an air compressor at his store on Cottonwood.

The Cottonwood Extension Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Fred Chambers next Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Elliott were business visitors in Carlsbad Monday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. West of Hagerman were business visitors on Cottonwood Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Mosier moved Tuesday of last week to the new house they recently built.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Elliott who were at Weed, N. Mex., the last two months, returned here last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Medekife and family moved Tuesday of last week to the Miller place near Lake Arthur.

The Wiehl Brothers and their wives from Old Mexico, state of Sonora, were here several days last week visiting and transacting business matters.

Several from here attended the 4-H Club "Achievement Day" program in Artesia at the high school auditorium Saturday.

Mrs. A. G. Lane of Lake Arthur

spent last week at Hope visiting her daughter, Miss Alma Lane, who is one of the teachers in the school.

Dr. and Mrs. O. E. Puckett of Carlsbad were visiting their daughter, Mrs. Ray Zumwalt, and Mr. Zumwalt and children last Thursday.

Those serving on a committee for the Extension Club have collected a wonderful lot of choice canned foods for an exhibit at the Eastern New Mexico State Fair at Roswell Oct. 5-8.

Lake Arthur will have a booth at the Eastern New Mexico State Fair this year in addition to the other communities which have made definite reservations for space.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Worley and children, who spent about two weeks in Porterville, Calif., visiting Mrs. Worley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Whitley, returned last week end to their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Alexander returned to their home here last week from a three-week visit with relatives and friends at Ft. Worth, Tex. Mr. Alexander's brother returned home with them.

The Lake Arthur 4-H Club held an "Achievement Day" program Tuesday morning of last week at the school assembly. A short program was presented by the club girls. Miss Mary Helen Spence gave an account of her recent trip to the state 4-H Club encampment.

Mrs. Ed Taylor and Mrs. J. L. Taylor entertained Sept. 8 at the home of Mrs. Ed Taylor with a shower complimenting Mrs. Ernest Mahan. Many lovely gifts, daintily wrapped, were presented to the honoree, who opened each to be admired by the guests. The hostesses served refreshments to the

many friends.

Mrs. Jim Elliott, Mrs. J. L. Taylor and Mrs. Ben Alexander were co-hostesses Wednesday of last week at the home of Mrs. Elliott, when they entertained with a surprise shower honoring Mrs. Earl Elliott. The honoree received many lovely little gifts. After they were unwrapped and admired, the hostesses served dainty refreshments of ice cream and cake to about twenty guests.

Wife: "Mrs. Smart has a new hat, darling."
Hubby: "Well, if she were as attractive as you are, dear, she wouldn't have to depend so much on millinery."

Wife: (to late returning husband) "Is that you, John?"
John: "It'd better be."

Proud Mother: He's a year old now and has been walking since he was eight months."
Bored Visitor: "Really? He must be awfully tired."

Professor: "I will not begin today's lecture until the room settles down."
Voice from rear: "Go home and sleep it off, prof."

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LOCALS

Mrs. M. A. Dorman, who lives about three miles east of the city, returned to her home the first of the week from a Carlsbad hospital, where she was taken more than a week ago critically ill of sleeping sickness. Mrs. Dorman is much improved and it is believed she will recover.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Vandagriff and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Combs left the first of the week for a visit with friends and a fishing trip in Colorado. They plan to return to Santa Fe by Sept. 26, where Mr. Vandagriff and Mr. Combs are delegates to the state Democratic convention.

Albert Richards is able to be out for a short period each day, after returning Saturday from a Carlsbad hospital, where he was taken earlier in the week in a critical condition. He underwent a minor operation last Thursday morning, which relieved his intense suffering and he is improving satisfactorily at the present.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Scott of Colorado Springs, Colo., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilson Tuesday. They were returning from a trip to the Carlsbad Caverns. Mr. Scott, cashier of the Exchange National Bank in Colorado Springs, and Mr. Wilson have been friends since childhood.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Smith and son, Clarence, Jr., returned Tuesday from El Paso, Tex., where they met Murray Smith of Boston, Mass., a brother of Mr. Smith, who was en route home from Los Angeles, where he attended the American Legion convention. Mr. Smith was in charge of one of the special trains taking delegates from the New England states.

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Lea County led the state, receiving a total of \$1,491.51, with Bernalillo a close second, receiving \$1,161.42. Curry received \$601.94; Chaves, \$474.67; Lincoln, \$83.47; and Roosevelt, \$309.02.

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Principles of Light

Cassiopeiae Gives Scientists Puzzle
To Work on, Astronomer
Says

A star which violates one of the fundamental laws of astronomy by getting brighter as it cools off, is giving scientists a new puzzle to work on, a young astronomer of the University of Pennsylvania says.

This star, Cassiopeiae, located near the North Star, not only cools as the amount of light from it increases, but also becomes hotter as its brightness diminishes, or exactly opposite the behavior of most heavenly bodies. Dr. Ralph B. Baldwin told the American Astronomical Society at its annual meeting.

The renegade of the skies is easily visible to the naked eye and is one of the most prominent in the northern part of the heavens in its brightest phase, he added. It is much brighter than the North star and is 400 times brighter than the sun as well as being almost five times as hot.

No complete explanation of the phenomenon has been arrived at, he added, but the most logical hypothesis is that the star grows to about four times its normal size to give off more light and at the same time its gases are greatly expanded to cool it off, just as compressed gas in a container cools as it expands when released. Additional observations, particularly if Cassiopeiae repeats its antics will be necessary to prove the theory.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Knoedler and daughter, Frances, spent the week end in Las Cruces visiting their son, Charles Mac, who is a student at State College. They saw a number of Artesia boys at the college and reported them all getting along fine.

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Here's How Cub Reporter from the
East Writes About Stock Grading

Here is what happened when the Las Vegas Daily Optic assigned Sam St. John, a cub reporter fresh from New York, to cover a stock grading demonstration last week, just as he wrote it:

Attempting to suppress a look of bewilderment and at the same time hide a complete ignorance as to what a livestock demonstration happened to be, I accepted an assignment from the editor to go out on the mesa and cover the demonstration.

It rained, and when it rains in New York, the streets get slippery, but when it rains on the mesa, the bottom drops out of trails. As a delay in my pursuit of education, a welcome delay, too, the car I was riding in managed to sink hub-deep in the mire, necessitating the addition of two more horse power to the front end. After being pulled out of the mud I've ever seen in one field and wading knee-deep through the same sticky stuff, the higher ground of the demonstration site was welcome.

Looking over the cattle, I recalled that only a few days ago I was forced to inquire what kind of animals roamed the pastures here—they had horns, and the only cattle I ever gazed upon, didn't have horns. Anyway, now I know some cows have horns, some do not, but I still can't tell the difference. Beef to me has always been something you ordered with mashed potatoes, but here was beefsteak on the hoof and as glamorous as a movie star making a personal appearance. Big-necked, shaggy-coated and rather docile looking beasts.

Surprise upon surprise! I gathered that the bow-legged gentleman I saw holding an onery fraction of a ton of beef was a cowboy, whom I learned is a puncher by profession. He didn't look like Gene Autry or Tom Mix. No bells on his pants. No silver spurs and his hat was something of a cowboy hat, but much too frayed and dirty for a good picture. Pleasant looking fellow, though.

Back to the office and an attempt to put it in writing. It seems I misinterpreted a few things. Such as "cool" when the word is "cull." I knew there couldn't be a "Truheel" because of the meaning attached to a "heel" but it turned out to be "Trujillo." "Sire of the herd" was not the old rancher—back East the "sire" is the old gentleman of the family.

Anyway, grading cattle has nothing to do with a steep grade; a scrub bull is not a desirable sire and maybe I'll learn.

Golf Tournament
Being Planned by
The Artesia Club

Close on the heels of the beginners' tournament of the Artesia Golf Club, which was won by C. A. Baker, a club championship tournament is being planned, to begin Sunday, Oct. 2. At the close of the matches a barbecue is to be served at the course.

All players must qualify, either by shooting a qualifying round before Wednesday, Sept. 28, or by committee ruling.

There will be flights for all players, with prizes in each flight. There will also be a prize for the medalist in the qualifying round.

The tournament entrance fee is to be paid at the time a player turns in his qualifying score.

The committee has announced that all members holding dubbons are requested to turn them in, as prizes will be given several of the winners.

Mrs. A. L. Neatherlin left Saturday for El Paso for a visit with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Neatherlin and small daughter. Mrs. Neatherlin expects to be away about a month.

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Loren D. Gelwick

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Brunk's Comedians
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For Two Days Only

The Fred G. Brunk's Comedians, making their twenty-first annual tour through the Southwest, will be in Artesia for two nights only, Friday and Saturday, Sept. 23 and 24. With a company of thirty people they will present plays, vaudeville and music.

The opening play, said to be as thrilling as the styles in Hollywood and as modern as today's headlines, is entitled "Watch Your Darling Daughter." It tells a story concerning the girl of today, her ambitions, trials and tribulations and most intimate love secrets.

Many new faces will be seen in the cast, as well as several of the old favorites. Fred G. Brunk will be on the job, as well as the lovable Bonnie Brunk, who has charmed audiences in almost every state in the union with her clever performing.

Several of the local merchants are co-operating with the show and giving to their customers special guest tickets which will save the holders quite a bit in the price of admission. These merchants' names appear in the Brunk advertisement elsewhere in this issue.

The big waterproof tent theatre will be located by the city hall and the show will start nightly at 8:10 o'clock.

FIRST FEDERATION
PRESIDENT IS DEAD

Mrs. Laura S. Johnson, a pioneer citizen of New Mexico and the first president of the New Mexico Federation of Women's Clubs, passed away at her home, the Johnson Hotel in Hot Springs, Tuesday of last week. Mrs. Johnson was past 76 years of age. All of her immediate family preceded her in death.

Funeral services were conducted at the Episcopal Church and the body was laid away in Hot Springs. Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Hastings spent the week end in Amarillo with friends. Their young daughter, Paula Joy, remained here with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. George Frisch.

"Who was the lady I saw you with?"
"That wasn't a lady. That was my brother. He just walks that way."

"I suppose, Uncle Jim, you remember a good deal about the politics of the early days?"
"Well, I never tuk much in'trest in pollytics, but I kin recollect when J. C. Fremond was elected President."

"Fremond? Why, Fremond wasn't elected!"
"He wun't? Well, naow, that gits me! I heerd a leadin' speaker talk the night fore election, an' he said if John C. Fremond wun't lected the country would fall to ruin an' everybody would have to shut up shop. Course I didn't take th' papers; but noticin' the things went on 'bout th' same as afore, I calculated John won. So he wun't lected? Well, b'jinks, thet gits me!"

ABSTRACTS

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BIRTH-DEATH RATIO
IN COUNTY IS 4-TO-1

In Eddy County 63 births and 15 deaths were recorded during August at the office of Dr. O. E. Puckett, district and county health officer, in the proportion of more than 4 to 1.

They were divided as follows: Artesia, 9 births and 2 deaths; Carlsbad, 50 births and 12 deaths; Loving, 3 births and one death, and Malaga, one birth.

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS
PROJECT NO. N. M. 1097-F

Sealed proposals will be received by the Board of Eddy County Commissioners, Carlsbad, New Mexico, at the office of County Clerk, until 10 o'clock, A. M., of October 15th, 1938, for the construction of the Eddy County Court House, at which time and place the proposals will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Any bid received after closing time will be returned unopened. Copies of the plans, specifications and other proposed contract documents are on file in the office of County Clerk, at Carlsbad, New Mexico, and are open for public inspection.

A set of such documents may be obtained from F. W. Spencer & R. W. Voorhees, Architects, Trinidad, Colorado, upon deposit of Twenty-five Dollars (\$25.00). This deposit will be refunded to each actual bidder upon return of such documents in good condition within 5 days after receipt of bids.

The character and amount of security to be furnished by each bidder are stated in the above-mentioned documents.

No bid may be withdrawn, after the scheduled closing time for receipt of bids, for at least thirty (30) days.

The Board of Eddy County Commissioners reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive informalities.

BOARD OF EDDY COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
CARLSBAD, NEW MEXICO.
By: JOE LUSK,
Chairman.

(SEAL)
First Publication, September 22nd, 1938.

Second Publication, September 29th, 1938.

Last Publication, October 6th, 1938.

ORDER CREATING CEDAR
LAKE GAME REFUGE

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED by the State Game Commission that the following tract of land be and the same is hereby set aside as a State Game Refuge to be known as the Cedar Lake Game Refuge:

Beginning at a point in the approximate center of Section 22, Township 17 South, Range 31 East at the intersection of the fence line of Cedar Lake pasture of the Plains Cattle and Sheep Company ranch with State Highway 83; thence following in a southeasterly direction along said fence line approximately 2 miles; thence turning and following the southeast fence of said pasture in a southerly westerly direction a distance of approximately 5 miles; thence along fence line in a northwesterly direction approximately 1 and three-quarters miles to a point approximately one-quarter mile west of the southeast corner of Section 1, Township 18 South, Range 30 East; thence in a southerly westerly direction along fence line approximately 5 miles; thence in a northwesterly direction 2 miles to a point near the quarter corner on the west line of Section 7, Township 18 South, Range 30 East; thence in a northeasterly

direction along fence approximately 2 miles; thence in a northerly direction along fence line approximately 2 and three-quarters miles to State Highway 83 at a point in the east one-half of Section 19, Township 17 South, Range 30 East; thence east along the south side of Highway 83 a distance of approximately 9 miles to point of beginning, containing approximately 19,000 acres, more or less, and situated in Eddy County, New Mexico.

Dated at Santa Fe, New Mexico, this 27th day of August, 1938.
STATE GAME COMMISSION
By COLIN NEBLETT,
Chairman.

ATTEST:
ELLIOTT S. BARKER,
Secretary.
38-1tc

CERTIFICATE OF CANVASS
OF RESULT OF SPECIAL
SCHOOL BOND ELECTION
HELD SEPTEMBER 14th, 1938,
IN AND FOR ARTESIA MUNICIPAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
NUMBER 16, EDDY COUNTY,
NEW MEXICO.

WHEREAS, at a special meeting called for that purpose, held on the 14th day of September, 1938, the Board of Education of the City of Artesia, Eddy County, New Mexico, being the governing body authorized by law to call a Special School Bond Election to authorize school district bonds of Artesia Municipal School District Number 16, Eddy County, New Mexico, a Resolution was introduced and duly adopted by said Board of Education of the City of Artesia, Eddy County, New Mexico, determining the necessity for and calling and ordering a special bond election to be held in and for said school district on the 14th day of September, A. D. 1938, for the purpose of submitting to such qualified electors of said district as are owners of real estate within said school district, the question of the issuance of \$42,000.00 bonds of said school district for the erection and furnishing of a Junior-Senior High School Building and for the erection and furnishing of a two-room addition to the Central Grade School Building in and for said School District, and

WHEREAS, at said special bond election held in and for said school district, on the 14th day of September, 1938, there was submitted to such qualified electors of said school district as are owners of real estate within said school district, the following question:

For the issuance of bonds of the District in the sum of \$42,000.00 for paying part of the cost to be incurred for and on behalf of the District for the erection and furnishing of a Junior-Senior High School Building and for the erection and furnishing of a two-room addition to the Central Grade School Building.

Against the issuance of bonds of the District in the sum of \$42,000.00 for paying part of the cost to be incurred for and on behalf of the District for the erection and furnishing of a Junior-Senior High School Building and for the erection and furnishing of a two-room addition to the Central Grade School Building.

and, WHEREAS, the results of said Special Bond Election have been duly canvassed by the Board of Education of the City of Artesia, New Mexico, on the 17th day of September, A. D. 1938, in accordance with law and the result of said election has been duly ascertained after careful examination of the vote cast at said election and the Certificates of the Result of said election duly filed with the Board of Education of the City of Artesia, New Mexico, by the judges and clerks at each polling

place for said election: NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY determined and certified by the Board of Education of the City of Artesia, Eddy County, New Mexico, as follows:

The undersigned authority certifies that it canvassed the returns of a special school district bond election, held on the 14th day of September, A. D. 1938, in Artesia Municipal School District Number 16, County of Eddy, New Mexico, and finds the result of said election to be as follows:

Ballots legally cast for the issuance of bonds of the District in the sum of \$42,000.00 for paying part of the cost to be incurred for and on behalf of the District for the erection and furnishing of a Junior-Senior High School Building and for the erection and furnishing of a two-room addition to the Central Grade School Building were ----- 94

Ballots legally cast against last specified proposition were --- 13

Dated this 17th day of September, 1938.

BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF ARTESIA, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.
By R. L. PARIS,
President.

ATTEST:
FRED COLE,
Clerk.
(SEAL) 38-1tc

NOTICE OF SALE

The Board of Education of the Artesia Municipal School District No. 16 offers for sale to the highest bidder a temporary school building located on Central School grounds and about 2,000 square feet of plywood, and about 1,000 feet of dimension lumber now stored in Central School Auditorium. Bids on any or all of above will be received at the office of Superintendent of Schools until September 30. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

W. E. KERR,
Clerk,
Board of Education.
37-2t-38

TRANSPORTATION BIDS

The Board of Education of the Artesia Municipal School District No. 16 will receive sealed bids up to 1:00 P. M. October 7, 1938 at the office of Superintendent of Schools, Artesia, New Mexico for the Oil Field-Artesia School Transportation Route.

Specifications may be obtained at the office of Superintendent of Schools on and after September 20.

ARTESIA BOARD OF EDUCATION
R. L. PARIS, President.

ATTEST:
W. E. KERR, Clerk.
37-4t-40

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

GENERAL LAND OFFICE at Las Cruces, New Mexico, September 8, 1938.

NOTICE is hereby given that Zack W. Simer of Box 715, Artesia, New Mexico, who, on November 9, 1933, made homestead application, No. 048747, for Lots 3, 4, Section 3, Township 17 S., Range 26 E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make 3-year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before S. W. Gilbert, United States Commissioner, at Artesia, New Mexico, on the 27th day of October, 1938.

Claimant names as witnesses: Arthur L. Jackson, James S. Stephens, Harold Swackhammer, J. W. Dickson, all of Artesia, New Mexico.

PAUL A. ROACH,
Register.
37-5t-41

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF OWEN McCLAY, DECEASED.

No. 679.

NOTICE OF THE RE-OPENING
OF THE ABOVE ESTATE FOR
THE PURPOSE OF HEARING
THE FINAL ACCOUNT AND
REPORT OF LEAH F. McDONALD,
ADMINISTRATRIX OF
SAID ESTATE.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO, TO: ISA McCLAY AND LEAH F. McDONALD, THE KNOWN HEIRS OF OWEN McCLAY, DECEASED; AND ALL OF THE UNKNOWN HEIRS OF THE SAID OWEN McCLAY, DECEASED, IF LIVING AND IF DEAD, ALL OF THE UNKNOWN HEIRS OF THE SAID OWEN McCLAY, DECEASED; AND ALL UNKNOWN PERSONS CLAIMING ANY LIEN UPON OR RIGHT, TITLE OR INTEREST IN OR TO THE ESTATE OF SAID DECEDENT, AND TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

GREETING:

Notice is hereby given that Leah F. McDonald, administratrix of said estate, has filed her final Account and Report as administratrix of the estate of Owen McCLAY, deceased, together with her petition for discharge upon approval of said Final Report; that the Hon. B. F. Montgomery, Judge of the Probate Court of Eddy County, State of New Mexico, has set the 21st day of October, 1938, at the hour of 2:00 o'clock P. M. in the court room of the Probate Court in Carlsbad, Eddy County, New Mexico, as the day, time and place for hearing objections, if any there be, to said Final Account and Report and Petition; that on the 21st day of October, 1938, at the same time and place the Probate Court will proceed to determine the heirship of said decedent, the ownership of the estate, and the interest of each respective claimant thereto or therein, and the persons entitled to distribution thereof.

G. U. McCrary of Artesia, New Mexico, is the attorney for said administratrix and his Post Office address is Artesia, New Mexico.

Signed and dated at Carlsbad, New Mexico, this 6th day of September, 1938.

R. A. WILCOX,
County Clerk.

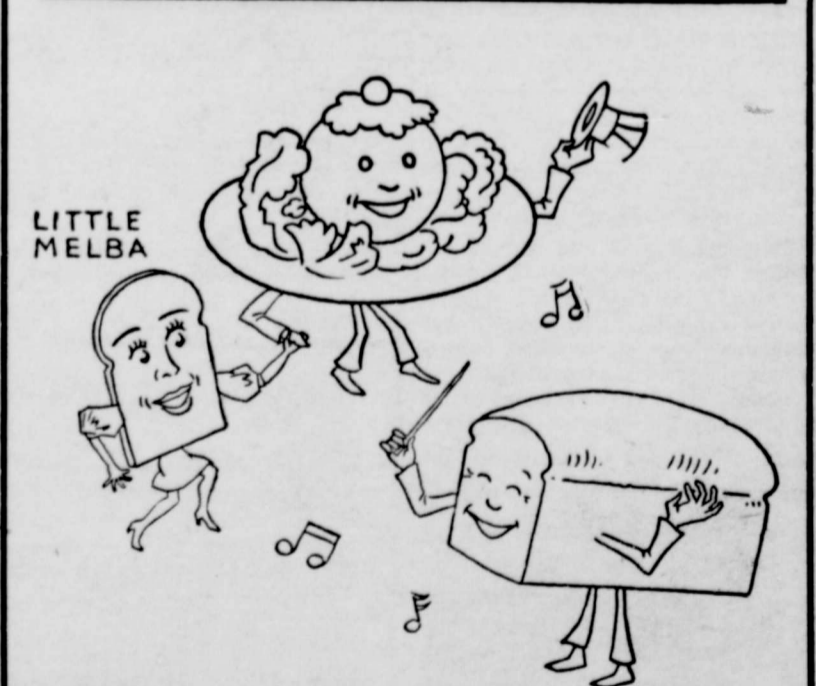
By M. W. WILCOX,
Deputy.
36-4t-39

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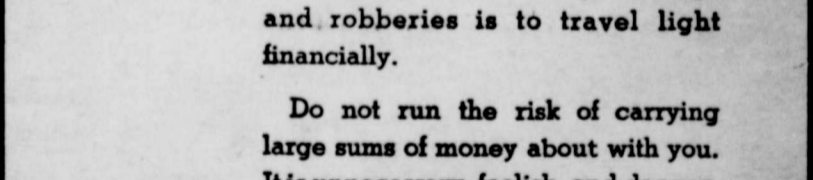
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WHAT'S WHAT

NEW MEXICO

News Briefs of the "Sunshine State." Gleaned from Many Sources

Taos has no money to pay for street lamp electricity. But that did not bother Taos. Its residents, who have a genius for making color out of anything, simply jumped at the chance to resurrect the village lamplighter, install oil-burning lamps on dark street corners, thereby providing illumination and also, quite incidentally, getting some front page attention. The lamps will serve as memorials to those famous residents who once lived or are living in Taos. Kit Carson and Charles Bent will be revered in lamps. It's the Taos touch. That's why Taos is Taos, lighting its own way in its own style.

A school bond issue of \$140,000 for construction of buildings and additions in Santa Fe, for a proposed federal aid project of \$245,545 was overwhelmingly carried last week by property owners, whose vote on the issue totaled 910. The vote more than tripled the total usually cast at a bond election there, officials said, and counting of ballots indicated the issue carried about 25 to 1. The school board proposed to apply for a PWA grant of \$114,545 for the program.

University of New Mexico officials placed the institution's early enrollment figures at 1,250 students, with the prediction that late comers, correspondence and special students would raise the total registration to 1,500.

John E. Miles, state Democratic chairman, has announced the party's state nominating convention, opening in Santa Fe Sept. 26, will meet in Seth Hall, Santa Fe High School auditorium, which has a seating capacity of 2,000. Miles, who said his office did not know the total number of delegates chosen to cast the convention's 983 votes, said he would issue badges to all delegates.

An appropriation of \$19,164 has been announced by the WPA for the extension of Roswell city flood control on the Hondo. Work will consist of deepening and riprapping the channel through the city, and the construction of dikes where needed to prevent the overflow from entering the city's streets.

New Mexico voters will have twelve tickets from which to choose at the Nov. 8 election if all that have filed emblems with Secretary of State Elizabeth F. Gonzales nominate tickets. The twelfth party to file, whose insignia and rules were received by the secretary, is the New Deal party, launched in Curry County by R. P. Fryar, chairman, and Arthur Dowless, Clovis newspaper publisher, as secretary. The emblem consists of three concentric circles in red, white and blue, reading from the center outward.

The state's hunters took 133 predators during August, State Game Warden Elliott Barker announced. The kill consisted of 50 coyotes, 21 bobcats, 1 lion, 3 golden eagles, 17 foxes and 35 skunks.

Murray C. Beene of Albuquerque has been appointed director by the state's disabled soldiers relief commission to succeed John W. Chapman, who recently resigned. Beene's appointment was subject to approval by Governor Tingley. Chapman said he will practice law in Santa Fe. He had no further comment to make on his resignation. Beene was placement officer for war veterans in the federal employment service for two years, at Santa Fe and later in Albuquerque.

Diego Salazar, state motor vehicle commissioner, has placed an order with the state penitentiary for 2,000 more 1938 automobile license plates, boosting the year's total 92,000.

NEW MANAGEMENT NAME

The Van Antwerp Studio, formerly known as the Rodden Studio, has been purchased and will continue under the management of

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Sound Truck Is to Aid State In Solving the Health Problem

Dr. E. B. Godfrey, state director of public health, has announced the department has obtained an option on an educational sound truck, and that as virtually no funds are available for the purchase of this equipment, New Mexico 20-30 Clubs, P.-T. A. groups, women's clubs, the American Legion and others throughout the state have been contacted in an effort to raise approximately \$1,000 needed to complete the purchase.

Acquisition of this educational facility will be of the utmost importance in New Mexico, Dr. Godfrey said, since the truck is equipped with a 1500-watt generator, complete moving picture equipment, radio, portable phonograph with roof-hook-up to loudspeakers, microphones and all other necessities.

The fact that the truck carries its own power plant will enable much constructive work to be done in outlying communities and in schools where educational work has been limited due to lack of local utilities.

Provision of this educational truck will mark a step forward and it is felt that much good can be accomplished by its use in New Mexico.

The Division of Health Education has long sought such equipment and has in the meantime built up a moving picture library of about fifty pictures in both silent and sound on a variety of subjects of health import.

Any and all contributions from organizations or individuals towards the purchase of this valuable equipment can be made to the state director of public health and each contribution will be acknowledged.

Any surplus over and above the purchase price of the truck will be devoted to provision of additional film and other subsidiary equipment.

Hope Items

Bonnie Altman of Artesia spent the week end here at his home.

Mrs. Bill Glascock was an Artesia business visitor Monday.

Janet Parks spent Saturday in Roswell attending to business.

Virgil Craig left Tuesday for Albuquerque, where he was to enter the Veterans' Hospital.

Luther Trimble of Roswell was here Sunday visiting his aunt, Mrs. Bonnie Altman.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Swift spent the week end in Carlsbad as guests of their daughter, Mrs. Ed Bryant.

Virgil Craig spent several days this week in Albuquerque, where he was a business visitor.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Lane of Lake Arthur are here spending the week with their daughter, Alma Lane.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Parks are spending the week in Estelle, Tex., where they are visiting Mrs. Parks' sister, Mrs. Lizzie Baird.

Hal Hammil and Sy Bunting left Monday evening for Amarillo, Tex., where they are attending to business this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cassabone entertained as guests on their ranch Sunday Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Attebery and family of Artesia.

Max Salazar of Albuquerque spent several days here the early part of the week visiting Mrs. Salazar and son.

Mrs. Bill Johnson and children returned last week from Bisbee, Ariz., where they spent several weeks visiting.

Mrs. Robert Parks of Artesia spent the week end on the Parks ranch with Mr. Parks. She returned to her work in Artesia Monday.

Several Hope people have driven to Roswell this week to attend the preaching services of the revival

which is being held at the Methodist Church by the Rev. Bob Schuler of Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Williams drove to Artesia Tuesday to meet her parents, Mr. and Mrs. McCewen Johnston, who have spent the summer at Springer visiting their daughter, Mrs. Harve Walton. They plan to spend the winter months here with Mr. and Mrs. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Scoggins spent the week end in Las Cruces, where they visited their son, Lew-frey, who is attending State College, and where they met Mrs. Scoggins' mother, Mrs. Betty French, who was returning from near Silver City. She had been with her daughter, Mrs. Henry Young.

Returning to Hope after being away thirty years and renewing old acquaintances was the pleasure of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Hayes of Odessa, Tex., and their two daughters, Mrs. M. L. Burd, of Big Spring, Tex., and Mrs. Cecil Kayser, of Wink, Tex., who visited here Sunday and Monday. They made a trip to Cloudcroft Sunday evening to see old friends.

Mrs. Virgil Craig and Mrs. Irvin Wathen drove to Artesia Saturday to accompany the 4-H girls, who went to attend a club meeting. Two prizes were won by Hope girls, the first year cooking prize by Lillie Ruth Craig, and the second prize for first year cooking by Marie Wathen. Other girls who attended the meeting were Mary Lee Banta, Janice Wilburn and Mary Alice Bumgardner.

The Rev. Wayne Douglas plans to open a revival at the Methodist Church next Sunday, continuing his meeting for a week. Singing services will be under the direction of E. A. Trayler. It is customary for a visiting minister to conduct a revival, but since the Rev. Mr. Douglas is new in the community, having been here a few weeks, he was invited by the board of stewards to conduct the meeting.

Several members of the Methodist Church with their pastor, the Rev. Wayne Douglas, drove to Artesia Wednesday evening of last week to attend a banquet held in honor of Bishop Ivan Lee Holt and to hear an address by him following the banquet. Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Hawkins, Mr. and Mrs. Autrey, Mr. and Mrs. John Teel, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Cole, Mrs. Bill Glascock, J. P. Parks, Mrs. Powers, E. A. Trayler, Mrs. Newt Teel, Mrs. Nora Johnson and Marjorie Johnson.

Parents of school children, members of the Board of Education and faculty members were invited to the gym Saturday evening to attend a picture show, "Keeper of the Bees," which was being shown under the direction of Clarence Schrader, educational director of the CCC camps of this district. The machine, which is a "talkie," shows the regular full-screen picture. At the camps a picture is shown each week to the boys. Mr. Schrader plans to bring more of his pictures in order that the people of Hope may have the privilege of seeing them.

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Popular Exhibits For Christmas to Be Shown in State

Have Left New Mexico State Extension Office on Various Routes

Three Christmas exhibits have left the state extension office en route to various counties in the state. The first exhibit will make seventeen counties this fall, all the home agent counties; the second exhibit will reach seven counties, and the third exhibit will go to three more. These exhibits are planned, prepared and routed by Dee Maier of the New Mexico Extension Service.

Miss Maier begins collecting ideas, patterns and suggestions for inexpensive gifts in the fall and continues until the next spring. Materials are then purchased and, with the assistance of several home economics students at the college, the suggestions become a reality. They include stuffed and wooden toys, aprons, cushion tops, curtain tie-backs, towels, pot holders, chair and luncheon sets, bundle carriers, garden sets, pillow cases, knitting bags, purses, wooden accessories for the home and the like.

The home agents use the new exhibits each fall, therefore each one is asked to contribute one adult's and one child's gift. Usually about eight of them respond and send in some very clever suggestions, which are returned to the counties after Christmas of that year. But the usefulness of the exhibit does not end here. It is returned to the state office and is renovated and all badly worn or lost patterns are replaced. The exhibit is then ready for other counties.

A pattern or directions for making it accompanies each article included in an exhibit. In this manner, those rural homemakers who live far from shopping centers find a solution to their Christmas gift problems and learn how to make these useful things at home and at small cost. Roosevelt County alone reported 575 pattern copies and approximately 255 toys and other articles made from the 1937 exhibit. This report is incomplete, as many of the patterns and suggestions are used at other times during the year.

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It's Happened; One of the Numerous Artesia Whittlers Cuts Himself

One of the newer members of the "Whittle and Spit Club" in Artesia made a poor approach shot Saturday and sliced into the rough, at the same time digging a divot, which a physician replaced for him, using four strokes himself.

Curbstone golf not only has become one of the pastimes in Artesia, but it has been so for a number of years. The incident mentioned brings it to the public attention.

That whittling was popular here before the town was built up is shown by an item in last week's Advocate from the files of fifteen years ago, which declared: "Old-timers are busy with knives in daily rehearsal on the First National Bank corner for the whittling contest to feature at the Alfalfa Festival."

In the interim, whittling has been a daily affair in Artesia. The lot at the southeast corner of Main and Roselawn was a favorite place until the Clarence Smith building was erected.

Then the regulars took their knives and found new whittling grounds, some moving all of fifty feet to the south, in the shade of trees there. Others merely moved to the adjacent curb. Still others took up their occupation east of the Hardwick Hotel.

It is not unusual today to see as many as a dozen or two whittlers plying their occupation.

And it would be interesting to know how much the total chips and shavings would amount to in the course of a day, a week or a month. It would be an appreciable amount, for it is not uncommon to see a bonfire a group of 3 or 4 whittlers have started, in order to clean up and wade out, before beginning all over again.

Mmes. Boone Barnett, Jask Clady, M. Murphy, Albert Glasser and Harry Fletcher spent Tuesday in El Paso. They drove over and returned the same day.

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FOR SALE—Cabin at the Artesia Sacramento Camp, near Weed. Inquire at Advocate office.

FOR SALE—1935 Plymouth coupe, good condition. Telephone 266, or call at 712 W. Missouri. Mrs. James Felton. 38-1tc

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LOST

LOST—Leather billfold, about two weeks ago, no money, but contained social security number and car license. Reward if returned to Advocate. C. L. Jones. 38-1tp

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The following have renewed their subscription to The Advocate:

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"I wonder if I could make you melt in my arms?"
"No, I'm not that soft and you're not that hot."

The New Mexico state employment office found jobs last month for 805 men and 363 women. The total number of placements—all in private industry—was 166.3 per cent higher than in July. A slight increase in veteran employment was recorded. Despite the increase, a total of 2,000 unemployed veterans remain.

Oil Activity—

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ing to run casing. Interstate Minerals, Inc., Stephens 1, NE sec. 22-15-29. Location.

J. & L. Hurd 2, SW sec. 11-11-26. Total depth 1,650 feet; fishing for tools.

Nay Hightower, Billingslea 1, NE sec. 28-11-30. Rigging up standard tools.

Frederick et al., Reed 1, SW sec. 28-24-28. Shut down at 2,770 feet.

Premier, Madderren-Beeson 1-E, SE sec. 28-17-30. Drilling at 2,530 feet.

Repollo, Beeson 3, SE sec. 28-17-30. Total depth 3,268 feet; shot with 60 quarts nitro from 3,191 to 3,207 feet; after shot swabbed 145 barrels oil in 24 hours; running tubing to test.

Yates-Dooley, Creek 1, NE sec. 35-18-30. Drilling at 3,010 feet.

English & Harmon, Daugherty 2, NW sec. 3-17-27. Total depth 2,319 feet; half million cubic feet of gas; preparing to shoot.

Total depth 1,107 feet; rigging up standard tools.

Interstate Minerals, Inc., Dunnagan 1, NW sec. 15-15-30. Total depth 2,400 feet; prepar-

Lea County
Mascho, Cloyd 2, SW sec. 20-22-33. Total depth 5,038 feet; bailed 5 bailers salt water per hour with light show of oil.

Chaves County
Fisher, et al, Foster 1, NW sec. 7-15-26.

Bulldogs Open—

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good and prospects for it are excellent, except for a possible lack of reserve power.

The team will leave for Ft. Sumner at 7 o'clock tomorrow morning and the game is called for 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon.

The coach released the following as the probable beginning line-up: Phillips, le; Juarez, lt; Sturgis, lg; H. Crockett, c; Robert Garner, rg, acting captain; Stuart, rt; Burgess, re; Rice, lh; Ansley, rh; Nelson, qb; Evans, fb.

Possible substitutes: Kennedy or Janecka, le; Lewis or Swackhammer, lt; Powell, lg; Roberts, c; Ward, rg; D. Crockett, rt; Connor, re; Pior or Green, lh; Ferguson or Bolton, rh; McCasland, qb; Madders, fb.

No game has been scheduled for next week, but C. D. Marshall, high school principal and athletic director, has written a number of letters seeking to fill the schedule at that time.

Including the game Friday at Ft. Sumner, the Bulldogs are scheduled to play ten games, four of which will be at home. The complete schedule appears in a front page box in this issue. It is suggested that it be clipped for future reference.

Construction of eighty-five miles of fence, maintaining of 146 miles of existing fence and marking of fourteen miles of forest boundaries helped keep stray livestock from double-grazing range already in use and prevented other forms of trespass.

Water resources were improved by building nineteen impounding or diversion dams, drilling a half dozen wells and developing springs and other sources.

Erosion control work on national forest land included installation of approximately 3,600 check dams, seeding or sodding a large area and excavating channels and ditches to carry off the flow in gullies.

CCC labor was also devoted to control of tree insect pests on 9,000 acres of timber land. Valuable work was done at tree nurseries maintained by the Forest Service.

Aunt Kate: "When I was younger I could have married anybody I pleased."
Little Bobby: "And didn't you please anybody, Aunt Kate?"

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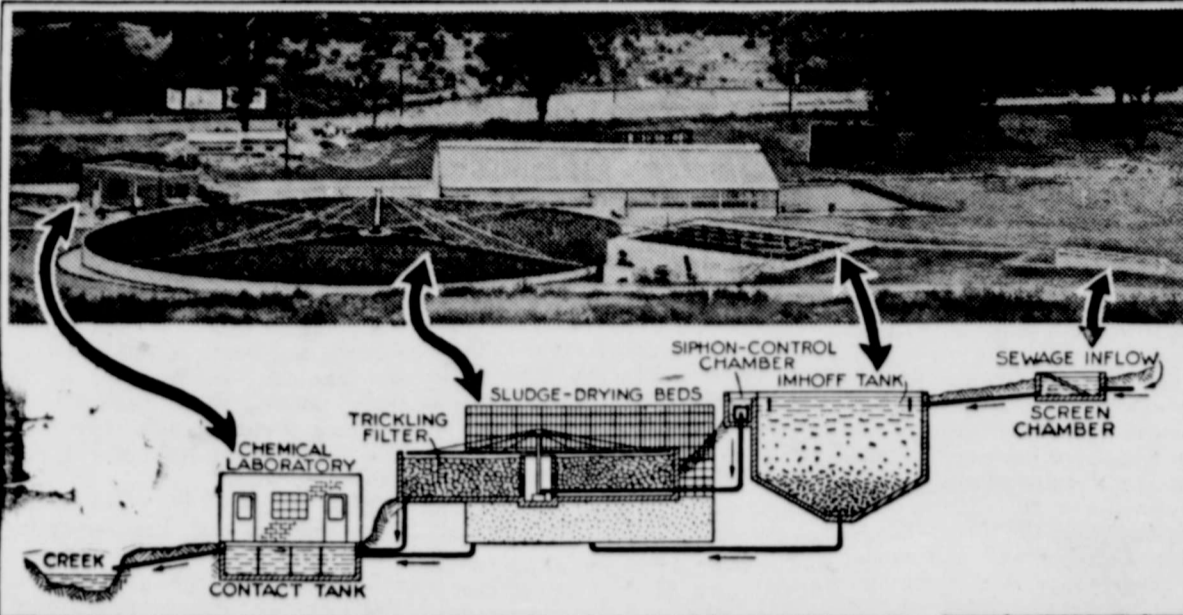
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STREAM POLLUTION PROBLEM IS EASILY SOLVED, ENGINEER SAYS



The compact and efficient sewage disposal plant pictured above is located in Scranton, Pa., home of the International Correspondence Schools. An engineering authority of the institution had the above drawing made to show how easily the stream pollution problem may be solved by the average community.

ONE of the major problems of most communities is sewage disposal and its evil attendant, stream pollution. Samuel Baker, Director of Civil Engineering, International Correspondence Schools, Scranton, Pa., points out that the movement for abatement of stream pollution is being widely adopted as a part of community planning.

Baker explains that before long most states will very likely compel the construction of sewage disposal plants. He suggests now is the ideal time for communities with this problem to provide a satisfactory treatment plant. Money is available from taxes and public bonds at low rates of interest, according to Baker, and until September 30, grants up to 45 per cent of the cost of the project are available through the Public Works Administration.

While the usual method of sewage disposal is to empty the waste into streams, such pollution can be prevented by the community which pro-

vides a plant for treating the waste. The process is easily understood as explained by Baker.

Raw sewage from the street first enters a screen chamber at the highest level of the plant where such large solids as sticks or garbage are filtered out on a screen. From there the sewage flows into an Imhoff tank through which it passes slowly so that most of the smaller solids settle out by gravity. On the bottom of the tank is formed a mud-like deposit known as sludge. During the six or seven months that the sludge remains in the tank it is acted upon by bacteria which remove its unpleasant and harmful properties.

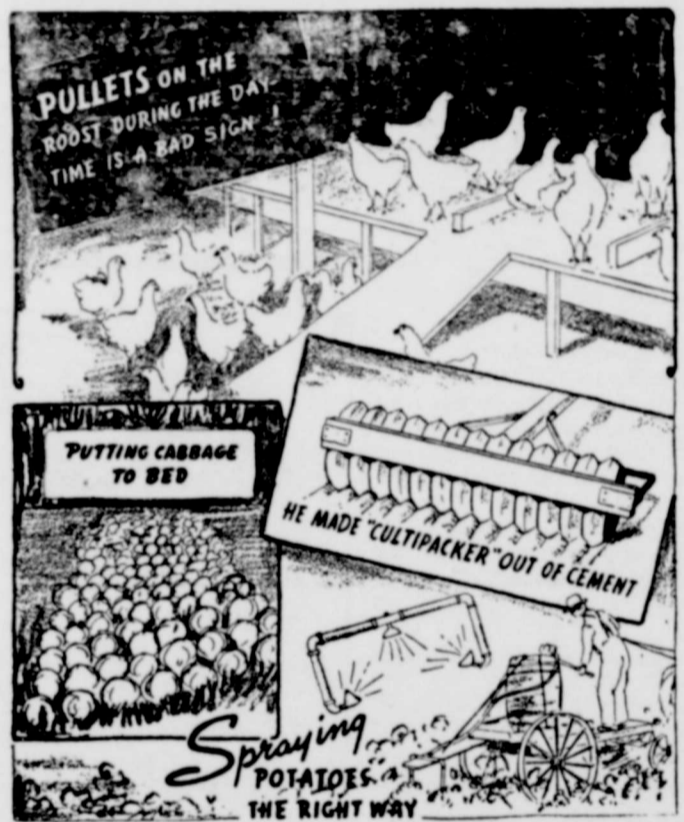
The harmless sludge is piped into a greenhouse, easily recognized in the picture, where it is spread out for drying and subsequent disposal as fertilizer. Contrary to its appearance the structure which resembles a greenhouse is used entirely as a drying house.

From the Imhoff tank, the partially clarified sewage flows into a cham-

ber containing a siphon that regulates the flow of sewage into a distributor with four arms which rotate slowly over a filter. Each arm contains small openings over its entire length and, as the sewage flows out of the holes, the arms are caused to rotate. The sewage drops onto the filter and trickles through a layer of broken stone. This layer retains the fine solid material that is still in the sewage and many of the bacteria.

The liquid that comes out of the filter and also the liquid from the sludge-drying beds flows to a contact tank, where it is disinfected by means of liquid chlorine that kills all bacteria. The flow of chlorine is controlled by apparatus located in a chemical laboratory, where various tests are also made to determine the condition of the sewage at each step of the treatment process. The disinfected liquid, free from odor and bacteria, finally is emptied into a stream.

FARMING IT . . . BY WILLARD BOLTE



When pullets hunt the roosts during daylight hours it is a sure indication of bulges in the flock. The smart thing to do is to move the timid birds to another pen, where they will be able to get enough to eat.

Each of the sections of the land roller in the sketch is made of concrete—cast in a home-made form. Cabbage can be kept through the winter successfully by bedding it on sod or straw and covering with litter of some kind. The heads

freeze but usually come out in good shape. The first time I tried it an old sow got into the bed before I did. After that I covered it with chicken wire—pegged down.

The hardest part of spraying potatoes is to get the bordeaux on the under parts of the plants. Illustration shows how an Iowa farmer solved this problem. As the plants grow larger he uses longer pipe nipples on his nozzle assembly. The wheels of his home-made wagon are three feet apart.

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Lucky Is Farmer In Whose Fields Hawk Hordes Stop

Single Bird Will Eat as Many as 200 Grasshoppers in Single Meal

With ground squirrels about to begin their winter hibernation and grasshoppers dying after having laid their eggs in the ground, the food supply of the big soaring summer hawks is rapidly vanishing. Not being equipped as are some of the smaller, faster hawks, with the ability to catch other food, these big, lazy, soaring fellows are now starting to move south, the National Association of Audubon Societies says.

First come the great flocks of Swainson's hawks, one of the few hawks that travels in company with hundreds of its kind. Lucky is the farmer whose fields are visited by a flock, as their appetite for grasshoppers is enormous. A single Swainson's hawk has been found to have as high as 200 grasshoppers in its stomach, after a single meal. Even if a flock of 200 or 300 hawks stays for only one meal, the result will be a lot less grasshopper eggs in the ground to hatch next spring.

Swainson's hawks cannot be expected to stop for very long at this season as they have a long trip ahead, and must keep moving if they are to be in their winter home in Argentina, South America, by Christmas. However, they do have to eat and rest as they travel, and sometimes every fence post and telephone pole for miles will have a resting hawk on it.

Following the Swainson's hawks, come other big soaring varieties, red-tails, ferruginous rough-legs and marsh hawks. They also have found squirrels, gophers and other small rodents harder to find, and being birds, the natural thing to do is to migrate. All during the fall these hawks will be a common sight perched on posts along the roads.

Here and there a dead hawk will be found, hanging from a fence, shot by some foolish person without sufficient curiosity to open the bird's stomach, and see for himself what it had been eating. Somewhere, however, a rancher will have one less helper next summer, in combatting crop and grass destroying ground squirrels, gophers, mice, rabbits, crickets and grasshoppers.

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