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MAD MAP MAKER HEADED FOR RUIN

The Mad Map Maker of Europe is at it again! Civilized peoples cannot understand his object, unless it be that he is drunk with power and wishes to rule the earth. But, if we recall history correctly, there was another German by the name of William Hohenzollern, who believed himself greater than all the peoples together. Bill, now in the eighties, is living in Doorn, Holland, in exile. Then there was a chap by the name of Napoleon Bonaparte, who had designs on the whole world. There was a little episode at Waterloo which wound him up. There were others further back in history, but in spite of our college major in history, we seem to have let slip the details about them. So, without any research work on it, we will let it go by saying there were others. History repeats itself, so we have been taught, and a glance through its pages will bear this out. And history is about to repeat itself again. Adolf Hitler is headed for ruin. It will not come in the next few months, unless we guess wrong. But if the European conflagration comes on April 1, as has been predicted, that will be but the first step in his ruination. The democracies, when they are forced to it, will wage a ruthless war, not against the German people, but against Nazism, against the Mad Map Maker and against his true followers, whom we believe to be very few. We make this prediction: That side by side with the democracies will be a large percentage of the German people. No, they will not come to the fore at once. They cannot; they dare not. But just as surely as the fact a general war is coming is the fact the German people, held in check today through fear, will find some way to rally around a sound principle, a humane leader and a just cause. When then will the German people rally? Not until the general war has shocked the non-combatants and the destruction of many lives and untold property has been accomplished. Not until things become so bad in Germany that they will be no longer bearable. Not until some sane man with enough love for humanity and his people and the courage to act gambles his all in trying to make a battle-torn Germany a peace loving nation in which the people have some rights. As they used to say in Russia: "Comes the revolution." Hitler has and will continue to grab territory in his mad march to world domination. Soon that will stop, for strong as he thinks he is and strong as he believes Germany to be, he will find other countries stronger. Mutinies will arise in his ranks. A general revolution will follow. Hitler either will have to flee his country to live in exile, or an assassin's bullet will find his heart. And the sooner the better.

RECOMMENDED READING FOR AMERICANS

We are not a forceful enough writer to give at this time an editorial which carries the weight of the preamble of the Constitution of the United States. Allow us to recommend that everyone read it. Therein lies food for thought, an argument for democracy greater and stronger than any editorial we might attempt.

NOW IS THE TIME TO ACT

Your Chamber of Commerce now knows what must be done in order to have an acceptable airport. As individuals those who understand the entire set-up are enthusiastic. But they have not lost sight of the necessity for financing the equipment of the new City Hospital. It is believed ways and means can be found to finance both enterprises and they should be found, neither to be slighted. But action is needed, and quickly, for the WPA program, as at present laid out, will expire on June 30. The majority of citizens realizing the necessity of an airport to any community, especially one such as Artesia, some way will be found. We must not let slip this golden opportunity of government assistance while available, for we will have to have an airport sooner or later anyway, so now is the time to act.

TOURIST TRADE

The New Mexico Tourist Bureau has determined that visitors to this state stay within the borders for an average of four and one-half days and that they spend \$50. Which ought to cause business men to ask if they are getting their share of trade from tourist travel, and if the determined answer is to the negative, they should start an immediate campaign to get a greater percentage. The tourist business is near the top in industries for this section and it must be catered to by courteous solicitation. Highways leading to the scenic attractions are essential. The scenic, historic and recreational facilities are available, but the means of getting to the points of interest are not of the best.—Las Vegas Daily Optic.

WHO WANTS WAR?

The World War cost nearly 10,000,000 lives, more than 21,000,000 wounded, nearly 8,000,000 missing, and a total money cost of \$300,000,000. It wiped out the Hohenzollern, Hapsburg and Romanoff dynasties, turned Russia Bolshevik, spread Communism over the earth, gave the World Hitler and Mussolini, bankrupted nations, changed the boundary lines of twenty-six nations, made unemployment the major world problem, drove the world off the gold standard, and filled the white world with the poison of hatred and fear.—The United Presbyterian.

Some gentlemen at Geneva announce their discovery that in many countries living is just cheaper, than it was a few years ago. Life is, too.—Amarillo News.

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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.
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Sermon, 11 a. m.
N. Y. P. S., 6:45 p. m.
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9:45 a. m., Bible school.
10:50 a. m., morning worship.
6:30 p. m., Baptist training service.
7:30 p. m., evening worship.
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Wednesday, 7:45 p. m., teachers' meeting, Bible study and prayer meeting.
Thursday, 2:30 p. m., W. M. S. Third Thursday in each month.
7:30 p. m., Brotherhood meeting.
S. M. Morgan, Pastor

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Seventh and Grand

Wednesday
9:30-10:30 a. m., ladies' Bible study.
7-8 p. m., mid-week meeting.
Sunday
10-10:50 a. m., Bible classes for all ages.
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

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Evening service at 7:30 p. m. every Sunday except the first Sunday in each month.
Church school every Sunday at 5 p. m.
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"The Homelike Church"

In view of the world-wide conditions, what a challenging need there is confronting every advocate of Christianity, that we shall all make full proof of our faith. You will not want to miss the timely subject discussed in the sermon Sunday morning by the pastor. It is: "The World's Greatest Coming Event." Worship at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Also a very worthwhile time spent in the Bible school, which assembles at 9:45

Boy Scout News

A busy outdoor program for Boy Scouts of the Eastern New Mexico area council has been planned for next summer.

A cruise by Sea Scouts of the area in the waters of the Pacific Ocean near Los Angeles and an "adventure camp" in Northern New Mexico are scheduled in addition to the annual series of summer camps at various places in the area. Twenty to 30 Sea Scouts from the five Sea Scout ships of the area are expected to go on the trip to the West Coast, where they will cruise in a ship to be furnished by Sea Scouts of the Long Beach council. The trip will be made in August and will last two weeks. It is open to all advanced Sea Scouts of the area. The trip to the coast will be made in automobiles, with trailers for carrying camping equipment. While on the coast, the boys will camp in tents. There will be adequate supervision by adult leaders.

The "adventure camp" will be held for one week during July at the new Boy Scout campsite, Philturn, near Cimarron, N. Mex. It will be strictly a pioneer camp and will be open to Scouts who are qualified campers. Camp-O-Ral, the first area-wide camping event of the year, will be held at Roswell, April 28-30. Camp-O-Ral is a real experience in self reliance, as the boys furnish their own shelter and do their own cooking. It is the largest camp held in the area, in point of attendance. The annual camp at We-hin-ah-pay, the council's beautiful campsite in the Sacramento Mountains near the town of Weed, will be held in three 7-day periods from June 4 to 25. It is scheduled earlier than usual in an effort to avoid the rains which fall in that area later in the summer. Water camps, featuring swimming, boating and water safety instruction, will be held during July at Carlsbad, Dexter and Clovis.

At all of the camps, everything possible is done to insure the health and safety of the boys. Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Wilson and two sons, David and James, of Roswell were guests Sunday of Mr. Wilson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Wilson. Mr. and Mrs. Arba Green received the announcement of the birth of a third granddaughter, born to Mr. and Mrs. A. C. La Follette of Baton Rouge, La., Wednesday of last week. The infant, who weighed seven pounds at birth, has been named Margaret Elizabeth, and is the second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. La Follette. Mr. and Mrs. Green expect to visit the La Follette family the first of next month. Mrs. La Follette will be remembered as Miss Erma Green, a former teacher in the local schools.

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CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES

"Reality" is the subject of the lesson-sermon which will be read in all societies and churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, March 26.

The Golden Text is: "Whatever things are true, whatsoever things are just, whatsoever things are pure, whatsoever things are lovely, whatsoever things are of good report; if there be any virtue, and if there be any praise, think on these things."—(Phil. 4:8.) Among the citations which comprise the lesson-sermon is the following from the Bible: "And ye know that all things work together for good to them that love God, to them who are called according to His purpose."—(Rom. 8:28.)

The lesson-sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook: "It is unwise to doubt if reality is in perfect harmony with God, divine Principle—if Science, when understood and demonstrated, will destroy all discord—since you admit that God is omnipotent; for from this premise it follows that good and its sweet concords have all-power."

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Fifteen Years Ago Today

(From The Advocate Files of March 21, 1924)

New companies will enter the oil field. Plans now under way for an active drilling campaign. City takes over the public library and the city park. A state law allows them to levy one-fourth mill each for the library and park. This will give approximately \$200 each for maintenance. The sum is not nearly large enough to support the library which will continue under its present board. The board will continue to raise the additional funds needed.

Majestic Theater—now the Ocotillo Theater—management, Ray Bartlett, is putting on a successful campaign for cleaning up Artesia. To each boy and girl bringing twenty-five empty cans or bottles to the theater, a free ticket to the Saturday morning matinee will be given. Prizes to adults for the best kept lawn during the summer also will be given.

E. T. Jernigan, formerly of Clovis, has purchased the jewelry business of A. F. Roselle.

Mrs. M. H. Ferriman, chairman of the art committee of the Woman's Club, announces an exhibit of paintings by Rollins next Friday and Saturday.

Monday afternoon of this week work was begun on the opening of the road between Y. O. crossing, 15 miles west of Hope, and the upper stretches of the Penasco Valley. The people of that section for many years have been trying to get an outlet to this section. The local Chamber of Commerce is interested in the road building of that section.

Dishpan Meditations

By Your Country Cousin

Stiffenin' in the spinal column is something to brag about—unless, like in a lot of cases, it's confined entirely to the first seven vertebrae!

Why ain't we hearin' a new hit called "Ridin' on the Old School Bus"? Seems as though they're takin' their place right along side of the singin' school an' the huskin' in' bee as a device for promotin' young romance.

You'll notice a lot of the younger women ain't so critical of their neighbors. Maybe while spendin' so much time in front of the lookin' in' glass gettin' that upswep effect an' matchin' the makeup to the exact color of their eyes they've discovered the "mote" that a lot of the rest of us miss!

Bud's been plowin'. Took a bath an' his ma says, "Land sakes, you look three shades lighter!" An' he says, "Nope, four pounds!"

Can't see why some up-and-comin' outfit ain't usin' "A Full Length Mirror in Every Kitchen" for their slogan. No tellin' just how much it would effect business in Reno!

You don't need long ears to hear folks goin' on about all the things they've missed. Why don't they talk about the things that missed them?

Another funny thing—or pathetic—is that you always find in folks exactly what you're lookin' for. E. C. Higgins at the Artesia Hotel, who was reported ill of flu last week, is improving. However, he was denied the pleasure of having visitors for several days.

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Laughs Are Found In Quiz Papers of School Boys, Girls

Some Examples Gleaned from Examination Answers of Students

Humor is where it is found, as witness these answers gleaned from the papers of school children: A blizzard is the inside of a fowl. R. I. P. means Return if Possible. The poll tax was a tax on parrots. A monkey has a reprehensible tail. An oasis is a futile spot in a desert. An antidote is a funny story that you have heard before. In the United States people are put to death by elocution.

The best of boys is, they can grow into parsons. Girls can't. Cause of monsoons. "The wind bloweth where it listeth." What comes next to man in the scale of being? His undershirt. When you breathe you expire. When you do not breathe you expire. A red Indian's wife is called his squaw and his children squawks. What are the chief movements of the earth? Exports and imports. One of the chief uses of water is to save people from drowning in.

A man who looks on the bright side of things is called an optimist, and one who looks on the dull side is called a pianist. My father has been decapitated for a number of years.

The opposite of an upright man is a downright. A is an upright idiot but B is a downright idiot. Milk is chiefly bought in tins, but it also grows in coconuts and goats. When is the best time for picking apples? On Sunday afternoons when the folks are in church. Who is the wisest man mentioned in the Bible? Paul, because he didn't marry. Father says so. A sincere friend is useful and says nasty things to your face, instead of saying them behind your back. Money is useful and also it is not useful. If a man has money it is useful, but if he has no money it is not useful. Germs are sort of small insects that swim in you when they can get in. Some are called measles but you can't see them. Political economy is the science which teaches us to get the greatest benefit with the least possible amount of honest labor. Explain what is meant by bearing false witness against one's neighbor. It was when nobody

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Artesia Lodge No. 28

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Keep the Horse in Front

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

There ought to be some sort of livestock and poultry on every farm in the Southwest. It offers means of increasing farm income, besides distributing both labor and income throughout the year. "A farm is not a farm without its barnyard noises" said some wise man. The whole theme of these articles is to encourage and in some small degree to point the way to a balanced farming system in the Southwest which will relieve the uncertainties of crop-farming. But—

And it is a great big "but"—we must be careful not to get the cart before the horse. Farm livestock and poultry are primarily a means of manufacturing raw materials—feed and pasturage—into more usable and salable forms. If the farm hasn't the feed—at least a large part of it—it is not ready for livestock. We have all seen the tragedy of feed shortages, forcing the sale of animals at a sacrifice or keeping them at an excessive cost by purchasing feed.

What the farm flocks and herds live and thrive on next winter depends on the kind of feed and pasturage available, the facilities for taking care of them, and above all, the amount of feed to keep them growing and producing twelve months in the year. The feed must precede stocking the farm with feed-consuming fowls or animals, and now is the time to start producing the feed.

"Livestock without feed is a farm tragedy," says Sam A. McMillan, who ought to know, for he has, like many of us, seen too many tragedies of "going into" the livestock business without the fortification of feed supplies to avoid having to "go out" under pressure.

We Americans are constitutionally inclined to "bore with a big auger," to think a business beneath consideration if it isn't a big business. It is mighty easy to over-estimate the carrying capacity of a pasture, to "guess" we have feed enough for twenty cows or a hundred hens and find out, too late, that we have feed enough for only half as many. It is not only a matter of safety, but a matter of profits, to have more than enough rather than less.

Livestock and poultry are not like annual crops—they grow and require feed 365 days in the year. The very fact that they go on producing when crops are not growing is what makes them valuable in the farm set-up. But a few well-fed every day are better from every standpoint than many half-fed, or well-fed for a few months and half-starved the rest of the year.

There is just now a sort of "boom psychology" in certain types of livestock, especially beef cattle, sheep and hogs. The prices of these animals have been held up better than most other farm and ranch products, which is always a temptation to over-stocking. "In at the top and out at the bottom" is the sad history of many business enterprises, including every sort of farming enterprise. It is scarcely necessary to say that the "in-and-out" is seldom the winner in any line of business.

But Southwestern farms must have livestock and poultry, each in proportion to the size and type of farm. It is essential to the present as well as the future of farming in this favored region. All I am trying to say here is that we must "grow into" rather than "go into" that phase of sound farm management, and "growing into" it means growing the feed ahead of the consuming needs of the livestock.

As we plant feed at this season we plant eggs for the Christmas market, the cream for every day after summer pastures fail, the fat hogs and beeves of next winter and spring, the fat turkeys for Thanksgiving. Let's not get the cart in front of the horse.

Dr. and Mrs. E. A. Metzger have as their guest this week Mrs. Metzger's nephew, Wilkey McFarland, of Hoopston, Ill., who is a student at the University of Colorado in Boulder. Mr. McFarland arrived Monday to spend his spring vacation here. A trip was made through the Carlsbad Caverns Wednesday.

WANTED—Clean Cotton Rags at The Advocate.

WHAT'S WHAT In NEW MEXICO

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

Expecting increased tourist travel during the coming season, the State Tourist Bureau has obtained 250,000 official highway maps of the state for distribution, 50,000 more than last year, Director Joseph Bursey said.

Four oil test wells are being drilled in three counties of the state besides the Southeastern sector, the New Mexico oil conservation commission reported. The Tex-Mex Oil Company's Tex-Mex, Colfax County, 2-36-24, was down 1,200 feet in sand, while the N. B. Martin and Son well in section 3-9-31, in Quay County was down 1,000 feet in sandy rock, the report said. C. T. Shook's Chapman Bros. well, also in Quay County, 12-5-36, was drilling in red clay at 750 feet. In Guadalupe County, W. Hawkins' Aqua Negro, 33-8-21, was down 100 feet in sand.

Last month was the second coldest February for New Mexico in the history of weather bureau records, running behind only February, 1919, Meteorologist E. L. Hardy said. The monthly mean temperature was 29 degrees, 8.2 below the 48-year average. The lowest recorded reading of the month was 40 below at Gavilan Feb. 3. Last month's precipitation was slightly below normal but Hardy said it was well distributed. Snowfall was 3.1 inches above normal, heaviest for February since 1929. The average state precipitation was .61 of an inch, .11 of an inch below the 48-year average.

A federal grand jury at Santa Fe last week indicted 11 persons, including Mayor Sam Klein of Las Cruces, on charges of diverting WPA materials for personal use, and making false claims against WPA for services. Mayor Klein of Las Cruces is charged specifically with diversion of WPA labor. Others named in the indictments are Manuel Garcia, Reuben R. Gale, Lordsburg; Peter B. Coleman, Felix Martinez, Salamon Chavez, Isaac Baca, Joe Sandoval, Atliano Corsova, Arthur J. Daniel and B. W. Means, all of Albuquerque. The charges of those from Albuquerque ranged from diverting WPA services and materials to presenting false claims.

Burton Dwyre, state highway engineer, has announced the appointment of Fred G. Healy, former State Works Progress administrator, as assistant state highway engineer in charge of construction. Healy succeeds F. M. Limbaugh, who resigned with the change of administrations.

H. S. Bissell, owner and operator of the 185,000 acre Corralitos ranch west of Las Cruces, has signed an agreement with the Soil Conservation Service for extensive erosion control. R. A. Young, area conservationist announced. One of the largest single areas in the United States where the land operator and the service are getting together in a conservation program, the work will take 2 or 3 years to complete. In cooperation with the service, Bissell plans, through proper range management and erosion control structures, to stop soil and water losses, improve range forage, and check runoff-off which contributes to flood damage on farms in the Mesilla Valley.

Plans to erect 20 additional markers for points of interest in the state were announced by Jo-

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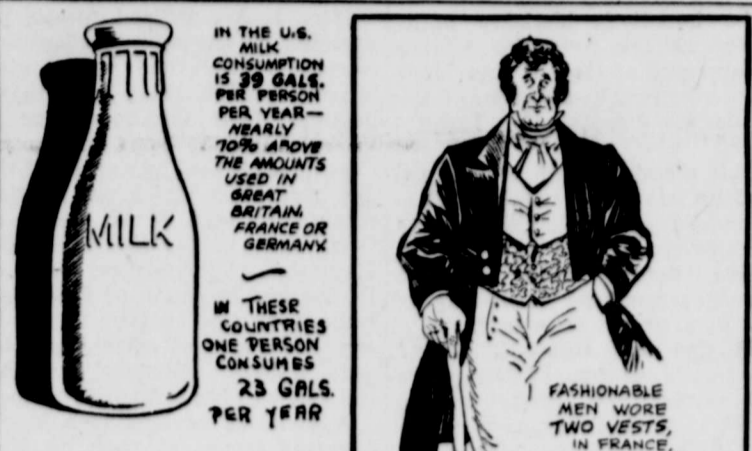
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A cattle drive reminiscent of the big trail drives that ended in the nineties, has been accomplished this winter by Clifford and W. L. Herndon, ranchers. They drove 423 head from Ute, N. Mex., to their ranches in Ochiltree County, Tex. The drive was 225 miles. Five cowhands drove the cattle and bedded them at night. Absent was the chuck wagon. A modern pick-up truck served that purpose. The cattle were on the trail three weeks. None was lost and no rustlers were encountered. The Herndons said they saved \$500 in transportation costs by driving the herd.

The 4-H Club members who will represent New Mexico at the national 4-H Club encampment at Washington, D. C., June 15-21, have been selected by a committee composed of members of the State Extension Service staff. The ultimate aim of every 4-H Club member is eventually to be selected as a delegate to this encampment, because of the signal honor thus conveyed. There were four members selected, two boys and two girls: Mancel Mortensen of Hidalgo County, De Armand Harris of Lea County, Phyllis Marshall of Chaves County and Vivian Hodley of Roosevelt County.

State Highway Engineer Burton Dwyre said a survey of a proposed improved section of U. S. Highway 285, between Encino and Lamy, was underway preparatory to putting the project in the department's 1940 construction program. He said if approval is given the project by the Federal Bureau of Public Roads, it will be possible to let the contract this summer. Other surveys have been made, he said, but the winter's snowstorms blocking the route through Kline's Corners convinced officials that earlier surveys would have to be revised.

FIND OUT JUST WHAT IS CAUSING THAT HAY FEVER

Tendency to Hay Fever is chiefly hereditary and the disease is not contagious. A child whose parent had Hay Fever may have hives, eczema, migraine, mucous colitis, Hay Fever or Asthma. Medical science says they are all allied diseases caused from sensitiveness to some pollen, animal effluvia, cosmetics containing orris root, or some protein-containing food. The seasonal type is usually caused from pollen and the perennial type usually from the more constantly-present irritants.

Hay Fever is distinguished by absence of fever and itching of mucous membranes of eyelids, palate and ears. Aside from the intense discomfort, there is danger of chronic obstruction of sinuses, or Asthma.

According to medical authorities, about 90 per cent of these cases can be tested, treated and immunized against those things to which he is sensitive. This testing process is not painful, but sometimes takes patience and perseverance. Your own physician will be glad to advise you further.

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Plans for the five-room houses built by the Farm Security Administration for about \$1,100 have become available to the public in a small booklet published by the Department of Agriculture.

The booklet, entitled "Small Houses," includes house plans for the \$1,100 houses built on the Farm Security Administration's Southeast Missouri project, and also for typical homes constructed at eight other FSA projects. Most of the houses described in the booklet are farm houses, without plumbing, but a few are urban or suburban homes. All are small homes that fall within the broad category of "low cost" structures.

The Farm Security Administration has received a great many requests for plans for the Southeast Missouri homes, almost 100 of which were built at an average cost of \$1,105 by making use of a pre-fabrication and pre-cutting system. The booklet illustrates this method of construction with pictures, gives the floor plan for one of the typical houses, and describes the materials used.

While the mass construction savings are not available to individual builders, adaptations of the plans for the Southeast Missouri homes are being used by farmers throughout the South who are building homes under loans from the Farm Security Administration for purchase of farms. Private contractors in some regions are building them for as little as \$1,300.

Other houses described in the booklet have been built at the Georgia Farm Tenant Security project; the Christian-Trigg Farms, Kentucky; Cumberland Homesteads, Tennessee; Bankhead Farms, Alabama; Mt. Olive, Alabama; Palmedale Homesteads, Alabama; Greenwood, Alabama; and Newport News, Va.

Copies of the booklet may be obtained from the Superintendent

of Documents, Washington, D. C., for 10 cents.

LEGION AUXILIARY SHOWS BIG INCREASE

The American Legion Auxiliary at the end of February had enrolled 371,206 members for 1939, the largest February enrollment in its history, according to Mrs. John Runyan, membership chairman of Clarence Kepple Auxiliary unit.

This figure was an increase of 21,342 over the same date last year, when the auxiliary established an all-time high membership record of 465,000. Maintaining the same rate of gain, the organization will have more than 485,000 members this year, Mrs. Runyan pointed out.

THOMPSONS TO MARKET

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Thompson of the Peoples Mercantile Company dry goods department, spent Sunday in Lubbock, attending the last day of the four-day showing of spring merchandise held there. Mr. and Mrs. Thompson also had the pleasure of a brief visit with their son, Carey, who is a student at the West Texas Tech.

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SOCIETY

Mrs. Kiddy Is Installed Head Of Missionary

Mrs. Hugh Kiddy was installed as president of the Presbyterian Missionary Society at a regular meeting of the organization at the Kiddy home last Thursday afternoon. Officers installed to serve with Mrs. Kiddy during the next year were: Mrs. Jess Truett, vice president; Mrs. Frank Smith, secretary and Mrs. Russell Rogers, treasurer. Mrs. A. G. Glasser, who was re-elected to her office, was installed as chairman of the Ladies' Aid.

Secretaries who will serve the organization for next year and who were installed on this occasion were: Mrs. R. L. Paris, secretary of spiritual life; Mrs. W. E. Kerr, education; Mrs. Ralph A. Stuart, literature; Mrs. Rex Wheatley, stewardship; Mrs. V. L. Gates, membership; Mrs. William Linell, programs, and Mrs. R. G. Knoedler, sewing.

The above were installed by Mrs. R. G. Knoedler, the outgoing president, who has served as head of the society for a period of four years. Mrs. Knoedler reported the year's work closed with all obligations met.

Mrs. Henry Stout and Mrs. Kiddy were elected as delegates to represent the local society at the meeting of the Presbytery to be held in Hobbs April 10 and 11; alternates elected were Mrs. Russell Rogers and Mrs. Frank Smith.

Mrs. Smith was program leader for the afternoon in a program on Japan. The devotionals were led by Mrs. Gates.

March 29 was the date announced for the annual church supper to be held at the Presbyterian Church at 6:30 o'clock.

Mrs. Kiddy, hostess, served a tasty light refreshment course during a social hour after the program.

MRS. WELCH HOSTESS TO EPISCOPAL GUILD

Mrs. A. T. Woods conducted the Bible study at the meeting of the Episcopal Guild last Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Wendell Welch, hostess. The fourth chapter of St. John was used for the pre-Easter study.

The next meeting of the auxiliary will be at the home of Mrs. Van P. Welch at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon.

Mrs. Welch served light refreshments to ten guests during a social hour.

MR. AND MRS. HARDEMAN HOSTS AT SUPPER CLUB

Mr. and Mrs. Fay Hardeeman were hosts in entertaining the Thursday Night Supper Club last Thursday evening at their home, serving a buffet supper at 7 o'clock.

High score award in contract for the ladies was presented to Mrs. Howard Whitson and for the men to Neil B. Watson. Substituting guests were Mrs. Fred Whipple of Kansas City, Mo.; and Mrs. W. L. Ingham of Pawhuska, Okla., and John A. Mann and Mrs. E. A. Metzger of Artesia. Members present were Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Feather, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Whitson, Mr. and Mrs. Neil B. Watson and Mr. and Mrs. Hardeeman.

METHODIST MISSIONARY AT BULLOCK HOME

The literary meeting of the Methodist Missionary Society held at the home of Mrs. E. B. Bullock last Thursday, with Mrs. Veda Tope and Mrs. Neil Feemster co-hostesses, was unusually well attended.

The program on "Expanding the Horizon of the Local Church" was in charge of Mrs. R. O. Cowan, who also gave the hour of meditations, using the theme, "Religion Released."

Mrs. Reed Brainard presided at the business session and announced a meeting of the officers for March 31 at the home of Mrs. Roger Durand.

The hostesses served stuffed angelfood cake and coffee.

VIERNES BRIDGE CLUB

There were two substituting guests at the Viernes Bridge Club Friday, when they met with Mrs. Fletcher Collins at her farm home, Mrs. Howard Stroup and Mrs. A. L. Colvin.

Mrs. E. E. Gillispie received the high score award at the close of the games of contract and Mrs. A. G. Glasser second high award. Other members present were: Mmes. William Bowden, Boone Barnett, Andy Company, Joe Holyfield, Wallace Hastings, C. R. Vandagriff and Jack Clady. Mrs. Collins served a delicious refreshment course.

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Social Calendar

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THURSDAY (TODAY)

Sunshine Class, Mrs. Mary Davis, hostess, 2:30 p. m. Young Matrons' Circle of Methodist Church, Mrs. Joe Ellis, hostess, 2:30 p. m.

Past Presidents Parley, Mrs. C. R. Vandagriff, hostess, 1 p. m. Postponed from Friday of last week.

Home Makers Circle at Baptist Church, all day meeting.

The Young Women's Christian Guild, Mrs. Le Dean McCrory, hostess, at the W. E. Kerr home on West Main, 2:30 p. m. Swastika Bridge Club, Mr. and Mrs. J. Clark Bruce, hosts, 7:30 p. m.

Thursday Evening Bridge Club, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Haynes, hosts, 7:30 p. m.

FRIDAY

The Alpha Chapter of the Kappa Kappa Gamma Sorority, Miss Flora Dunlap, hostess, 7:30 p. m. Call meeting for purpose of organizing P. T. A., at home of Mrs. Jim Berry, 3 p. m. Every school patron interested invited to attend.

Dollar Club of Christian Church, social, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Coll, hosts, 7:30 p. m. Viernes Bridge Club, Mrs. E. E. Gillispie, hostess, 2 p. m. H20 Bridge Club, Mrs. J. B. Atkeson, hostess, 2 p. m. Miercoles Bridge Club postponed on account of P. T. A. meeting.

SATURDAY

The County Council of Eddy County in Carlsbad, 10 a. m. to 2 p. m. Officers of the thirteen extension clubs, all demonstrators and club reporters are eligible to attend.

MONDAY

W. C. T. U. at Methodist Church parlor, 4 p. m. Ladies of the city are urged to attend and show which side they are on.

Young Democratic Club, picnic, Cottonwood Falls. Meet at Roy Langston home, 6:30 p. m. Past Matrons' Club, Mrs. A. B. Coll, hostess, 2:30 p. m.

TUESDAY

Pinochle Club, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Dunn, hosts, 7:30 p. m. First Afternoon Bridge Club, Mrs. Arba Green, hostess, 2:15 p. m.

Bible study class at Methodist Church, conducted by the Rev. John S. Rice. All church women invited to attend, 2:30 p. m.

WEDNESDAY

The Artwood Pirates Bridge Club, Mrs. J. O. Wood, hostess, 7:30 p. m. Morning Glory Club, Mrs. J. W. Haven, hostess, all day meeting. Wednesday Night Bridge Club, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Hamill, hosts, 7 p. m.

Presbyterian annual church supper and business meeting at church, 6:30 p. m.

THURSDAY (NEXT WEEK)

The Thursday Supper Club, Mr. and Mrs. Neil B. Watson, hosts, 7 p. m.

CHANGES IMPROVE METHODIST CHURCH

Methodist Church folks met at the church Sunday afternoon late for the purpose of making a tour of the church and noting the changes and improvements made. The pastor's study has been moved from the back of the church to the front, at the left of the front entrance. The former study will be used for the cradle roll room. A room has been arranged in the balcony for the Sunshine Class and new curtains have been hung at the doors of all the rooms in the junior department.

A covered dish supper was enjoyed by the group previous to the church services and quarterly conference with the presiding elder, the Rev. L. Bowman Craven of Roswell preaching and presiding.

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WEDDING ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATED BY TAYLORS

The thirty-fifth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. J. Will Taylor was celebrated at their spacious ranch home near Maljamar Tuesday evening with about fifty relatives, neighbors and friends joining in the celebration.

Mrs. Johnny Cooper, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Taylor, was hostess, and by careful planning the occasion was a surprise to the honorees. Mr. and Mrs. Taylor received lovely gifts on their coral wedding anniversary. Cards and dominoes entertained the guests until the midnight hour, when a beautifully decorated wedding cake was brought forth and served with midnight refreshments.

Those attending from Artesia were Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Holdeman, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Barker, Mr. and Mrs. Will Cobble and Mrs. C. Bert Smith.

MRS. MANN HONOREE AT MORNING COFFEE

Mrs. Neil B. Watson entertained this morning at 10 o'clock with a delightful morning coffee and handkerchief shower, naming Mrs. John A. Mann, who will leave soon for Lewiston, Mont., to make her home, as honor guest.

Members of the 1937 Bridge Club, of which Mrs. Mann has been a regular substituting member for many months, and a few intimate friends were bidden guests.

FUN LOVERS TO HAVE DANCE FRIDAY EVENING

At a business meeting of the Fun Lovers Club, Miss Sybil Pior, hostess, Monday evening, plans were made for an invitation dance at the Woman's Club building Friday evening.

Miss Bettyne Lanning, president, presided. Light refreshments were served by the hostess.

Miss Chambers, Bride-Elect, Is Honored Guest

Miss Roberta Chambers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Chambers of the Cottonwood community, and formerly of Hope, whose marriage to Edgar Havins of Roswell will be next month, was honored with a lovely bridal shower last Thursday afternoon at the beautiful farm home of Mrs. Glenn O'Bannon.

The shower was so perfectly planned as to be a complete surprise to the honoree. Miss Chambers had been invited to the O'Bannon home and upon arriving found a large group of friends who greeted her. The dining room table was laden with beautiful and useful gifts for a bride; these were unwrapped and passed around for all present to admire. Young Everette Dean O'Bannon delighted his listeners with three violin numbers at intervals during the afternoon. Adding to the pleasure of the guests were appropriate games.

The hostess served delicious St. Patrick refreshment plates. On each was a three-leaf clover with written "dons'ts" to the bride. These were especially amusing when read aloud.

The guest list included Mmes. O. M. Scoggin, Andy Teel, C. E. Coates, Walter Coates, Newt Teel, John Teel, Marie Lewis, Sam Hunter and Charley Cole of Hope; Mrs. Lee Glascock of Artesia and Mmes. Holt Havins, Chester Black, R. T. Black and Ross Martin of Roswell.

The Cottonwood guest list included Mmes. Bob O'Bannon, Nelson Deoring, Ralph Pearson, Roy Ingram, Ben Marable, Monroe Howard, F. B. Chambers, D. A. Bradley, Buster Knowles and O. B. Montgomery and the Misses Lois Howard, Lorene Jackson and Mary Frances O'Bannon and Miss Chambers.

Those who were unable to be present but who sent gifts were: Mmes. E. C. Hawkins, R. L. Cole, E. A. Traylor, Jess Anderson, Virgil Craig, Myron Guess, George Teel, Fenoy Fite and Anderson Young and the Misses Lora Mae Teel, Delma Ruth Cole, Odessa Traylor and Jean Kimbrough, all of Hope; Mmes. S. G. Golden, Clarence Pearson, Oscar Pearson, H. V. Parker, E. P. Malone, T. M. Bobo, Basel Bobo and Miss Helen Parker of Cottonwood.

Women Present Cake to Legion On Its Birthday

The twentieth birthday anniversary of the American Legion was observed at the hut here Monday evening, when members of the Auxiliary entertained Legionnaires.

After a covered dish supper, enjoyed by nearly 100 persons, Mrs. Raymond Bartlett, Auxiliary president, presented a birthday cake bearing twenty candles to C. R. Baldwin, commander of the Legion post, in a simple ceremony.

Sid Cox and Oscar Samelson, who served as two of the post's first commanders, spoke briefly, and Mrs. J. M. Story, first president of the Auxiliary, told of the struggles of the unit in its early days. Baron J. V. Auriemma led in group singing and sang "Trees" as a solo.

An interesting sidelight was a miscellaneous shower of kitchen utensils and other household gifts to Mrs. Hal Hamill, whose home was destroyed by fire recently, by the two organizations and individuals.

A St. Patrick motif was carried out for the supper, which was served buffet style and enjoyed at one long table.

BAPTIST WOMEN MEET WITH MRS. C. L. JONES

The executive board of the Fidelity class of the First Baptist Church met in the home of Mrs. C. L. Jones at 903 Roselawn Monday afternoon. Mrs. Cecil Mitchell, president, was in charge of the meeting.

Mrs. George Williams brought the devotionals, taken from the 121st Psalm, which was followed by prayer by Mrs. Thelma Jones. Plans were made for the monthly class meeting, and other business was discussed.

Present were: Mrs. J. C. Liebhardt, Mrs. L. C. Reynolds, Mrs. George Williams, Mrs. C. R. Jones, Mrs. Ed Mitchell, Mrs. Carl Lewis and the hostess. They were dismissed by prayer by Mrs. Reynolds, after which light refreshments were served.

BRIDGE-ITS MEET WITH MISS BIGLER

Mrs. Joe Hamann and Mrs. I. L. Spratt were substituting guests Thursday evening, when Miss Ruth Bigler was hostess to the Bridge-Its. A St. Patrick theme was carried out in appointments and in the dainty refreshments course served by the hostess.

At the conclusion of the games Miss Corinne Puckett held high score. Other guests were: Misses Mary Woods, Ethel Bullock, Lucille Morris, Hazel Luck, Flora Dunlap and Isabel Macdonald and Mmes. Margaret Bildstone, Joe Massey and C. D. Marshall.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Dunn, located at the Vacuum pool in the oil field, visited here several days this week at the J. R. Attebery home.

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MORNING GLORY CLUB WITH MRS. WILL SIMER

An all-day meeting of the Morning Glory Club was enjoyed last Thursday at the home of Mrs. Will Simer, northeast of the city.

Mrs. J. W. Hillard, president, presided at the morning business session at which time the club year books were distributed to the membership. Miss Vernita Conley of Carlsbad, county home demonstration agent, led in the singing of the new club song, which was written recently by Mrs. W. W. Galton of Otis. Miss Conley also led in the discussion of the day on "Line of Design and Selection of Patterns." Dolls were used by Miss Conley in demonstrations of color and color combinations. Members answered roll call by giving favorite recipes. A delicious covered dish luncheon was served at noon by Mrs. Simer, hostess, and Mrs. Minnie Swackhammer, co-hostess.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Hillard, Wednesday, March 29. Patterns for the dressmaking project will be chosen at this meeting.

MRS. MARY EVANS HOSTESS 1937 BRIDGE

There were six substituting guests when Mrs. Mary Evans entertained the 1937 Bridge Club, Friday afternoon. They were: Mrs. Hollis Watson, Mrs. Lewis Story, Mrs. R. L. Holcomb, Mrs. C. R. Blocker, Mrs. James Welch and Mrs. Hugh Donald Burch.

Club members who were guests were: Mrs. Howard Whitson, Mrs. Fay Hardeeman, Mrs. Landis Feather, Mrs. Neil Watson, Mrs. T. T. Flint and the hostess, Mrs. Evans. Mrs. Neil Watson received the high score award and Mrs. Blocker second high award.

A delicious St. Patrick luncheon was served at the Artesia Hotel Coffee Shop followed by games of contract at the Evans home.

CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION WITH MRS. HIGHTOWER

The study day program of the Christian Woman's Association conducted by Mrs. Will Ballard, was held at the home of Mrs. Jeff Hightower last Thursday afternoon with twelve ladies in attendance. "The Book of Judges, a Bible Study," was the theme for discussion.

Mrs. Frank Thomas, president presided. Light refreshments were served.

ANNIVERSARY OBSERVED AT I. S. RESER HOME

Mr. and Mrs. I. S. Reser celebrated their twentieth anniversary in New Mexico last Thursday evening, by inviting a number of friends to join them at dinner.

Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Ballard Spencer, the Rev. and Mrs. J. Vernon Wheeler, Mrs. Owen McClay, Mrs. Faith Huston, E. C. Jackson of Lake Arthur and the hosts. A bountiful turkey dinner was served. The evening was spent in recalling events of bygone years.

MR. AND MRS. HART ARE HOSTS AT "TACKY PARTY"

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hart were hosts at a delightfully pleasant St. Patrick "tacky party" at their home at 603 First Street, Friday evening. A series of games

was played with the latter part of the evening being devoted to cards.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Mitchell were awarded prizes for the "tackiest" costumed couple. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Jones, Mr.

and Mrs. Lewis Fulton, Mr. and Mrs. Truck Rogers, Miss Alberta Clapp and Le Roy Carr.

Refreshments in keeping with the St. Patrick theme were served at the close of the evening.



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Miss Maurine Everet was toast-mistress at the St. Patrick banquet served at the high school last Thursday evening by members of class 2 of the High School Home Economics department. Members of the Honor Roll Society and high school faculty members were guests.

During the banquet hour impromptu talks were made by W. E. Kerr, superintendent; C. D. Marshall, principal; John White, librarian, and Miss Betty Sue Hannah of the Honor Society.

Tables were arranged in a horseshoe shape and calculas added the correct note of color for the St. Patrick appointments and menu served.

High school girls who had part in preparing and serving the banquet under the supervision of their instructor, Miss Mary Luther, were: Misses Mary Baird, Phyllis Bartlett, Edna Carder, Billie Green, Mary Ruth Hearn, Lois Howard, Helen Johnson, Wanda Morris, Dorothy Stuart, Eunice Boteler.

Louise Chatman, Juanita Cester, Wanda Lee Davis, Mary Gelwick, Ruth Hamilton, Katherine Hughes, Eileen Jones, Helen Lopez, Dorothy Lee Marler, Lu Juana Monchy, Mary Paton, Op Rogers, Dorothy Mae Wake, Dorothy Jackson and Gaylon Marrs.

The same class of girls will each model a silk or wool dress in the newest spring creations before the high school student body at the regular assembly hour this morning.

A short play entitled "The Delirium Bachelor" will also be given at the assembly by members of the Home Economics Club. Those taking part in the play are Orville Chambers, Wilma Owens, Delores Mayhoyen, Francis Manley, Edna Cave, Anna Jean Johnson, Ruth Rowland, Helen Parker and Gladys Johnson.

HOME MAKERS CIRCLE
ALL DAY MEETING

The Bible study was conducted by Mrs. J. D. Josey at an all day meeting of the Home Makers Circle held at the church last Thursday.

The luncheon at noon was enjoyed by about fifteen members. Quilting took up the remainder of the time for the day.

MISS LINELL HOSTESS
AT SCAVENGER HUNT

Miss Peggy Linell was hostess at a pleasantly planned scavenger hunt, Tuesday evening, having for her guests members of the High School Honor Society.

Clues took the boys and girls on thrilling and interesting adventures. Miss Jane Shugart drove the winning car and her associates were Landis Ed Feather, Marvin McCaw and Misses Sybil Pior and Mary Baird.

The young hostess was assisted by her mother, Mrs. William Linell in serving a dessert course after the hunt.

DINNER DANCE AT
HOTEL ON SATURDAY

Dr. and Mrs. E. A. Metzger, Mr. and Mrs. Joe A. Nunn and Mr. and Mrs. B. B. McDaniel were hosts to members of the Dinner Dance Club at the Artesia Hotel roof garden Saturday evening.

The Easter theme was carried out in a unique manner in table appointments with the multi-colored Easter eggs marking the places of the thirty-six guests. Club members only were present to enjoy the dancing of the evening.

CANDIDATES INITIATED
AT REBEKAH LODGE

Two candidates were initiated into the Rebekah lodge Monday evening. They were Mrs. Luke Taylor and Mrs. Irene Hayes. A large number of the membership were present for the initiation and the social hour after the regular lodge session. Light refreshments were served by the social committee.

CENTENARY PRIZE BOOK
REVIEWED AT P. E. O.

A 1936 winner of the Centenary prize by Little, Brown & Company, "Pedlar's Progress," by Odell Shepard, was reviewed by Mrs. J. B. Atkeson at a regular meeting of the P. E. O. at the home of Mrs. Leslie Martin Friday afternoon.

Shepard's manuscript of "Pedlar's Progress" won over 385 other manuscripts entered. Although a difficult book to review, Mrs. Atkeson handled it in a splendid manner.

Seventeen guests were served a tasty refreshment course by Mrs. Martin immediately after adjournment.

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Cooked foods on sale beginning at 10 a. m. Saturday by Methodist ladies at Safeway Store. 12-31-1c

FORTNIGHTLY BRIDGE
MRS. BLOCKER HOSTESS

Mrs. N. M. Baird was a luncheon guest Tuesday when Mrs. C. R. Blocker entertained the Fortnightly Club with a St. Patrick bridge. Mrs. A. L. Bert was the only substituting guest.

High score in contract was made by Mrs. C. R. Baldwin. Other members present were: Mmes. L. B. Feather, John Lanning, Hollis Watson, William Linell, Lewis Story, J. B. Atkeson, Leslie Martin, Albert Richards and Charlie Martin.

A St. Patrick luncheon was served in courses by the hostess.

MRS. LYNN BUFORD
COMPLIMENTS VISITOR

Mrs. Carl Joyner of Arp, Tex., was the inspiration for a morning bridge Tuesday, when Mrs. Lynn Buford entertained informally, complimenting Mrs. Joyner, who has been a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Gray for the last three weeks.

A dainty breakfast menu was served in courses by the hostess. Mrs. John Lanning received the high score award after three rounds of contract and Mrs. Joyner was presented a beautiful guest prize. Those sharing the compliment with the honoree were: Mmes. Harold Dunn, Hugh Donald Burch, W. L. Vandever, Ralph Barr, Reed Dowell and Jeff Hightower.

MRS. BUFORD HONOREE
AT BRIDGE SHOWER

Mrs. Lynn Buford was named honoree at a delightfully appointed bridge and shower, when Mrs. Ralph Barr entertained in her home on last Thursday evening at her new home on Dallas Street.

Those seated for the games of contract were: Mmes. W. L. Vandever, Reed Dowell, Fred Daugherty, John Williams, William Gelwick, Joe Holyfield, George Oliver, Frank Palmer and Thelbert French and Mrs. Carl Joyner of Arp, Tex., and the hostess, Mrs. Barr.

Mrs. Vandever was awarded high score prize and Mrs. French, consolation. Mrs. Buford received a lovely shower of tiny gifts beautifully wrapped and tied with pink and blue ribbons. A light refreshment course was served at the close of the evening.

MRS. FLETCHER HOSTESS
AT BIRTHDAY PARTY

Cecil Fletcher and Olin Woodside were named honorees Tuesday evening when Mrs. Fletcher entertained with a birthday party in honor of their twenty-first birthday anniversaries, at the parsonage home of her parents, the Rev. and Mrs. E. L. Askins.

Appropriate games entertained the guests until a late hour. Two birthday cakes, each decorated and lighted with the correct number of candles were served with a dessert course to the following guests: Mr. Fletcher, Mr. Woodside, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Eaker, Mrs. Z. Pate, Paul Thomas, Bessie Looney, Raymond Cavitt, Mack Gordon, Chester Lapsley, Victor Newman, Don Jensen, Miss Myrtle Ruth Mathis, Miss Eileen Jones, Miss Virginia Fulton and the Rev. and Mrs. Askins.

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MRS. STORY HONORED
WITH CHAIRMANSHIP

Mrs. J. M. Story has been appointed chairman of the yard and garden committee of the New Mexico Federation of Women's Clubs, in an announcement made by Mrs. R. W. Goddard of Mesilla Park.

Mrs. Story will serve for the remainder of the unexpired term of the former chairman, Mrs. J. S. Simpson of Albuquerque, who for health reasons is leaving the state.

As chairman of yard and garden committee, Mrs. Story is thoroughly familiar with the duties of her office, having served as chairman of the same committee for three years in the third district of the state federation.

ABNORMIS SAPIENS CLUB

There were six substituting guests when Mrs. Jim Berry entertained the Abnormis Sapiens Bridge Club Wednesday afternoon. They were: Mmes. Harold Dunn, A. B. Coll, A. G. Glasser, H. A. Hamill, Arba Green and Ruth Tuttle.

Club members enjoying the rounds of contract were: Mmes. Beecher Rowan, Jeff Hightower, J. Hise Myers, J. M. Story, Roger Durand and the hostess.

Mrs. Glasser held high score at the conclusion of the games. Mrs. Berry served an ice course.

ARTWOOD PIRATES

Mrs. Herman Mitchell was hostess in entertaining members of the Artwood Pirates Bridge Club Wednesday evening.

Miss Elaine Feemster, a former member was the only substituting guest. At the close of the usual rounds of contract Mrs. W. L. Vandever received high score award, Mrs. S. A. Lanning, second high and Miss Feemster the traveling prize.

The hostess served a delicious salad course.

WERE HOSTESSES
AT INGRAM HOME

Inadvertently Mrs. Roy Ingram was named as hostess at a shower given in honor of Mrs. Ralph Pearson Tuesday of last week. Mrs. H. V. Parker and Mrs. D. A. Bradley were hostesses, entertaining at the Ingram home.

MR. AND MRS. FOLKNER
ENTERTAIN INFORMALLY
WEDNESDAY EVENING

The opening of the spring season was the inspiration for an apron and overall party given by Mr. and Mrs. Carl Folkner when they entertained informally at their home at 915 South Roselawn Wednesday evening.

Guests arrived garbed in aprons, overalls, boots, sombreroes and the like and entered into the games of bridge, Chinese checkers and the various card games in a hilarious manner.

At ten o'clock the hosts brought out the tin pans and tin cups, the kitchen silver and served a sumptuous bean supper which the men folks pronounced real party eats.

Guests enjoying this gay and delightfully pleasant party were: Messrs. and Mmes. Roy Langston, John Williams, Grady Booker, Carroll Graham, Tommy Hopkins, Bob Reynolds, A. L. Bert, L. E. Folkner, J. L. Briscoe, C. R. Vandagriff, Joe Hamann, Herman Jones, Earl Bynum, Irvin Martin, James Thigpen and Reed Dowell, and Miss Agnes Leonard and Wade Lane. Out-of-town guests included Mr. and Mrs. Robert Burns of Hagerman and Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Lee and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Perry of Carlsbad.

COTTONWOOD ITEMS
(Ora Buck)

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Elliott announce the arrival of a daughter, born March 15.

Miss Roberta Chambers accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Coats of Hope to Roswell Friday.

J. H. Lockhart of the Lake Arthur community was a business visitor on Cottonwood Tuesday.

The Cottonwood and Lake Arthur community was visited by a much needed and welcome rain Sunday night and Monday.

Mrs. R. L. Roberts and children of near Carlsbad were house guests the last two weeks of Mr. and Mrs. Bus Essex and family.

Chris Munson of Avis, N. Mex., and Mr. Jones of Artesia were business visitors on Cottonwood last Thursday.

Horace Worley, who has been seriously ill of pneumonia had a relapse last week, but is reported to be improving.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Howard of Artesia, parents of Monroe Howard of this community, are convalescing from flu.

Clint Powell and Charlie and Noah Buck were transacting business matters in Roswell last Thursday.

Mrs. Nathan Kelly and Mrs. Bill Davis of Artesia visited Wednesday of last week in the home of Mrs. Glenn O'Bannon.

Mrs. H. V. Parker entertained members of the Cottonwood Community Club at her home March 22.

Pauline Vandagriff has recently returned to the Cottonwood School. Mrs. Jesse Funk spent Wednesday of last week visiting in the home of Mrs. Clint Powell.

Mrs. J. D. Terry, who has been ill for several days was able to visit in the home of her son, Tom Terry, and Mrs. Terry and family Saturday.

Miss Oneta Worley of Oregon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Worley, arrived the latter part of last week to be at the bedside of her father, who is ill of pneumonia.

Several from the Cottonwood and Lake Arthur communities attended the boxing tournament last Friday night at Lake Arthur. The meet was sponsored by the Lake Arthur Community Club.

The Cottonwood Ladies Aid was entertained at the home of Mrs. D. A. Bradley last Thursday instead of the home of Mrs. Bob O'Bannon, as reported in last week's items.

Miss Mary Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. P. Johnson of Cottonwood, was taken to the St. Mary Hospital at Roswell early Sunday morning where she underwent an appendectomy.

Cooper Molone, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Molone of Upper Cottonwood, who is a student at the University of Colorado in Boulder, arrived last week to spend a few days with his parents.

Joyce Essex, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Essex was badly hurt when she fell from the top of a slide at the school Thursday. She was rushed to a doctor at Artesia and two stitches were made in her forehead.

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The Lake Arthur Extension Club will have a new home demonstration agent, Miss Pauline Cowan, who will succeed Miss Ruth Wildermuth, who will leave about April 1 to assume the duties of state 4-H Club specialist under the state extension service.

Mrs. J. B. Chambers of this community entertained at an all-day quilting at her home last Thursday. Those who attended were Mrs. John Teel, Mrs. Newt Teel, Mrs. O. M. Scroggins, Mrs. Andy Teel, Mrs. Charles Cole, Mrs. C. E. Coats, Mrs. Walter Coats, Marie Lewis and Mrs. Sam Hunter, all of Hope, and Mrs. Hal Havins, Mrs. Chester Black, Mrs. R. T. Black, Mrs. Ross Martin, from Roswell, and Mrs. O. B. Montgomery and children of this community.

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A chicken supper was enjoyed preceding the games.

STYLE SHOW FRIDAY
A DECIDED SUCCESS

The Spring Style Show, sponsored by the Young Woman's Guild of the Christian Church with Mrs. Ruth Graham Fields as chairman of arrangements was attended by throngs of local people and pronounced a decided success by the organization. It was held Friday afternoon and evening at the Legion hut.

The latest in spring fashions were modeled by beautiful high school girls, guild members and other graceful models.

A musical program in charge of Mrs. Juline Wheeler added the springtime background for the occasion. Mrs. Doris Deter Welborne and her violin choir composed of Annadele Williams, Jane Shugart, Helen Louise Wells, Mattie Frances Vaught and Lewis W. Story were one of the feature attractions. Mrs. Wheeler rendered several vocal numbers and a trio, Mrs. Marjorie McCrory, Mrs. Kathleen Coll and Mrs. Fields appeared with delightful numbers. Mrs. Wallace Gates was the accompanist.

EASTER LUNCHEON
FOR SO SO CLUB

Lovely were the appointments of the Easter bridge luncheon served by Mrs. Keith Miller at her home in the Oil Field with Mrs. Don Maudslay as co-hostess, having for their guests members of the So So Club.

Covers were laid for Mmes. Ben Shook, James Allen, J. Clark Bruce, Kenneth Williams, George Hart, L. C. Reynolds, Donald Marshall, Charles Gaskins, D. A. Miller and two substituting guests, Mmes. Conrad Keyes and Jess Schildneck.

Instead of the usual hand work bridge was enjoyed on this occasion.

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Locals

E. M. McCaw is here from Albuquerque this week visiting his father, U. M. McCaw, and other members of the McCaw family.

Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Higgins have as their guests, Mrs. Higgins' son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Miller of Pasadena, Calif. Mr. and Mrs. Miller arrived Saturday for an indefinite visit.

Mrs. W. S. Daughtry of McCamey, Tex., is here this week visiting her husband, who is employed in the oil field near here, and also her friend, Mrs. C. K. Newbert, formerly of McCamey.

Mr. and Mrs. George Frisch, accompanied by Mr. Frisch's niece, Mrs. Pete Loving, and Mr. Loving spent an evening last week in Clovis visiting Mr. Frisch's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Frisch of Cook, Nebr., who were in this section on a hurried business trip.

Advocate Want Ads Get Results!

EYE-CARE Edward Stone

Mrs. O. A. Johnson, who has been with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Gates, since the holiday season, left last week for an indefinite visit with friends in Phoenix, Ariz. Mrs. Johnson expects to return here.

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WORLD NEWS —In— BRIEF FORM

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

The treasury disclosed that income tax collections in the first 15 days of March were about 25 per cent below the same period last year. If this percentage is held up, the decrease would be much less than the \$300,000,000 estimated by President Roosevelt in January. The president reiterated at a press conference that any revision of corporation levies must maintain the present level of revenue.

After 35 years in the army, Old Andy, the cavalry horse with a World War record, may be retired in peace this year. "In spite of his advanced age, Andy stood up as well in field maneuvers last summer as any of the younger horses and he undoubtedly will see active service again this summer," says Capt. George Pearson of Troop B, 115th Cavalry of the Wyoming National Guard. "After that he may be retired, but he hasn't begun to show signs of his advanced age yet."

Once they braved 40-degree below zero weather in quest of the Klondike's yellow muck. But the same group of ex-prospectors, meeting recently in reunion to talk over those old times in 1898, decided to change the date of their annual meeting from the last Saturday in February to the last Saturday in March. The reason: February in New York State is too cold!

More than \$500 was found by guides and guards during the opening day of the Golden Gate Exposition, and was returned to the owners, it was announced by officials of the fair's lost and found department.

If Abe Lincoln winks at you from a \$5 bill, beware. John Osborn, secret service agent, says that if he does the bill is phony. The counterfeiters forgot to put a pupil in his right eye.

Newest use for dry ice, a carbon dioxide ice-making gas produced from wells in Utah and a few other places, is as a coolant for machine guns. A detachable jacket, filled with dry ice and slipped over the barrel, keeps the gun continuously cool. The scheme enables fighting planes and bombers to carry fewer guns, yet to maintain continuous fire.

Visitors to the Golden Gate International Exposition can't click through the new chromium turnstiles with anything but valid coins of the realm, because 750 cashiers were given an intensive training in how to detect counterfeit money. Each cashier and money-machine operator, besides being responsible for his own equipment and money handled, also aids the already large staff of guides and guards in directing visitors.

About 8,000 Marylanders who had hoped to grace their cars with special license numbers during the 1938-39 period had to wait what came their way. But about 10,000 odd number plates were issued "before we ran out." Commissioner of Vehicles Walter R. Rudy explained. Those consisted of combinations like 66-777, or those ending in double-0 and triple-0. Such numbers were picked out of the lots as shipments came in. Rudy said it would have taken too much work to fish out a plain number like 21-794.

Queen Elizabeth is spending a lot of time being fitted for the 50 costumes she is choosing for her "American tour." For evening the queen has chosen mostly pastel shades to tone with her fair skin, with darker outfits for traveling. Most mornings before 10 o'clock a half-dozen designers, fitters, and mannequins troop into Buckingham Palace to stage a private fashion show in the queen's first door suite. The shows are informal affairs, and Princesses Elizabeth and Margaret Rose often accompany their mother when she receives "the dressmakers." Elizabeth, a determined young lady with independent views, isn't backward about expressing opinion on the new fashions. Queen Elizabeth usually has three fittings for each gown she decides to buy.

The Continental Oil Company announced it had brought in one of the deepest oil wells in the world in California with estimated daily production of 3,587 barrels of 36.8 gravity crude. The well, Joaquin Valley, near Wasco, Calif., the KCL-8, is situated in the San Joaquin Valley and is 13,153 feet, more than two and a half miles in depth, in the Rio Bravo zone, a miocene sand formation estimated by geologists to be from 15 to 20 million years old. The gas volume was estimated at 750,000,000 cubic feet daily.

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Give the Cow The Proper Feed For Production

Too Many People Turn Cattle Out to Grass During Dry Period

Proper feeding during the period a cow is dry is very important to get her in shape for heavy production, also to prevent trouble at calving time, says E. E. Anderson of the New Mexico Extension Service. Too many people follow the custom during this period of turning the dry cows out to grass where feed is short or, if kept in a barnyard, fail to provide them with good quality roughage. Plenty of feed in the form of pasture or first quality hay is especially important at this time. A reasonable amount of concentrates is also desirable, especially for high producing cows. It is during the dry period that cows are enabled to replenish their store of fat and minerals that has been lost during the lactation period.

Most authorities agree that the grain ration used during the milking period should be continued while the cow is dry. If she is in fairly good condition when dried off, an allowance of two to four pounds of concentrates daily, with good roughage, should be sufficient. On the other hand, if she is thin or if the roughage is of inferior quality, the amount of grain should be increased to 5 or 6 pounds daily.

It is usually recommended that for about a week before calving the concentrate mixture fed should be very bulky and laxative. A ration containing a high percentage of bran or straight bran alone is quite satisfactory. Immediately preceding calving, it is advisable to reduce the grain ration.

It is highly important that a cow can be properly fed and cared for the first month after calving. It is especially necessary to increase the concentrate allowance gradually, or udder and digestive disturbances are apt to result. The amount of feed should be very limited for the first day and in cold weather it is advisable to give lukewarm water to drink.

WANTED—Clean Cotton Rags at The Advocate.

A birthday for any one of the three Long boys—George of Delmar, Md., Willif Salisbury, Md., and Curtis of New York—doesn't go by unnoticed. All three were born on March 1—George in 1907, William in 1911, and Curtis in 1914. And the brothers shouldn't forget the birth date of their sister, Mrs. Lewis Melson of Delmar—born on the Fourth of July.

A race by automobile with an eagle across the Texas plains is the latest sport for Panhandle ranchers. The hunters drive across the prairie parallel with small canyons where eagles nest. When one of the big birds is flushed the driver attempts to put the car under him to give his companion, armed with a rifle, a shot. A number of birds have been killed. The largest had a wing spread of eight feet. Most of them are Mexican eagles, although a few are bald ones.

An American expedition to scale the world's second highest mountain peak, "harder to climb than Mt. Everest," sailed Friday on the Conte Di Savoia en route to the state of Kashmir, India, in quest of Mountain-climbing laurels never yet attained by man. Unconquered, towering high above the giant Himalayas, the target is 28,250-foot Mt. Godwin Austen, known as "K-2," which lies about 700 miles northwest of Everest, in the Karakoram Mustagh ranges between India and Chinese Turkestan. Like the mighty Everest, "K-2" has baffled every attempt to scale its dizzy pinnacle since the first effort by the Italian Duke of Abruzzi in 1909.

HEADING FOR THE SMOKE HOUSE for a Refreshing Drink

Bowlers will appreciate this. The new Waupaca, Wis., women's record holder for high single game—254—is Miss Esther Plit.

M. A. Corbin and his aunt, Mrs. Nancy Capperne, returned Sunday from a trip by automobile to Los Angeles and the West Coast.

NOTICE STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE Number of Application RA-1502

Santa Fe, New Mexico, March 14, 1939.

Notice is hereby given that on the 13th day of March, 1939, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, B. F. Kaiser, Jr., of Artesia, County of Eddy, State of New Mexico, made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a Permit to Change location of shallow well from a dry well drilled under authority of Permit No. RA-1502, located in the SW 1/4 NE 1/4 SE 1/4 of Section 33, Township 17 South, Range 26 East, N. M. P. M., to a location in the East 10 acres of SE 1/4 SE 1/4 of Section 33, Township 17 South, Range 26 East, N. M. P. M., where it is proposed to drill a shallow well, 12 1/2 inches in diameter and approximately 200 feet in depth for the purpose of irrigating 160 acres of land described as follows:

Subdivision—N 1/2 SW 1/4, Section 34, Township 17 S., Range 26 E., 80 acres; Subdivision—SE 1/4 SW 1/4, Section 34, Township 17 S., Range 26 E., 40 acres; Subdivision—NE 1/4 SE 1/4, Section 33, Township 17 S., Range 26 E., 40 acres—Total 160 acres.

This is not an application for any new appropriation of water, but is merely for the purpose of obtaining a permit to drill a well for the purpose of developing sufficient water for the irrigation of above described lands as has been authorized under authority of Permit No. RA-1502. The well drilled is a dry hole and therefore a change in location of well is asked for in order to develop sufficient water for irrigating the above described lands.

Any person, association or corporation deeming that the granting of the above application will be truly detrimental to their rights in the waters of said underground source may file a complete sworn statement of their objections substantiated by affidavits with the State Engineer and file proof of service of a copy thereof upon the applicant with the State Engineer within ten days after the date of the last publication of this notice. The date set for the State Engineer to take this application up for final consideration unless protested is the 24th day of April, 1939.

THOMAS M. MCCLURE, State Engineer.
12-31-14

NOTICE STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE Number of Application RA-1531

Santa Fe, New Mexico, March 14, 1939.

Notice is hereby given that on the 13th day of March, 1939, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, J. E. Taylor of Lake Arthur, County of Chaves, State of New Mexico made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a Permit to Change Location of Well from Shallow Groundwater well located in the SE 1/4 SW 1/4 of Sec. 33, T. 16 S., R. 26 E., N. M. P. M., to a shallow well 12 1/2 inches in diameter and 184 feet in depth, already drilled in the NW corner of Lot 3, Sec. 5, T. 16 S., R. 26 E., N. M. P. M., for the purpose of irrigating 120 acres of land described as follows:

Subdivision—Lot 1, Section 5, Township 16 S., Range 26 E., 20 acres; Subdivision—Lot 2, Section 5, Township 16 S., Range 26 E., 20 acres; Subdivision—Part of Lot

3, Section 5, Township 16 S., Range 26 E., 14 acres; Subdivision—Lot 6, Section 5, Township 16 S., Range 26 E., 15 acres; Subdivision—Part of Lot 7, Section 5, Township 16 S., Range 26 E., 26 acres; Subdivision—Part of Lot 8, Section 5, Township 16 S., Range 26 E., 26 acres; Total—120 acres.

This application is not for any new appropriation of water, but is merely for the purpose of obtaining a permit to Change Location of Well as has been stated hereinabove, and waterright has already been approved under Permit No. RA-1531.

Any person, association or corporation deeming that the granting of the above application will be truly detrimental to their rights in the waters of said underground source may file a complete sworn statement of their objections substantiated by affidavits with the State Engineer and file proof of service of a copy thereof upon the applicant with the State Engineer within ten days after the date of the last publication of this notice. The date set for the State Engineer to take this application up for final consideration unless protested is the 23rd day of April, 1939.

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Subdivision—E 1/2 NW 1/4, Section 4, Township 17 S., Range 26 E., 80 acres; Subdivision—N 1/2 NE 1/4, Section 4, Township 17 S., Range 26 E., 80 acres; Total—160 acres.

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This application is not for any new appropriation of water, but is merely for the purpose of obtaining a permit to Change Location of Well as has been stated hereinabove, and waterright has already been approved under Permit No. RA-1531.

Any person, association or corporation deeming that the granting of the above application will be truly detrimental to their rights in the waters of said underground source may file a complete sworn statement of their objections substantiated by affidavits with the State Engineer and file proof of service of a copy thereof upon the applicant with the State Engineer within ten days after the date of the last publication of this notice. The date set for the State Engineer to take this application up for final consideration unless protested is the 23rd day of April, 1939.

THOMAS M. MCCLURE, State Engineer.
12-31-14

NOTICE STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE Number of Application RA-1531

Santa Fe, New Mexico, March 14, 1939.

Notice is hereby given that on the 13th day of March, 1939, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, J. E. Taylor of Lake Arthur, County of Chaves, State of New Mexico made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a Permit to Change Place of Use of Underground Waters from 160 acres of land described as follows:

Subdivision—E 1/2 NW 1/4, Section 4, Township 17 S., Range 26 E., 80 acres; Subdivision—N 1/2 NE 1/4, Section 4, Township 17 S., Range 26 E., 80 acres; Total—160 acres.

To 120 acres of land described as follows:

Subdivision—Lot 1, Section 5, Township 16 S., Range 26 E., 20 acres; Subdivision—Lot 2, Section 5, Township 16 S., Range 26 E., 20 acres; Subdivision—Part of Lot

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This application is not for any new appropriation of water, but is merely for the purpose of obtaining a permit to Change Place of Use of Underground Waters from 160 acres of land described as follows:

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Hope Items

(Marjorie Johnson)

John Prude was in from his ranch during the week end. He returned Monday.

Richard Westaway of Carlsbad attended to tax matters and visited friends while in Hope Friday.

Miss Esther Johnson, county nurse, of Carlsbad visited the schools here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob White of Lubbock, Tex., spent the week end here with Mrs. White's mother, Mrs. J. P. Parks.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Salazar arrived here Saturday to visit over the week end with Mrs. Salazar's mother, Mrs. Anna H. Coffin.

Bly Miller arrived here Saturday from Hollywood to spend two weeks visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Miller.

Mrs. J. P. Parks and daughter, Mrs. Bill Glascock, made a trip to Carlsbad Friday when they took Mary Vance Glascock there for medical treatment.

Margaret Buckner of Clovis spent this week end here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Buckner. She was taken Sunday to Hagerman where she joined Mr. and Mrs. Frank Curry for the return to Clovis. She was accompanied as far as Hagerman by Jessie and Hollis Buckner and Bobbie Wood.

Little Known Facts and Sidelights on Oil Industry

Lubricating by Thermometer—

Latest piece of equipment for service stations is a thermometer. It seems that lubricating motor vehicles in fickle weather, with the temperature indicating summer one hour and winter a bit later, isn't so easy. So a technique has been devised whereby, with a thermometer, a chart, and some scientifically-matched lubricants, the vehicle can be given a thorough and satisfactory job under any conditions, and just the right oil put into the crankcase.

The service station operator's "weather lubricant chart" divides the thermometer into lubricant temperature ranges. Once the range is known, the proper lubricants are ready.

Manufacturing the lubricants was not so difficult, but when it came to dividing the thermometer into hot, cold and normal ranges, controversies arose. Agreement finally produced five "seasons" ranging from "extreme cold," which is below 10 degrees below zero, to "very hot," which is 90 degrees above zero, and more.

The motorist doesn't have to worry about it, because the whole scheme now is simplified and automatic—and the vehicle is lubricated exactly according to the weather.

Keeping in Line—

Keeping motorists in line will be easy hereafter. A new road-stripping "stainless" petroleum asphalt can be dyed permanently in any color—even silver—and will last as long as the road itself. Highly visible aluminum-colored guide lines of this new material are being used to mark several stretches of asphalt highway.

Discovered by accident in the laboratory—a spilled dye proved to be unremovable—investigations revealed that only a small percentage of dye was needed because of its light color. Asphaltic qualities of wear, adhesiveness and weather resistance were unimpaired.

Asphaltic paint manufacturers find it highly usable because it assimilates colors so readily. It is especially useful as a binder for light-colored silk and broadcloth slippers, since its lack of pigmentation prevents staining.

Until recently, the only source of this unique petroleum product was a small oil field in Egypt. Experiments have shown, however, that it can be refined from a few selected domestic crudes.

Research in Alloys—

New findings gathered from exhaustive load tests on alloy steels under a \$100,000 welding research engineering program will be applied in ship construction, pipe lines, aircraft, tanks and other war machines. The investigations now being conducted at the University of Illinois will be helpful to welding engineers, it is believed, in all phases of transportation design and construction. Steel manufacturers will benefit, also, in that the new data now being gathered will aid them in proportioning the alloys in steels that they may be readily weldable.

Good News for Sandhogs—

Sandhogs taken ill with the "bends" soon may be restored by the use of helium, a non-explosive gas for which certain medicinal properties have been found. The United States has something of a corner on the world's supply of the "sun gas," which is used in lighter-than-air craft to replace violently explosive hydrogen.

As atmospheres of helium and oxygen are being tried in "medical locks," the chambers through which sandhogs and other underground workers pass in coming out from high-pressure areas. Until now atmospheres of nitrogen and oxygen have been used, but it has been found that workers are less prone to absorb helium and therefore less susceptible to the "bends."

Possible commercial use is utilization of similar atmospheres in high-pressure areas to enable divers to work in pressures equivalent to 500 feet. Best diving record with compressed air is 306 feet.

Keeping Coal "Fresh"—

Keeping coal "fresh" was a No. 1 worry for the bituminous coal industry until experiments disclosed recently that a gallon or two of oil sprayed over a ton of bituminous coal will coat every lump with a film which keeps it practically dustless for months in all kinds of weather.

Since coal varies in composition, the quantity used for spraying is regulated to get the best results with maximum efficiency.

Recent oil discoveries between the Ural Mountains and Western Siberia are being developed on a wider scale by the Soviet petroleum industry. Fuel costs are cut to a minimum through the use of a gasoline blower for heating in a new spray gun for lead-tin alloys.

Three out of four steel workers own automobiles and rate motoring as their favorite recreation.

Fred Cole returned Sunday night from Santa Fe, where he served on a federal grand jury.

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WARRANTY DEEDS—
Orel Boteler, et ux to J. H. Boteler, lots in Fairview Add. to Artesia, \$10 &c.
Cirulo Mutualista, S. A., to Midwest Refining Company, lots in original town of Artesia, \$2,250.
Herbert Newton, et ux to Walter H. Meyers, part sec. 2-22-23, \$10 &c.

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Orel Boteler, et ux to J. H. Boteler, lots in Fairview Add. to Artesia, \$10 &c.
T. W. Carter, et ux to Orel Boteler, lot in Morningside Add. to Artesia, \$1 &c.
Maud A. Fuller, et vir to Midwest Refining Company, lots, original town of Artesia, \$2,000.

WARRANTY DEEDS—
Irby Fenton to John W. Rowland, lot, Blair Add., Artesia, \$25.
E. M. Kohler to Mrs. Elsie Faris, lots in Carlsbad, \$10 &c.
George J. De Moss, et ux to J. T. Patton, land in sec. 2-22-26, \$100.

WARRANTY DEEDS—
J. T. Patton, et ux to E. R. Selmon, land in sec. 2-22-26, \$100.
Hipolito Fernandez, et ux to L. A. Swigart, lot in Carlsbad.

WARRANTY DEEDS—
E. C. Walterscheid, et ux to Alta Skaggs, lot in Carlsbad, \$10 &c.
John Collins, et ux to Clarence Braeckne, land in sec. 2-22-26, \$10 &c.

WARRANTY DEEDS—
Eula Thayer Gerrels, et vir to A. C. Rogers, lot in Carlsbad, \$10 &c.
Beatrice Hays to E. A. Moberly, lot in Carlsbad, \$300.

WARRANTY DEEDS—
Edith A. McClure to W. F. Collins and John W. Collins, land in sec. 7-17-26, \$400.
CEMETERY DEEDS—
Woodbine Cemetery to J. W. Rowland, Woodbine Cemetery, \$25.

WARRANTY DEEDS—
Woodbine Cemetery to J. B. Runyan, lot in Woodbine Cemetery, \$100.
LAND PATENTS—
United States of America to William L. Wyman, land in sec. 14-17-25.

WARRANTY DEEDS—
United States of America to George C. Robbins, SW 1/4 sec. 12-18-25.
TAX DEEDS—
State Tax Commission to Cirulo Mutualista Sangre Azteca, all blk. 12, Artesia Heights, \$200.

QUIT CLAIM DEEDS—
Cirulo Mutualista, S. A., to Midwest Refining Company, land in original Artesia, \$10 &c.
RELEASE OF LIEN—
Bureau of Revenue to Sam L. Sterrett and Omer Bramblett, \$114.77.


DISTRICT COURT—
No. 6892. D. J. Williams vs. B. F. Arnold. Damages, \$187.35.
No. 6894. Charles Stevens vs. Claire Stevens. Divorce.
No. 6895. Rose Womack, admrx., vs. J. S. Gibson, et al. Damages, \$25,000.

graves, Tex., Saturday to look after the McDonald went to Scatter the McClay ranch. He returned home Sunday night.
Mrs. G. R. Brainard returned by train Friday evening from Kansas City, Mo., where she spent the previous three weeks under the care of a specialist. Mrs. Brainard feels improved in health since her return home.

A. W. Wilde returned home Saturday from the Southwestern General Hospital in El Paso, where he was a patient for three weeks. Mr. Wilde is very much improved in health. His daughter, Mrs. Jess Shildneek, and Mr. Shildneek drove to El Paso for Mr. Wilde.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Whipple of Kansas City, Mo., mother of Neil B. Watson, and an aunt, Mrs. W. L. Ingham, of Pawhuska, Okla., who visited for a fortnight with Mr. and Mrs. Watson and Fred, left Saturday for their homes.

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Four Eddy Farms Approved for FSA Purchase Loans

Only Irrigated Places in Region to Be Watched by Officials

Four farms in Eddy County, approved last week by the Farm Security Administration under the tenant purchase plan, will be watched with interest by officials of the administration, for they are the only ones in the twelfth region listed as irrigation farms.

The tenants were approved some time ago, but approval of the farms was delayed until all angles could be considered.

About \$32,000, slightly more than half of the \$62,000 allocated to New Mexico for the program this year, was loaned by the government to the four farmers in Eddy County who profit by the opportunity.

The remainder of the state's amount, about \$30,000, is being used for a similar purpose in Roosevelt County, the only other county in New Mexico in which the farm tenant purchase plan is being tried. The program began in Roosevelt County last year. The appropriation for the whole country this year is \$25,000,000.

Before either tenants or farms were announced, they had to be approved first by the Eddy County committee and then by the regional office at Amarillo.

Probably more per acre was spent in Eddy County than in other counties in the region because of the irrigation facilities.

The tenant farmers who are benefiting by the program and the farms being acquired by them:
Mr. and Mrs. Haley Johnson of Artesia, 80 acres, part of the old Frisch place southeast of Artesia.
Mr. and Mrs. Borden Aaron of Lakewood, 80 acres, also part of the old Frisch place.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy L. Fry of Carlsbad, about 200 acres on the Huey Howard place on Cottonwood northwest of here.
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gadbury, 65 acres of the Page farm near Carlsbad.

All that remains to be done before the loans are completed and the four families take full possession of the places is checking of abstracts.

SERVICE GROUPS TO OBSERVE 'ARMY DAY'

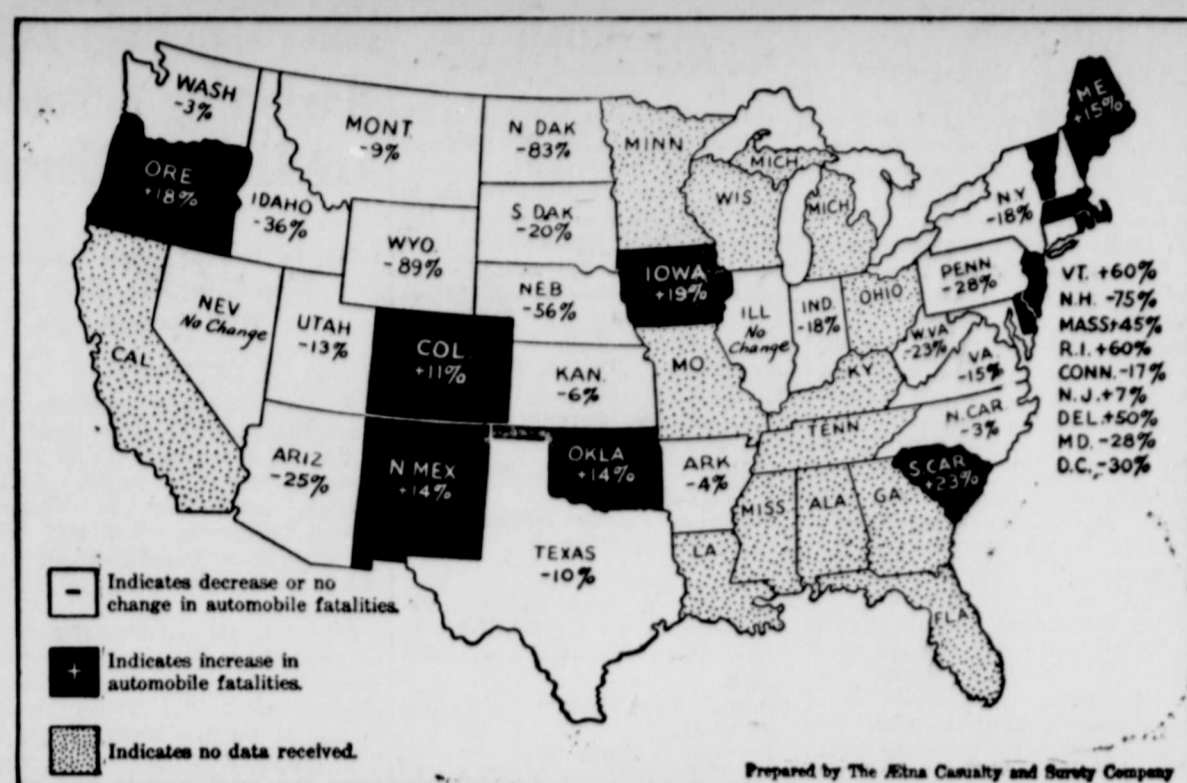
The twelfth annual celebration of "Army Day" will be observed by the local organizations of the American Legion and the American Legion Auxiliary on April 6, according to Mrs. John R. Brown, national defense chairman of the Auxiliary.

Mrs. Brown said, "An opportunity then will be afforded our citizens, not only to pay tribute to the army, but also to pause in their daily tasks and take stock of just what is necessary to provide adequate security and assurance of our national defense and safety."

President Roosevelt states that "In these troublesome and disturbed times, it is fortunate that one day a year can be designated as belonging particularly to our army, on which day public attention is focused on the military establishment—its readiness to assume its emergency responsibilities—and its requirements, if we are to afford our defenders means adequate for the successful accomplishment of the missions assigned them by the people of the United States."

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This chart shows that New Mexico ranks twenty-eighth among the states listed according to their decreased or increased automobile fatality records for January, 1939. Statistics from thirty-six states from which reports are immediately available indicate that there was a decrease of 9 per cent in automobile fatalities in these states during January, as compared to the corresponding month in 1938.

New Mexico, the figures show, had 16 deaths in January, 1939, compared with 14 in the same month last year, an increase of 14 per cent.

Going to Build Cabin in Mountains? Uncle Sam Gives Some Good Pointers

A number of residents of Artesia and this section plan and build summer cottages each year in the Sacramento Mountains, but many a cabin is unknowingly built in such a way that early decay is almost certain, according to the United States Forest Products Laboratory. To avoid decay is not difficult and it seems surprising that so little attention is given to it, officials said.

As this is the time of year one gets the mountain cabin "bug," let's see what Uncle Sam's men advise: Of first importance is the foundation. The easy thing to do, and too frequently the thing that is done, is to lay the bottom logs directly on the ground. Placing wood in direct contact with the ground, however, is one of the surest ways to hasten decay. Logs of some species, such as cedar, are very decay resistant and their heartwood will last a long time even under unfavorable conditions.

Aspen, on the other hand, is one of the many species that have little decay resistance either in the heartwood or sapwood. Good practice requires that the bottom logs or sills be kept a foot or two above ground on foundations that will keep the wood dry. Stone or concrete is excellent. Good ventilation beneath the floor is important because it keeps the soil and the wood dry. Storm water should not be allowed to accumulate around the foundation or under the building.

In putting up the walls and framing the window and door openings, care should be taken to avoid forming crevices where water can accumulate and soak into the wood, causing wet spots so that decay sets in. Peeled logs are somewhat less liable to decay than logs with the bark on, but either kind may be used successfully. Peeling the logs as soon as they are cut avoids the attack of bark beetles and most other insects. Coatings of coal-tar creosote applied to all surfaces before the logs are built into the cabin are more effective than other coatings, but they cannot be counted on to protect the wood very long under conditions that favor decay, according to the Forest Products Laboratory. Deep penetration of preservatives is necessary if good protection is desired.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Foster have announced the arrival of a daughter, named Betty Jean, at the St. Mary Hospital in Roswell last Friday. The infant weighed about seven and one-half pounds. Both mother and daughter are doing nicely.

W. C. Austy of Boerne, Tex., brother-in-law of Mrs. W. B. Pistole, arrived Monday on his way to Ruidosa. She accompanied him there Tuesday to enjoy the forest a few days.

Mrs. R. G. Knoedler and daughter, Frances, visited their niece, Miss Mary Lou McConnell, at the Eastern New Mexico Junior College in Portales Sunday. Lawrence Coll and Lorent Gordon were also guests at the college dining hall at the noon hour Sunday.

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FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Two rugs, 8x10 and 9x12, in A-1 condition. Mrs. R. L. Paris, 512 Roselawn. 12-17p

SHRUBS AND TREES FOR SALE—Complete line of evergreens, shrubs, rose bushes, pecan and shade trees. Two carloads of nursery stock just arriving offering varied assortment. Carlbad Floral Co., McKay and Guadalupe Streets, Carlbad, N. Mex., telephone 10. 5-7c

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Three room, modern furnished house, close in. Phone 99 or inquire at The Advocate office.

WANTED

WANTED—General housekeeping. Can give good references. Call 162. Mrs. Morgan Orr. 12-17p

EMPLOYMENT WANTED — By man, 35 years of age, had ten years in office and field work with major oil company. Will consider bookkeeping, typing or outside work. —E. B. Rhoades, room 17, Folkner Hotel. 12-17p

Roswell VFW—

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should belong to at least one group, he said.
George Frisch of Artesia, a past commander of the Spanish-American War Veterans, said he is in sympathy with all of the organizations, and that any veteran who does not belong to one and take part in its activities "is not only riding on the band wagon, but is dragging his feet as well."
R. E. Sieg, a member of the Roswell V. F. W. post, was introduced as the most decorated man in the valley. Sieg explained, however, that his decorations are at the bottom of a trunk and he received them only because the other members of his outfit did not return. No organization can thrive, he said, until every member is a leader.

Fellowship of former-service men, one with another, was stressed by Curtis Hill of Roswell, as well as fellowship for one "ism, Americanism," for, he said, "we understand each other."

One of the best short talks of the evening was by Antonio LaReva, a Spanish-American member of the Roswell post, who declared veterans can still "win medals" by making the three veterans' organizations the outstanding groups in the country.

Among others who spoke briefly were: Ed Laughlin, commander of the Hobbs post, V. F. W.; Baron J. V. Auriemma, who served in France with the Salvation Army during the World War; John Clark, Hagerman; a Mr. Miles, Dexter; R. M. (Katey) Powers, Roswell; Loren Neely, a Spanish-American War veteran of Artesia; C. R. Baldwin, commander of the American Legion post here; Oscar Samelson, Legion adjutant; Paul A. Otts, chaplain, and Pot Bert, member, of the local Legion post.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Attebery spent Tuesday and Wednesday in El Paso transacting business.

Mrs. John A. Mann returned Monday evening from Ponca City, Okla., where she visited relatives more than two weeks.

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CARD OF APPRECIATION

We wish to express our heartfelt appreciation to the American Legion and Auxiliary for the many useful gifts given us at the shower Monday evening.—Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Hamill. 12-1tc

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends for their expressions of sympathy shown in so many ways in the passing of our mother, Mrs. W. P. Bowman. Especially did we appreciate the beautiful floral offerings.

Mr. and Mrs. Carrol Brown Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Martin Mr. and Mrs. Will Birchell Ernest Bowman 12-17p

Government Man—

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nished with a master plan, that is, a plan showing the ultimate field and its arrangement, and center and outside line profiles of the proposed runways.

P. V. Morris, city manager, said he will furnish Barry with such information as soon as a field is decided on.
Barry explained the landing strips must be 600 feet wide and that profiles must be made of their center lines and outside lines.

The actual runways must be at least 150 feet wide in the center of the landing strips, he said, and should be surfaced, preferably with hardtop, blacktop or gravel.

However, the engineer advised that building of the port be taken by easy steps, that the first year, instead of hard surfacing the runways, the landing strips be identified with acceptable daytime markers and that caliche be spread on runways. The field must be properly fenced to keep off all livestock, he said.

Subsequent units of work, he said, could be done later.
A class 2 field, Barry said, must have a hangar 100x100 feet.

A section of land should serve Artesia for a number of years, the engineer said.

He advised that Artesia go ahead with plans for an airport, for, he said, "the time is not far off when it will be a necessity."

Barry explained that the Civil Aeronautics Authority does not assist financially in building of airports, but that before any other government agency will assist, the master plan must be approved by its department at the Washington office.

It is believed here that WPA assistance can be obtained in building the port if an acceptable site is purchased and deeded to the city and the master plan is approved by the Civil Aeronautics Authority. But, Barry pointed out, the present WPA set-up expires June 30, so he advised quick action on the part of Artesia.

With Barry Saturday was F. E. Kelch, air carrier inspector for the government, assigned to the United Air Lines.

College Prexy Is Badly Injured in Automobile Wreck

Donald Mackay, president of Eastern New Mexico Junior College at Portales and president of the Eastern New Mexico area council of Boy Scouts, who was the principal speaker at the Rotary luncheon here two weeks ago, is in a critical condition in a hospital at Paducah, Tex., suffering from injuries sustained in an automobile collision the first of the week.

He was returning home from Dallas with three Boy Scouts, when the accident happened. The boys suffered only minor injuries.

The latest report on Mackay's condition is that it is still serious, but that strong hope is held for his recovery. He has been conscious only at infrequent intervals.

The Rev. A. C. Douglas of Pecos, Tex., was in Artesia Wednesday transacting business and visiting his son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Douglas. The Rev. Mr. Douglas has completed a modern new residence on a tract of land which joins the city on the south at Roselawn Street. Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Douglas are occupying the residence at present.

W. W. Johnson, father of Walter Johnson, Jr., has moved from Carlbad here and is making his home with his son and family.



J. P. HARE

J. P. Hare, wholesale salesman of The B. F. Goodrich Company in the Los Angeles district, has been awarded a master merchandiser plaque by J. E. Wacksmuth, Los Angeles district manager.
Hare won the plaque because of outstanding accomplishments in the sales field last year, in competition against all other members of the company's national organization. The State Oil Service Company is the dealer for Goodrich products in Artesia.

Oil Activity—

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Amerada, Stuart 1-B, NE 22-25-37; total depth 3,380 feet; flowed 110 barrels in 19 hours.
One location each was made in Eddy and Chaves Counties the last week, H. J. Steinburger, Hastie 2, SW 18-17-28, and Mac T. Anderson, Warnock 1, SE 17-15-27, respectively, and five were made in Lea County:

Continental, Britt 5, SW 15-20-37; Magnolia, State 2-P, SE 22-17-35; Clower, Christmas 1, SW 28-22-37; Repollo, State 1-D, SW 12-22-36; Cities Service, State 2-K, NE 27-17-35.
Progress among wildcats and other wells of interest:

Eddy County
Allen, Fair & Pope, Snowden-Mc-Sweeney 1, SE sec. 36-17-29. Shut down for repairs at 2,393 feet.
Aston & Fair, Hudson 1, NE sec. 18-17-31.
Drilling at 2,950 feet.
Farmer & Tallmadge, Hubbell 1-B, SW sec. 4-18-25, 5 miles southwest of Artesia.
Total depth 400 feet; fishing for bit.
Trojan Oil Co., Grant 1, NE sec. 33-20-25.
Total depth 427 feet; shut down for bond.
C. S. Powell, Smith 1, NE sec. 6-17-29.
Drilling at 2,671 feet.
Yates, Travis 1, SE sec. 6-18-29.
Drilling below 2,500 feet.
George Quillin and Underwood & Sanders, Amy Bruce 1, SE sec. 4-19-31.
Drilling at 3,592 feet.
George Quillin and Carper Drilling Co., Quillin 1, NE sec. 12-19-31.
Total depth 2,765 feet; shut down for orders.
Martin Yates, Sanders 1, NE section 12-18-29, in new sand area. Drilling at 270 feet.
H. W. Martin, Gates 1, SW section 15-18-30.
Building roads.

Chaves County
Nay Hightower, Billingslea 1, NE sec. 28-11-30.
Drilling at 3,237 feet.
New, Russell & Wood, Sterrepp 1, NW sec. 29-11-25.
Shut down for repairs at 250 feet.
Tarkenton, Peters 1, SE sec. 33-11-25.
Running surface pipe to 399 feet.

Lea County
E. C. Adams and English & Harmon, Ashworth 1, SE sec. 18-19-32, southeast extension to Shugart area.
Total depth 2,920 feet; hole full of water at 2,875 feet, with small show of oil at 2,775-85 feet; cementing off water.
Fullerton, Walker 1, NW sec. 18-18-32, Maljamar area.
Drilling at 4,050 feet.
Fred Turner, State 1, SW sec. 30-14-38.
Drilling at 1,600 feet.
Carper, Simon 1, NE sec. 29-17-32.
Drilling at 50 feet.
Carper, Taylor 1, SW sec. 30-16-32.
Drilling at 3,400 feet.

Roosevelt County
Shell, Hardwood 1, SE sec. 27-7-35.
Drilling at 7,250 feet.

Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Spratt and Mrs. F. P. Turner spent Sunday in Carrizozo as guests of Dr. and Mrs. Paul Turner.

Hay Grading and Marketing Schools Are Held in March

Eddy Is One of Three Counties Where Ag Men Meet With Farmers

A series of hay grading and marketing schools was held in Eddy, Chaves and Dona Ana Counties March 10 to 14. A. D. Harlan, supervisor in charge, Branch Office, Hay, Feed and Seed Division, U. S. Department of Agriculture, was in charge of these schools.

Harlan explained that the stage of maturity is the most important factor in the production of extra quality hay. Alfalfa hay should be cut at the pre-bloom stage, as hay produced at that stage contains the most protein and other feed nutrients. It is also more palatable and easier to digest. The hay should be raked as soon as it wilts in order to save the most leaves and retain the green color. Fine, soft stem, extra green, leafy hay can always be sold at a premium on any market. Other factors that must be considered are the percentage of clinging leaves, percentage of green color and soundness.

Clayborn Wayne, extension agronomist, emphasized the fact that only good quality alfalfa seed should be planted, recommended varieties being New Mexico common and hardy Cimarron, and that it was very important to prepare a good clean seed bed before sowing the seed. Alfalfa can be planted either in the spring or fall. If planted in the spring, a larger quantity of seed per acre should be sown. The rate of seeding varies from 20 to 30 pounds an acre.

W. A. Wunsch, extension agronomist, outlined the results obtained by livestock feeders in New Mexico in feeding alfalfa hay. Returns of from \$7.35 to \$13.15 a ton can be secured when alfalfa hay is fed to livestock, with meat prices ranging from 7 to 10 cents a pound.

WE THANK YOU

The following have renewed their subscription to The Advocate:

H. W. Langford George Meadows W. T. Haldeman E. J. Foster Howard Whitson Gail Hamilton F. A. Manda W. S. Patterson Park Morrison Joe Nunn K. J. Williams Owen Maynes Paul Hartman W. W. Hardin J. B. McGhee
Mrs. Ethel Vaught

Gail Whitcomb, prominent attorney of Houston, Tex., and Mrs. Whitcomb came Saturday and were guests over Sunday at Clouderoff of Mr. and Mrs. Edward S. McAuliffe. Mr. Whitcomb was here transacting business with Mr. McAuliffe in regard to the Walter Coates oil well planned near Hope and oil development in that locality. Mr. and Mrs. Whitcomb left Tuesday morning for their home.

WANTED—Clean Cotton Rags—The Advocate.

Budget Officer Will Visit Eddy County on May 1

R. H. Grissom, state school budget officer, will visit Eddy County May 1 to hold budget hearings.

He is to cover all of the state's thirty-one counties between April 5 and May 26, he announced.

His hearings in Eddy County will be held at Carlbad, where he will meet with R. N. Thomas, county superintendent of schools, the county board of education and municipal and rural boards to work out budgets for the next fiscal year beginning June 1.

NEW SUPERINTENDENT FOR GRAYBURG HERE

R. J. Heard of Republic Production Company arrived yesterday from California with Mrs. Heard and their son and furniture to take over the superintendency of the Grayburg Oil Company operations here. They have a new house in the field.

Meat Eating Slayer Kills Two More Men

Earl Durand, raw meat eating slayer who has been hiding in the mountains of Wyoming the last week, pursued by about sixty-five possumen, yesterday slew two officers as they attempted to close in on him.

That makes four deaths attributed in the last few days to Durand, who escaped jail a week ago and then killed two officers.

He is said to be an extraordinary shot and is know to have lived for weeks alone in mountain lairs, subsisting on raw animal flesh.

The hunt for him is the greatest manhunt of Wyoming in twenty years.

SILVER CITY WOMAN ELECTED HEAD OF STATE EASTERN STAR

Mrs. May Cox of Silver City was elected worthy grand matron of the New Mexico Order of Eastern Star as the grand chapter closed its annual convention in Raton Wednesday.

Morgan Jones of Clovis was elected worthy grand patron.

Those attending from Artesia were: Miss Grace Shearman, Mrs. Calvin Dunn, Mrs. Nathan Kelly and Mrs. John Rowland.
The 1940 convention will be held in Roswell.

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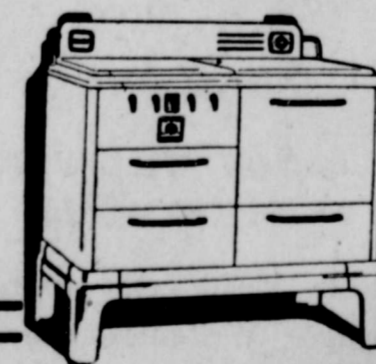
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