

# Artesia Advocate

PRESIDENT'S BIRTHDAY BALL  
MONDAY, JAN. 30  
FIGHT INFANTILE PARALYSIS

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## President's Birthday Ball to Be Big Social Event of the Season

### City Officials and Wives Will Be in First Section of Grand March at Central School Gymnasium Here Monday Evening.

### SUCCESS IS ASSURED

### Funds to Be Used in Fight on Infantile Paralysis—Half Stays at Home.

The President's Birthday Ball at the gymnasium of Central School next Monday evening, to raise funds for fighting infantile paralysis, promises not only to be successful from a financial standpoint but to be the biggest social event of the current season.

Headed by Hon. Hollis G. Watson, mayor of Artesia, and Mrs. Watson, the traditional grand march, a highlight of the evening, will be in four sections, the first of which will be made up of city officials and their wives.

In the second section will be the heads of various civic organizations and their wives and husbands. The third will be headed by Carl Folkner, general chairman of the ball committee, and Mrs. Folkner. In his section will be chairmen and members of the sub-committees and their wives, husbands or escorts. The general public will make the final section. Elmer Perry, ball chairman for Eddy County, will have a place of honor with Mr. Folkner.

Loren E. Neely, marshal of the grand march, will precede Mr. and Mrs. Watson and will direct the movements.

Sharing honors in the first section with Mayor and Mrs. Watson will be Arba Green, C. O. Brown, Albert Richards, W. H. Gilmore, J. R. Attebery, A. G. Glasser, Emery Carper and V. D. Bolton, Aldermen, and J. C. Floore, Sr., chief of police, and their wives. Alderman Richards has a double honor, being also fire chief.

The heads of organizations who have been invited to march in the second section, with their wives or husbands, and the organizations they represent are: American Legion, C. R. Baldwin; American Legion Auxiliary, Mrs. Raymond Bartlett; Chamber of Commerce, Charles Morgan; Rotary Club, W. Leslie Martin; Woman's Club, Mrs. John Lanning; Board of Education, R. L. Paris; city schools, W. E. Kerr, superintendent; Spanish-American War Veterans, Jack Kennedy; P. E. O., Mrs. Fred Cole; postmaster, Jesse L. Truett.

Entitled to be in the third section with Mr. and Mrs. Folkner are the following, given by committees, each to be accompanied by wife, husband or escort, although some likewise are privileged to march in the first or second section:

Grand march, Mrs. C. R. Blocker, Mrs. Jesse L. Truett, Mrs. Charles Morgan and Miss Beth King; hall, Fred Cole, R. L. Paris and Neil B. Watson.

Music, C. R. Vandagriff and Jess Funk; tickets, H. G. Watson, Arba Green, Mrs. D. C. Blue, Mrs. Howard Gissler and Mrs. Howard Whiston.

Finance, T. H. Flint and Miss Agnes Leonard; decorations, Miss Katherine Ragsdale, Miss Jimmie King, Mrs. Raymond Bartlett, James Thigpen and J. B. Muncy.

President's radio speech, Roy Langston and Fred Henderson; publicity, Pot Bert, "Chuck" Baldwin, Mrs. Ruth Vandever and Miss Virginia Woods.

The grand march will start promptly at 9 o'clock.

All of the net receipts of the ball will be used to combat infantile paralysis and other disorders of children. Fifty per cent will go to the national foundation and 50 per cent will remain in Artesia to be used as directed locally.

The local committee raised additional funds by soliciting sponsors for a full page advertisement about the ball, appearing in this issue.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Hinshaw drove to Carlsbad Caverns Monday to join C. E. Huish of Salt Lake City, Utah, in a trip through the caverns. Mr. Huish was an employee of Mr. Hinshaw when the latter was part owner of a Payson, Utah weekly newspaper 40 years ago, and is now owner and operator of a chain of 14 Utah Nevada theaters.

For Ribbons—The Advocate

### SHERIFFS TO MEET ON FIELD OF HONOR

Howell Gage, Lord High Sheriff of Eddy County, will cross lariat with Sheriff Louis Roberson of Pecos, Tex., for supremacy of the West on the Carlsbad Goat Ropers' Club field of honor Sunday afternoon.

The sheriff challenged the sheriff, and the sheriff chose for weapons—of all things—ropes. It seems the old six-shooters are going into the discard.

But, "Our Hal" hastens to say by way of setting things straight, they will not rope each other, nor will they rope smelly old goats. Rather, they will rope—or attempt to rope—five calves each.

As the high point of a baby rodeo Sunday, the two-sheriff event is attracting much interest.

## Three Wildcat Oil Wells Producing, One as a Gasser

### Are in New Westmount Area—Six Others Have Been Completed

Completion of three producing wildcat wells, one a gasser, in the new Westmount area six miles south of Lovington was reported among nine completions in the Southeast New Mexico oil fields the last week, centering interest on that pool.

Six other completions were made, of which one was a dry hole.

The gasser, Stanolind, State 1, SE 1-17-36, gauged 7,000,000 cubic feet. It was completed at a total depth of 4,980 feet and plugged back and the casing perforated from 3,891 to 3,911 feet.

The other completed wildcats were Skelly, State 1-N, NE 36-13-36, and Amerada, State 1, SW 1-17-36.

The Skelly well flowed 80 barrels of oil in 21 hours through an 18/36-inch choke on tubing from a total depth of 5,012 feet.

Completed at 4,813 feet, the Amerada well flowed 198 barrels in 20 hours through a 1/2-inch choke on tubing from 4,813 feet.

The other completions: Magnolia, Bridges 22, SW 24-17-34; total depth 4,700 feet; flowed 48 barrels in 8 hours.

Phillips, Santa Fe 22, SW 26-17-35; total depth 4,528 feet; flowed 255 barrels in 7 hours.

Drilling & Exploration Co., State 1-B, NW 22-17-35; total depth 4,690 feet; plugged and abandoned.

Continental, Sanderson 1, NW 14-20-36; total depth 3,825 feet; flowed 27 barrels oil per hour.

Rush, State 3, SE 20-20-37; total depth 3,842 feet; flowed 45 barrels per day.

Cities Service, State 1-M, SW 36-21-36; total depth 3,840 feet; flowed 265 barrels in 14 hours.

Two new locations were made in Eddy County: Aston & Fair, Hudson 1, NE 18-17-31, and Hughes, Brooks 2, NE 19-17-28.

Locations in Lea County: Phillips, Santa Fe 23, SW 26-17-35; Phillips, Santa Fe 24, NE 34-17-35; Phillips, Santa Fe 25, SE 30-17-35; Phillips, Santa Fe 26, SW 29-17-35; Magnolia, Bridges 25, SE 26-17-34; Two States, Cole 4, NW 16-22-37.

Progress among wildcats of interest:

**Eddy County**  
Dominion Oil Co., Johnson 3, SW sec. 35-16-31.  
Total depth 3,950 feet; fishing for bit.

English & Harmon, Stagner 1, SE sec. 31-17-31.  
Drilling at 3,855 feet.

Farmer & Tallmadge, Hubbell 1-B, SW sec. 4-18-25, 5 miles southwest of Artesia.  
Total depth 380 feet; shut down for orders.

Franklin, Ballard 1, SE sec. 1-18-29.  
Total depth 430 feet; surface casing standing cemented.

Trojan Oil Co., Grant 1, NE sec. 33-20-25.  
Total depth 427 feet; shut down for bond.

Yates, Yates 1, SW sec. 6-18-30 (continued on last page, column 1)

## Three Tickets in Field for School Board Election

Three tickets of candidates to be voted on at the school board election Tuesday, Feb. 14, have been named, two during the last week. Nominated at a citizens' caucus Saturday were M. G. Schulze and Joe Foster for six-year terms and Frank Smith for the unexpired term of two years.

At another caucus Tuesday Boone Barnett and Dr. Lawrence Clarke were nominated for the six-year terms. No candidate was named for the unexpired term.

Previously nominated and announced last week were Fred Cole, incumbent, and Landis B. Feather for the full term, and C. J. Dexter to complete the term of the late Lina A. Manda, which office he has been filling by appointment until the election.

The Advocate is informed more nominations are under consideration by groups of citizens.

Tom Ragsdale, city clerk, asks that all nominations be certified to him by the close of business Thursday, Feb. 9, as he intends to have the ballots printed on Feb. 10.

## Airport and Chick Project Considered By Chamber Board

The board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce at a meeting Monday evening took recognition of the growing need of a grade "A" airport at Artesia and considered the sponsorship of a chicken raising project for boys and girls, leading to a poultry show next fall.

The airport proposition was referred to the publicity committee, Pot Bert, A. P. Mahone and John Shearman, which is to look into the requirements of the government for a grade "A" port, what will be necessary in order to have one here and the benefits to be derived.

W. Leslie Martin, R. G. Knoedler and J. Hise Myers, members of the agricultural committee, were instructed to work out plans for the proposed chicken project.

Tentative plans call for sponsorship by a number of citizens, each of whom will advance \$2.50 to provide twenty-five baby chicks for some boy or girl and to pay certain other expenses.

Each boy or girl is to raise the chicks under instructions to be received at least once a month during the spring and summer.

After the proposed poultry show, some of the chickens are to be turned back and sold, in order to create a fund for a similar project next year, making it a perpetual program, according to the tentative plans.

## Two Are Injured In Accident Near Elk Late Tuesday

### Alamogordo Youths Hurt When Car Collides With Truck

Buster Carr and John Stout of Alamogordo, both about 24, were injured and their automobile and a lumber truck with which it collided were badly damaged east of Elk Tuesday night. The truck driver, Earl Wetz, was uninjured.

The two men were brought to Artesia about 2:30 o'clock Wednesday morning and, after first aid treatment, were rushed to St. Mary Hospital, Roswell.

Carr sustained a broken arm and minor cuts and bruises and Stout received what attending physicians said was a serious head injury.

The young men, returning to Alamogordo from Austin, Tex., passed through Artesia earlier in the evening. It is believed they were tired and the driver dozed off.

The truck driver, unable to drive either his truck or the automobile because of damages, and with two injured youths on his hands miles from assistance, built a fire and made them as comfortable as possible until a pick-up truck came along and they were brought here.

Dr. H. A. Stroup, who attended the men here, said yesterday that although the transportation of the men to Artesia in the pick-up truck was made in good faith and with assistance as the motive, extreme care should always be observed in moving anyone with a head injury, that more damage than good is

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## Seek Funds to Improve Roads To Oil Fields

### Artesia Finds Competition from Carlsbad in Bid for County Aid—Commissioners Cannot Help Until April.

Two committees are raising funds this week in Artesia, one each among oil men and business houses, to improve feeder roads in the oil fields by way of keeping faith with the Eddy County commissioners, who have shown interest in the roads but cannot help until the budget is made up in April.

The action was decided on at a public meeting Friday evening at the Chamber of Commerce rooms, at which a committee, previously appointed, reported favorably on conferences with the commissioners.

Emery Carper and Carl Folkner, members of that committee, said they had taken all three county commissioners over the roads, built by oil companies and proposed to be made county roads.

The commissioners, they reported, said they will give consideration to the improvements.

However, Mr. Carper and Mr. Folkner recommended that local funds be raised to maintain the roads already built until the commissioners are at liberty to take action.

It is believed the state may be prevailed upon to match funds with local interests by way of road improvements, as some of the fields are on state lands.

Since the meeting Friday Carlsbad citizens have started a fight to have a state road built from the American Potash Company mine and refinery to the sand area, a distance of about ten miles.

It is approximately the same distance from the sand area to Highway 83, local oil men point out, and one of the oil interest roads already built and proposed as a county highway covers that distance.

Artesia is the natural focus point for the oil fields in the Artesia-Grayburg-Jackson-Maljammar area, and here most of the interests are located, oil men said. Also they have spent considerable money in building roads for the use of oil, over which business carries on for the benefit of all of Eddy County.

If the county commissioners decide to improve one or the other stretches from the sand area, it should be to the north, connecting with Highway 85, it was pointed out by one Artesia business man, for Artesia has helped the county in general by being instrumental in developing the oil business.

On the other hand, he said, Carlsbad has its potash mines, its Carlsbad Caverns, its Goat Ropers' Club and its courthouse.

Artesia interests will make a strong bid for the feeder roads, including the one to the sand area and the committees on funds hope this week to raise from \$5,000 to \$7,000 to put the roads in good shape by way of showing good faith.

The committees: City — Clyde Guy, H. W. Kiddy, C. J. Dexter, O. L. Samelson and L. E. Folkner; oil interests—J. K. Wallingford, Emery Carper and Carl Folkner.

## Brown Bomber Is Still Champ by First Round KO

A ruthless, smashing killer with as much mercy as a bombing plane, Joe Louis blasted John Henry Lewis into submission in less than three minutes last night in Madison Square Garden, New York, to defend successfully his world heavyweight championship for the fifth time.

The most dangerous puncher since Dempsey just tore the head off the challenger with vicious rights as he battered John Henry all over the ring almost from the first second on. Joe dropped him for counts of two and three, and then smashed him to the floor again.

The champion, a 1 to 10 favorite to keep the title in this first all-Negro heavyweight championship bout in the United States history, followed the course of a campaign he had planned.

Adding Machines for Sale or Rent—The Advocate.

## Womack Boy Who Was Killed Is Not Son of Physician

Clarence Womack, Jr., 9-year-old Carlsbad boy who was crushed to death under the wheels of a truck Saturday afternoon, was not a son of Dr. and Mrs. C. P. Womack of Carlsbad, former Artesia residents. Many friends of Dr. and Mrs. Womack called The Advocate office inquiring about the accident.

The doctor was in Artesia Sunday after having heard of the death of the boy and set at ease the minds of a number of friends here.

The accident victim was a son of Clarence Womack of the Bureau of Reclamation. He was killed instantly when the wheels of a heavy truck ran over his head.

The truck was driven by Haley Hughes, 29, who was absolved of blame by a coroner's jury, who held the accident was unavoidable.

Clarence Womack, Jr., and two companions, Billy Drake, 14, and Jack Perry, 13, were riding bicycles about four miles east of Carlsbad. The other boys testified at the inquest they did not see the truck until just before the accident and that they could not hear the horn because of strong wind.

## Diets Should Be Prescribed Only By One's Doctor

None but a physician should tell a person what to eat or how to eat it, Miss Esther Johnson, Eddy County health nurse said Tuesday.

"He alone is capable of giving this advice," Miss Johnson continued, "for there are more house calls as a result of poor dietary habits than for any other one thing."

Miss Johnson then discussed the digestive tract, the functions of each organ and the part different glands play in the body mechanism. She discussed underweight, overweight and pointed out the dangers of overweight as far as longevity was concerned.

"Walking is the best and cheapest physical therapy there is," she pointed out in explaining how to keep down overweight.

Mrs. R. S. Cavin, formerly of Lexington, Okla., has established her residence in Artesia at 505 South First Street. She is the mother of Mrs. Ray Pate and Mrs. Elbert Ditto.

Miss Agnes Leonard returned Saturday night from Dallas, where she attended a meeting of the National Association of Dry Cleaners. While there she purchased new equipment for Nobby Cleaners, soon to be installed.

## Artesia Bulldogs, Carlsbad Cavemen To Meet Tuesday

### Old Rivals Will Clash on Floor Here in the Central School Gym

The Artesia Bulldogs seemingly having hit their stride of the season in the last half of the basketball game against Lake Arthur there Tuesday evening by scoring twenty points to win 29 to 26, the Bulldogs-Carlsbad Cavemen encounter here next Tuesday promises to be a good one.

These schools are traditional rivals and both teams will be out to win their initial clash of the current basketball season.

As an added attraction, the Girls' Pep Club is sponsoring the crowning of a "Basketball Queen" for Artesia High School during the evening.

Members of the boxing team which will go to Hobbs for the Golden Gloves tournament in February will stage two bouts between the junior varsity game, which will begin at 7 o'clock, and the senior varsity game.

After playing listless basketball at Lake Arthur Tuesday and trailing at the half 13 to 4, the Bulldogs came from behind to win a whirlwind game by a close margin.

Nihart and Alexander headed the attack for Lake Arthur, while Rice, Lewis and Burgess played a good brand of ball for the Bulldogs.

The Artesia team will go to Hope Friday evening. Hope is out to avenge a game played here Jan. 6 in which Artesia won 24 to 22 in an extra period game.

## Is Not Accident Artesia Grows, Citizens Learn at CC Banquet

### THERE BUT FOR THE GRACE OF GOD GO I

Broken bodies! Broken futures! Broken lives! These represent the toll of infantile paralysis.

The world offers handicaps enough and none can see some little kid bravely struggling along on crutches, without some tugging at heart strings.

Infantile paralysis, however, attacks not only children but even grown people. Whenever one sees the pitiful results of this damnable disease each might well remember "There, but for the grace of God, go I."

Support of the celebration of President Roosevelt's birthday here Monday will help in the fight against infantile paralysis.

Or a dime sent the president at the White House might represent the swing of the balance for someone between a happy future and an intolerable existence.

## Arguments Heard In Potash Damage Suit on Wednesday

### Defense Contends Previous Verdict Is Inconsistent With Evidence

Arguments were heard in District Court at Carlsbad Wednesday by Judge J. B. McGhee on a motion of the United States Potash Company for a new trial in the suits of three Pecos Valley farmers seeking \$250,000 damages for alleged damage to lands and crops, who in December were awarded damages of \$75,000 by a jury in the first trial.

J. O. Seth, Santa Fe, counsel for the defense, argued that a new trial should be granted on the grounds that the jury, which returned a verdict awarding the farmers at specified amounts per acre, did not set forth the number of acres in the verdict, and that it therefore was irregular.

Seth pointed out that the jurors apparently ignored the testimony of world-renowned geologists, who testified that water could not possibly leave the potash company's lake, and that the verdict was inconsistent with the evidence.

Caswell Neal, counsel for the plaintiffs, contended that the verdicts were good, and that judgments should be entered in accordance with them.

Judge McGhee was expected to give his decision today.

## Funeral Services For W. E. Willis

Funeral services for W. E. Willis, who died Wednesday night of last week at the age of 67 years, were held at McClay Chapel at 3 o'clock last Thursday afternoon. Burial was in Woodbine Cemetery.

Mr. Willis was born Jan. 14, 1872, in Missouri. He is survived by his widow and children.

The family moved to Eddy County about eleven years ago.

## BOY SCOUT TROOP RECEIVES AWARDS

Troop 8, Boy Scouts, received two awards the last few days, Ed West, scoutmaster, announced.

A membership award in the form of a blue ribbon was received by the troop, one of about a dozen troops in the Eastern New Mexico Council area so honored.

The other was a standard troop budget seal for having remained within the budget set for the last year.

C. R. Vandagriff left last week for Bristow, Okla., to join Mrs. Vandagriff and return with her to Artesia, after a visit with relatives.

Mr. Vandagriff was accompanied by a brother-in-law, A. G. Gelwick of Bristow, and by two brothers, John Vandagriff of Elk City, Okla., and Percy Vandagriff of Reydon, Okla., all of whom were called to Artesia last week by the death of E. Bryan Vandagriff, a brother living at Seven Rivers. Mr. and Mrs. Vandagriff will return to Artesia this week end.

## Is Planned That Way and Through Cooperative Effort, El Pasoan Says Last Evening in Annual Event Here.

### IS ATTENDED BY 160

## Amarillo Stutterer Nearly Rolls Guests in Aisles Just for Fun.

Artesia has grown and is growing not by accident, but through cooperative effort — through the "aristocracy of service" — L. P. Bloodworth, outside contacts man of the El Paso Chamber of Commerce, declared at the annual Artesia Chamber of Commerce banquet last evening.

Speaking on the Roof Garden of the Artesia Hotel before about 160 persons, seventeen of whom were guests from out of town, Mr. Bloodworth praised Artesia, saying he knows of no city doing so much to build itself.

The other principal "speaker" of the evening was Cecil Hunter of Amarillo, an employee of the Santa Fe, who kept his audience in an uproar, as he stumbled and stuttered aimlessly about nothing for nearly a half hour. A number of clever imitations were interspersed in his entertainment.

G. V. Price, retiring president of the Chamber of Commerce, cited the chamber's cooperation in road improvements, streets, the new school buildings, the new hospital and the municipal playground and swimming pool, as being part of the constructive work done by that body.

Mr. Price introduced Charles Morgan, new president, who asked for the continued cooperation of Chamber of Commerce members and other citizens.

No Red on the Books

Preceding the retiring and new presidents, Arba Green, secretary-manager of the organization, gave a brief report of the last year, saying all bills were paid and a nice balance remained in the bank. And he thanked the public for cooperation.

Mark A. Corbin, a member of the Chamber of Commerce board of directors and "toastmaster deluxe," carried the program in his customary subtle manner and instilled an atmosphere of neighborliness.

The principal speaker, Mr. Bloodworth, spoke of the Great Southwest, built through the faith of the early settlers to see the potential possibilities of a great Western empire and their courage to carry out the program necessary to build it.

In the Chamber of Commerce is found that "aristocracy of service" through which men are willing to pull together, he said. And it manifests itself by growing a greater Artesia and drawing more people here.

Go After Tourist Business

Mr. Bloodworth advised Artesia to go after the tourist business, for, he said, it is the greatest "crop" in the Southwest and it will help to build a greater Southwest.

The tourist business in the United States, the El Pasoan said, now has eclipsed the steel, cotton and sugar industries. "America is on wheels today, in this streamlined age, in which it is glorious to live, and goes where she is invited," he added.

Build for the Future

"The pioneers built a great empire," Mr. Bloodworth said, "and we would not be worthy of our sires if we did not build on. If we have a part in this 'aristocracy of service,' we must build for those who shall come—build for the future."

Prior to the program, entertainment was furnished by a string ensemble under the direction of Doris Welborne and a double male quartet of Artesia High School boys under the direction of Augusta Spratt, who also accompanied the ensemble.

Musicians Also Entertain

Violinists, besides Mrs. Welborne, were: Annadale Williams, Lewis Story, Jr., Jane Shugart, Shirley Bartlett, Helen Louise Wells and Mattie Frances Vaughn.

The double quartet: "Chuck" Baldwin, Robert Garner, Ernest Morgan, W. R. Phillips, James Evans, Paul Thomason, Walter Bynum and Billy Townsend.

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### SOW AND YE SHALL REAP

Day by day Artesia is becoming a better little city and should continue to develop at a healthy pace. Many persons believe that the development and growth such as is taking place here is just like Ann, who simply grew up. But the fact of the matter is that any progressive municipality owes its development to a carefully worked out plan or plans by the community's far-sighted citizens.

In no city does everyone take part in planning and carrying out ideas for growth and improvement. But there are always a few who are willing. Artesia is blessed with a goodly number of men and women who are willing to do and look ahead, think out worthwhile projects and see them through.

We could point out many such projects of the past, of which we should be proud and for which we should give credit. But the thing which interests us most today or any day is the future.

In this column we have from time to time mentioned things which Artesia needs. In so doing, we may be expressing our own ideas as an individual, but we also are reflecting the thoughts—and in some cases the actual plans—of bodies of deep-thinking citizens.

It may be surprising to some people, who do not sit in on the numerous meetings and conferences, to know how much of that sort of thing is going on around here every week.

We have good schools and our school system is being improved today through the efforts of Artesia citizens. Our new City Hall is under construction. Soon we will have a modern hospital and our new athletic park will be second to none.

Some might say that is enough to bite off for the present, that every improvement costs money. Certainly, it costs money, but so did the water system, the street paving, the schools and many other necessary improvements without which Artesia today would not be the thriving little city which it is.

And only by continuing to spend money will we continue to develop.

All improvements will not come through the great outlay of local funds. For instance, we need and are entitled to a federal building, the cost of which—if and when we get it—will be paid for by the federal government, but will be an improvement for Artesia nevertheless.

And we need a modern airport badly. We have taken up that subject many times because we believe Artesia should have one and because many local citizens are working to that end.

Some citizens who do not have foresight think a grade "A" airport is not a necessity. But do they realize the "horse-and-buggy" days gave way to motor travel, and that motor travel is being outmoded by many persons taking to air travel?

Another thing which is brought home to us in recent days is the fact Uncle Sam, made defense minded because of the European turmoil, soon will train thousands of aviators. Many will be reserve fliers within the next few years. These young men will want to continue to fly and those who can afford it will buy and maintain private planes. It would be a shame for the Artesia lads to have to keep their planes at Roswell or somewhere else.

As the country becomes more air-minded, landing fields and service accommodations will be as necessary as a highway service station is today.

Quick travel is the coming thing and oil men already are taking to the air. There is hardly a week passes but what at least one oil man flies here—or, frequently, to Roswell, El Paso or Albuquerque, then comes on by automobile—either by private plane or airliner.

With the revenue derived in Artesia because of the oil fields, local citizens should be vitally interested in their development, and roads which tend to encourage oil operations should be considered by the public. A number of far-sighted business men are working this week to that end. Give them your support.

We need a recreation center for the young folks, as was pointed out last week.

We should look to a zoning law, whereby the minimum cost of buildings would be set for the several zones created, as well as restricting the types of buildings in each, confining business structures to business zones and prohibiting them in certain residence districts.

It has been pointed out an attempt has been made to zone Artesia—other than under the present fire zone law, which is a good one—after the idea advanced above, but that there is no state law under which it can be done. However, Santa Fe restricts the type of buildings which may be constructed there. Of course, that may be done without backing of law, by the simple trick of refusing to issue building permits other than for the Spanish type of construction which is closely adhered to.

The same could be done in Artesia. There is today some building of the wrong type for the future, the erection of low cost structures, as well as small structures, where in a few years higher priced buildings will be desirable. A zoning law is the only solution.

As we said before, we believe in these ideas and hope to help put them over, but we are not alone. They are the thoughts also of many Artesia citizens and every theory embodied herein has been discussed at greater length or less length by groups of men who are constantly striving to build for the future of Artesia.

These same men will continue to plan and see improvements through for the general good, but they need the support of every citizen. And the men who are doing things usually spend more money putting them over than they possibly can hope for in return.

In that respect, it seems strange that the men who profit most from improvements are conspicuous by their absence from all meetings of a public nature, designed to build for a better community and from which they reasonably could be expected to profit. Could it be that they prefer to have the other fellow sow; that all they hope to do is reap?

After knocking elbows and breaking bread with other good citizens at the Chamber of Commerce banquet last night, don't you think once a year is too infrequent?

Infantile paralysis is a pitiable disease. Be sure to support the President's Birthday Ball Monday.

Coffee has been added to the list of foodstuffs to be rationed to the public by the German government. If they try that with a certain other beverage, comes the revolution!—Gallup Independent.

## CHURCHES

**ST. ANTHONY CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
504 North Ninth Street

Priest in charge, Rev. Gerald Biver.

Time of Sunday Masses:  
8 a. m. for American speaking people.  
9:30 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.  
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, phone 356.  
B. G. Sanders, Sunday school superintendent.

Mrs. E. A. Paton, W. F. M. S. president.  
Miss Berthold Alcorn, N. Y. P. S. president.

Miss Eleanor Clark, church secretary and treasurer.  
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.

Sermon, 11 a. m.  
N. Y. P. S., 6:45 p. m.  
Sermon, 7:30 p. m.

Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 7:30.  
W. F. M. S. meets every first and third Thursday.

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9:45 a. m., Bible school.  
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6:30 p. m., Baptist training service.

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11-11:50 a. m., sermon by the local minister.

11:50-12 a. m., Lord's supper.  
6-7 p. m., training classes.  
7-8 p. m., evening sermon.  
You are always welcome.

Allen E. Johnson, Minister

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
Fourth at Grand

Church school, 9:45 a. m.  
Morning worship, 11 a. m.  
Vesper service, 5 p. m.  
Christian Endeavor, 6 p. m.

To our visiting friends we extend a most cordial welcome. We are always delighted to have you worship with us.

At our vesper service we emphasize quiet organ music, choral and congregational singing and a brief vesper talk by the pastor.

Henry S. Stout, Minister

**FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
Sixth and Quay

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Services that are serviceable, is the principle we strive to follow. There were some worthwhile services last Sunday, and the pastor was happy to welcome into the fellowship of the church as members a husband and wife. There is a special feature planned for this Sunday. The pastor speaks on the subject: "What is the Most Horrible Sin?" To the one who names

## White Medicine Men Are Heap Smart to Get Cooperation of Red Brother M. D.

The office of Indian Affairs announced with a whoop of joy last week that the medicine man finally has decided to help the white doctor make medicine.

Hailing the cooperation as a great step in administering to sick Indians, officials said it was even more significant because it came from the Navajos of New Mexico—a deeply religious people.

Dr. Leo Schnur of the Charles H. Burke Hospital, Fort Wingate, Ariz., helped bring it about.

Mrs. Rose Smith, an Indian, was ill of diphtheria. It was imperative that she be taken to a government hospital. But she wouldn't go.

Lest the disease strike the whole tribe, Dr. Schnur and Nurse Blanche Chance set out to bring her in.

They found her in the midst of a sort of community sing, held in a Hogan. The medicine man, John Vandever, was waving his feathers and making medicine.

At the sight of the white doctor, the Indian woman covered her head and refused to talk or be talked to. The doctor's pleas to the other Indians failed. He took the medicine man aside.

The medicine man wasn't enthusiastic. Finally, Dr. Schnur had an idea.

"You come too," he said, "we'll give you a white gown like the white medicine men. We'll let you come into the hospital and be on equal footing with them."

It worked.

Medicine Man Vandever got his gown, Mrs. Rose Smith got her treatment, and the white medicine men got a great idea.

If an Indian medicine man wants an operating gown, he can have it. He can even have a stethoscope and bring along his feathers. It's a means to an end.

Medicine men now are steering sick Indians to the hospitals.

## Golf Club Hires Pro; Plans a Big Year for 1939

The Artesia Golf Club is beginning to look forward to the 1939 season as the greatest yet, with a "pro" hired, changes in the course planned, a two-story building already under construction and other improvements contemplated.

Henry Bailey was established last week as the club "pro," who will give lessons, have charge of the course and will make club repairs.

He is to live in one room of the new building, which is to be at the south side of the course, near the windmill. The other room will be used for club quarters and repair shop.

The annual meeting and banquet of the club will be in the near future, but the exact date has not been set as yet.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Wallingford left Monday morning for El Paso, Tex., for a visit of several days.

this sin correctly, he will give a copy of the New Testament. Also to the one who invites and has the most people present for this Sunday morning service, a copy of the New Testament will be given. What is the most horrible sin in the world? Who will horrify it? And who will have the largest number invited to the service?

J. Vernon Wheeler, Minister

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"Love" is the subject of the lesson-sermon which will be read in all societies and churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, Jan. 29.

The Golden Text is: "How excellent is thy living kindness, O God! therefore the children of men put their trust under the shadow of thy wings."—(Ps. 36:7.)

Among the citations which comprise the lesson-sermon is the following from the Bible: "My little children, let us not love in word, neither in tongue; but in deed and in truth."—(I John 3:18.)

The lesson-sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook: "The rich in spirit help the poor in one grand brotherhood, all having the same Principle, or Father; and blessed is that man who seeth his brother's need and supplieth it, seeking his own in another's good."

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## Health Column

Conducted by Charles M. Cree, Director, Division of Health Education

We hear a great deal today about the pasteurization of milk and how the process of pasteurization ensures a safe milk supply.

The average man in the street however, understands very little about pasteurization, the methods employed, or the effects obtained.

It has been abundantly demonstrated that heating milk to a certain temperature for a certain duration of time will kill the germs of almost all of the pathogenic types found in milk.

That is to say this heating process will kill the germs of typhoid, tuberculosis, paratyphoid, the dysenteries, diphtheria, the streptococci of scarlet fever and septic sore throat, the germs of Malta fever and undulant fever, the virus of foot and mouth disease and certain other disease organisms.

Two processes of pasteurization are in use today and each of these leaves a margin of safety. One process involves heating the milk to a temperature of 143 degrees Fahrenheit and maintaining the degree of heat for thirty minutes.

This is the process in most general use. The other process involves heating to a temperature of 160 degrees and maintaining the temperature for only 15 seconds. This latter process is gaining in popularity in the very large dairies due particularly to the short time involved.

Pasteurization without any doubt saves many lives each year by holding in control the milk borne diseases but it should be remembered that pasteurization is not an ideal but an expedient. The fact that a milk supply is pasteurized does not provide excuse for lack of sanitary and clean production methods. A pure milk is better than purified milk.

Nevertheless, the difficulties of ensuring to the public a plentiful supply of raw milk are so great that they are almost insurmountable. Even certified milk or milk of the highest qualification cannot be considered as safe unless it is pasteurized.

It is sometimes alleged that pasteurization does not destroy nature's danger signal—souring. Milk pasteurized at the temperatures mentioned sours as a result of lactic acid fermentation just as does raw milk, although a trifle more slowly.

While nature does supply us with this warning signal, nature does not supply danger signals for milk teeming with typhoid fever bacilli or with other disease germs, and from this point of view a short delay in the souring process can well be tolerated if we are to know that our milk supply is safe for our families and our children.

## Java at 10 Is Out Miles Decries to Capitol Workers

But They Can Smoke at Desks Now, even the Gals, He Says

Two capitol traditions at Santa Fe have to be jettisoned. One is 10 o'clock coffee; the other smoking in the rest rooms (for ladies only).

Governor Miles said he frowned upon both practices. The governor's statement followed a bulletin by G. S. Carter, who has taken charge of the sales tax division of the revenue bureau, as director.

Carter's bulletin, posted in the lobby of the revenue bureau, reads: "Effective today all employees, male and female, are privileged to smoke at their desks."

"This order is issued for the convenience of employees, and with the thought in mind that the 'rest-room racket' and 'coffee at 10 a. m. racket' will be permanently discontinued."

Carter explained he had found employees of his office in the habit of going across the street to a cafe every morning, about 10 o'clock, for a cup of java.

He believed the lady employees would lose less time smoking at their desks than in the rest rooms, if they just have to have a "cig."

Saying he had been informed the employees of several other offices have found these diversions pleasant, Governor Miles commented:

"In the future all employees will be expected to have their meeting with breakfast, before they come to work, and remain on the job from 8:30 a. m. until noon without this unnecessary but pleasant refreshment."

The governor added that he would insist upon promptness on the part of the employees in reporting for work. He has no desire to be a taskmaster, he said, but he believes they owe the state their full time during working hours.

Carter placed a ban also on employees entertaining visitors at their desks, saying he had instructed the telephone operator to call any employee to the front when a caller wanted to see him, or her, on personal business.

"In those instances when you leave your desk to meet with your friends, please be reasonable in the amount of time you take for such purposes," his bulletin says.

Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Askren of Roswell, were dinner guests on Sunday at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Neil Watson and Mr. Watson. They returned to their home in Roswell Sunday afternoon.

Jo Ann Massey, daughter of Mrs. Joe Massey, spent the week end in Roswell and in Ruidoso, visiting with her father, Joe Massey, and with other relatives.

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# SOCIETY.

## State Auxiliary President to Be Here Thursday

Guest of honor at a one o'clock luncheon today at the Artesia Hotel coffee shop will be Mrs. Gladys Carter, of Albuquerque, New Mexico department president of American Legion Auxiliary, who is making an official visit to the local organization.

Mrs. Carter is making a tour of all Auxiliary organizations of the state, and will also be a special guest at a called meeting of the Auxiliary, American Legion hut, at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon. Mrs. Raymond Bartlett, local Auxiliary president, will preside at both the luncheon and business sessions.

The state president will leave Artesia after the afternoon meeting to go to Carlsbad, where she will be guest-of-honor tonight at a banquet and business session of the Carlsbad unit.

## Dinner-Dance Members Have January Party

Out-of-city guests added interest to the Artesia Dinner Dance Club Saturday night, when more than fifty persons enjoyed dinner and dancing at the Artesia Hotel roof. Guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Dexter were Mr. and Mrs. Sam Marshall of Roswell; Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Wallingford had as their guests Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bedford of Roswell, and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bear of Roswell, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Ward. Oldham Moore of Dexter was also a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ward.

Dr. and Mrs. C. P. Womack, Carlsbad club members, and Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Runyan, members from Lower Penasco, were also present.

Others present were Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Bigler, Miss Ruth Bigler, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Anderson and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. B. B. McDaniel, M. E. Baish, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Blue, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Donald Burch, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Dexter, Mr. and Mrs. Landis Feather, Mr. and Mrs. Fay Hardean, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Hornaday, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Mann, Dr. and Mrs. E. A. Metzger, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Nunn, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Ward, Mrs. Laura Watson, Oscar Samelson, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Whitson, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Wallingford, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Watson and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Martin.

Gold and orange calendulas in low black vases were used to decorate the long dining table, and original Valentine verses marked each place.

Dancing was between the hours of nine and twelve o'clock, and music was provided by Lee Pritchard's Orchestra of Carlsbad.

## AUXILIARY AND PAST PRESIDENTS SPONSOR MORNING COFFEE

Sixty-four guests called between the hours of nine and ten o'clock Tuesday morning at the home of Mrs. Jesse L. Truett, when the American Legion Auxiliary and members of the Past Presidents Parley sponsored a benefit coffee. Mrs. Truett and Mrs. Lewis Story were co-hostesses, and the affair was the first of a series to be given, benefit of the organizations' campaign to furnish a room in the new Artesia hospital.

Each guest registered as she entered the Truett home, and made her donation of ten cents, or more, toward the hospital fund. Next of the series of morning coffees will be next week, place to be announced later.

## LEWIS STORY HOME IS SETTING FOR PAST PRESIDENTS LUNCHEON

Colorful appointments characterized the one o'clock luncheon for members of the Past Presidents' Parley, American Legion Auxiliary, last Friday, at the home of Mrs. Lewis Story. The luncheon table was covered with a lace cloth and the menu was served from bright pottery dishes in varied colors.

Mrs. Raymond Bartlett, Auxiliary president, was a special guest, and others present were Mrs. J. M. Story, Mrs. Ben Prior, Mrs. P. V. Morris, Mrs. Alex McGonagill, Mrs. Irvin Martin, Mrs. Jesse L. Truett and the hostess.

A business session followed the luncheon, and plans were laid for a series of morning coffees to be held each week, benefit of the hospital and past presidents' fund. A room in the new Artesia hospital. Plans were also presented for a "game party" to be held at the American Legion hut.

Coffee has been open to the public by the affair will also contain other beverage, of the hospital.

## Social Calendar

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### THURSDAY (TODAY)

Christian Young Woman's Guild, 2:30 p. m., Mrs. C. C. Connor, hostess at home of Mrs. J. W. Berry.

Young Matron's Circle of Methodist Missionary Society, Mrs. W. J. Bowden, 2:30 p. m.

Eastern Star, Masonic Temple, 7:30 p. m., social program.

Thursday Supper Bridge Club, Mrs. A. L. Colvin, 7:30 p. m.

Swastika Bridge Club, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Reynolds, 7:30 p. m.

Thursday Night Supper Club, Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Bigler, 7 p. m.

Baptist rally at church, sponsored by church young women, 7:30 p. m.

### FRIDAY

Viernes Bridge Club, Mrs. Rehn Barker, hostess, 2:30 p. m.

Miercoles Bridge Club, 1 p. m. luncheon, Artesia Hotel, Mrs. Raymond Bartlett, hostess.

H20 Bridge Club, 2 p. m., at home of Mrs. A. B. Coll.

### MONDAY

President's Birthday Ball, Central school gymnasium, grand march at 9 p. m.

### TUESDAY

So-So Club, 2:30 p. m. at home of Mrs. James Allen.

First Afternoon Bridge Club, luncheon meeting, 1 p. m., Mrs. H. A. Hamill.

### WEDNESDAY

Pinochle Club, 7:30 p. m., Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ployhar.

Youth rally for Pecos Valley and Hobbs young Methodists, 7 p. m.

Artesia Woman's Club, 2:30 p. m., Woman's Club building.

### THURSDAY (NEXT WEEK)

Presbyterian Missionary Society, 2:30 p. m., at church.

Nazarene Missionary Society, Mrs. T. H. Allen, 2:30 p. m.

Methodist Missionary Society, at church, 2:30 p. m.

Episcopal Church Guild meeting, Mrs. E. N. Bigler, 2:30 p. m.

Christian Woman's Association, 2:30 p. m., at church.

Baptist Woman's Missionary Society, 2:30 p. m., at church.

Bridge Unit Club, Miss Isabel McDonald, 7 p. m.

## MRS. CABOT HONORED BY CIRCLE AND CHURCH CLASSES THURSDAY

Members of the Home Makers Circle of the Baptist Woman's Missionary Society, and members of the Dorcas and Fidelis classes of the church complimented Mrs. N. H. Cabot Thursday afternoon at an informal shower of gifts. Mrs. Cabot has left with Mr. Cabot to re-establish their home in Vega, Tex., after making their home for some time in Artesia.

Members of the Home Makers Circle spent the morning Thursday in their regular work session at the church, and presided at a covered dish luncheon at the noon hour. Prominent among topics of discussion was the study of a 1939 watchword for the group.

At 2:30 o'clock the circle met with members of the Dorcas class, under direction of Mrs. L. C. Reynolds, and the Fidelis class, under supervision of Mrs. B. C. Perkins, to honor Mrs. Cabot at the shower. Mrs. Cabot was president of the joint membership of the classes, and was a member of the Home Makers Circle, during her residence here.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Ward, and Mrs. Sue Ward Hare left Tuesday morning for a few days visit in El Paso, Tex.

## DORCAS AND FIDELIS CLASSES HAVE PARTY

Members of the Dorcas and Fidelis classes of the First Baptist Church met for their monthly social session Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Charles Ransbarger. Mrs. B. J. Perkins presided, and arrangements were made for an informal farewell party Tuesday night honoring Mrs. Chester Kaylor, who is moving her residence to California. The party was given at the home of Mrs. Dale Walters.

Mrs. Ira C. Leibhardt and Mrs. A. D. Walden were hostesses for the joint class meeting in the afternoon, and served a course of refreshments at the close of the session.

## SHIRLEY KAYLOR IS HONORED AT PARTY

Farewell courtesy was extended Miss Shirley Kaylor, who will leave soon to make her home in California, when she was honored at an evening party Monday at the home of Mrs. C. S. Powell. The affair was sponsored by young people of the Baptist Church and featured a handkerchief shower for the honoree. Games and a taffy pull provided entertainment and there were about 18 boys and girls present.

## Woman's Club To Study Oils and Modeling

Laura Knight and Malvina Hoffman and their lives and contribution to art, will be given particular study of Artesia Woman's Club members next Wednesday afternoon when they meet at the Woman's Club building at 2:30 o'clock.

Discussion of these artists is in line with the club's new study project of oil paintings and clay modeling, and Mrs. Pat Gormley will present a paper on Laura Knight. Mrs. Jesse I. Funk will give a report on the work of Malvina Hoffman.

Music will be provided under the direction of Mrs. Martin Yates, Jr., and Mrs. Glenn Williams will discuss G. F. W. C. news. Hostesses for the day will be Mrs. Beecher Rowan and Mrs. Albert Blake.

## FAMILY KEEPSAKES ARE SHOWN AT TWO INFORMAL TEAS

Mrs. G. C. Kinder, and her mother, Mrs. Nancy Eipper, presided at two novel teas for small groups of their friends on Thursday and Saturday of last week, when family keepsakes and antiques were displayed by Mrs. Eipper. Both affairs were given at the home of Mrs. Eipper.

On Thursday afternoon Mrs. Kinder and Mrs. Eipper were hostesses between the hours of four and six o'clock to the following group: Misses Merrill Bradley, Kathleen Newman, Isabel Macdonald, Kathryn Conner, Lena Womack, Hazel Luck, Pearl Naanes and Hildegard Kletke.

On Saturday they informally entertained the following: Mrs. Reed Brainard, Mrs. I. C. Keller, Mrs. I. C. Dixon, Mrs. T. S. Cox, Mrs. Calvin Dunn, Mrs. Roger Durand, Mrs. C. R. Jones, Mrs. A. L. Lusk and Mary Dixon. The group called between the hours of four and six o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Richards left Friday for a week's visit in Oklahoma City, Okla., and in Dallas, Fort Worth and Eden, Tex. They will return to Artesia this week end.

## ENCHILADA SUPPER

Friday, February 3, Methodist Church. Serving begins at 5 p. m. The public is invited. 4-2c

## METHODIST MISSIONARY SOCIETY IN SESSION

Mrs. I. C. Dixon, Mrs. J. H. Walker and Mrs. Walter Solt were hostesses last Thursday when members of the Methodist Missionary Society met at the home of Mrs. Solt. Mrs. Dixon was in charge of the program.

Plans were laid for an enchilada supper to be sponsored at the church Friday, Feb. 3. The missionary topic was "New Horizons of Sacrificial Service," and was discussed by Mrs. Pat Gormley, Mrs. Elwood Kaiser, Mrs. George Frisch, Mrs. J. H. Walker and Mrs. R. O. Cowan. It was the first literary program of the year and a special pledge of service was a feature. Mrs. Mary Macdonald directed the meditation, the theme being "The Line of Discovery."

The pledge service theme was "New Horizons in Personal Service," and pledge cards were signed and placed at the foot of a lighted cross, by members present. Mrs. Reed Brainard, president, and Mrs. C. R. Baldwin, treasurer, made short talks to the group.

## EXTENSION CLUB IN THURSDAY MEETING

An all-day session occupied the interest of the Morning Glory extension club members last Thursday. The group met at the home of Mrs. Mary Savoie, and gift boxes were discussion topics of the day.

Miss Vernita Conley, county extension agent, demonstrated a number of gift suggestions, and displayed some work done by club members. Thirteen members were present, and two guests, Mrs. Monroe Howard of Cottonwood, and Mrs. Trumann Howard of Artesia.

Next meeting of the club will be at the home of Mrs. J. D. Walden, Thursday afternoon, Feb. 16.

## PRESBYTERIAN SOCIETY HAS THURSDAY MEETING

A discussion of Mormon beliefs and works was led by Mrs. V. L. Gates, with assistance of Mrs. R. L. Paris Thursday, when members of the Presbyterian Missionary Society met at the home of Mrs. Jesse L. Truett.

Mrs. Russell Rogers was in charge of devotionals, and there were 12 members present. Members will launch a study of the national mission study book, "The American City and its Church," at a special all-day meeting in the church Thursday, Feb. 2, announcement was made. This will take the form of relay study. Mrs. Truett served a course of refreshments to those present.

## MRS. WALLINGFORD IS HOSTESS TO GUILD

Members of St. Paul's Episcopal Church Guild were guests Thursday afternoon of Mrs. J. K. Wallingford, when Mrs. John Lowry was in charge of the program. Mrs. Lowry discussed a chapter from "The Moving Millions," the guild's study book on religion's advance in India. Seven members were present and a course of light refreshments was served by the hostess.

Mrs. R. L. Cole of Hope was an Artesia visitor on Monday afternoon.

## FOUNDERS' DAY PROGRAM AT P. E. O. LUNCHEON

The home of Mrs. William Linell was the scene of an attractively appointed luncheon Friday afternoon, complimenting members of Chapter J. P. E. O. The luncheon was served at 12:30 o'clock, and covers were laid for twenty-two.

Mrs. W. E. Kerr gave a history of the P. E. O. organization, marking the Founders' Day observance of the local group, and sketched the incidents surrounding its founding at Iowa Wesleyan College, Mt. Pleasant, Iowa. Photographs of the seven young women who founded P. E. O. on Jan. 21, 1869, were shown to the organization members.

Mrs. Rex Wheatley was in charge of an impressive memorial service for the late Mrs. Mark A. Corbin, who was a member of the Artesia P. E. O. group.

## HOME BUILDERS CLASS HAS SUPPER MEETING

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bartlett was the setting for a covered dish dinner party of the Christian Home Builders class last Thursday evening. Arrangements were in charge of Mrs. James L. Allen, Mrs. Vernon Bryan, Mrs. Wallace Gates, and Mrs. Bartlett, and Miss Shirley Bartlett assisted in greeting guests.

Winners in games which provided entertainment after the dinner hour, were Earl Ployhar and Mrs. Frank Smith. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Ed West, Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Schulze, Mr. and Mrs. William Linell, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse L. Truett, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Reynolds, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Blue, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ployhar, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith, Mr. and Mrs. James Wallace, Mr. and Mrs. B. B. McDaniel, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Kiddy, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Gates, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Bryan, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gaskin and Mr. and Mrs. James L. Allen;

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### Youth Rally to Draw Many Pecos Valley Young Methodists Here

Launching a youth crusade for all Methodist Churches of the Pecos Valley and Hobbs area, the Artesia Methodist Church will be host next Wednesday night to approximately 500 young people at an evening rally.

The crusade movement will take in all Methodist young people between the ages of 12 and 23 years, and will direct all activities of the churches toward young people and young interests, the Rev. John S. Rice, of the local church, said Wednesday. The rally Wednesday night will start at 7 o'clock, and the public is invited, though particular invitation is extended to young people, he said.

At 7 o'clock the rally will be opened with a program by the McMurry Chanters, from the McMurry College, Abilene, Tex. Soloists, trios, quartets, and boys' and girls' choruses will be featured and 22 young people from the Methodist college will take part in the singing.

The Rev. J. B. Scrimshire of El Paso, Tex., will be in charge of rally arrangements, and James Robertson of Carlsbad, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Robertson, former Artesia residents, will preside at the youth meeting.

Dr. Marshall T. Steele, of the Highland Park Methodist Church, on the campus of the Southern Methodist University, Dallas, Tex., will deliver the principal address of the evening. Dr. Steele is widely recognized as an outstanding youth speaker, and his address alone is expected to draw many young Methodists from the surrounding valley area.

The Rev. Mr. Scrimshire is also a well known speaker in this part of the country, and his direction of the Artesia rally is expected to draw considerable interest to the local church program. He will fill the pulpit of the Artesia church next Sunday morning at the 11 o'clock service, and will hold a retreat with officers of the young people's departments of the Methodist Churches of the valley at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

#### SENIOR CLASS HAS AFTERNOON PARTY

Senior class members sponsored their first afternoon party of the new school series Monday afternoon. Dancing and games provided entertainment, and the affair was between the hours of four and six o'clock in the Junior-Senior High School gymnasium. Miss Alma Sue Felix and Miss Edna Drury, senior sponsors, assisted Miss Flora Dunlap in supervising entertainment, and Miss Jean Plunkett, also of the faculty, was a guest. Light refreshments were served.

#### COURTESY SHOWN ARTESIA VISITOR IN PARTY TUESDAY

Informal courtesy was extended Mrs. Elsie Johnston, of Los Angeles, on Tuesday afternoon when Mrs. Wallace Gates complimented her informally in her home. Mrs. Johnston is the house guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Gates. The afternoon was spent in needlework, and Mrs. Gates served a refreshment course. Guests included the honoree, and her mother, Mrs. S. D. Gates, Mrs. G. R. Brainard, Mrs. M. C. Ross, Mrs. V. L. Gates, Mrs. Rex Wheatley, Mrs. L. R. Gerhardt, and Mrs. Annie Davis Capperune.

#### BRIDGE UNIT CLUB IN THURSDAY MEETING

Miss Corinne Puckett was hostess last Thursday evening to members of the Bridge Unit Club, when high score was held by Miss Edna Drury. A buffet luncheon was served at 7 o'clock, preceding the bridge session.

#### WHITSONS ENTERTAIN SUPPER BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. Landis Feather and Neil Watson were holders of high score last Thursday evening, when members of the Thursday Supper Bridge Club met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Whitson in a supper meeting.

All members were present including: Mr. and Mrs. Fay Hardeman, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Dexter, Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Bigler, Mr. and Mrs. Feather, Mr. and Mrs. Watson and the hosts.

The club will meet this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bigler.

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#### RAINBOW GROUP, JUNIOR AUXILIARY, MEETS SATURDAY

A short business session and rehearsal of a program to be given before joint membership of the American Legion and Auxiliary on Feb. 20, occupied interest of the Rainbow group of the Junior Auxiliary in their regular meeting Saturday afternoon at the hut. Their sponsor, Mrs. E. R. Paul, of Carlsbad, met with the group, as did their assistant sponsor, Mrs. John R. Brown.

Miss Mary Ann Hamilton was hostess for the meeting, serving light refreshments at the close of the business session, which was presided over by Miss Dorothy Linell.

#### ARE DINNER GUESTS MONDAY EVENING

Mrs. Neil Watson presided Monday evening at a small dinner party in her home. The dinner table was centered with a crystal bowl of calendulas and covers were laid for Mrs. Joe Massey, Miss Lucille Morris, Miss Hazel Luck, Miss Kathryn Conner, Miss Ruth Bigler, and the hostess. Dinner was served at 6:30 o'clock.

#### CHRISTIAN WOMAN'S ASSOCIATION MEETS

Questions and answers from the Bible offered study interest last Thursday afternoon when members of the Christian Woman's Association met in the home of Mrs. W. H. Ballard. Mrs. Ballard was in charge of the Bible study, and Mrs. Frank Thomas, president, presided over the business session.

Plans were announced for a church supper to be given Wednesday, Feb. 1. There were 18 members present.

#### MRS. WATSON HOSTESS TO 1937 BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. Hugh Donald Burch and Mrs. Hollis Watson were guests last Friday afternoon when members of the 1937 Bridge Club met at the Artesia Hotel coffee shop for a one o'clock luncheon.

Hostess for the day was Mrs. Neil Watson, and club members adjourned to her home to play bridge after the luncheon hour. High score winner was Mrs. Neil Watson, and Mrs. C. J. Dexter had second high score. Those present included Mrs. Burch and Mrs. Hollis Watson, Mrs. Ted Flint, Mrs. John A. Mann, Mrs. Fay Hardeman, Mrs. E. N. Bigler, Mrs. L. P. Evans, Mrs. Landis Feather, Mrs. E. A. Metzger, Mrs. Howard Whitson, Mrs. Dexter and the hostess.

#### VIERNES CLUB MEMBERS AT HOLYFIELD HOME

Mrs. Joe Holyfield presided as hostess to members of the Viernes Bridge Club last Friday afternoon, when Mrs. E. E. Gillespie was first prize winner. Second high score was held by Mrs. E. J. Foster.

A salad course was served following the bridge hour, and members present were Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Glasser, Mrs. Wallace Hastings, Mrs. Boone Barnett, Mrs. Andy Compary, Mrs. Rehn Barker, Mrs. W. J. Bowden, Mrs. Gillespie, Mrs. Foster and the hostess.

Mrs. Barker will be hostess to the members at their next meeting tomorrow afternoon.

Mary Ann Shotwell, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Shotwell, is confined to her home because of illness.

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#### NAZARENE MISSIONARY MEETING THURSDAY

Mrs. Warren Carter was hostess to members of the Nazarene Missionary Society last Friday afternoon, in a special meeting postponed from Thursday. It was a regular work day for members, and after the business session a shower of gifts was given Mrs. Clyde Mathis, a member. Next meeting of the society will be next Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. T. H. Allen.

#### MRS. J. M. STORY IS PAST MATRONS' HOSTESS

Members of the Past Matrons' Club, Order of Eastern Star, were entertained Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. M. Story, when they met for their monthly session. Mrs. Calvin Dunn, past matron of the Artesia organization, and Mrs. John Rowland, past matron of the Hope group, were initiated into the club. There was a brief business session.

Members present included Mrs. Dunn and Mrs. Rowland, Mrs. Jeff Hightower, Mrs. Arba Green, Mrs. J. C. Floore, Mrs. R. G. Knoedler, Mrs. A. B. Coll, Mrs. Lewis Story, Mrs. Jesse I. Funk, Mrs. T. S. Cox, Mrs. Lee Glasscock, Mrs. R. L. Cole of Hope and the hostess, Mrs. Story served a dessert course at the conclusion of the meeting. Next meeting of the club will be at the home of Mrs. R. L. Cole in Hope, on Monday, Feb. 27.

#### S. D. Gates Are Complimented On Anniversary

The fifty-seventh wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Gates was the occasion Wednesday evening when Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Gates and Mrs. Elsie Johnston, were hosts at dinner in the V. L. Gates home. The first wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Gates was also observed.

Snapdragons centered the dinner table, and miniature bride and groom figures marked the places. There were corsages for the two bridal honorees. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Gates, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Gates, John and Bobby Gates, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Wheatley and daughter, Barbara, and the hosts.

#### MRS. COX HOSTESS TO WEDNESDAY CLUB

Abnormis Sapiens Bridge Club members gathered at the home of Mrs. T. S. Cox for their regular meeting Wednesday afternoon, when four new members and two special guests were present. An additional table is being added to the bridge group, and Mrs. L. W. DeLouche, Mrs. J. W. Berry, Mrs. Ralph Shugart and Mrs. Roger Durand were welcomed into the membership. Added guests were Mrs. A. G. Glasser and Mrs. A. B. Coll.

High score was held by Mrs. Glasser, and refreshments were served at the close of the bridge hour by Mrs. Cox. Other members present were Mrs. J. J. Clarke, Mrs. Beecher Rowan and Mrs. J. M. Story. Next meeting of the club will be in two weeks at the home of Mrs. J. J. Clarke.

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#### METHODIST SOCIETY HAS STUDY GROUP AND ZONE MEETING

Members of the mission study group of the Methodist Missionary Society met in special session at the church Tuesday afternoon to complete the study of their book on India. Mrs. Landis Feather reviewed the concluding chapter of the book for members, and the meeting was under direction of Mrs. J. H. Walker.

An all-day zone meeting was held at the church Wednesday, with Mrs. Leslie Ellington of Lake Arthur, N. Mex., in the presiding chair. The devotional service was under the direction of the Rev. Wayne Douglas of Hope. Mrs. J. H. Walker of the local church talked to the group on study subjects and recommended to the auxiliaries the study of India, which has just been completed by the Artesia missionary organizations.

Social relations were discussed by Mrs. Arthur Shaw of Hagerman, the conference Christian social relations officer, and Miss Mary Niehart of Lake Arthur made a brief report on Scarritt College.

Mrs. L. A. Bynum was elected as new president of the zone organization. Her home is in Carlsbad. Vice president was named as Mrs. Robert Cole of Hope, and secretary-treasurer as Mrs. R. N. Thomas of Carlsbad. Next zone meeting of the church will be held at Hope May 2.

#### MRS. ATTEBERY IS HOSTESS TO BRIDGE CLUB ON TUESDAY

Fortnightly Bridge Club members and their guests were entertained at the home of Mrs. J. R. Attebery Tuesday afternoon, when she presided informally at a luncheon and bridge party. Mrs. Joe Nunn, Mrs. Grady Booker and Mrs. Neil Watson, were guests of the club, and Mrs. Nevil Baird was a luncheon guest.

A colorful motif was emphasized in gay Spanish luncheon cloths which covered the small tables, and in vari-colored pottery dishes which were used. High score at bridge was held by Mrs. John Lanning, and members present were Mrs. Hollis Watson, Mrs. J. B. Atkeson, Mrs. C. R. Baldwin, Mrs. Leslie Martin, Mrs. Charlie Martin, Mrs. William Linell, Mrs. Lewis Story, Mrs. Lanning and the hostess.

Next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Landis Feather.

#### HONOR SOCIETY MEMBERS ARE FETED WEDNESDAY

Artesia High School members of the National Honor Society were complimented Wednesday evening at a party in the home of Miss Louise Rice and John Rice, Artesia members. There were 13 students present, and games and other informal diversions provided entertainment. A dessert course was served at the close of the evening.

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#### BIRTHDAY ANNIVERSARY IS MARKED AT DINNER

Mrs. D. I. Clowe was hostess Sunday evening in her home when she presided informally at a small dinner party honoring her husband on his birthday anniversary. Dinner was served at six o'clock, and covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. G. U. McCrary, Mrs. Paul Bugg, E. C. Higgins, and members of the Clowe family.

#### MR. AND MRS. MANN COMPLIMENTED SUNDAY

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Mann were dinner guests of their daughter, Mrs. Fred Cole and Mr. Cole Sunday evening, the occasion being the wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Mann. Covers were laid for the honorees, Miss Janice Mann, Miss Hattie Ruth Cole and the hosts.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith, Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Schulze, E. B. Bullock, the Rev. Henry Stout, and the Rev. Allen Johnson, were present in Clovis last Friday night at an Eastern New Mexico area Boy Scout banquet and executive board meeting. The board meeting was held before the banquet, and was marked by installation of new board members. The Rev. Mr. Stout was installed as a new member, joining Bullock and Schulze on the board. Mrs. Bullock accompanied the group as far as Portales, where she remained to visit her daughter, Miss Laura Bullock. The entire party returned to Artesia Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn W. Booker and children, Reese, Dan, and Nancy Nell, are now at home in their recently completed home at 808 West Quay Avenue.

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Mrs. J. E. Reed was on the sick list last week due to a bad cold.

John L. Parker and Lloyd Posey of near Mayhill were visitors on the Felix last week.

Mrs. Raymond Graham, who was in Duncan, Ariz., visiting her parents returned home last week.

Emmett Potter of Hope was a business visitor in this community recently.

Edgar Williams and Jim Banta of Hope were in the mountains last week.

John Fuller of near Weed was on the Penasco a few days ago purchasing corn.

Mr. and Mrs. Crockett entertained friends with a party Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Evans and family spent the week end with relatives on Sixteen Springs Canyon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Curtis of Felix were Mayhill visitors Sunday.

Mrs. Gene Crawford and son, Bobbie, spent the week end with relatives in Roswell.

Mrs. Jesse Sowell of Perk Canyon was taken to a doctor in the valley last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Adna Scott and family spent Sunday at Mayhill visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Griffin, Jr., were given a shower Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tate Beard near Cloudfroft. The young couple received many nice gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln Cox are the parents of a daughter, born Tuesday of last week at Artesia. The new arrival has been named Ruth Anne.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Griffin, Jr., came in from the farm on Elk Canyon and visited over the week end Mrs. Griffin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Trotter.

The automobile of Mr. and Mrs. F. Lambert was run into Monday of last week, while en route to El Paso. Mrs. Lambert sustained a broken knee cap. Mr. Lambert was quite badly bruised. The accident happened between Mayhill and Cloudfroft when the Lambert car and another ran together. The injured were taken to Alamogordo for treatment and then Mrs. Lambert was taken to a hospital in El Paso.

**Hope Items**

(Marjorie Johnson)

John Prude purchased a new car in Artesia last week.

Alma Lane was a Roswell visitor Saturday.

Mrs. Carl Lewis of Artesia was a Hope visitor Friday.

Frank Smith spent the week end in Roswell, where he attended to business.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Rood and daughter, Charlotte, were business visitors in Roswell Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobbie Means were in from their ranch over the week end.

Mrs. Bill Glasscock drove to Carlsbad where she attended to business Friday.

J. W. Graham is able to be up, following an illness at his home here.

Margaret Buckner of Clovis spent the week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Buckner.

Mrs. Nora L. Johnson and Marjorie Johnson spent the week end at the Vacuum oil field near Hobbs with Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Dunne.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Evans are the parents of a son born Saturday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin George.

Mrs. Finn Watson, accompanied by her mother and Mrs. H. J. Dunne of Hobbs, spent Friday here visiting.

Mrs. Bonnie Altman drove Friday to Artesia, where she attended a dinner-bridge party given by Mrs. Sy Bunting at her home in

honor of Mrs. Billie Ballard and Mrs. Ernest Landreth, visitors from Corpus Christi.

H. A. Hamill returned to Hope Monday after having spent last week in Roswell, where he attended a Taylor Grazing Act board meeting.

Wilhelmina Wilburn, student at Eastern New Mexico Junior College, Portales, spent the week end here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Wilburn.

A. J. Cowan has purchased from J. W. Graham the small residence formerly owned by J. W. Reed. Mr. and Mrs. Cowan and family moved there last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob White of Lubbock, Tex., arrived here Friday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Parks. Mr. White returned to his home Sunday and Mrs. White returned here to spend the week.

Mrs. Ernest Landreth and Mrs. Billie Ballard of Corpus Christi, Tex., who arrived here last week to visit several days, spent the week end in Odessa, Tex., visiting relatives, returning here Monday.

"The Importance of Being Earnest," an English comedy, will be presented in the near future here under the direction of the Rev. Wayne Douglas. Characters have been chosen by the director from the P. T. A., which will sponsor the production.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Green visited in Roswell Sunday with the former's brother, Roy Green, and Mrs. Green.

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF FLORA B. HOWARD, Deceased.

No. 892

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT OF EXECUTOR

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the undersigned has been appointed executor of the Last Will and Testament of Flora B. Howard, Deceased, and qualified as such on the 16th day of January, 1939.

All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same within six months from January 19, 1939, the date of the first publication of this notice, or said claims will be barred.

FRED L. HOWARD, Executor. 3-4-6

OFFICIAL CALL FOR THE REGULAR BIENNIAL ELECTION OF MEMBERS OF THE SCHOOL BOARD OF ARTESIA MUNICIPAL SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 16.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the regular biennial election for the purpose of electing two members for a term of six years each, and one member to serve for a term of two years to fill an unexpired term, of the Board of Education of Artesia Municipal School District No. 16, is hereby called and will be held on the second Tuesday in February, being the 14th day of February, 1939. Polls will be opened at nine a. m. and closed at six p. m. on said date.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that, by appointment of the City Council of the City of Artesia, New Mexico, J. H. Jones, Mrs. A. G. Glasser and Mrs. C. O. Brown will serve as judges of said election; and Pete L. Loving and Mrs. J. R. Attebery will serve as clerks; and said election will be held at the City Hall of the City of Artesia, New Mexico.

I, H. G. Watson, Mayor of the City of Artesia, New Mexico, do hereby issue the foregoing call.

H. G. WATSON, Mayor.

ATTEST: T. H. RAGSDALE, City Clerk. (SEAL) 3-2-4

**NOTICE**

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, a resident of Eddy County, on the 13th day of March, A. D. 1939 at the hour of 10:00 o'clock, A. M., on said day will apply to the District Court of Eddy County, New Mexico at the courthouse in Carlsbad, New Mexico for an order changing the name of the undersigned and establishing same as Robert Salter Pistole.

ROBERT PRESCOTT SALTER 3-4-6

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

RAY BARTLETT, Plaintiff, vs. ROY S. LOWE, MAY GOINS LOWE, his wife, and BIG JO LUMBER COMPANY, A Corporation, Defendants. No. 6788

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned, heretofore appointed by the Court as Special Master in the Decree entered hereon on the first day of December, 1938, in the above entitled cause wherein Ray Bartlett is plaintiff and Roy S. Lowe, May Goins Lowe, his wife, and Big Jo Lumber Company, a corporation, are defendants, the same being an action for foreclosure of a mortgage to secure an indebtedness found to be due plaintiff under the terms of a certain mortgage executed on February 12, 1937, and record-

ed February 15, 1937, in Book 34 at page 260 of the Mortgage Records of Eddy County, New Mexico, and to foreclose said mortgage upon the real estate hereinafter described securing said indebtedness, will sell to the highest bidder for cash, in accordance with the terms of said decree, at the south front door of the Court House in Carlsbad, Eddy County, New Mexico, on the 14th day of February, 1939, at the hour of ten o'clock A. M. the following described real estate in Eddy County, New Mexico, to-wit:

The East 70 acres of the East Half of the Northwest Quarter of Section 13, Township 17 South, Range 25 East, N. M. P. M. Together with a one-half interest in and to the water well located on the south 60 acres of the west half of the northwest quarter of said section 13, Township 17 South, Range 25 East, N. M. P. M., and a ditch from said well to the south side of said 60 acres, then easterly to the lands conveyed herein; also a ditch right in an easterly direction from said well to the lands conveyed herein.

That the amount of indebtedness which will be due upon said mortgage, interest, insurance, taxes, attorneys fees and costs, exclusive of cost of advertising and sale, will be as follows:

Principal amount.....\$1,000.00  
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Interest from September 12, 1938, to date of sale..... 48.90

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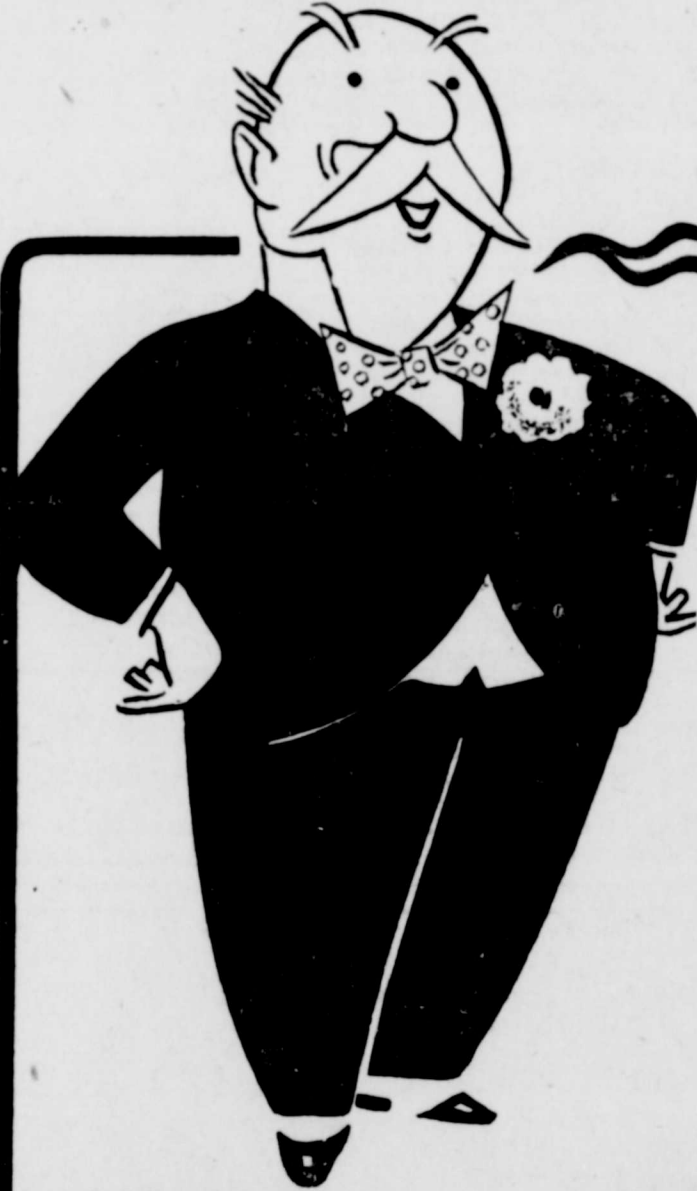
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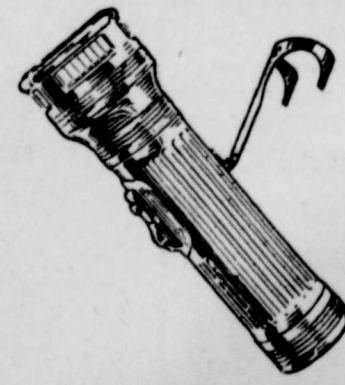
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### Local Lads Will Scrap in Golden Gloves at Hobbs

Training Under Greeno for Bouts Early in February

Under the guidance of Joe Greeno, Artesia High School athletic coach, a team of six aspiring amateur boxers will journey from Artesia to Hobbs to compete in the officially recognized pre-national A. A. U. Golden Gloves amateur boxing tourney the nights of Feb. 6, 7 and 8.

Winners at Hobbs are to have expenses paid to the sectional A. U. meet at Denver and the winners are to be sent on all expenses paid to the national event set for San Francisco during the World's Fair at Casare Island in April.

Benny Leonard, retired undefeated lightweight boxing champion of the world, has been signed referee the wild hostilities at Hobbs. All bouts are to be for five rounds each and with all the matches made so there will be no re-matching of fighters. The bouts are to be examined carefully by a competent physician for heart and lung ailments before being allowed to take part.

The first fight is to start at 8:15 o'clock each night and the last of the 15 to 20 wild boxing bouts is to end by 10 o'clock.

The Hobbs tourney is the only one held in this part of the country according to Les Showers, Dick Russell, who managed the Hobbs at Carlsbad, Roswell and Hobbs last year. No tourney is to be held at Carlsbad or Roswell this season.

Coach Greeno has announced the Artesia team will be composed of: Ward Crockett, welterweight, 147; Orville Durbin, welterweight, 147; Bill McCasland, lightweight, 135; James Stuart, lightweight, 155; Chuck Ditto, heavyweight, 126. E. W. Ditto, lightweight, 135.

### MERCHANTS WIN GOOD GAME FROM HAGERMAN

The Artesia Merchants won the ring game of the Pecos Valley Independent Basketball League Tuesday evening against a Hagerman team to the tune of 35. It was said to be the game seen here in years.

The team from Artesia travels to Roswell this evening to tackle the Ruby Bee team.

### MEETING OF OIL OPERATORS FRIDAY

Regular monthly meeting of oil operators, scheduled for last evening, has been postponed until Friday because of the banquet of the Chamber of Commerce.

The meeting will be at the Artesia Hotel at 7:30 o'clock tomorrow evening. All operators of the Artesia-Maljamara area invited.

### TAXPAYERS' ASSOCIATIONS OF MEXICO WILL MEET

Taxpayers' Association of Mexico and the State Federation of Taxpayers' Associations will hold a general meeting for 10 and 11 to be held at Santa Fe at this time the legislative session will be thoroughly reviewed and recommendations made for their action by the Legislature.

It is intended that every county representative will be well represented at the meeting and that the meeting will afford the opportunity of direct contact between taxpayers and their representatives in the Legislature.

Mrs. J. E. Holeman and Janice Faye, of Flagstaff, left Friday morning for home, by way of Albuquerque, after visiting a week at the home of Mr. Holeman's brother-in-law, Cecil Holeman and John Lively, and Mrs. Holeman's brother and sister, W. H. and Mrs. B. A. Davis. They were on the last leg of an extended trip, which took them to Los Angeles and San Diego, Calif., Mexico at Tia Juana and to El Paso.

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**WARRANTY DEEDS—**  
E. Barker, et ux to Dora Nell Carter, lot in Carlsbad, \$10 &c.  
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Leonard S. Goddard, et ux to Lena J. Gerhardt, lots in Chisum Addn. to Artesia, \$100.

Dowling-Moody Co. to W. R. Middleton, lot in Carlsbad, \$10 &c.

W. G. Donley, et ux to H. N. Oldham, lot in Carlsbad, \$10 &c.

S. A. Burks, et ux to R. A. Smith, lot in Carlsbad, \$10 &c.

A. C. Bindel, et ux to Marvin Livingston, land in sec. 7-22-27, \$10 &c.

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Joe A. Crista to Burl Sears, lot in Carlsbad, \$10 &c.

E. Barker to Mary E. and Roy E. Shanklin, lot in Carlsbad, \$10 &c.

Francis Gallatin Tracy, et ux to William W. Phillips, Jr., lot in Carlsbad, \$10 &c.

George S. Westfall, et ux to Merwin W. Campbell, lot in Carlsbad, \$10 &c.

Neal F. Caviness to John Guitart, Jr., Trustee, land in sec. 1-23-27, \$10 &c.

Virginia Van Volson, et vir to Karl H. Schmidt, lot in Carlsbad. QUIT CLAIM DEEDS—

Harold D. Howard to Fred L. Howard, lots in original town of Artesia, \$10 &c.

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C. P. Pardue, et ux to C. P. Pardue, et al, trustee, lots in Loving, \$10 &c.

W. H. Harroun, et ux to Valley Land Company. Valley Farm property.

Rich R. Carter to Anacleto Lopez.

**TAX DEEDS—**  
State Tax Commission to J. L. Prude, lots in Hope, \$200.

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State Tax Commission to John Tweedy, land in sec. 17-17-26, \$150.

State Tax Commission to J. M. Mann, land in sec. 22-19-25, \$20.

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**LAND PATENTS—**  
United States of America to James Tom Lovejoy.

United States of America to Fred Duran.

**DISTRICT COURT—**  
No. 6858. Simon Sanchez, et al vs. A. W. Hockenull and Mrs. Virginia Walton. Damages for personal injury.

**Locals**  
Mrs. Effie Wingfield left Wednesday for Long Beach, Calif., where she will spend the remainder of the winter visiting with her son, Frank Wingfield, who is an operator with Shell Oil Company.

Mrs. Musette Blakeney of Odesa, Tex., was an overnight guest Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Morgan.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Anderson have as their house guest, Edwin Merkle of Hobart, Okla.

Moving their home to Artesia within the past week are Mr. and Mrs. Jack B. Armstrong, and small daughter, Ann, formerly of Roswell. Mr. Armstrong is the new owner of the Artesia Auto Company. Other new members of the auto firm, who are establishing their homes here, are F. C. Hart, with Mrs. Hart and young daughter, Nancille, and Robert D. Bourland, and Mrs. Bourland, all formerly of Carlsbad.

Irvin Martin, Tom Hopkins, J. W. Bradshaw and Calvin Dunn were Tuesday business visitors in El Paso, returning to Artesia Tuesday night. They were accompanied to El Paso by Charles Johnson and Charles Mac Knoedler, who were returning to their studies at State College, Las Cruces, after a week end visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Douglas will be guests in Pecos Saturday at the wedding of Mr. Douglas' sister, Miss Catherine Douglas,

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and Dr. Glenn Stone of Munday, Tex., which will take place in the home of the bride's parents, the Rev. and Mrs. A. C. Douglas.

James Felton and Clifford Gilbert drove to Juarez Sunday to attend a bull fight. They returned home that night.

### Carlsbad Newsman Speaks at Rotary Meeting Tuesday

Colvert Gives Interesting Talk About Club's Monthly Magazine

The club that stays out in front is the club that presents timely topics at meetings, declared Bill Colvert of Carlsbad, principal speaker at the weekly meeting Tuesday noon of the Artesia Rotary Club. And then he "practiced what he preached."

Mr. Colvert, advertising manager of The Daily Current-Argus, pointed out in an interesting manner how the official publication of Rotary International can be of assistance in the regular reading of any one man, as well as in presenting interesting club programs. The magazine "boils down" timely subjects, gives both sides of questions of general interest and helps to formulate public opinion, he said.

In Mr. Colvert's talk, which was largely statistical, he cited the many reprints of articles in the magazine which every Rotarian receives.

Artie McAnally, manager of the Alfalfa Growers Association, gave a five-minute talk on "How the Cotton Gin Works."

W. Leslie Martin, president, announced the meeting Tuesday noon, Feb. 14, will observe "Farmers' Day," at which each member is to bring a farmer guest.

Entertainment at that meeting will be furnished by the A Capella Choir of State College, Las Vegas, which also will sing that evening between halves of the Artesia-Hagerman basketball game here.

The club voted to participate in the "Jabberwock" Thursday evening, Feb. 16, to raise funds for the Artesia school bands. Mr. Martin appointed Pot Bert, chairman, and C. D. Marshall and Ed West as a committee to work out a stunt to enter.

Mrs. R. S. Carter returned Saturday from Dallas, Tex., where she was called last week by the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. F. M. Green. Mrs. Green's condition is now improved. Mrs. Carter was accompanied to Dallas by Miss Agnes Leonard, who returned with her Saturday.

### SCOUTERS' TRAINING COURSE POSTPONED

The training course for scouters, men interested in Boy Scout work, scheduled for the first three evenings of this week at the American Legion hut, was postponed until later because of so many conflicting dates, including the Chamber of Commerce banquet last evening.

When new dates are set in the near future for the course, they probably will be one night each of three consecutive weeks, rather than three days running.

Mrs. Charles Morgan and Mrs. Wendell Welch accompanied a group of children to Roswell last Saturday morning, for a double-header basketball contest between teams of the Artesia St. Paul's Episcopal Church and the St. Andrew's Church of Roswell. Included in the group of players and spectators were Val and Don Morgan, Billy and Bobby Feather, William Gordon, Dickie Attebery, Tommy Welch, Wendell Welch, Jimmie Haskins, Bobbie Morris, Nevin Baird, and Martha Wallingford and Phoebe Welch. The local teams won both games over the

Roswell teams, 14-6, and 8-0. Games were played in the Roswell armory at 11 o'clock Saturday morning.

Mrs. C. Bert Smith and C. R. Baldwin left Sunday for Fort Worth and Dallas markets to buy for Baldwin's.

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### ARTESIA BOXING FANS ATTENTION!

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## Federal Projects In County Total Five, Cost \$34,000

Are Thirty-Seven in the State Besides Non-Government Jobs

Thirty-seven federal projects, costing \$3,987,890 and financed by the Public Works Administration, are under construction in New Mexico, including five in Eddy County, costing \$34,000. The projects are in addition to the state's 26 non-federal projects and bring the total estimated cost of PWA construction to be generated in New Mexico under the current program to \$8,492,378.

The PWA federal projects in New Mexico are being financed out of a \$200,000,000 fund earmarked for construction by states, departments and agencies of the federal government under the 1938 PWA appropriation.

PWA has made outright grants of 100 per cent of the cost of these projects, instead of the 46 per cent grants made in the case of non-federal projects built by states, counties, cities and other local government units.

The Interior Department leads in the number and amount of federal PWA projects in New Mexico. Thirty-one projects, costing \$3,943,000, will be built by this department's bureaus. The Bureau of Indian Affairs will construct 14 projects costing \$795,200, the National Park Service will build ten at a cost of \$45,000, the Geological Survey, five costing \$102,800, and the Bureau of Reclamation, two totaling \$3,000,000.

The amount of the federal PWA program in the seven-state Fifth Region, of which New Mexico is a part, is \$27,090,925.

The federal projects in Eddy County, all in the Carlsbad area and coming under the jurisdiction of the Bureau of National Parks, Department of the Interior, are: Pumping plant, \$4,000; floor paving, \$3,000; comfort station, \$5,000; pumping system, \$13,000; light system extension, \$9,000.

### Wide Open Spaces For Vacations of Most New Mexicans

Travel abroad, ocean voyages and visiting large cities, have little appeal for the average New Mexican, who prefers to spend his vacation in the mountains, country, parks, at lakes or the seashore.

This tendency is revealed in a study the National Park Service, Department of the Interior, has completed in four recreational areas developed by the Civilian Conservation Corps: Bottomless Lakes and Hyde State Parks, Elephant Butte and the Tucumcari metropolitan park. Return of questionnaires filled out by visitors to those areas indicates 92 per cent favor the wide-open spaces.

These people—more than 80 per cent of whose "head of family" annual income is below \$3,000—have yearly vacations that average three weeks, with July the most favored time. Water sports are the type of recreation the most enjoy, in this order: Fishing, swimming and boating. Other leaders are picnicking, touring and camping.

Outings and vacations by New Mexico residents nearly always involve travel by automobile, the report shows, and very few of the state's travelers are trailerites.

Officials of the British Broadcasting Corporation have spent hours telephoning people named Duck and asking if they have a son called Donald. A boy with the same name as the famed Disney character was needed for a special broadcast.

New Mexico Magazine now has seventeen foreign countries on its subscription list, George Fitzpatrick, editor of the state magazine, said. Magazines are now going to England, Canada, Russia, Bermuda, Argentina, Mexico, Peru, Panama, Venezuela, Chile, France, China, Ireland, Australia, Yugoslavia, Czechoslovakia and Palestine. Canada, with a couple of dozen subscribers, leads the list, with England next. Every state and Hawaii, Alaska, Philippine Islands, Puerto Rico and Cuba are also represented.

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## WHAT'S WHAT In NEW MEXICO

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

Nearly 30 per cent of applicants who take drivers' license examinations fail to make the grade, Director Ray Hall said. Those failing are granted "beginners' permits" and must study for another examination. Hall said state police are giving examinations throughout the state at the rate of about 200 a day.

New Mexico is the first state to pay in full its assessment to the National Cotton Council of America, part of a cotton promotion fund to back a 14-state drive, according to W. T. Wynn, national treasurer, of Greenville, Miss. Wynn also announced appointment of F. M. Hayner of Las Cruces as executive committee member.

A will and a way coupled with a motivating power, brought the first man out of the Rociada snowbound section after one of the recent heavy snows in North New Mexico. Luis Lorenzo Martinez, former Coloradoan, had filed an unemployment compensation claim against Colorado, the last place he had employment. Under terms of the compensation laws, Martinez had to report to the Las Vegas office of the New Mexico Employment Service once a week—Friday. Martinez, "dog-tired," reported to George Custer, district manager for the New Mexico Employment Service, one day late. Fearing he would lose his claim by not reporting, Martinez set to work and made himself a pair of snow shoes in his little mountain home and with a few sandwiches in his pocket, started the 15-mile jaunt to Sapello. He mused for hours, finally reached Sapello and then obtained a ride to Las Vegas.

A theme patterned for the Coronado Cuarto Centennial Exposition in 1940 will be used in El Paso's next Sun Carnival pageant and Sun Bowl Game Jan. 1, 1940. Governor Miles was informed by the Southwestern Sun Carnival Association. The governor immediately thanked the association for its cooperation and offered his services for the pageant and the game.

The first case of leprosy ever reported in New Mexico, to the extent of State Health Director E. B. Godfrey's memory, was announced last week as officials prepared to take the patient, from Santa Rita, to a Louisiana leprosarium. Dr. Frank Parker, state epidemiologist, went to Santa Rita with an expert from the leprosarium who was returning to Louisiana with twelve California patients in a special railroad car. The new Mexico patient, named by officials at Angel Campos, had been residing alone in a small cabin on the outskirts of Santa Rita.

The state of New Mexico and Pecos Valley have a new city in the making, according to an announcement by the A. T. & S. F. Railroad. "Mossman," located between Hagerman and Lake Arthur, is the newest stop on the Santa Fe lines in this section. Comprised of approximately eleven acres, the stop will be used as a loading point for cattle and sheep. The stop was named after Captain B. C. Mossman of Roswell, well known cattleman and pioneer resident of this state.

The president's report to Congress on the status of emergency relief showed New Mexico received \$63,176,312 from the federal government under the emergency relief appropriations from 1935 to 1938. Obligations amounted to \$63,804,571 of which \$628,259 is unliquidated. Voucher payments by departments follow: Agriculture \$15,371,258; Commerce \$372,223; interior \$1,349,792; labor \$243,923; treasury \$378,186; war \$3,186,323; Civilian Conservation Corps \$10,911,211; employees' compensation \$67,269; Farm Credit Administration \$175,653; Emergency Relief Administration \$6,560,886; Public Works Administration \$1,444,374; Veterans Administration \$21,614; Works Progress Administration \$23,428,625.

Anna Marie Bachicha, 4-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Bachicha of Villanueva, died last week as the result of eating 24 candy-covered medical pills at her

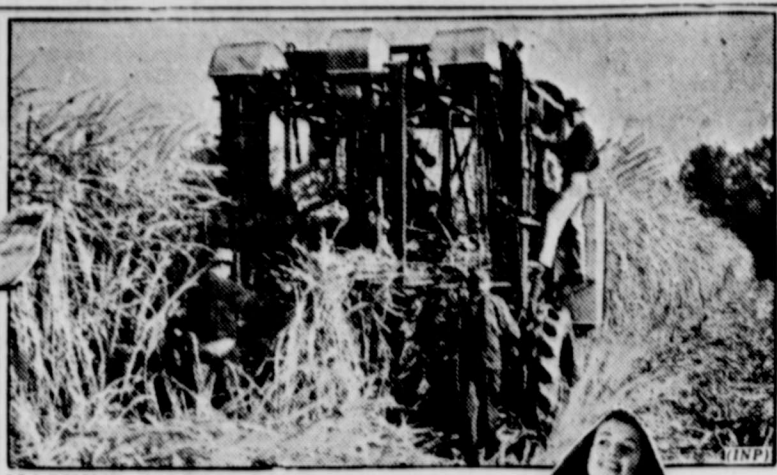
## In The WEEK'S NEWS



**MONSTER FROM MARS?** . . . No, just an ordinary gridiron warrior wearing all the safety equipment demonstrated at National Football Coaches' Association meeting in Chicago. Gear is designed largely for practice sessions, where injuries often occur.



**NOBEL YANK** . . . Pearl S. Buck, American author of "The Good Earth", received from King Gustaf of Sweden the 1938 Nobel Peace Prize for Literature, in Stockholm. Right after this picture was taken, she curtsied and maneuvered backward upstairs, to Royal amazement, resuming her seat in balcony.



**MACHINE RAZES CANE** . . . Knives and saws of this mechanical giant, invented by S. C. Thomson of Labadeville, La., cut down 30 tons of sugar cane an hour. Safeguard against labor shortage, it releases 50 to 150 human cutters to labor in sugar mills where they are needed.



**\$10,000,000 TONIC** . . . National prosperity formula was seen in "New England Days" campaign during which chain stores bought \$10,000,000 worth of Northeastern farm and factory products in 10 days. Arthur H. Rogow (above), chairman of chain committee sponsoring drive, cited it as possible prescription for U. S. business tonic.



**UP POLITICAL LADDER** . . . Harry L. Hopkins (right), former WPA administrator, was elevated to Cabinet as Secretary of Commerce to succeed Daniel C. Roper. At the same time Col. F. C. Harrington (left), army officer who was chief WPA engineer, was appointed to fill Hopkins' old job.



**"SYNTHETIC" DEBUT** . . . Seen on smart socialites at southern resorts this winter for first time were beach togs, such as this marine blue taffeta decorated with red hearts, "duranized" with koroseal, new synthetic rubber-like material which makes them waterproof, sunproof, acidproof, odorless and washable.



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## Date for Band 'Jabberwock' Is Set for Feb. 16

The date for the "Jabberwock," entertainment planned by C. L. Harp, director of Artesia school bands, to raise funds for new instruments and other equipment, has been set for Thursday evening, Feb. 16.

The entertainment will be presented on the auditorium stage of the Junior-Senior High School by a number of local adult organizations, which will compete for prizes of \$8, \$6, \$4 and \$2.

The groups will pay entrance fees, the total of which it is hoped will offset the prizes. The net door receipts will go into the band fund.

Mr. Harp has not completed his list of participating organizations as yet, but announced as already having signified their intention to have a stunt or skit the Rotary Club, American Legion Auxiliary, American Legion and school teachers.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Flint of Lovington, N. Mex., former Artesia residents, have adopted a baby girl, to whom they have given the name of Eloise Ann. The infant was 9 days old at the time of her adoption, and weighed 9 pounds and 9 ounces. Mr. Flint is the son of

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Flint of Artesia.

Mr. and Mrs. Boone Barnett left Saturday for Denver, Colo., where Mr. Barnett has been attending sessions of a lumberman's convention. They were to return to Artesia today.

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Tuesday, Jan. 31  
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### Two Jobs for January

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

The home orchard and the family garden mean more in good eating, good health, and the economy of good living, than any other acre of the farm. Those who say "I can buy it cheaper than I can raise it" usually do without most of the fresh fruits and vegetables which tantalize the appetite and relieve the monotony of the menu. No housewife thinks she can "set a good table" without the products of orchard and garden, and if it isn't raised at home it is quite likely to be too rare on the menu for a healthy diet.

In the Southwest orchards can be planted up to April in some sections, but generally speaking, February planting is preferable. If it is to be planted this year the trees and vines must be ordered and the ground prepared immediately. There is no part of the Southwest in which berries, grapes or tree fruits, or all of them, cannot be grown if the right sorts are chosen and proper attention given to planting and care afterward.

For the small cost of \$9 we have a home orchard which, though only three years old, produced fruit worth \$35 in 1938 and I filled my pantry shelves with 147 quarts of fruit. It has fresh fruit five months," writes Mrs. B. F. Johnson, of Van Zandt County, Texas. Similar letters from all over Texas, Arkansas, Louisiana and Oklahoma are in the hands of the writer, many of them from tenants who grow their own fruit on rented farms.

"It takes too long for fruit to come into bearing," say the procrastinators. "You're going to spend the time anyway," retort the others, "so why not have something to look forward to while time passes?"

As a matter of fact berries bear the second year and good nursery trees of peaches and plums the third year. Grape cuttings rooted this spring will fruit two years from now, while rooted vines from the nursery will bear next year.

"You'll never eat the fruit from the trees you are planting," said a visitor to E. L. Brown when planting 100 peach trees on his 78th birthday last year. "Trees were planted for me before I was born," was his reply. Somebody planted them all, or we would be eating fruit.

The orchard and vineyard already planted requires attention during the dormant period in the matter of pruning and spraying for scale insects. Spraying for the insects which attack the fruit begins at blooming time, and fungous diseases call for still other sprays during the summer. Every state has a horticultural specialist who will supply specific spray information on the different fruits and their pests, for his particular state. The county and home demonstration agents will gladly furnish reliable information on every phase of home orcharding and will co-operate in every way possible with farm families who need and desire such information.

Local nurserymen are always willing to give information on adapted varieties in their territory, and a visit to the nursery permits the customer to see the kind of trees and plants he is getting. It has the further advantage that they can be immediately planted after digging or removing from the heel-yard, though trees properly wrapped may be safely shipped any distance if the customer gives them good treatment immediately on their receipt. That means either planting where they are to stay "heeling in" well so that the roots cannot dry out until planting. A generation ago no farm was without its orchard. There is a strong movement back to home orchards and good eating now. Get in the swim.

The Rev. and Mrs. Henry Stout, and Henry Stout, Jr., spent Wednesday and Thursday of last week in El Paso. They returned to Artesia Thursday night.

Charles Mac Knoedler and Charles Johnson, both students at State College, Las Cruces, N. Mex., were week end guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Knoedler, and Mr. and Mrs. I. P. Johnson, respectively. The students were enjoying a brief vacation between semesters at the college.

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### WORLD NEWS

#### BRIEF FORM

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

James L. Houghteling, commissioner of immigration, said 18,553 aliens were forced to leave the United States last year. Houghteling's annual report to Secretary Perkins said 9,275 of the aliens were deported on warrants and 9,278 others, who had been adjudged deportable, left at their own expense. The total leaving in the previous year was 17,617. During the year ending last July immigration officers barred 8,066 other aliens from entering. Immigrant arrivals numbered 67,895, compared with 50,244 in 1937 and 36,329 in 1936. The total was still far below the quota of 153,774, Houghteling said. Germans and Austrians, totaling 17,199, lead immigrants from all other countries. A classification by races in the report designated 11,917 of the Germans as Jews.

A mechanical nut cracker employing a new principal—blasting of the shell by an actual explosion—has been developed by the University of California College of Agriculture. The new machine feeds English walnuts into the cracking process on leather belts. A power saw cuts a tiny groove through the shell of the nut. As it passes over an aperture a tiny jet of acetylene gas and oxygen is shot through the slit. The nut falls into a container in which burns a gas flame. Heat causes the gas to explode and fracture the shell. The machine handles 900 pounds of nuts an hour. Sixty per cent of the meats are recovered in either wholes or halves.

Kirk Evetts, Jr., of Belton, Tex., was just one day old when he held a commission as a deputy sheriff. With Deputy Ralph Jeffrey holding him, the baby's footprints were taken by Sheriff John R. Bigham in lieu of a written signature on the commission. The day-old officer is the son of District Attorney Kirk Evetts.

Partner, there may be gold in them thar plates. Clay which the Nevada Humboldt Mining Company has been shipping in large quantities to manufacturers of chinaware has just been discovered to contain commercial quantities of gold.

The Canadian Press learned that the executive council of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada has decided to suspend all members of the Congress of Industrial Organization.

A "flying court" speeds justice in Alaska's second division, northernmost judicial unit under the United States flag. Less known.

but swifter than the "floating court" of Southwestern Alaska, the airplane court visits annually the isolated mining and fur trading posts of Kotzebue and Candle. A chartered plane carries the entire judicial force—judge, marshal and clerk—who hold court in territorial school buildings. Hearings of Eskimo divorce cases usually occupy much of the time. The "floating court" of Southwestern Alaska travels by coast guard cutter to remote villages in the Aleutian Islands and Bristol Bay. And at Barrow, Alaska, because of an influx of natives from the Eastern Arctic Coast, America's farthest-north school—the Indian Service Institution—has five teachers and an enrollment of 200 pupils this season.

Molly O'Daniel, daughter of the new governor of Texas, who said she'd "just love to slide down that long banister" in the stately governor's mansion, almost tried it out. On her arrival at the Texas White House she was begged by photographers to pose on the banister for them. She was willing, but Mrs. O'Daniel interposed. "No, Molly, you're too old for that now," smiled Texas' new first lady. The vivacious girl did, however, strike a pose at the railing for the cameramen.

Petty Chief Senau of Bechuanaland, Africa, perhaps the world's oldest man—he may be 125, 130 or even 140—will be heard in London on records. Sir John Harris of the Anti-Slavery and Aborigines Protection Society, who brought the news of Senau's great age to Britain, has announced that an investigating party has visited Senau and with the aid of translations by Paramount Chief Tshakedi Kahma has made gramophone recordings of a long interview in which the old man reveals some of his memories.

Dr. and Mrs. E. A. Metzger left Sunday for El Paso where they remained several days on a business visit.

### Capitol Cops Pray for Unconfusing Names Such as Wnorowski or Smithers

Capitol policemen at Washington admit the similarity of names in the 76th Congress has the force on the run.

The lawmakers have settled down to work, visitors are swarming over Capitol Hill and the uniformed men are having the toughest time within memory steering people into the right doors.

For instance: A visitor wants to see Representative McMillan.

"Which one?" asks the policeman. "Congressman McMillan, of South Carolina."

"I know," says the patient policeman, "but there are two Congressmen McMillans from South Carolina."

If the caller is able to say he wants to see John L. McMillan instead of Thomas S., he's all right. Otherwise it means a lot of walking. Their offices are in different buildings.

The Kennedy situation is even worse. There are three of them. Rep. Ambrose J. Kennedy of Maryland, receives some of the wrong mail and visitors, but his trouble is nothing to that of the others. They are:

Kennedy, M. J. (D-N. Y.)

Kennedy, M. J. (D-N. Y.)

Their districts are in New York City—not very far apart. Fortunately one's first name is Martin. The other's—Michael. But the confusion is awful.

Things get even more complicated when visitors ask for Congressman Anderson. They pro-

nounce the name almost the same whether they are seeking:

Anderson, H. Carl.  
Anderson, C. Arthur.  
Anderson, John Z., or  
Andresen, August H.  
Anderson and Andresen are both from Minnesota and both are Republicans.

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### FOR SALE

**FOR SALE**—3-disk tractor plow, \$25; Model T truck, \$25; 40-foot, 8-inch end belt, \$10. R. W. Box, 2 miles northeast Artesia. 52-tfc

**FOR SALE**—Baby chicks. Hatched twice a week. Five popular varieties. Book your order now for immediate or future delivery. McCaw's Hatchery. 1-4tp-4

**FOR SALE**—Fertilizer, \$2 a load delivered. Call 17 or 395. 3-3tp-5

**FOR SALE**—Or will trade for grass lands, property at Hobbs: Nine 2-room furnished houses; one 6-room house, half block from high school, 3 blocks from grade school, desirable location; rents the year around. P. O. Box 1917, Hobbs, N. Mex. 4-1tp

**FOR SALE**—Team of young work horses. Reed Brainard. 1-tfc

### FOR RENT

**FOR RENT**—One-room efficiency apartment, space for car. No children. Mrs. Margaret Threlkeld, 115 Richardson. 3-tfc

**FOR RENT**—Furnished apartment, modern. Call upstairs first building east of bank.—Mrs. Nora B. Clayton. 2-tfc

**FOR RENT**—Bedroom, close in. Mrs. T. E. Covey, 206 Texas. 4-1tc

**FOR RENT**—Three room apartment. Ready Feb. 1. Utilities paid. Prefer couple. No smokers. 1103 West Main. 4-2tp

**FOR RENT**—Two four room houses, furnished, modern, good locations. Telephone 7 or 99. Mrs. C. R. Blocker. 3-tfc

### WANTED

**BOARDERS WANTED**—Man and wife, or two men.—R. O. Cowan. 4-1tp

### Oil Activity—

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Total depth 2,874 feet; shot oil sand with 140 quarts nitro; after shot well flowed 420 barrels oil in 18 hours to tanks; considerable amount lost on ground. C. S. Powell, Smith 1, NE sec. 6-17-29.

Drilling at 1,760 feet. Yates, Travis 1, SE sec. 6-18-29. Total depth 925 feet; fishing for bit.

George Quillin and Underwood & Sanders, Amy Bruce 1, SE sec. 4-19-31. Drilling at 2,800 feet.

George Quillin and Carper Drilling Co., Quillin 1, NE sec. 12-19-31. Total depth 917 feet; surface pipe standing cemented.

Lea County Barnsdall State 1, SE sec. 33-16-36. Total depth 4,997 feet; shut down for orders; showed no free oil in hole after treating formation with acid.

Repollo, State 1, SW sec. 31-16-37. Drilling at 4,710 feet.

Chaves County Fisher, et al, Foster 1, NW sec. 7-15-26. Shut down for orders at 1,290 feet.

Nay Hightower, Billingslea 1, NE sec. 28-11-30. Drilling at 1,490 feet.

### Two Injured—

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done sometimes. The jolting of an injured head, he said, may keep hemorrhages going and damages may be increased. Dr. Stroup was speaking about such cases in general and was not attempting to discredit the driver in this case.

Frank Carr, father of young Carr, had asked Roswell police to be on the look-out for the two men before they were located in the hospital, as they were overdue in Alamogordo.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our appreciation to the many friends for their kindness and sympathy in the death of our husband and father.—Mrs. W. E. Willis and family. 4-1tp

Loose Leaf Note Books—25c and 50c.—The Advocate.

## HOT SPRINGS CORONADO CLUB VISITS MEXICO



**HOT SPRINGS, Jan. 25 (Special)**—Members of the Hot Springs High School Junior Coronado Cuarto Centennial Club, having completed a holiday tour of Old Mexico, are laying plans for a Spring pageant built around the New Mexico 400th Anniversary Celebration in 1940. Led by Superintendent Pat Murphy, the club acted as "good-will ambassadors" to Mexico on their recent trip. Wearing the official Coronado Club emblem, the New Mexico students were given a hearty reception throughout the Southern Republic. "Officials of the Mexican government extended every courtesy during our pleasant trip," Superintendent Murphy stated, "and were very enthusiastic about the plans for New Mexico's Coronado Cuarto Centennial."

### Cottonwood Items

(Ora Buck)

Ed Taylor of Cottonwood has purchased a new car.

W. N. Welch, a farmer of Lake Arthur was a business visitor on Cottonwood last Tuesday.

Henry Hall of this community was a business visitor in Carlsbad last Monday.

Fred Hill of Artesia was a business visitor on Cottonwood last Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Wes Hobbs, have been confined to their home the past ten days because of illness.

J. W. Buck of this community was a business visitor in Carlsbad last Tuesday.

Harold Dunn of Artesia was a business visitor on Cottonwood last Friday afternoon.

The Cottonwood Community Club postponed their regular January meeting until a later date.

Mr. and Mrs. I. P. Johnson of this community visited friends in Artesia last Sunday.

Mrs. Ralph Pearson and Mrs. Roy Ingram of Cottonwood were in Roswell Saturday.

A number of farmers have begun their plowing and preparations for another crop.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Cline of this section left last Monday for Texas points on business and to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Howard are having their house remodeled and are installing a hydro gas plant.

R. B. Knowles of Lamesa, Tex., is spending several days here visiting his daughter, Mrs. Glenn O'Bannon and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Chambers of this community were hosts to a number of friends, Jan. 15, at their home.

Miss Roberta Chambers of Cottonwood visited Miss Odessa Trayler of Hope Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. Oscar Pearson and Mrs. Clarence Pearson and daughter, Mrs. Roy Ingram were shopping and visiting friends in Roswell last Thursday.

The Cottonwood Ladies Aid held an all-day meeting at the home of Mrs. I. P. Johnson last Thursday. A covered dish lunch was served at noon.

Mrs. Oliver Vandagriff and daughter, Pauline, of Artesia were

visiting on Cottonwood and attended church and Sunday school last Sunday.

The regular meeting of the Cottonwood Woman's Club will be held Feb. 2 at the gym, with Mrs. Tommie Hopkins and Mrs. J. A. Clayton, Jr., as hostesses.

Mr. and Mrs. Clint Powell motored to Carlsbad Sunday, where they visited several days with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Wright and family.

The Roswell High School basketball team slipped another victory on the right side of the 1939 ledger last Friday night at the expense of Lake Arthur. The score was 25 to 18 in favor of Roswell.

The Rev. A. J. Jameson of Lake Arthur, who has been confined to his home because of illness, is somewhat improved. The Rev. Mr. Jameson's son held church services at Cottonwood last Sunday.

Mrs. John Buck, who underwent a sinus operation at the St. Francis Hospital at Carlsbad Jan. 17, returned to her home here last Thursday. She is doing as well as could be expected.

An announcement has been made that the Lake Arthur 4-H Club would hold a tour and demonstration on Sunday, Jan. 22. Due to a number of unforeseen happenings, the events have been postponed until a later date.

Lake Arthur defeated a fighting pack of basketball players from Hobbs Saturday night on their home floor, 22 to 16, leading most of the way with a 5 or 6-point margin. In the preliminary contest Lake Arthur seconds won a one-sided game, 32 to 4, from the Hope second team. Nihart, key man of Lake Arthur offense, led the scoring for his mates and the evening with 10 points.

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### LOCALS

Mrs. Roy Tyner, the former Miss Josephine Payne, left Sunday for Portales to resume her studies at Eastern New Mexico Junior College, after having been out since last year. She is majoring in music.

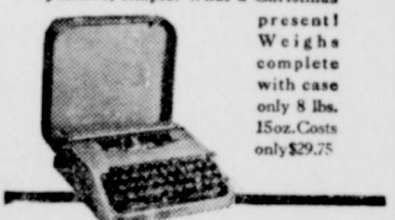
Mrs. N. R. Stroud of Altus, Okla., is the house guest of her mother, Mrs. J. D. Terry, and her sister, Mrs. S. O. Higgins. Mrs. Stroud and Mrs. Terry are spending this week end visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Terry in the Cottonwood section.

Mr. and Mrs. Reed Brainard left Thursday morning for Nacogdoches, Tex., on a business visit of several days.



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8 Sockets With Ratchet, Set \$1.15	Copen Saws......50
6 End Wrenches, Set......60	½-in Cable Clamps......10
5 End Wrenches, Set......1.00	¾-inch Cable Clamps......08
Monkey Wrenches......1.65	Hand Saws......95 to 2.00
Ball Pein Hammers......85	Steel Bits, All Sizes
24-inch Pipe Wrench.....\$2.25	12-inch T. V. Angle Adjustable Wrench... 1.25
18-inch Pipe Wrench......1.39	10-inch T. V. Angle Adjustable Wrench... .90
14-inch Pipe Wrench......99	8-inch T. V. Angle Adjustable Wrench... .66
8-inch Pipe Wrench......59	6-inch T. V. Angle Adjustable Wrench... .44
8-inch Pipe Wrench with Wood Handle... .60	12-inch Crescent Angle Adjustable Wrench 1.75

## Artesia Alfalfa Growers Assn.

Mrs. Edward Stone and Mrs. Cyril Stone will leave Friday for Pecos, Tex., where they will be guests Saturday morning at the wedding of Dr. Glenn Stone, eldest son of Dr. and Mrs. Edward Stone, and Miss Catherine Douglas, daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. A. C. Douglas of Pecos, formerly of Artesia. The ceremony will be solemnized at 9:30 o'clock Saturday morning, and the couple will make their home in Munday, Tex., where Dr. Glenn Stone has been practicing.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Carder announce the birth of a son, Friday, Jan. 13, at the home in Artesia. The infant weighed 8 pounds at birth, and has been given the name of Ronald Lawrence Carder. Mr. Carder is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Carder, southeast of Artesia.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Flint, and Mrs. T. H. Flint drove to Lovington, N. Mex., Sunday to spend the day

with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Flint and infant daughter, Eloise Ann. They returned to Artesia Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Black and children, Bobbie Dean and Donna Joyce, formerly of Long Beach, Calif., have moved to Artesia and are establishing their home at 412 Richardson Avenue. Mr. Black is a grandson of Mrs. A. C. Brown,

and formerly lived in Artesia and in Hobbs.

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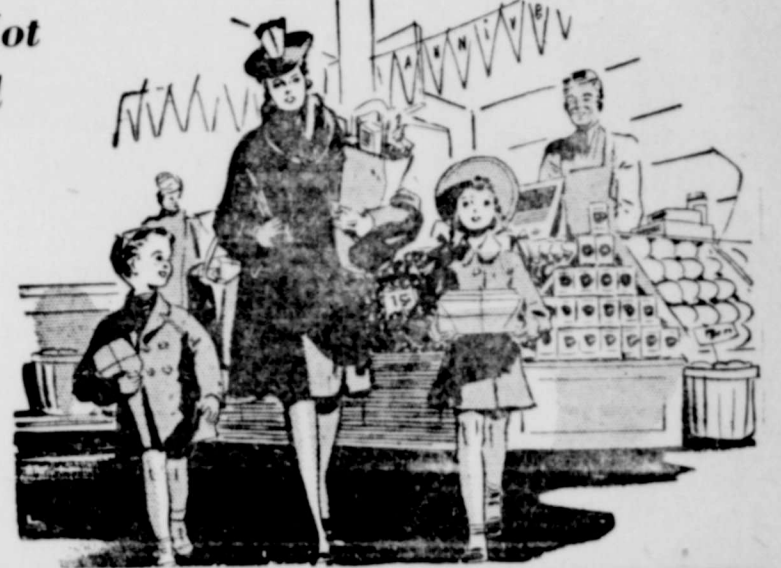
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lb. 18c



Baby Beef, Round, T-Bone, Sirloin  
**STEAKS**  
lb. 25c



Tenderized, Picnic  
**HAMS**  
lb. 21c



Campbell's  
**BUTTER**  
lb. 28c

Jumbo  
**LETTUCE**  
head 3c

Bunch  
**VEGETABLES**  
2 for 5c

Snow White  
**Cauliflower**  
lb. 7c

Texas, Seedless  
**GRAPEFRUIT**  
15c dozen

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4 lb. cello 22c

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2 lb. box 169

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1 lb. can 259

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