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## Artesia People Swap Good Will In Mountains

### Highlanders Reciprocate and Both Groups Have Fine Time as Valley Folks Make Annual Pilgrimage.

The good will of the Artesia community was taken to the mountains in true valley style last Thursday and Friday. But the mountain friends of the valley people reciprocated in true mountain style. In short, the annual good will trip from Artesia was decidedly a success.

Softball, music, souvenirs and a general spirit of fun went along with the good willers, which the mountain people matched with good things to eat and the hospitality for which they are noted.

The trip was without serious mishap, although there were about thirty passenger automobiles and two buses in the caravan which left Artesia early Thursday morning and was joined by late starters throughout the day.

A sound car, to have been used throughout the trip for making announcements at the various stops, and sent by L. E. Folkner, was disabled shortly after it passed through Hope and had to return to Artesia. All other cars made the complete trip.

The Artesia school band, under the direction of E. L. Harp, and accompanied by Mrs. Harp, was a hit of the trip. The youngsters performed well at nearly every stop. They rode in a school bus. And a hit of the band was Wellington McNett of Tahlequah, Okla., guest twirler, who nearly "stole the show" with his expert handling of the baton. Young McNett is a nephew of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Haskins, whom he is visiting, and a former Artesia boy.

Jim Ferguson took along his proteges, the Artesia High School softball team, scheduled to have met three teams in the mountains. The boys had a good time and played some softball, but only one game was completed, that at Pinon late Thursday morning, and won by the boys from the highlands. The game at Weed that afternoon was hindered from becoming a real contest because of high winds and the fact many members of the caravan hurried on to Cloudcroft, anxious to "get set" for the night.

The third game, scheduled to have been played at Elk, was called off. Outstanding were the feeds served Thursday and Friday nights respectively at Pinon and Elk. The women of the two communities, noted for their hospitality and good cooking, outdid themselves.

At Pinon, the Woman's Club, an organization of about fifty women, representing the social life for many miles, served real Western barbecue with all the trimmings. The proceeds of the dinner went to the club, which engages in considerable charitable work in the community.

The feed at Elk Friday noon was a dinner, including chicken, prepared by women of Elk Church and members of the Elk Girls' 4-H Club, which organizations were to share in the proceeds.

At Cloudcroft, after the band played, the caravan members amused themselves in a variety of diversions, enjoying the mountain air and the fun provided by the 9,000-foot high resort community.

Many of the younger members of the caravan bowled, while the older ones enjoyed informal dancing.

It was a tired, but happy, group which struggled into Artesia Friday afternoon and evening.

Charles Morgan, president of the Chamber of Commerce, and Arba Green, secretary, who made most of the arrangements, said they believed the trip probably bred more good will than in former years and that they believed the friendship of the Pecos Valley and Sacramento Mountain people is more closely cemented than ever before.

The band members who went, accompanied by E. L. Harp, director, and Mrs. Harp: Bob Burns, Royce Beyer, William Gordon, Robert Haney, Wellington McNett, David Simons, Teddy Vandagriff, C. M. Knoedler, Edwin McCaw, Bill Paris, John Simons, Tony King, Tommy Kuykendall, Dickie Attebery, Wendell Peterson, Billy Williams, Paul Cobble, Kirk Yeager, Ben Wake, Loma Bowers, Willa Jean Sadler, Helen Watson, Peggy Linell, Delores Mayrhofer, Lenora (Continued on last page, Col. 2)

## WILL EXPLAIN NEW TAX LAW ON JUNE 28-29

J. O. Gallegos, commissioner of revenue, has announced that E. M. Perry, field representative for the school tax division, State Bureau of Revenue, will be at the Artesia Chamber of Commerce office Wednesday and Thursday, June 28 and 29, for the purpose of answering inquiries regarding the compensating tax law, which will go into effect July 1.

Persons who are not familiar with all features of the new law may contact Perry during his official visit to Artesia.

## Name Standing Committees of Artesia Rotary

### President-elect Marshall's Selections Are Read by Martin at Weekly Club Luncheon for the Coming Year.

Standing committees selected by C. D. Marshall, president-elect of the Artesia Rotary Club for the next fiscal year, which will begin July 1, were announced at the weekly club luncheon Tuesday noon by W. Leslie Martin, retiring president.

Marshall and Mrs. Marshall are at Cleveland this week attending the thirtieth annual convention of Rotary International, in session there Monday through Friday, but the president-elect made his selections of committees available so they could be announced at the meeting this week.

The committees, with the chairman named first in each case: Club service, Neil B. Watson, Dr. E. A. Metzger, J. S. Ward. Classification and membership, Andy Corbin, D. I. Clowe, Howard Williams.

Fellowship and attendance, Paul Shelton, C. J. Dexter, W. Leslie Martin, Lewis Story.

Program, Arba Green, D. C. Blue, V. D. Bolton. Rotary information, C. O. Brown, J. Hise Myers, George Frisch.

Public information, Pot Bert. Vocational service, C. T. Gaskin, S. W. Gilbert, Clyde Guy, Artie McAnally.

Community service, Martin Yates, Jr., Charles Bullock, H. G. Watson.

International service, Rev. Henry S. Stout, A. P. Mahone, M. G. Schulze.

Boys' work, Jack Spratt, Charles Morgan, Gail Hamilton, E. B. Bullock.

Underprivileged children, W. E. Kerr, Boone Barnett, Albert Richards, Jack Clady.

Rural-urban acquaintance, G. R. Brainard, Ed West.

Inter-city committee, Rev. John Rice, R. M. Henson, M. C. Ross.

## Captures Large Centipede Here In Yard Tuesday

A 7½-inch centipede, one of the largest ever seen in this part of the Southwest, was captured in a glass jar Tuesday afternoon by O. L. Wheeler of Fifth and Chisholm Streets under a shade tree in his yard.

The centipede was a black one, with a deep brown head about as large as a dime. And Wheeler counted the legs — through the glass — finding it had twenty pairs. It was at least an inch wide.

## Forest Service Warns of Fire Emergency Now

Because of the prevalence of high temperatures and drying winds in the Southwest and an increased danger of forest fires, the Forest Service has declared an emergency, under which the discharge of any kind of fireworks or firecrackers in national forests of New Mexico and Arizona are prohibited, according to an official communication from Frank C. W. Pooler, regional forester.

Violation of the order is punishable under federal law by a fine of \$500, or imprisonment for a year, or both, the information discloses.

The order, dated June 19, went into immediate effect, to continue in force during the continuance of the emergency.

A number of forest fires throughout the national forests the last few weeks have destroyed many acres. The worst in this region was in the Lincoln National Forest at Ruidoso, which threatened some of the camps.

Warnings have been issued by all agencies to campers and others in the forests to exercise extreme care, for most portions of the mountains have not had rain for many weeks and the semi-decayed vegetable matter on the ground is "dry as tinder."

Ranchers in the Artesia locality report range lands likewise very dry, and they too ask that campers and others be cautious in the use of fire.

## Oil and Gas Leases Bring \$9,723 in The Monthly Sale

Only Twelve of the Twenty-Seven Tracts Sell at Santa Fe

Only twelve of twenty-seven tracts advertised for bids in the monthly oil and gas lease sale at Santa Fe June 10 were sold, twelve having no bidders, the bids on two being held insufficient and one having an error in the published description of the land. The twelve brought \$9,723.17, with the top price of \$4,215 being paid for the lease of 159.47 acres by Phillips Petroleum Company.

The tracts for which leases were sold, the descriptions, high bidders and prices paid:

Tract 1—1,040.34 acres in 21, 27 and 34-23-27; 16-23-29; 19-23-30; Roy G. Barton, Hobbs, \$132.55.

Tract 2—1,080.62 acres in 16, 25, 27 and 31-24-28; Barton, \$121.55.

Tract 3—997.95 acres in 1, 2, 3, 11 and 16-25-27; 7-25-28; Barton, \$120.55.

Tract 6—1,280 acres in 2 and 16-26-29; Olen F. Featherstone, El Paso, \$180.

Tract 7—320 acres in 8 and 20-12-34; Magnolia Petroleum Co., Dallas, \$640.

Tract 8—240 acres in 17, 29 and 26-13-26; Repollo Oil Co., Tulsa, Okla., \$484.26.

Tract 9—360 acres in 10, 14, 24 and 28-15-34; Skelly Oil Co., Tulsa, \$1,119.60.

Tract 10—120 acres in 13, 15 and 22-18-28; J. D. Atwood, Roswell, \$125.

Tract 11—159.47 acres in 3 and 5-17-36; Phillips Petroleum Co., Bartlesville, Okla., \$4,215.

Tract 12—160 acres in 36-17-38; The Ohio Oil Company, Hobbs, \$1,770.20.

Tract 14—240 acres in 16 and 21-18-36; Stanolind Oil & Gas Co., Tulsa, \$343.20.

## New Pastor Takes Rotarians to Fair At Boys' Luncheon

Rev. Arthur Kelsey Speaks at Father-Son Affair Tuesday

An insight into the New York World's Fair was given Tuesday noon at the weekly Rotary luncheon by Artesia's newest pastor, the Rev. Arthur Kelsey, assistant rector of St. Paul's Episcopal Chapel, who arrived here last week from the East to take up his new duties.

As the principal speaker at the luncheon, which was the annual father-son gathering of Rotary, the Rev. Mr. Kelsey spoke of "The World of Tomorrow," theme of the fair, tying it in with the idea that the boys are the men of tomorrow and that every father is a son, not only of his father, but of those who founded the nation. "It is only through fathers and sons that traditions of the past are carried on," he said.

In his talk the speaker took his listeners on his trip over the fair grounds, describing many of the more interesting sights.

But with him on the trip, the Rev. Mr. Kelsey said, was a young woman, who during the afternoon developed what are described as "exhibition feet," a condition which comes of walking too much in tight shoes.

As a closing admonition he warned, "If any have an opportunity to see 'The World of Tomorrow,' and to live in the 'world of tomorrow,' beware of 'exhibition feet.'"

The Rev. Mr. Kelsey is assistant to the Rev. F. B. Howden, Jr., of Roswell, rector of the Episcopal Church there and of the chapel here. He arrived last Thursday and is making his home at the residence of Mark A. Corbin, a former Rotarian, who introduced the young pastor.

Prior to his introduction of the speaker, Corbin was introduced by his son, Andy Corbin, as his guest, while twenty-seven other Rotarians introduced as their guests their sons or other boys whom they had taken to the luncheon.

The guest speaker was ordained a deacon in the Episcopal Church last Whitsunday, May 28, at St. Paul's Cathedral, Erie, Pa. He will be ordained to the priesthood in six months.

The Rev. Mr. Kelsey received his A. B. degree from Yale University and studied theology at General Theology Seminary of New York City.

Members of the Rotary Club voted to hold no weekly luncheon two weeks hence, as the regular meeting day falls on the Fourth of July.

## Plan Sacred Concert At Christian Church On Sunday Evening

A sacred concert is to be given at 7:45 o'clock Sunday evening at the First Christian Church on a single-manual electric Everett Organ, installed there for trial use. The public is invited.

Mrs. J. Vernon Wheeler, wife of the pastor, will be the organist and Mrs. John Lanning the choir director.

The program: Prelude, "Prelude in D," Chopin; hymn No. 364; Scripture; prayer.

Choir: "O, Worship the King," by Haydn; quartet, "Sweet Hour of Prayer," by Nelson, sung by Mrs. Albert Richards, Mrs. John Lanning, Dean Martin and C. E. Lanning; ladies' chorus, "In Harmony with God," Dubois.

Organ solo, "Selected," Mrs. J. Vernon Wheeler; duet, "Hear My Prayer," by James, sung by Mrs. Walter Graham and Mrs. Nevel Muncy; solo, "Thanks," by O'Hara, Mrs. John Lanning.

Choir, "Faith of Our Fathers," Wilson; serenade, "Wearing the Cross," the pastor.

## Unusual Century Plant in Bloom At Kinder Home

A century plant of unusual height and size is attracting attention in the cactus garden at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. G. Kinder on West Main Street. It is now in full bloom.

## Reid Wins No-Hit Game for Conoco League Toppers

In the first no-hit game of the current softball season, the Conoco Oilers last evening defeated the Lake Arthur CCC team 8 to 1 at Morris Field here to hold first place in club standing by virtue of being the only undefeated team.

Jack Reid, pitching for Conoco, struck out thirteen men and allowed no hits, but one of the two errors chalked up against the Oilers, a wild throw to the catcher in the second inning, allowed the CCC team its only run. Reid helped his own score by getting a homer in the seventh. Three errors were made by the losing team.

Malco took the crabbing Phillips 66 aggregation to town 16 to 6 by collecting 11 hits with three errors to eight hits and four errors for Phillips.

The High School lads left the cellar Monday evening, when they won a hot contest from the Phillips 66 team by a score of 14 to 12. The Bulldogs have showed up in a number of games, even threatening the league-leading Conoco Oilers in one game, but always before they had had breaks or failed to keep up the necessary pace. The same evening Malco defeated the Dr. Peppers.

The Lake Arthur CCC boys played a double-header here Friday evening, losing the league game to Malco and winning a special game with a Hagerman team.

The regularly scheduled game for Friday will be between Dr. Pepper and Lake Arthur CCC, but the feature of the evening is a special game scheduled between Roswell and Artesia High School teams. The game is slated to begin at 7:30 o'clock.

## Three Locations And Completions For Week in Eddy

All New Wells in the County Are Brought in as Producers

Of eleven oil well completions in the Southeast New Mexico fields the last week, three were in Eddy County, all producers. Lea County accounted for the other eight.

Eddy County matched completions with two more locations than completions, with ten reported.

Completions in Eddy County: Allen, Fair & Pope, Snowden-McSweeney 2, SW SW 36-17-29; total depth 2,699 feet; after shot well flowed 110 barrels in 6 hours through tubing.

Repollo, Keel 4, NE SW 7-17-31; total depth 3,586 feet; flowing 60 barrels of oil per day.

Greenbay & Paton, Erwin 1, SW SW 9-18-31; total depth 3,210 feet; flowed 35 barrels of oil per hour.

New locations in Eddy County: Republic Production Co., Robinson 3-B, SE SE 35-17-29; Fred Turner, Cave-Nickson 1, NE NE 30-18-26; Premier, Beeson 2-F, SW SW 31-17-30.

Progress among wildcats and other wells of general interest in Eddy County and the adjacent Maljamar area in Lea County: Aston & Fair, Hudson 1, NE sec. 18-17-31.

Swabbing 50 barrels of oil and 4 barrels of water a day; testing. Clark & Daniel, Massie 1, SW sec. 27-18-29.

Shut down for repairs at 894 feet.

L. E. Elliott, Elliott-Selby 1, SE sec. 24-18-29.

Drilling at 2,210 feet.

Farmer & Tallmadge, Hubbell 1-B, SW sec. 4-18-25, 5 miles southwest of Artesia.

## LIONS, ROTARY ARE TO BATTLE THIS EVENING

The Artesia Lions and Rotarians will meet on the field of honor — Morris Field — this evening in a winner-take-all softball game, the proceeds to be used as the winning club decides. The Rotarians decided on this method in accepting the Lions' challenge, in order not to have to worry about disposal of any of the funds.

It's bound to be fun, even though it probably will be a strange brand of softball.

## Sanction Given For an Airmail Route in Valley

Approval of an airmail route through the Pecos Valley, connecting El Paso and Albuquerque, has been made by the Post Office Department, with stops at Carlsbad, Hobbs and Roswell, but Artesia, probably the greatest potential feeder city, was not included.

That Artesia still might have a chance at being included on the route is evidenced by the fact it cannot be established until approved airports are provided at the several tentative stops.

A committee representing the Artesia Chamber of Commerce has been working on the possibilities of building a federal feeder field port here, but has been held up awaiting action by the government on a section of land in the public domain, which otherwise meets requirements.

Little has been said in recent weeks regarding the Artesia port, as the committee had hoped to surprise the people of the community with the information that the site is ready to use, at very little cost. Application for the land has been in Washington the last few weeks, but government action is of necessity slow.

Although authorization of the service has been made to become "effective June 15, or as soon thereafter as the carrier can make arrangements," suitable fields in the other cities are not available. With good luck and hasty approval of the section the Artesia committee has in mind, it might be that Artesia still will have a chance as an airmail stop city.

First word of approval of Carlsbad, Hobbs and Roswell was from Senator Dennis Chavez that the Post Office Department had made authorization for the three additional stops for mail service on the (Continued on last page, column 2)

## All-Star Team Is Named Tuesday to Meet Lovington

Officers and team managers of the Artesia Softball League selected an all-star team at a meeting Tuesday evening, to meet Lovington in a four-game series, two games each at Lovington and Artesia.

The first game is to be played at Lovington Saturday evening, with a second game there July 22. The two games here are to be July 8 and Aug. 5.

Dr. J. J. Clarke, Jr., was named as manager and the following as members of the all-star team:

"Bud" Bobbs, 1b; Al Glasser, 3b; Clarence Grimlan, cf; Frank Palmer, 2b; Jack Reid, p, and Floyd Springer, c, all representing the Conoco team.

Hugh Donald Burch, 2b; Charles Grayson, lf; "Dutch" Naylor, p; "Scratchy" Rideout, c and 1, and "Whitey" Roberts, cf, all of Malco.

Hubert Carr, 3b, and Dr. L. R. Clarke, 1b, of Phillips 66; Billy Bullock, 2b, of Dr. Pepper; and Billy Grayson, p, of High School.

Sy Hogsett, meat cutter at Peoples Market, joined a party of Texas friends for a week of fishing in the Western part of the state. They left here the first of this week.

## Softball Game Tonight Is For Hospital Funds

Classic of Diamond to Be Staged at 8 by Rotary and Lions Clubs—Many Surprises Are in the Offing.

The 1939 classic of the softball diamond in Artesia is scheduled to begin at Morris Field at 8 o'clock this evening, when the Rotary Charley-Horses meet the Lions Cubs for the honors of the Pecos and Seven Rivers Valleys and championship of Four Mile Draw — and for the benefit of the hospital.

The Cubs, blown up in their own estimation because they won a game last week from an amateur Lions team from Carlsbad, showed their unwavering nerve by challenging the more seasoned — much more — Rotarians to combat.

An exclusive and heretofore unpublished disclosure has it that the Rotarians have an ace up their figurative sleeves, that their pitching staff is not to be overlooked, inasmuch as they have more good pitchers than do the Lions. The staff of pitchers would be given, except that space does not permit publishing the complete roster of the club. At any rate, there are more Rotarians than Lions, and every one of the Charley-Horses insists on pitching.

On the other hand, the upstart Lions, who claim they might be classed as a 20-30 Club, as against a 60-70 Club for their more venerable opponents, say they can win the game using golf clubs, pool cues or night sticks. But "In-shoot" Dick Clowe, chief of the Rotary Club's pitching staff, said the use of such timber for clubs only makes him "board."

To make matters worse, Lion Don Myers of the Cubs offered to count only home runs for his team as against any kind of runs for the Charley-Horses, an insult countered by Hollis (Pop-Out) Watson, who offered to swing at at least one of the first five balls tossed to him by the youngsters.

To further show their indifference to the taunts of the Lions, the Charley-Horses said they would enter the game without training (but with plenty of liniment) and would go into action cold. The chief Lion, Fred (Gabbby) Cole, remarked that they probably would wind up the same way, to which Rotarian Eph (Babe) Bullock countered that he guessed he and his fellows could wear extra clothes, in order to keep their underworked muscles in playing form.

Burford (High Pockets) Nash is the ramrod for the Cubs and Charles (Dizzy Dean) Morgan and Jim (Sluggo) Ferguson are co-managers for the Charley-Horses.

In case anyone wonders, the game is being played for the benefit of the new city hospital, winner take all. The division of proceeds was made out that way at the Rotary luncheon, Chief Rotarian W. Leslie Martin pointing out that by using that method, the Lions would have all the figuring to do, and that in any event the money all will make its way into the proper channels.

The game being all in fun, and for a good cause, everyone should attend and shell out, even though players in a sandlot game might produce a better brand of softball. And members of both organizations are planning on some surprise action, which should beat a three-ring circus, especially when one considers that many Lions and more Rotarians never have played the honorable game.

A preliminary five-inning game will be played at 7:30 o'clock between local colored and Mexican teams.

## Portales Booster Group Visits Here To Tell of Rodeo

The Portales Boosters' Club, advertising the Roosevelt County rodeo and celebration at Portales July 3 and 4, brought a caravan of sixteen automobiles to Artesia Wednesday afternoon on a booster trip.

The caravan, headed by a band of twenty-four pieces and with three drum majors, paraded up Main Street, then dispersed and headed for Carlsbad.

The trip was made by way of inviting other communities to attend the rodeo.

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### TREES FOR MAIN STREET

Not that the heat has us down, nor that we can't take it, but we do believe in increased efficiency if one is comfortable, so we here and now revive a move made from time to time to plant shade trees in front of business houses on Main Street, which some claim would lower the temperature in every store building at least ten degrees on hot days.

And to start it off, The Advocate is planning to plant one near the curb opposite the front door next fall.

Now is the time for others to fall in line and make plans to join in when the planting season arrives.

Why not make it a general move?

### "DEATH TAKES A HOLIDAY"

An easy way to write editorials is to let the other fellow do it. But here is something far better than we could write on the subject, something which carries a great wallop, an Associated Press story, which appeared in metropolitan newspapers the other day.

A Texas man recently drove from Dallas to Temple with his family. En route, he had one of those narrow escapes from disaster common on the highways. He wrote the following letter to the person in whose name the offending automobile was registered:

"Dear Owner of automobile bearing Texas license No. —: "Last Sunday afternoon I was en route from Dallas, Tex., to Temple with my family in our five passenger sedan.

"A few miles south of Forrester, as you may recall, the highway crosses two bridges over Chambers Creek, then rises sharply over a long, steep hill. Fifty yards or more ahead of me on this hill going south, was an old car, incapable of making it in high. The driver was operating slowly, in second, and the result was half a dozen vehicles were piled up along the road back toward the bridge.

"My car was last in line. I, like the drivers in front of me, was impatient at the delay, but all of us had realized the danger of attempting to pass the slow-poke at this point. To further complicate the situation, a light rain was falling. Visibility was not good, and the road was somewhat slippery with a light coat of clay.

"You came upon me very suddenly from the rear, blew your horn twice and acted for a second as if you planned to slow down. Then you continued alongside me and ahead on the left side of the road.

"By this time, the line of cars was beginning to dip over the crest of the hill. If you had been alert you would have noticed quickly that still no one ahead had attempted to pull around the car. There was good reason for it.

"All this was happening—as things do on the highways—in seconds. Just as you moved slightly ahead of me another automobile moving at a fast clip, yet entirely within the law both from the aspects of speed and right of way, loomed suddenly over the crest of the hill.

"You swerved sharply in front of me, but I was ready for you. I had been in fact, from the moment I noticed you were attempting to violate one of the first and most sensible rules of the road.

"I had cut my speed to about 15 miles an hour. When you ducked into the space ahead of me, I was able to come to a dead stop in a few feet. It was a good thing I did, for you skidded over on the shoulder, and the front end of your car swung just beyond the center of the road. The driver coming down the hill swung wide, hit the shoulder and also went into a skid in a very dangerous spot.

"He managed to come out of it, by nice handling of the wheel. You also straightened and gunned on up the hill. I got my car to rolling, perspiration popping out on my forehead, but not until I had memorized your license number.

"At that time, I fully intended to stop at the next sheriff's office and swear out a warrant against you, for your heedless act had endangered my life, my wife's life and the lives of our children.

"I had time to notice your automobile also carried passengers. There was a young woman in the front seat with you, an elderly woman in the back seat, and two children, probably a few days older than ours. Perhaps they were your wife, your mother, and your two boys.

"There was only one person in the car that sent you scurrying into the hole in front of me, a man: Perhaps a salesman hurrying home after a long week on the road, to his family in Dallas or Oklahoma City.

"That makes a total of ten lives you placed on the brink of eternity. Your own life, of course, was included. I take no great credit for having brought my car to a safe stop; I thank the eternal powers I was able to do so, for had I smashed into you, I might have shoved you the inch or two beyond the center of the road that separated you from the skidding northbound car. It was—like all accidents—a matter of inches.

"As I said, my intention was to swear out a warrant for your arrest. I may still do so.

"I hope, however, that will not be necessary. I have decided to write you this letter. I am expecting to have from you, soon, a reply. If you assure me you will never again, so long as you live and drive an automobile, repeat this fool stunt, I will consider the matter closed.

"Perhaps you have never fully realized your responsibility to yourself and others in the operation of an automobile on a crowded, high-speed highway. In this letter I have striven to confine myself strictly to the facts, just as though I had taken an oath in a court of law. Although the safety of my family has been placed in grave jeopardy, I have attempted to be objective. Had I filed charges Sunday, it would have been in anger. I have written calmly today and with none of the personal animosity I must confess I felt.

"Neither have I attempted to explain to you the good reasons for the principles of safety involved in this series of events. I am confident you are aware of them; you are merely human, and need only to be reminded sometimes of what you already know to be common sense.

"I shall expect a reply in the same spirit."

The reply was received. The matter is closed.

OUR WANT ADS GET RESULTS

## CHURCHES

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

Priest in charge, Rev. Gerald Biver.

Time of Sunday Masses:  
8 a. m. for American speaking people.

9:30 a. m. for Spanish-American people.

**Instructions**  
Saturday, 10 a. m., for the school children.

Saturday, 2:30 p. m., for the Daughters of Mary.

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

**SAINT PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH**

Evening service at 7:30 p. m. every Sunday except the first Sunday in each month.

Church school every Sunday at 5 p. m.

The Rev. F. B. Howden, Jr., Rector.

**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

**METHODIST CHURCH**  
Corner Fifth and Grand

Sunday school meets at 9:45 Sunday morning with classes for every age group.

Morning worship at 11 o'clock. Good music and good sermon.

Senior Epworth League meets each Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. Young people between the ages of 15 and 24 are invited to attend and take part in the interesting and helpful programs.

Evening worship at 7:30. Congregational singing and a message from the Holy Scriptures. We endeavor to make our services constructive and helpful to those who come to worship with us. You are always welcome at the Methodist Church.

John S. Rice, Pastor.

**ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH**  
Corner Fourth and Chisholm

**Sunday Services**  
Sunday school, 10 a. m.

Morning worship, 11 a. m.

Children's church, 7:30 p. m.

Mid-week services, Wednesday, 8 p. m.

Young people's services, Friday 8 p. m.

Rev. Orel Boteler, Pastor

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Seventh and Grand

**Wednesday**  
Ladies' Bible study, 9:30 a. m.

Mid-week meeting, 8 p. m.

**Sunday**  
Bible school for all ages, 10 a. m.

Preaching, 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

Lord's Supper, 11:50 a. m.

Training classes, 7:15 p. m.

Ellen E. Johnson, Minister

**CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES**  
613 West Main

Sunday services 11 a. m. Wednesday services 8 p. m.

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

The Golden Text is: "Sing, O heavens; and be joyful, O earth; and break forth into singing, O mountains: for the Lord hath comforted his people, and will have mercy upon the afflicted."—(Isa. 49:13.)

Among the citations which comprise the lesson-sermon is the following from the Bible: "Verily, verily, I say unto you, He that believeth on me, the works that I do shall he do also; and greater works than these shall he do; because I go unto my Father."—(John 14:12.)

The lesson-sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook: "The principle of divine metaphysics is God; the practice of divine metaphysics is the utilization of the power of truth over error; its rules demonstrate its science."

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
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**Sunday Services**  
Bible school, 9:45 a. m.

Morning worship, 11 a. m.

Training service, 7 p. m.

Commencement exercises for the vacation Bible school, 8 p. m.

Wednesday evening prayer service, 7:30 p. m.

Friday evening at 6:30 o'clock we will have an all-church picnic for the vacation Bible school. Everyone who attended the school and their families are invited to attend.

## Fifteen Years Ago Today

(From The Advocate Files of June 19, 1924)

Those interested in establishing a summer camp in the mountains are invited to join those of the Weed community in a Fourth of July picnic, everyone taking a picnic basket.

Scoutmaster Ray Bartlett gives Boy Scouts a lesson in citizenship training this week. The free tourist camp was cleaned up, all rubbish removed or burned and holes were dug for poles for the electric wiring system.

Found in the items of June 17, 1905, published in The Advocate of the above date—S. W. Gilbert, president of the First National Bank, has secured a fine well on his farm southwest of town. It is a five-foot flow, which is indeed a gusher.

About four pages of testimony in the Halsey murder case were printed in this issue.

Found in the Mize Variety Store ad—"Save money on account of the Halsey trial extended to Saturday, July 5."

The W. C. T. U. has recessed after a meeting this week, until September.

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## Meditations

Of Your Country Cousin

Did you ever notice, th' fifth wheel is pretty apt to be the steerin' wheel?

Yeah, the men in this neck of th' woods believe in th' Missionary Society 'cause it's responsible for gettin' the house all "rid up" a couple times a year!

Seems as though it would be a mighty good thing to be stone deaf if you lived in town in the summertime—you couldn't hear th' eleven radio programs goin' at th' same time an' all different.

Women's reducin' wouldn't worry th' men folks so much if it didn't have such slimmin' effect on the women's dispositions!

These gals that's lookin' for a perfume enticin' to the men should get some that smells like fresh baked light-bread. It might have the drawback of attractin' only us old fellows, though.

Hennie reads th' papers so she scrubbed th' daylight out of th' back porch. Jake, comin' in right then, said, sort o' sympathic-like, "Gosh, Ma, did you spill a bucket of water er somethin'?"

Most any smart girl can tell if a man is married or not by just takin' a good look at his shoes!

Beginning June 25 and lasting until July 5 the pastor will assist Brother W. C. Garrett, Pecos Valley misionary, in a meeting at Hope.

S. M. Morgan, Pastor

**FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
Sixth and Quay

"The Church With a Bell"

"I was glad when they said unto me, let us go into the House of the Lord." You are invited to share in the fellowship of special services that are being planned for both morning and evening on next Sunday, June 25. Sunday school, 9:45 o'clock, with a class for everyone. Morning worship, 11 o'clock, with special music by the choir, under the leadership of Mrs. John Lanning. Sermon subject: "Follow Thou Me." Sacred concert at 7:45 p. m., using an Everrett electric single manual Organ.

J. Vernon Wheeler, Minister

**CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE**  
Fifth and Quay

"The Church With a Burning Message"

Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.

Morning worship, 11 a. m.

Junior and N. Y. P. S., 6:45 p. m.

Evangelistic service, 7:45 p. m.

Prayer meeting, Wednesday, 7:45 p. m.

We welcome you. Come and see.

Lee P. Phillips, Pastor

## Health Column

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

A dollar to a doughnut that his wife loved him, and a dollar to a doughnut that he had good sense and moral courage. I saw him a few days ago while out fishing on a lake and there he sat in his boat with a good cork life preserver draped over him. He told me that he couldn't swim and he didn't see the force of taking unnecessary chances. He said that once in a while he got a good raspberry from a few dumbbells for his precaution but that a raspberry or two were infinitely preferable to being dragged home to his wife and family in a basket.

What he said was true and the number of accidents associated with fishing are numerous. Some accidents are associated with boats and some with just plain fishin'. One large insurance company in a recent year paid 163 claims for accidents associated with the piscatorial art—that is to say, with fishin'.

People should not go out in boats if they cannot swim unless they take suitable safety precautions such as the wearing of a life preserver. Horsing around in boats is very unsafe and is a frequent cause of accident. Overexcitement at the hooking of a "big one" often causes errors of judgment sufficient to cause a boat to upset. Overexcitement at any time is bad and excited casting for instance often results in the hook or jack catching not a fish but the ear or some other portion of the boat's crew.

Those who are inexperienced with boats should not venture far afield. Even on lakes sudden squalls are liable to come up and the individual unaccustomed to handling boats may run very serious risks if competent help is not readily at hand.

For those who "nigger fish" from the bank and for those who fish the streams other sources of danger present themselves. In certain streams and in certain places quicksands are very dangerous indeed. The writer got into one once and only just managed to get out when the water and sand were well around his midriff.

When wading in rapids, fishermen should proceed with great caution since a foot misplaced may mean the current may be able to carry the fisher into deeper water with distressing results. Slippery rocks on the margins of streams or lakes can mean broken arms or legs. Attempts to scale precipitous heights to enable one to reach that tempting pool are better avoided.

When fishing, people should try to bear all these things in mind then and many others. None of us wants to be brought home in a basket and none of us wants the casual bystander to say of us, "A dollar to a doughnut that his wife loved him, but a dollar to a doughnut that he didn't have much sense."

**FIVE STATES ARE IN CHECKER TOURNAMENT**

An all-Southwest checker tournament at Paris, Tex., July 10-12, with players from Texas, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Arkansas and Louisiana, has been announced. Players from the five states are being invited to the tournament, which is free to spectators.

Mrs. Etta Staggs moved to Roswell last week to take a course in beauty culture.

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## Of PWA Projects Totalling \$34,700,332 In State Eddy County Gets \$1,744,140

The value of Public Works Administration projects in New Mexico, either completed or now under construction, has reached \$34,700,332, according to a report by George M. Bull, regional director.

Every county in New Mexico has shared in the funds made available by Congress for the stimulation of useful public construction, Bull declared, with Eddy County's estimated total cost of twenty-two projects being \$1,744,140.

In the last six years 295 New Mexico projects have received allotments. Of these, 97 have been non-federal projects built by the state, counties, cities or school districts and 198 others, federal projects, have been constructed by departments or agencies of the federal government.

The estimated cost of the non-federal projects in the state is \$11,752,564 and of the federal projects, \$22,947,768. The Public Works Administration has made grants of \$4,868,854 and loans of \$2,962,420 to make the building of the non-federal projects possible. PWA has borne 100 per cent of the cost of the federal projects.

The most popular types of projects in New Mexico have been schools and streets and highways, hospitals and city and county buildings also having high ranking.

The largest of the non-federal PWA projects in New Mexico is the \$696,819 spent for university buildings at Albuquerque. Other large projects include schools at Carlsbad with an estimated cost of \$452,727, a \$416,363 electric plant at Tucumcari, and a courthouse at Santa Fe which will cost \$246,363, all of which are still in the construction stage.

In Eddy County cost of the twenty-two projects breaks down into \$316,000 in PWA loans, \$612,090 in PWA grants, \$1,811,170 for non-federal projects and \$392,970 for federal projects for the total of \$1,744,140.

Literally hundreds of schools dot the state as a result of the various PWA programs. While a number of PWA allotments have resulted in the building of imposing modern high schools in metropolitan centers, an even greater number of more modest structures have been built in the agricultural areas of the state.

"The PWA program in New Mexico," the regional director said, "has performed its primary purpose of creating jobs not only at projects but to an even greater extent in the industries of the state, but it has also made possible improvements which will add to the health, the enlightenment, the comfort and safety and the general well-being of New Mexicans for many years to come."

"When the Public Works Administration was first organized six years ago, the president and Administrator Ickes insisted that its funds be used only in the construction of useful projects. The 295 PWA projects in New Mexico offer permanent proof of the fact that this rule has been firmly adhered to. These projects have been carefully constructed of good

materials by well-paid labor with waste reduced to a minimum. They are worth in service and usefulness every dollar of their cost."

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## Little Known Facts and Sidelights on Oil Industry

**New Venezuela—**  
Oil is bringing new days to east-coast Venezuela, where time has been standing still since Columbus landed. A 1,600 square mile area east of Caracas and north of the Orinoco River is being opened to oil development and other industrial undertakings.

To a land unpopulated except for a few native towns along the coast and the Orinoco River, oil workers have brought the comforts and even luxuries of modern living—transportation, water, light, telephones, refrigeration, schools, modern housing, sanitation, hospitalization, public health, living wages, golf courses, club houses, swimming pools and tennis courts!

**Jungle Camps—**  
At Caripito, 15 miles away from the Quiriquire field, where 70,000 barrels of oil are produced daily, a 400-acre camp, as attractive as any in the United States, literally was carved out of the jungle. Expenditures for transportation and comfortable living quarters for native and foreign workers exceeded those required for drilling and transportation. In order to build the homes and other buildings needed after the road system had been completed, a plant was established to make bricks and tile from the soil along the main highway. Homes and amusement facilities scattered over a rolling country of 250 acres provide better than average living conditions. Similar comforts are provided at Pedernales, where drilling is done in delta country and at Temblador and Cumarebo.

**Transportation—**  
Two oil pipe lines from the Quiriquire field to a terminal on the San Juan River and a loading terminal at Guiria, on the Gulf of Paria where a small topping plant is located, have made Caripito one of the important ports of the oil world. Ships flying the flags of many different countries arrive and depart regularly with crude.

Large sums have been spent in improving and maintaining the navigability of streams. Even airports were built. As a result of the business stimulated by oil development, Caripito and Guanta on the Caribbean Sea, which will be a major oil terminal next year, are stopping points on an international airway line which crosses Venezuela from Trinidad to Colombia.

**Future Production—**  
Within another year, it is expected, 50,000 or more barrels daily of new production will be available from the Oficina field at new terminals now under construction near Guanta on the Caribbean Sea. By September, a 100-mile 16-inch line with a daily capacity of 100,000 barrels is scheduled for operation.

Present production of 37 to 40 degree A. P. I. gravity oil is coming from an average depth of 5,700 feet. About \$2,000,000 will be spent for a new camp eight miles away.

North from Oficina to Guanta along the coast, 100 miles of highway, which will be opened to the public when completed, are being built at a cost of \$2,000,000. In this area, it is estimated that \$25,000,000 will be spent before a barrel of oil is marketed. Marketed production from the entire eastern Venezuelan area at present amounts of 85,000 barrels daily, about 16 per cent of the total Venezuelan output of 530,000 barrels. Experts believe it may furnish the bulk of new production later.

**Light Metals—**  
Industrial possibilities, hitherto undreamed of, lie in the potential usefulness of light metals, engineers believe. Engines so light that they can "float" are considered feasible through the use of lithium, lightest of all metals, alloyed with aluminum, fatigue-resistant beryllium and lead, to give hardness.

The world's largest supply of lithium is found in a 25-mile vein

running between North and South Carolina. Quantities of the ore are in South Dakota, also. In the Tennessee Valley, there are available mineral and power resources, it is believed, to make in one operation smokeless powder and three light metals—Magnesium, calcium and lithium.

**Power Farming—**  
A new four-cylindered, four-wheeled 1,700-pound tractor, which utilizes a new plowing system promises to make farming easier, less expensive to start and more profitable to carry on.

The "line of draft" has been altered to provide a new type pull. Plows or other implements are drawn by a hydraulic lift which keeps the implement at a constant level. It raises or lowers at the touch of a lever by the operator.

The new tractor, which will be sold cheaply, will tend to mechanize farming, it is believed. It is believed also that power farming may provide new opportunities for young men hitherto discouraged because of the hard work and small returns.

**Petrolines—**  
Safety award for one of the best driving records of the past year—494,417 miles without an accident—was won recently by an oil company fleet in the New York area.

Patents for new processes, new products and new equipment are filed by a leading oil company at the rate of one a day.

### Carlsbad Man Is Elected President Methodist Group

James Robertson of Carlsbad was elected president of the New Mexico Conference Young People's Organization in annual conference assembly last week at Sacramento Methodist assembly grounds. Robertson is a former resident of Artesia, having moved to the county seat with his parents a little more than a year ago.

Representatives of forty-six churches of the New Mexico conference from the states of Colorado, Texas and New Mexico were in attendance, with 250 representatives.

Other conference officers elected to serve for the ensuing year are: Miss Gene Crump, Clovis, vice president; Miss Joan Mullins, Santa Fe, secretary; Mary Virginia Burdette, Roswell, treasurer; Allen Stecker, Clovis, publicity superintendent. The Rev. Joe Emanuel of Kermit, Tex., was elected dean of the 1940 assembly.

These officers were installed in the closing session of the assembly Friday night.

### Rural Bus Routes For Eddy County Are Awarded Friday

Bus contracts for county rural schools were awarded at meeting of the county board of education Friday at the office of R. N. Thomas, county school superintendent.

The contracts vary from one to three years, according to equipment, Thomas said.

Awards of contracts: Oilfield to Artesia, J. W. Jackson; Lakewood, Dayton and return, Ernest McGonagill; Last Chance—Rocky Arroyo to Carlsbad, Dillard Campbell; Loving east local, J. R. Pierce; Malaga local, George Thomas; Loving east local, Tom Ball; Loving west local, Frank Nymeyer; Harrour Farm, Jess Franz; El Paso Gap, Arch Lewis; Malaga-Loving school, J. D. Simms; Lower Black River, Kenneth Cass; Upper Black River, H. F. Ballard.

Mrs. A. K. Herrington of Roswell is visiting her sister, Mrs. Merrill Sharp, for a few days this week.

## Registration Law Canvass to Begin July 3 in County

**Joe Hamann, Artesia, Named on Eddy Board of Three Members**

Joe Hamann, Artesia member of the board of registration for Eddy County, created under the new registration law, announced a house-to-house canvass of the county will be made beginning July 3, to be completed by July 31, for the permanent registration of all eligible voters.

R. S. Compton, chairman, and Anton Snyder of Carlsbad and Hamann were appointed by the county commissioners to serve as the board of registration, which organized last Thursday in Carlsbad. R. H. Wilcox, deputy county clerk, is serving as secretary.

A Democrat and a Republican qualified voter from each of the twenty-four voting districts in the county are to be selected from lists submitted respectively by L. R. Conarty, Democratic county chairman, and W. A. Dunnam, Republican county chairman, to serve as registration teams in their districts, Hamann said. Four teams will work in Artesia, one for each voting box.

The workers will register only persons who are to be 21 years old by the time of the next election. They must be residents of the state a year, the county ninety days and the voting precinct thirty days.

Each person must register for himself, Hamann said, a husband or wife not being permitted to register for the other. Two witnesses will be necessary in the case of a person who cannot read or write.

Under the new law, each person registering must give his party affiliation, or he will not be permitted to vote in the fall primaries. In addition he must state where he was registered last, his age, weight, height, color, birthplace and address, as well as any physical disabilities.

A voter may change his party affiliation by applying at the office of the county clerk.

Anyone who is overlooked or for any reason is not registered during July by the registration teams, or new voters, because they have become of age or have become citizens of the state since the registration dates, may be registered at any time at the county clerk's office.

The registration workers will be paid 5 cents a name in the municipalities and 10 cents a name in the rural districts. They will do their work under oath, a part of the new system, inaugurated by the last legislature with the purpose of preventing fraudulent voting or double registration.

Registrations will be made in triplicate, the original and duplicate going to the county clerk and the triplicate being given to the registered person.

After a person's name appears on the registration list, it will remain there permanently, unless he misses two consecutive elections, in which case it will be removed from the books, to be replaced again only when he applies at the clerk's office.

Registrars selected by the board from lists submitted by the Democratic and Republican county chairmen for Artesia and other North Eddy County voting districts:

Artesia 6-A, Tom James (D) and Miss Florence M. Dooley (R);

## Cottonwood Items (Ora Buck)

Dave Lewis and daughter, Annie, of Weed was a visitor on Cottonwood Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. Ralph Pearson and Mrs. Roy Ingram of Cottonwood spent last Thursday in Roswell.

The Cottonwood Ladies' Aid will be entertained this afternoon at the home of Mrs. G. G. Golden on Cottonwood.

Eugene Buck and a Mrs. Gobear of San Antonio, who were here visiting relatives, returned home Monday.

Mrs. G. G. Golden and sons, Ulas and G. G., Jr., returned to their home here Tuesday of last week from Arkansas, where they spent ten days visiting relatives.

Mrs. Noah Buck returned to her home here Wednesday of last week from El Paso, Tex., where she spent several days visiting her father, Mr. Avant.

Buddy Parker, 5-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Parker, had his tonsils removed several days ago at St. Francis Hospital in Carlsbad.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Knoedler of here had as house guests for a few days Mr. Knoedler's nephew and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Knoedler, of Macomb, Ill. They had been in school in Los Angeles, Calif., and were en route home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Payne of Hope and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Buck and son, Charles Edward, of here motored to El Paso Saturday to get Mrs. Buck's and Mr. Payne's father, Ed Payne, who sustained a broken back a few days ago. He will go back to El Paso in about six weeks, to have the cast removed.

Roy Ingram of Lake Arthur under went a tonsillectomy at St. Francis Hospital in Carlsbad Friday.

W. D. Burks, assistant manager of the J. C. Penney Company store here, left Wednesday for Dallas and Sherman, Tex., on a vacation of a week. He will be accompanied home by Mrs. Burks and daughter, Sara Jo, who have been visiting in Dallas.

6-B, Luther Rideout (D) and Mrs. A. B. Coll (R); 6-C, George Johnson (D) and Mrs. E. A. Hannah (R); 6-D, Mrs. Roy Langston (D) and Mrs. Baxter Pollard (R).

Cottonwood 10, Mrs. J. I. Funk (D) and Mrs. A. D. Hill, Jr. (R). Oilfield 11-A, Mrs. Alex McGonagill (D) and Mrs. Frank A. Miller (R); 11-B, Mrs. Bob Corbin (D) and Mrs. Keith G. Miller (R).

Hope 3, W. E. Rood (D) and J. R. Sadler (R).

Lakewood 4, Mrs. R. L. House (D) and J. W. Dauron (R).

Dayton 7, Mrs. Irvin Martin (D) and Mrs. E. D. Kissinger (R).

Two alternates were also recommended for each clerk, in the event any one is unable to serve when the time comes, by the party committees.

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## Boy Scout News

Contributors to the Boy Scout finance campaigns in the Eastern New Mexico area council soon will receive a report on the condition of scouting in the council from P. V. Thorson, executive.

The report will show an enrollment of 1,739 boys and 515 men leaders as of June 16, or a total enrollment of 2,254, the highest in the history of the council. These boys and men are enrolled in 92 units—70 Boy Scout troops, 16 Cub packs and 6 Sea Scout ships.

The report will also show that 502 boys and 48 men have been recruited in the scouting program in the council so far this year, and that 12 new units have been formed.

One of the outstanding things revealed by the report is the fine growth of cubbing in the council this year, with new cub packs accounting for 6 of the 12 new units organized. Sea scouting is also making rapid strides, with three new ships organized since Jan. 1. The other three new units formed this year are Boy Scout troops.

"Of the 39 councils in region 9, our council ranks first in covering the field, first in recruiting boys and tenth in general average," the report says.

Three Boy Scout troops, four Cub packs and one Sea Scout ship are now in the process of organizing but have not yet been registered.

The report gives a comparative table of enrollment in the area in December, 1931, and June, 1939. During this period there has been a gain of 130 per cent in number of boys enrolled and 134 per cent in number of men enrolled, while the council's budget has been increased only 50 per cent, from \$8,000 to \$12,000. This tremendous gain in enrollment, made during Thorson's tenure as area executive, would have been even larger, had not Alamogordo and Muleshoe been transferred to other councils in 1934.

The following area-wide activities so far this year are listed in the report to the contributors: "Anniversary Week" observation, first aid contest, launching of enrichment program, commissioners conference, development of districts 5 and 6, Robert Ripley-Carlsbad Cavern party, emphasis on functioning of district committees, Camp-O-Ral, Camp We-hin-ah-pay.

The program for the rest of the year, in addition to the pioneer camp at Philtum, the Sea Scout cruise off the Pacific Coast and

**NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF RESOLUTION BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE EZY GRIP RUBBER COMPANY, INC., FOR THE DISSOLUTION OF SAID CORPORATION; AND NOTICE OF A SPECIAL STOCKHOLDERS MEETING FOR THE PURPOSE OF ACTING ON SAID RESOLUTION.**

Notice is hereby given that a resolution was adopted by the Directors of the Ezy Grip Rubber Company, Inc., at a meeting held the 31st day of May, 1939, for the dissolution of said corporation, said resolution being as follows:

"RESOLVED: That it is deemed advisable and most for the benefit of the Ezy Grip Rubber Company, Inc., for said corporation

to be dissolved as provided by the laws of the State of New Mexico."

Notice is further given that a special stockholders meeting has been called by the Directors of the Ezy Grip Rubber Company, Inc., to be held on the fifth day of July, A. D., 1939, at the hour of two o'clock P. M., in the office of C. J. Dexter in the Artesia Hotel, Artesia, New Mexico, for the purpose of considering and acting upon the proposed voluntary dissolution of the Ezy Grip Rubber Company, Inc.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, The Secretary of the corporation has hereunto set his hand and affixed the seal of the corporation this 3rd day of June, 1939.

C. J. DEXTER, Secretary.  
(CORPORATE SEAL) 23-41-26

the water camps, will include emphasis on the enrichment program and an intensive training course program.

Mr. and Mrs. Harve Nolan, who recently came from Texas, have moved into the Roy Langston residence on West Main Street.



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# SOCIETY.

## The Artesia Woman's Club Makes Gift to the New City Hospital

The Artesia Woman's Club made a needed donation this week to the new city hospital, which is nearing completion. The club has furnished the hospital kitchen with every needed article with the exception of stoves and refrigeration.

The list of equipment, which is of high class quality, included a large steam table, a three-burner coffee vaculator, a service for thirty-six in China, silver and glassware, a meat block and a complete set of cooking utensils.

Active since 1904, the Woman's Club has helped in building the Artesia community. For many months the club has waited for a call from the hospital board which would specify some urgent need in which it might add to its contribution to an institution which every civic-minded organization is helping to build.

Mrs. Fay Hardeman, president of the club, has named the program committee which is to be headed by Mrs. C. E. Robinson. Serving with Mrs. Robinson will be Mrs. I. L. Spratt and Mrs. John Lanning, who are each familiar with the duties of the committee. Mrs. Dale Thomas, second vice president, is by right of her office the membership chairman. Mrs. C. R. Baldwin and Mrs. Howard Gissler will serve with Mrs. Thomas with one member to be named later.

The first meeting of the program committee was held at the home of Mrs. Hardeman Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Thomas has announced that the membership committee will begin its annual drive for dues and new members the first week in July. Every club member must pay her dues before her name may appear in the club book. Club members are urged by the committee either to mail their checks for the amount of the annual dues or hand the amount to a member of the committee.

Mrs. Hardeman has requested that every club member who has a neighbor or friend who might be interested in club work next year either turn in the name to the membership committee or ask for a membership blank and fill it out.

The interest in club activities last year was unusually good, with a number of new members added to the club roll at the last meeting. It is expected that there will be a large number of new members this year.

The tentative date for the third district convention of the New Mexico Federation of Women's Clubs, to be held in Roswell, has been set for the third week end in October.

### BAPTIST BIBLE SCHOOL TO HAVE PICNIC FRIDAY

The vacation Bible school of the First Baptist Church will have its closing picnic Friday evening. This is to be an all-church affair for it is to include all the children who have been in the school and their families. Likewise all members of the church and their families are invited to attend, the Rev. S. M. Morgan, pastor, said, emphasizing that they want everyone, young and old, to be at the church at 6:30 o'clock with plans to have a good time together.

The Bible school will have its commencement exercises at 8 o'clock Sunday evening. The boys and girls are inviting their parents and friends to attend a short program in the form of a resume of the work which has been done in the various departments of the school. Handwork will be exhibited also. A moving picture of the boys and girls engaged in the work of the school will be shown.

The Rev. Mr. Morgan said 180 boys and girls have been enrolled in the school this year and proved that they had a good time by having regular attendance.

### METHODIST BIBLE SCHOOL ENROLLS THIRTY-ONE

Enrollees for the Methodist Vacation Bible School which will be held for ten days, numbered approximately thirty-one pupils at the registration Monday.

Mrs. Cyril Stone is in charge of the school with Mrs. William Bullock, Mrs. Landis Feather, Mrs. John S. Rice, Mrs. Dale Thomas, Miss Peggy Brainard, Miss Bettye Brainard and Miss Margaret Mahone assisting in the three courses, handicraft, music and Bible study, offered to the enthusiastic students.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Yancy of Maljamar were trading in Artesia Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Vandagriff of Artesia and their nephew, Allen Gelwick, Jr., of Oklahoma, who has been visiting them, left Tuesday morning for El Paso, from where they planned to drive to Elephant Butte Dam to fish.

### Social Calendar

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#### THURSDAY (TODAY)

The Young Woman's Guild of the Christian Church, Mrs. Williams, northwest of the city, host-est, 2:30 p. m.

The Young Matron's Circle of the Methodist Missionary Society, Mrs. Herman Green, hostess, 2:30 p. m.

The Thursday Supper Club, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Watson, hosts, 7:30 p. m.

Eastern Star, initiation and social, 7:30 p. m.

#### FRIDAY

Welfare and Crippled Children Committee at the welfare office, Carlsbad, 7:30 p. m.

Miercoles Bridge Club, Mrs. Grady Booker, hostess, 2 p. m.

H2O Club, Mrs. Fannie Bruton, hostess, 2:30 p. m.

J. U. G. Bridge Club, Mrs. Lynn Buford, hostess, 2 p. m.

#### MONDAY

Past Matron's Club, Mrs. Arba Green, hostess, 2:30 p. m.

#### TUESDAY

The Sunshine Class of the Methodist Church, Mrs. Calvin Dunn, hostess, 3 p. m.

Fortnightly Bridge Club, Mrs. Albert Richards, hostess, 1 p. m.

#### WEDNESDAY

Abiormis Sapiens Bridge Club, Mrs. Ralph Shugart, hostess, 2 p. m.

#### ATTEND NAZARENE DISTRICT CONFERENCE

The Rev. and Mrs. Lee P. Phillips left Wednesday morning to attend a district conference of the Church of the Nazarene at Clovis. They were accompanied by three delegates of the church, Miss Eleanor Clark, Miss Opal Pryor and a Mrs. Allen.

Mrs. E. A. Paton expected to leave today to attend the assembly, returning home Saturday.

#### FORTNIGHTLY BRIDGE WITH MRS. MARTIN

Mrs. W. Leslie Martin was hostess to the Fortnightly Bridge Club at the Artesia Hotel Coffee Shop Tuesday afternoon, entertaining with a luncheon and rounds of contract.

Mrs. Charles Martin won the high score for the afternoon. Guests were Meses. Landis Feather, John Lanning, William Linell, Hollis Watson, Albert Richards, Charles Martin, J. B. Atkinson, J. R. Attebery, Glenn Booker and C. R. Baldwin, and a substituting guest, Mrs. Wainright Miller.

#### MRS. BRAINARD HOSTESS TO METHODIST MISSIONARY

Mrs. Reed Brainard was hostess to the Methodist Missionary Society at an all-day session last Thursday with sixteen ladies attending.

A topic on "Widening Our National Outlook" was given by Mrs. Brainard, assisted by Mrs. George Frisch, Mrs. Grover Kinder and Mrs. John Rice. The meditation hour was conducted by Mrs. Pat Gormley who used as her subject, "Splendid Loyalties."

At the close of the morning, the subject, "When Talk Turns on Religion," was discussed. A delicious covered-dish luncheon was served at the noon hour, after which a business session was held with Mrs. Brainard presiding. Mrs. I. C. Keller presented the bulletin to the group.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Kinder the third Thursday in July.

#### MR. AND MRS. SCHNOOR MAKE EXTENSIVE TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Schnoor returned Friday from a 2,400-mile trip through five states.

At Wichita Falls, Tex., they were met by their daughter, Miss LaVerne Schnoor, formerly the music supervisor of Artesia schools, and from there made a leisurely tour of the Ozark Mountains in Arkansas and Missouri, spending several days at Branson and Rock-a-Way Beach on Lake Taneycomo, fifty-five miles south of Springfield, fishing and resting.

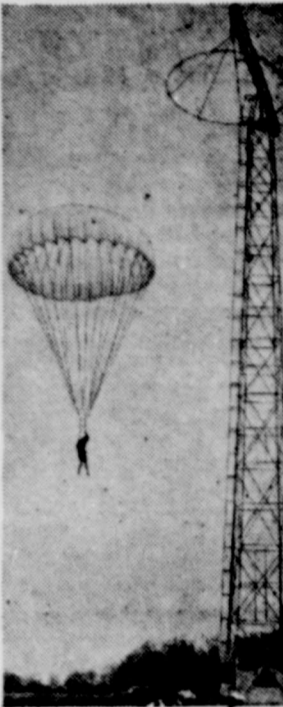
Miss Schnoor left the party at Springfield and proceeded by bus to Evanston, Ill., to attend Northwestern University for the summer session. At the termination of the school she plans to meet her parents at Cheyenne, Wyo., to tour scenic points of the West, making short trips into Canada and Mexico. They also will visit the Golden Gate Exposition at San Francisco.

Miss Schnoor was re-elected to her position as musical supervisor at Mineral Ridge, Ohio, where she has been teaching the last year.

## Girl Parachute Jumper Trains for "Comeback"



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### MRS. COMPARY HOSTESS TO VIERNES BRIDGE CLUB

The Viernes Bridge Club met at the home of Mrs. Andy Compary Friday afternoon, with Mrs. Jack Clady winning high award and Mrs. A. G. Glasser, second high.

A dainty salad course was served by the hostess to Mrs. Boone Barnett, Mrs. E. E. Gillispie, Mrs. Fletcher Collins, Mrs. A. L. Colvin, Mrs. E. J. Foster, Mrs. A. G. Glasser and Mrs. Jack Clady. This was the last meeting of the club until September. A vacation will be enjoyed by club members during the remainder of the summer.

### HASTINGS ARE HOSTS TO THURSDAY BRIDGE

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Hastings entertained the Thursday Evening Bridge Club at their home on Roselawn last Thursday evening. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Owen Haynes, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Colvin, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Foster, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stroup and Dr. and Mrs. Wainright Miller.

### PRESBYTERIAN WOMAN'S ASSOCIATION MEETS

A short business session was held at the meeting of the Presbyterian Woman's Association last Thursday afternoon, with Mrs. Russell Rogers acting as hostess. Devotionals were led by Mrs. Ralph Henderson. Mrs. Fletcher Collins was in charge of the missionary program, the topic of which was "Young People in the Local Church." Open discussion was held on the subject.

Pineapple sherbet and cake were served to those attending.

### MR. AND MRS. CHESTER MAYES AND SMALL SON, BILLY RIDGE, OF ROSWELL RECENTLY MOVED HERE.

Mr. Mayes has taken over the management of the Mayes & Company store. Mrs. Elizabeth Anne Bean, who has been connected with the store, is returning to Roswell sometime next week.

### MRS. E. L. ASKINS OF TUCSON, ARIZ., IS HERE VISITING HER DAUGHTER, MRS. CECIL FLETCHER.

Chapter J of the P. E. O. sisterhood will present Miss Joan Wheatley, soprano, in a concert at 8 o'clock Thursday evening, July 6, at the Presbyterian Church as a hospital benefit.

### MISS WHEATLEY IS PRESENTED IN A BENEFIT CONCERT

Miss Wheatley will be assisted by Mrs. Doris Deter Welborne, violinist, and Mrs. Virgine Russell Gates, pianist. The program will be published in next week's issue.

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### FORMER SCHOOLMATES COMPLIMENT MRS. WEEMS

Mrs. Mandville Weems and three daughters, Beverly Gene, Julia Lola and Elizabeth Gail, of Neosho, Mo., who are here visiting Mrs. Weems' parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Nickey, for a month, have been complimented on several occasions this week.

Mrs. Weems, who graduated from the local high school, will be remembered by former schoolmates as Miss Hazel Nickey.

Mrs. William Linell complimented Mrs. Weems Monday afternoon with an informal tea, at which several schoolmates of the visitor were present.

A delicious ice course was served by the hostess to Meses. Weems, Lewis Story, John Lanning, Charles Martin, Landis Feather and R. M. McDonald.

Misses Peggy and Dorothy Linell entertained with a tea party for Misses Beverly Gene and Julia Lola Weems the same afternoon. Other guests were Misses Wanda Story, Bettyne Lanning, Charleen Martin, Catherine Louise Williams and Shirley Watson.

Mrs. John Lanning entertained informally at her home naming Mrs. Weems honor guest and inviting the same group of classmates Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Weems and daughters, Beverly Gene, Julia Lola and Elizabeth Gail, were week end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Martin and family.

### MRS. WELCH HOSTESS AT PICNIC SUPPER

Mrs. Wendell Welch entertained relatives with a picnic supper on the lawn Friday evening at her home on West Main Street.

Those enjoying the affair were Mr. and Mrs. Sig Iverson and daughter, Patsy, of Fort Worth, Tex., and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Welch, Mrs. Van P. Welch, Miss Phoebe Welch, Van S. Welch, Mrs. Terry Hornaday and the hostess, Mrs. Wendell Welch, and children, Wendell, Jr., Tommy and Phoebe.

### LEGION AUXILIARY TO HAVE BARBEQUE-DANCE

A call meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary was held at the home of Mrs. Raymond Bartlett Monday afternoon to plan a fund for a delegation to attend the state convention to be held at Lordsburg Aug. 10, 11 and 12, in support of Mrs. B. F. Pior of Artesia, a candidate for president of the state department of the Auxiliary.

To provide for a large delegation from Artesia to attend the convention, a barbeque and dance will be given Thursday evening, June 29, at the American Legion hut with a colored orchestra furnishing the music. A special attraction will be a jitterbug contest with prizes awarded to the best couples.

Convention reports were discussed by the fifteen members present.

Light refreshments were served by the hostess at the close of the meeting.

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Mrs. E. L. Askins of Tucson, Ariz., is here visiting her daughter, Mrs. Cecil Fletcher.

### FUN LOVERS CLUB MEETS ON MONDAY

The members of the Fun Lovers Club met at the home of Miss Lela Bess Mann Monday for a business session.

A dance to be given Thursday evening at the American Legion hut was planned by the following: Misses Mary Baird, Edna Carder, Wanda Story, Jane Shugart, Anadele Williams, Catherine Louise Williams, Peggy Linell, Bettyne Lanning, Sybil Pior, Margaret Mahone, Helen Gates, Bettye Brainard and Lela Bess Mann.

### MISS DARLEEN FRAZIER HONORED ON BIRTHDAY

Misses Shirley Bartlett, Julia Kuykendall and Charlotte Staggmiller complimented Miss Darleen Frazier on her fourteenth birthday with a surprise party at the Bartlett home Tuesday evening.

After an evening of games, punch and cookies were served to Misses Betty Evarts, Joy Fern Ferguson, La Donna Ferguson and Katherine McDermott, and Pat Cacy, Willis and Jack Rowland, Burl, Raymond and Reggie Morgan, Tommy Welch, Bobby Morris and the honor guest.

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**STITCH-CHATTER MEETS WITH MRS. DICK HICKS**

The Stitch and Chatter Club held its regular meeting last Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Dick Hicks.

The afternoon was spent in sewing and conversation. Mrs. Garel Westall was a prize winner. Iced refreshments were served at the close of the meeting. Later in the evening some of the members enjoyed a swim at the Oasis.

Members present: Mmes. Harry Dike, Bill Ellinger, Carl Robison, Cecil Sweet, Dru Taylor, Garel Gestall, George Westall, Kyle Taylor and Dick Hicks, and Miss Glendine Westall.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Bill Ellinger.

**HAPPY HOUR CLUB**

Members of the Happy Hour Club met at the home of Mrs. Earl Bynum for a covered-dish luncheon Wednesday.

An afternoon of sewing and visiting was enjoyed by the following: Mrs. Karl Foster, Mrs. E. F. Bogard, Mrs. Bob Reynolds, Mrs. Charlie Brown, Mrs. James Dew, Mrs. Frank Small, Miss Nettie Bryant and the hostess, Mrs. Bynum.

**LOCAL COUPLES UNITED IN A DOUBLE WEDDING**

A marriage of interest is the double wedding of two brothers, Kermit and Arlee Hoover, respectively, to Misses Rosemary Warren, timekeeper for the WPA sewing project, and Lorraine Key, Tuesday afternoon in Carlsbad.

Kermit Hoover is an employee of the Maloney Tank Manufacturing Company.

The two couples are at home to their friends at the Jones apartments here.

**LOCALS**

Marion Thornburg of Los Angeles, Calif., is visiting his aunt, Mrs. Lloyd O'Bannon, and family.

Garland Rideout left for Kermit, Tex., Saturday on a business trip.

Miss Pauline Gilbert of Lubbock, Tex., spent the week end here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gilbert.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Pelkey of Eunice visited her sister, Mrs. Jack Staggs, and family last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Francis of Oilfield left last Thursday on a two-week trip through Kansas and Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Davis and Mr. and Mrs. Willis Wilde attended a rodeo at Cloudfcroft Sunday.

Bob Pistole is a guest this week of Jack Reed, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Reed at San Pedro ranch at Fort Stockton, Tex.

Berthold Alcorn and Wilma Owen of Artesia are guests in the home of Georgia and Dixie O'Bannon Friday evening.

Mrs. Laura Welsh, accompanied by her son and daughter-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. Edward Welsh, and their two sons are expected today from Hibbing, Minn.

Miss Clementine Cobble and Clabern Buckner drove to Las Vegas Saturday evening and visited friends until Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. John Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. George Akins and family and Mrs. J. R. Castleberry spent Saturday night and Sunday at Walnut Grove.

Mrs. J. J. Aller of Mannington, W. Va., is visiting her sister, Mrs. E. C. Morgan, and Mr. Morgan and a son, Thomas Allen, for a month.

Mrs. Lloyd Simon and her young son, Bobby, have moved to Cloudfcroft for the summer season. This will be the second summer spent in the mountains for the benefit of Bobby's health.

Mr. and Mrs. Oral Lusk are the parents of a boy, born Saturday night. The infant, who is their second child, has been named John Ralph. Mrs. Lusk was before her marriage Zanna Filbert.

Dr. and Mrs. C. Russell and daughter, Miss Dora Russell, who are spending several weeks at the Russell cabin at the Artesia Sacramento Camp, were here for a day last week.

Miss Dorothy Gilmore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gilmore, who was a student at Eastern New Mexico Junior College at Portales the last year, is working this summer at the city hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Nunn and daughter, Joan, have returned from a visit with Mr. Nunn's mother, Mrs. Joe Nunn, Sr., and other relatives in Sweetwater, Tex.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Fleming of Pinon, who came Wednesday of last week to visit their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Fleming, returned home Saturday, accompanied by their grandson, Billy Fleming.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Stuart and son, Robert, left on a week's tour of the northern part of the state Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Mat Mitchell of Roswell, parents of Mrs. John Brown of this city, joined the party in Roswell.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Folkner and children and Mrs. Herman Dick Jones and children and Mrs. Leone French, mother of Mrs. Jones, spent last week at their cabins at the Artesia Sacramento Camp.

Arthur O'Bannon and son, Richard, of Missouri arrived Wednesday of last week for a visit with his brother, Lloyd O'Bannon, and family. They made the trip through the Carlsbad Caverns Friday.

Sam Hale, an old-time resident of southeast Artesia, is critically ill at his home this week. Mrs. W. E. Simmons and Mrs. W. R. King, daughters of Mr. Hale, and W. E. Simmons and W. R. King and children arrived yesterday.

Mrs. C. R. Baldwin and daughter, Bernice Marie, of Artesia and Mr. and Mrs. C. Baldwin and Miss Bess Baldwin of Lamesa, Tex., parents and sister of C. R. Baldwin, went trout fishing at Pecos, N. Mex., the latter part of last week.

Among those who spent Sunday at Ruidoso were Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Jones, Miss Katherine Bowers and Martin Yates, III. Another party consisted of Miss Myrtle Mathis, Miss Maxine Sharp, Miss Bessie Fletcher, Ulas Golden, J. D. Roberts and Vessie Mathews.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Taylor and son and daughter, Vance and Betty Jean, of Florence, Ariz., visited over the week end with Mrs. Taylor's uncle, George Frisch, and Mrs. Frisch. They also visited Mrs. Taylor's cousin, Mrs. Pete Loving, Mr. Loving and family. The visitors were en route to Nebraska.

Deanne Reynolds, 10 months old great-granddaughter of Mrs. W. T. Gissler, who, with her mother, Mrs. J. R. Reynolds of San Antonio, Tex., have been visiting here for the last two weeks, was returned from a Carlsbad hospital last evening after an illness of several days. Mrs. Ralph Gissler and Ralph, Jr., who also have been here from San Antonio, and Mrs. Reynolds and daughter expect to leave next week for their home. They will visit in Kansas City, Mo., on the return trip.

Miss Mary Lou McConnell, who has been attending Eastern New Mexico Junior College at Portales, has returned to Artesia from Kerrville, Tex., where she has been acting as a delegate from the Portales Presbyterian Church at the Presbyterian Young People's Conference. Miss McConnell will visit in the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Knoedler, and family this summer. She also plans to visit with relatives in Illinois in July.

W. F. Daugherty returned Sunday night from Amarillo, Tex., where he visited his daughters, Mrs. Ellen Walling and Mrs. Clara Biglow, and their families about three weeks. During his absence Mr. Daugherty also went to Abilene, Tex., to attend graduating exercises of two of his grandsons. He was accompanied to Artesia Sunday from Amarillo by Frank Jackson and a Mr. McCarthy, an attorney, who looked after oil business in the fields Monday morning, then returned to Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Thomas and son, Jimmy Don, and Mr. and Mrs. Edna Gray are vacationing at Bonita Dam for a period of ten days.

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**O'Bannon Boy Will Play Sunday at The World's Fair**

Everett Dean O'Bannon, 5-year-old prodigy-violinist son of Mr. and Mrs. Everett D. O'Bannon of Cottonwood, will play a solo at 5 o'clock Sunday afternoon before 10,000 other child musicians and thousands of spectators at the Golden Gate Exposition at San Francisco. The program will be broadcast.

The boy will be one of the many members of the Junior Musicians of America appearing at the exposition on "Junior Musicians' Day," which next Sunday has been named in honor of the boys and girls.

The program, on which Everett Dean will appear as a soloist, will include ensemble numbers on violins and guitars, without printed music scores and under the direction of Edwin Franco Goldman, world famous bandmaster.

Never before has there been as large a musical aggregation as will assemble at the exposition Sunday to play in unison. No mass rehearsals are planned, but every boy and girl who will attend has been trained for the event by a teacher or director in his own community.

Everett Dean and many other boys and girls in the Pecos Valley have been training under Ted R. Best, who, with Mrs. Best and Mr. and Mrs. O'Bannon and Everett Dean, left Wednesday for the exposition.

Best and his valley group of about fifty young musicians presented a program in the auditorium of Artesia Junior-Senior High School June 8. Some of the numbers to be played in the huge recital at San Francisco were included on the program here.

Among those known to have gone home here were Lawrence, Leo and Lorraine LaBodie, children of Mrs. Mary Miller, and "Sonny" Fuller and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Fuller.

**CHRISTIAN CHURCH HOLDS FELLOWSHIP SUPPER SOCIAL**

The monthly fellowship supper and social of the Christian Church was held at the church Tuesday evening.

Each lady brought a covered dish for the supper. The Young Women's Guild was in charge of the program for the evening. It consisted of: Dickie Shoemaker, a song and reading; Billie Jean Muncy, a song; Mrs. I. S. Reser, two readings; Will Purdy of Artesia and Roswell spoke to the group, and the Rev. J. Vernon Wheeler delivered a short address.

**NEW RECTOR INTRODUCED AT RECEPTION WEDNESDAY**

The Rev. Arthur Kelsey, who arrived last week from his home in Erie, Pa., to serve as assistant rector to the Rev. F. B. Howden, Jr., St. Paul's Mission was introduced to members of the mission and visiting guests, Wednesday evening at a lovely reception, sponsored by the Guild Auxiliary members at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Bigler.

About forty were in attendance. Out-of-town guests were the Rev. and Mrs. F. B. Howden, Jr., of Roswell and the Rev. and Mrs. B. J. Williams of Carlsbad.

**SUFFERS CONCUSSION IN FALL FROM HORSE**

W. E. Joy of near Elk is at Livingston Camp here in a critical condition after being thrown from a horse Wednesday and dragged about thirty yards. He is suffering from concussion of the brain. Although his condition is serious, a local physician who is caring for Joy said he would recover.

**Locals**

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Ross had as their guests this week Mrs. Lily Hammerstein and daughter, Mary, of St. Louis, Mo., and Mrs. Ross' sister, Mrs. Margaret E. Smith of Stillwater, Okla. The Hammersteins left this morning for the West Coast to spend the summer. Mrs. Smith's plans are indefinite.

Mrs. Van P. Welch and her small son and daughter, Van Phillip and Marjorie, spent several days last week in Midland, Tex., visiting her mother, Mrs. R. K. De Ford and Mr. De Ford and her brother, John Hill, Jr. Mrs. Welch expects to return soon for Van Phillip, who remained with his grandmother for a longer visit.

Oscar Samelson returned home Sunday night from a fishing trip of a week on the Little Blue River in Arizona close to Springerville. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Eitz, Donnie Grover and Paul Parker, who went there with Mr. Samelson, remained for more fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilson left Tuesday for Calhan, Colo., to visit Mr. Wilson's mother, Mrs. Martha Riddle, for a week.

The Rev. Henry S. Stout took Mrs. Stout and Delores Mayrhoben up to the Ray Bartlett cabin at the Artesia Sacramento Camp where they will vacation a week or two. The Rev. Mr. Stout returned home Wednesday.

Miss Linna McCaw, member of the school staff, and Jack McCaw, local hatcheryman, left Tuesday afternoon for Lubbock to visit their sister and aunt, Mrs. T. E. May, and Mr. May. While there McCaw will attend a poultry school to be held this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bradshaw had as their guests Tuesday and Wednesday of last week Miss Estelle Lair, a niece, Mrs. J. H. Ticer and Misses Mildred Hagermeier, Grace Burcham and Mable Burcham of Roosevelt, Okla. The visitors were on a six-week tour of several states. Their trip included the Golden Gate Exposition at San Francisco and Yellowstone National Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Wheatley and daughters, Misses Joan and Barbara, returned home Tuesday after a three-week trip to the West Coast. Mr. and Mrs. Wheatley and Barbara attended the graduation exercises of Miss Joan from Occidental College in Los Angeles. Richard Wheatley, a son, accompanied the family on a trip to the Golden Gate Exposition at San Francisco, Vancouver, B. C., Yellowstone National Park and other scenic points. Young Wheatley left the party at Boulder Dam to return to Los Angeles.

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**WHAT'S WHAT IN NEW MEXICO**

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

More than a mile and quarter of fence in the 241,000-acre "pasture" being enclosed by soil conservation workers south of Gallup had to be taken down and moved a quarter of a mile because of a mistake in surveying discovered after the fence was erected.

Fire fighters had under control Friday night a forest fire in the Ruidoso section that burned over more than 800 acres of the Lincoln National Forest lands, and threatened for a time cabins of the mountain resort area. The burned area was officially estimated at between 800 and 1,900 acres.

All New Mexico counties were urged by State Registration Director Violet Hoffman to follow the example of Quay and Torrance Counties in holding schools for precinct registration clerks. Permanent registration will go into effect July 3.

The number of tourists visiting national monuments in New Mexico and Arizona this year is less than half last year's figure, Frank Pinckley, superintendent of Southwestern national monuments, announced, blaming the newly-instituted 25-cent visitors' fee. Attendance at both White Sands and the Aztec ruins in New Mexico was "less than half what it was in May last year," Pinckley said. At Chaco Canyon, N. Mex., the custodian reported "hardly any visitors in May," and at El Morro, N. Mex., the Interior Department suspended fees May 23, after the monument collected only \$25.75 during the month. Pinckley said attendance at Casa Grande, Ariz., was also less than half that of last year.

Two New Mexicans were listed by the National Youth Administration, in testimony made public by the House appropriations committee, as among its highest paid officers. Included in a list of NYA employees who on May 25 were receiving \$2,400 or more annually, were the names of Tom L. Popejoy and Orren H. Lull, both of Albuquerque. The salary of Popejoy, as deputy administrator, was given as \$7,500; that of Lull, as regional representative and state director, \$6,000. Hubert Y. Atherton, Albuquerque, was listed as receiving \$2,700 as assistant state director.

Dr. E. B. Godfrey, state public health director, has announced that surveys by two field parties for the U. S. Public Health Service had shown an absence of bubonic plague threat among New Mexico rodents. In only one case of the disease in a wild rodent was found, he said.

The New Mexico Supreme Court has not endorsed a WPA project sought for coding New Mexico's laws, said Herbert B. Gerhart, clerk.

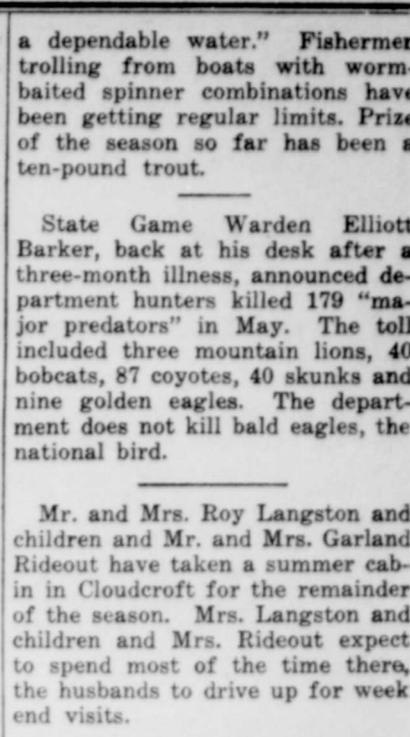
Plans for a 64,000-acre refuge for an estimated forty bighorn mountain sheep in the San Andres district are awaiting final approval in Washington, D. C. Ranchmen of the San Andres Mountain area met in Alamogordo last week with C. E. Dierkin, head of the Division of Grazing for New Mexico; John Gatlin of the Biological Survey, and J. Stokley Ligon, state game specialist.

Soil conservation workers employed on a fencing project south of Gallup a few days ago came to the rescue in checking a forest fire on the Smith Brothers land two miles north of Pinehaven. It took a four hour fight to stop the blaze, which started in brush left after cutting trees and proved hard to check.

Eagle Nest Lake, long one of the finest fishing waters in New Mexico, is "better than ever" this season, State Game Warden Elliott Barker said. "Anglers at Eagle Nest are obtaining nice catches of good sized fish both from boats and the bank," he said. "The lake is better this year than for a long time and it always has been a dependable water." Fishermen trolling from boats with worm-baited spinner combinations have been getting regular limits. Prize of the season so far has been a ten-pound trout.

State Game Warden Elliott Barker, back at his desk after a three-month illness, announced department hunters killed 179 "major predators" in May. The toll included three mountain lions, 40 bobcats, 87 coyotes, 40 skunks and nine golden eagles. The department does not kill bald eagles, the national bird.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Langston and children and Mr. and Mrs. Garland Rideout have taken a summer cabin in Cloudfcroft for the remainder of the season. Mrs. Langston and children and Mrs. Rideout expect to spend most of the time there, the husbands to drive up for week end visits.



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

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF MYRTA M. ZELLER, DECEASED. No. 915

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT OF ADMINISTRATOR

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN. That the undersigned has been appointed administrator of the estate of Myrta M. Zeller, deceased, and did qualify as such on the 21st day of June, 1939.

All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same as provided by law within six months from June 22nd, 1939, the date of the first publication of this notice, or said claims will be barred.

L. B. FEATHER, Administrator. 25-41-28

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR GENERAL LAND OFFICE at Las Cruces, New Mexico, June 15, 1939.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Marilza A. Brewton, widow of Robert E. Brewton, deceased, of Lake Arthur, N. Mex., who, on April 24, 1934, made homestead entry, No. 048557, for N 1/2, SE 1/4, SW 1/4, NE 1/4 SW 1/4, Sec. 11, NW 1/4 NW 1/4, Section 12, Township 15 S., Range 23 E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make 3 year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Joan Savage, United States Commissioner, at Roswell, N. Mex., on the 3rd day of August, 1939.

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF JOHN D. McCANN, DECEASED. No. 910

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned was, on the 24th day of May, A. D., 1939, appointed Administratrix of the Estate of John D. McCann, deceased, by Honorable B. F. Montgomery, Probate Judge of Eddy County, New Mexico.

ADA LUCILLE McCANN, Administratrix. 25-41-28

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF W. R. LAYBOURN, DECEASED. No. 914

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT OF ADMINISTRATOR

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN. That the undersigned has been appointed administrator of the estate of W. R. Laybourn, deceased, and did qualify as such on the 21st day of June, 1939.

All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same as provided by law within six months from June 22nd, 1939, the date of the first publication of this notice, or said claims will be barred.

L. B. FEATHER, Administrator. 25-41-28

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

IN THE ANCILLARY MATTER OF THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT AND ESTATE OF JOHN S. DRIVER, DECEASED. No. 913

NOTICE OF HEARING PROOF OF WILL IN ANCILLARY PROCEEDINGS PENDING IN THE ABOVE MENTIONED MATTER.

THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO

TO: Adele K. Driver of Santa Barbara, California; and Ruth Rock of Santa Barbara, California, and Edwina Hitchcock of Santa Barbara, California, and To All Unknown heirs of the said John S. Driver, deceased.

and to all unknown persons claiming any lien upon, or right of title, or interest in or to the estate of said deceased; and to all whom it may concern:

Notice is hereby given that an instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of John S. Driver, deceased, has been filed for Ancillary Probation in the Probate Court of Eddy County, New Mexico; and that by order of said Court the 27th day of July, 1939, at the hour of 2:00 o'clock P. M., at the court room of said Court in the City of Carlsbad, Eddy County, New Mexico, is the day, time and place set for hearing proof of said last will and testament.

Therefore, any and all of the above named parties concerned in the above entitled matter wishing to object to the Ancillary Probation of the said last will and testament are hereby notified to file their objections in the office of the County Clerk of Eddy County, New Mexico, on or before the 27th day of July, 1939, same being the date fixed by the Probate Judge for the hearing of said matter.

G. U. McCrary, of Artesia, New Mexico, is Attorney for said Estate.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Official Seal of the Probate Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, on this 12th day of June, 1939.

MRS. R. A. WILCOX, County Clerk and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Probate Court of Said County. (SEAL) 24-41-27

STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE Santa Fe, New Mexico, June 8, 1939.

Number of Application RA-1732

Notice is hereby given that on the 20th day of February, 1939, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, Lawrence B. Burrows of Lakewood, County of Eddy, State of New Mexico, made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a Permit to Change the Location of an Artesian Well, 6 inches in diameter and 900 feet in depth, from a point in the NW corner of Lot 1, Section 4, Township 20 South, Range 26 East, N. M. P. M., to a point approximately 100 feet south-easterly of the present well and within the subdivision already described herein, the purpose of said change being to enable said applicant to plug old well and drill a new well 10 inches in diameter and approximately 775 feet in depth, in order to obtain 700 gallons of water per minute for the purpose of irrigating 120 acres of land described as follows:

Subdivision: Lot 1, Section 4, Township 20 S., Range 26 E.; subdivision: lot 4, Section 3, Township 20 S., Range 26 E.; subdivision: SW 1/4 NW 1/4, Section 3, Township 20 S., Range 26 E.; 120 acres.

Said applicant claims that right to irrigate above described 120 acres of land was initiated in 1905, and that the water so used for such irrigation purposes as derived from well S-31, which well it is now desired to plug and replace by the new well described in this application.

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 18th day of July, 1939.

THOMAS M. McCLURE, State Engineer. 24-31-26

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

The Board of Education of the Artesia Municipal School District No. 16 will receive sealed bids up to 1:00 P. M. June 30, 1939 at the office of Superintendent of Schools, Artesia, New Mexico for redecorating Central School.

Specifications may be obtained at the office of Superintendent of Schools on and after June 9, 1939.

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

W. E. KERR, Secretary. 23-41-26

NOTICE OF PENDING SUIT

THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO: Bob Adams, impleaded with the following named defendants against whom substituted service is hereby sought to be obtained, to-wit: Bob Adams, A. L. Holley, also known as Charlie Holley and also known as C. L. Holley, R. L. Wood, also known as Lloyd Wood, F. C. Ingham, also known as Clyde Ingham, J. W. Browne, Sam Weiner, doing business as Westery Supply Company, William G. Crowley, Max Winkler, J. G. Dyer, Ed Heinze, C. S. Messenger, Clifford N. Hare, Margaret F. Faulkner, L. H. Alderson, C. W. Eaton, L. E. Snell, C. H. Scott, Jack Phillips, R. J. Stengel, C. J. Dexter, M. W. Evans, C. C. Cooper, O. M. Hodges, and all unknown claimants of interests adverse to plaintiff's estate in the lands described in the complaint. GREETING:

You and each of you are hereby notified that there is now pending in the District Court of the Fifth Judicial District of the State of New Mexico, within and for the County of Eddy, that certain civil action numbered 6940 in which Max Friess is plaintiff and you are the defendants and that the general object of said action is to quiet title in plaintiff against all claims of defendants and of each of them adverse to plaintiff's estate in those certain tracts of land located in said County and State which are more particularly described as all of Sections 9, 10, and 15, W 1/2 of Section 11, W 1/2 of Section 14, Township 21 South, Range 28 East, N. M. P. M., New Mexico, and all claims of defendants and each of them adverse to plaintiff's estate in and under a certain agreement in writing termed an operating agreement which was executed on January 14, 1932, by and between S. P. Page, a single man, and plaintiff whereby the said S. P. Page granted to plaintiff all of the exploration, development and operating rights in said tracts of land which had been granted to said S. P. Page by the terms of a certain oil and gas prospecting permit issued by the Secretary of the Interior, as more fully appears from a copy of said operating agreement filed with the Clerk of the Court.

If you or any of you fail to enter your appearance in said

cause on or before the 24th day of July, A. D., 1939, judgment by default will be rendered in said cause against you and each of you so failing to enter your appearance.

Atwood & Malone are the attorneys for plaintiff and their Post Office address is Roswell, New Mexico.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of said Court on this 6th day of June, A. D., 1939.

MRS. R. A. WILCOX, County Clerk and Ex-Officio Clerk of the District Court of Eddy County, New Mexico. (SEAL) 23-41-26

NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF CAUSE

THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO:—The unknown heirs of Lorenzo L. Feather, deceased; and all unknown persons claiming any lien, interest or title adverse to plaintiff in Lot 1 of Block 21 of the Original Town (now City) of Artesia, Eddy County, New Mexico. GREETING:

You, and each of you, are hereby notified that an action has been commenced, and is now pending, in the District Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, wherein Clementine Feather is plaintiff, and you, and each of you, are defendants, said cause being number 6938 on the Civil Docket of said Court.

That the general object of the action is to quiet title in the plaintiff, Clementine Feather, against all claims of defendants, and each of them, to the following described lot and parcel of real estate in Eddy County, New Mexico, to-wit: Lot 1 of Block 21 of the Original Town (now City) of Artesia, New Mexico; and to bar and forever estop you, and each of you, the said defendants, from having or claiming any lien upon or right or title to the said premises adverse to the plaintiff, and to forever quiet and set at rest the plaintiff's title to said estate. If you, or any of you, said defendants, fail to enter your appearance in said cause on or before the 19th day of July, A. D., 1939, judgment by default will be rendered in said cause against each of you so failing to enter your appearance; and the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the Complaint.

Plaintiff's attorneys are Askren & Watson, and their office and post office address is Artesia, New Mexico. WITNESS, my hand and the seal of said Court on this 31st day of May, A. D., 1939.

MRS. R. A. WILCOX, County Clerk and Ex-Officio Clerk of the District Court of Eddy County, New Mexico. (SEAL) 22-41-25

TRANSPORTATION BIDS

The Board of Education of the Artesia Municipal School District No. 16 will receive sealed bids up to 1:00 P. M. June 30, 1939 at the office of Superintendent of Schools, Artesia, New Mexico for the Artesia School Bus Route No. 1.

Specifications may be obtained at the office of Superintendent of Schools on and after June 1, 1939.

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

W. E. KERR, Secretary. 22-41-25

NOTICE OF PENDING SUIT

THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO: Edga Johnson. You are hereby notified that a suit is pending against you in the District Court of Eddy County, New

Mexico, wherein Jannie Johnson is the plaintiff and you are the defendant, No. 6933 on the docket of said Court. The purpose of this suit by plaintiff is to obtain a divorce from you and for the custody of your two children, Pandora and Billy Albert and their ages are whose ages are eight and six years, respectively.

You are further notified that J. B. Atkeson, whose post office address is Artesia, New Mexico, is attorney for the plaintiff. You are further notified that unless you enter your appearance and answer on or before the 24th day of July, 1939, judgment will be rendered against you by default and the plaintiff will be entitled to such judgment as she has claimed in her complaint herein.

Witness my hand and seal of this Court this the 25th day of May, 1939.

MRS. R. A. WILCOX, County Clerk. (SEAL) 22-41-25

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF A. J. COX, DECEASED. No. 841

NOTICE OF THE HEARING OF FINAL ACCOUNT AND REPORT.

Notice is hereby given that Mrs. Bertha Marable, administratrix of the Estate of W. C. Marable, deceased, has filed her Final Account and Report in the above entitled matter as such administratrix, with the County Clerk of Eddy County, New Mexico, and the Probate Judge of said County has fixed the 22nd day of July, 1939, at 2:00 o'clock P. M. in the office of said Probate Judge in Carlsbad, Eddy County, New Mexico, as the time and place for the hearing of objections, if any, to said Final Account and Report; and that said Probate Court will at said time and place proceed to examine and inquire into said Final Account and Report; and if found to be correct, will approve the same and discharge the administratrix, and will also proceed to determine the heirship of said decedent and the ownership of his estate and the persons entitled to the distribution thereof as provided by law; that anyone who has any objections to said Final Account and Report shall file the same with the County Clerk of Eddy County, New Mexico, on or before the date of final hearing.

G. U. McCrary, whose Post Office address is Artesia, New Mexico, is Attorney for said administratrix.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the official seal of the Probate Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, on this 25 day of May, 1939.

MRS. R. A. WILCOX, County Clerk. 22-41-25

G. U. McCrary, whose Post Office address is Artesia, New Mexico, is Attorney for said administratrix.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the official seal of the Probate Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, on this 25 day of May, 1939.

MRS. R. A. WILCOX, County Clerk. (SEAL) 22-41-25

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF W. C. MARABLE, DECEASED. No. 809

NOTICE OF HEARING OF FINAL ACCOUNT AND REPORT.

Notice is hereby given that Mrs. Bertha Marable, administratrix of the Estate of W. C. Marable, deceased, has filed her Final Account and Report in the above entitled matter as such administratrix, with the County Clerk of Eddy County, New Mexico, and the Probate Judge of said County has fixed the 22nd day of July, 1939, at 2:00 o'clock P. M. in the office of said Probate Judge in Carlsbad, Eddy County, New Mexico, as the time and place for the hearing of objections, if any, to said Final Account and Report; and that said Probate Court will at said time and place proceed to examine and inquire into said Final Account and Report; and if found to be correct, will approve the same and discharge the administratrix, and will also proceed to determine the heirship of said decedent and the ownership of his estate and the persons entitled to the distribution thereof as provided by law; that anyone who has any objections to said Final Account and Report shall file the same with the County Clerk of Eddy County, New Mexico, on or before the date of final hearing.

G. U. McCrary, whose Post Office address is Artesia, New Mexico, is Attorney for said administratrix.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the official seal of the Probate Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, on this 25 day of May, 1939.

MRS. R. A. WILCOX, County Clerk. 22-41-25

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Large advertisement for PLAX enamel, featuring images of a product can and a woman's face, with text describing its uses for home beauty.

Advertisement for First National Bank, featuring an image of a shoe and text about security and safety.

**WORLD NEWS**  
—In—  
**BRIEF FORM**

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

No seaplanes will drop anchor in the high plains region which is a great many miles from the nearest sea, but it took an order from Washington to prevent it. Local aviation enthusiasts at Amarillo had requested that seaplanes be allowed on Buffalo Lake, a new body of water in Randall County. H. H. Ginnell, director of the Soil Conservation Service, agency administering the plains lake program, wrote Washington. Washington didn't like the idea because of the danger of disturbing migratory waterfowl and danger to boats on the big lake.

H. R. Morris, Kingstree, S. C., farmer, started hunting for his cow after she had been missing for a week. He found her body beside a tree. "Bossy" had swished her tail so vigorously around the tree that it had become knotted. Chained to the tree by her tail, the animal died of starvation and thirst.

The house appropriations committee turned thumbs down on President Roosevelt's request for \$340,000 for an Antarctic expedition which Rear Admiral Richard E. Byrd said was necessary to protect the nation's rights. A bill by Rep. Woodrum to appropriate the fund was rejected by the committee informally, members said. Byrd testified ten days prior at a secret meeting of an appropriations subcommittee that he believed the United States should act quickly to protect its mineral rights in the Antarctic. He said, too, that the continent some day might prove to be of naval importance. The proposed expedition would have been under the direction of Dr. Ernest H. Gruening, director of the Interior Department territorial division.

The Wyoming Valley Historical Society at Wilkes-Barre, Pa., doesn't go in for contemporary history. Its request for a \$500 donation to keep the valley's history "for posterity" was addressed to County Controller Leonard Morgan. He died six years ago.

At St. Paul, when Otto Brunke asked first aid treatment for a frozen hand, a police doctor took a look at the calendar to see if the year was still where he thought it was. Yes, it was still June. Brunke explained. Disconnecting a refrigerating pipe, liquid ammonia squirted on his hand, evaporating immediately and freezing the skin.

More than a million feet of dry holes were drilled for oil in California in 1938.

Mrs. John Steinbrecker of Scottsbluff, Neb., who speaks German fluently, spied twelve barred rock chickens in another person's pen and gave them a "German dinner call." They came running, she told County Judge C. O. Lydia, while the other chickens minded their own business. John Florez, owner of the pen, told the judge he did not speak German, but did speak a little Spanish. The judge bound him over to District Court under \$300 bond on charges of chicken theft.

The veteran lawyer at Spartanburg, S. C., questioned his client charged with highway robbery and larceny. "Moses, you've always been a pretty good Negro, haven't you?" "Yassuh." "You've never been in court before?" "Jest once, boss." "What was that for?" asked his lawyer, surprised. "Murder."

The tune, "Taps," known to all, was composed by General Butterfield, U. S. Army, in July, 1862, while the Union Army was in camp at Harrison's Landing, Va. His reason for the new tune was that he did not consider the old "Extinguish Lights" suggestive of rest and sleep.

At Durham, N. C., when a bright-faced youngster dropped a nickel into a storm sewer, Traffic Sergeant W. W. Scott gave the child another nickel. The boy quickly bought a package of chewing gum and then with a pole and wad of gum retrieved his original coin.

A naval tactic, invented by an American naval officer in the Spanish-American War of '98 was the means of saving more Allied lives and shipping in the World War than any other naval or military discovery, the zigzag tactic, first used by Capt. Richard P. Leary, commanding the USS San Francisco. She zigzagged to safety when fired on by Morro Castle guns. This tactic also saved British cruisers and destroyers at Jutland, according to admissions made by their captains.

Social Security forms and systems—The Advocate.

**Weather Damaged Hay Will Produce Very Good Silage**

Extension Service Tells How to Salvage Crop if Uncured

Livestock farmers find that the feed value of weather damaged hay can be saved by making grass silage, says Clayborn Wayne of the New Mexico Extension Service. Grass silage is silage made from an uncured hay crop, whether the crop be a legume such as alfalfa, a grass such as Sudan, or a green cereal such as oats.

Farmers realize that the making of legumes and grasses into hay is the most practical method of preserving roughage for winter feeding. The average farmer also recognizes the fact that usually one cutting of hay is badly weathered each year. This weathered hay should be made into alfalfa-molasses silage. Making ensilage of damaged alfalfa not only saves the feed value and makes it palatable, but also is a means of disposing of the hay.

The construction of a trench silo requires very little, if any, cash outlay and one can be dug in a day or two during the slack season. It can then be filled with weather-damaged hay which makes valuable silage.

Many farmers probably have heard of making grass silage by the use of molasses or phosphoric acid. The molasses is added at the rate of 60 to 80 pounds per ton of hay. More molasses may be used if desired, making the silage more palatable and of higher feeding value.

The making of silage by the use of phosphoric acid has been tried in several states. When properly made, silage preserved in this manner is as valuable as any other ensilage. However, the effect of feeding a high level of phosphoric feed over a long period may produce questionable results.

For further information consult the county agent or write the Extension Service, State College, New Mexico.

**Low Down From Hickory Ridge**

Being a banker and sitting up there alongside a bulging vault, brother, that looks like something. But I just been reading where some bankers, they had a convention, and you know, those old spavins, they got troubles too — too much money.

But the cash, it belongs to the depositors. And on account of the way business is now, with nobody borrowing—except Uncle Samuel—the bankers, they got their hands full.

And people have been pointing at the Old Boys and blamin' them for so much, that they talked about that too, at the convention. They been letting everybody call 'em a horse-thief, but never chirp. They kinda figure if they keep the money safe for a person, so it will be there and he can get it when he wants it, that they are doing O. K. Yours, with the low down, JO SERRA

**AREA SCS OFFICE WILL EMPLOY TWENTY**

The Soil Conservation Service office, which is being transferred to Roswell from Albuquerque on July 1, will occupy eight rooms, above the Roswell Auto Company garage. The office is in charge of work in the middle Pecos area, including the Artesia territory. There will be about twenty employees in the area offices, with Lorin F. Jones as local director.

Miss LaJuana Frazier, Miss Floy Townsend, Armond Loving and Hubert Mathis went to Bonita Dam Sunday.



**Put the Milk Pitcher Back on the Table**

By RUTH J. COOPER, Consulting Home Economist  
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Put the milk pitcher back on the table! It is now an authentic antique and worthy of a place of honor; it is the aristocrat of the table. Whether placed there by style or taste decree, it is mighty good nutritional advice. Drinking milk with meals is good sound, nutritional practice.

Milk is a food and should be treated as one. Drink it slowly and enjoy every mouthful. With the milk pitcher on the table, easily reached by all, the whole family can drink their fill.

Milk is as nearly perfect food as there is. It is one of the best all-round body builders. It is palatable, nutritious and economical. It combines the essentials of nutrition in the most readily available form. One quart of milk furnishes more than half of the nutritional needs of the day. It furnishes about one-third of the protein requirement, nearly all of the phosphorus and calcium, one-eighth of the iron, adequate amounts of most of the vitamins, and about one-fifth of the entire energy requirement for the day.

Milk supplements other foods. The proteins of cereals are poor in growth factors but supplemented with milk, they produce maximum results. A bowl of cereal with fresh fruit, whole milk and a little sugar constitutes a "hurry-up" meal that is nutritious and quite palatable. It is readily and easily digested and will therefore not "stick-to-the-ribs" very long. To stave off hunger until the next meal, we need more fat such as a slice or two of bread and butter.

Milk has no affinities. It goes with any food or any kind of a meal. Often we hear the remark that fish and milk or ice cream must not be eaten at the same meal. This is a fallacy. Any of the natural foods may be used together. It is the man-made mixtures that offend.

Some of our most delicate fish dishes are made with milk. While there are a few people who are allergic to fish and have to avoid all of the sea foods, the majority can eat them safely. The question is not one of combinations, but of the condition of the food. If the fish is not fresh, it will cause sickness if eaten in any way.

An often heard excuse for not drinking milk is that it is constipating. This is another fallacy. Milk in itself is not constipating. It is readily and easily digested and because of this, leaves no residue. The balanced diet furnishes bulk in the form of fresh fruits, vegetables and cereals for well-being. Milk is a vital part of this balanced meal.

Not long ago a food quack went around this part of the country preaching that milk and citrus juices must not be taken at the same meal because the fruit juices curdled the milk. This is another ridiculous fallacy. The curdling of milk in the stomach is the first step in the digestion. Fruit juices aid in the digestion by helping to form a softer curd. The same reasoning applies to buttermilk.

**Hope Items**  
(Marjorie Johnson)

Charley Fink made a business trip to Mayhill Monday.

Harve Miller suffered from a stroke of paralysis Monday at the home of his son, Ben Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. White of Lubbock, Tex., arrived here Saturday, when he served as acting justice of the peace.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Dunne of Buckeye spent Sunday night here with her mother, Mrs. Nora L. Johnson.

Mrs. Marie Lewis has taken charge of the Coate Brothers' Cafe, recently operated by Mr. and Mrs. Brooks.

Bobbie Wood, who has been near Albuquerque visiting her father, George Wood, the last month, returned to Hope to be here with her aunt, Mrs. Bonnie Altman.

Mrs. J. P. Parks plans to drive to Las Cruces Saturday to meet her daughter, Betsy, of Holbrook, Ariz., who will spend six weeks here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Parks.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Smith were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Rood at the Rood home Sunday. A dinner was given in honor of Father's Day and it was also Mrs. Rood's birthday.

Howard Wingfield and children and Miss Myrtle Cox, who are here from Arizona visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Cox, drove Sunday to Roswell, where they visited their brother, Hilton Cox, and Mrs. Cox.

Jiggs Parrish, who has been ill at his home here the last month, was taken to Carlsbad Monday to St. Francis Hospital, where a tonsillectomy was performed on him. He has been suffering from an abscessed tonsil.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Meherms and children, Patsy and Harold, Jr., of Portales arrived here Sunday to visit Mrs. Meherms' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Swift. They returned to their home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rannel Jones, who were here from their home in Phoenix, Ariz., visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Jones, have returned from Odonals, Tex., where they visited relatives of Mr. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brewer and family.

The new location of the post-office will be made temporarily in the back of the Buckner store. The building formerly occupied by the postoffice is being torn down by the owner, Dee Swift, who plans to make a residence of the lumber. A permanent building will be built later for the post-office.

Friends of Mrs. Ernest Landreth, formerly Miss Lydie Mellard, of Hope, have learned of the death of Mr. Landreth in a Corpus Christi hospital last Thursday of a heart attack. Burial services were held at Joplin, Mo., Saturday. Mrs. Landreth was a daughter of the late R. T. Mellard, of Hope. About two years ago she married Mr. Landreth and moved to Corpus Christi.

Typewriters for Rent—The Advocate.

**L. P. EVANS STORE**

Plumbing and Sheet Metal Work  
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**NEWSPAPER CALLED BEST LOAN AD MEDIUM**

The Federal Home Loan Bank review said Saturday that the newspaper was the favorite and most effective advertising medium of savings, building and loan associations of all types during 1938.

Office Equipment—The Advocate.

**Gas Gas All Time**

Mrs. Jas. Flier says: "Gas on my stomach was so bad I couldn't eat or sleep. Gas even pressed on my heart. Adlerika brought me quick relief. Now I eat as I wish, sleep fine, never felt better."

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They say Chevrolet is "the best performer ever built" because it out-accelerates, out-climbs, out-performs all other economy cars—bar none! Because it represents the highest standard of smooth, safe, steady riding and day-in-and-day-out dependability. Because it gives all these results at lower cost.

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### FOR SALE

**FOR SALE** — 3 Llewellyn setter pups, 2 months old. Call Jim for information at L. P. Evans Shop, 24-2tp-25

**FOR SALE**—Large trailer house, 8x18 feet, furnished, reasonable. Must sell. Write or come to Mrs. Ethel Bledsaw, 114 North Main Street, Carlsbad, N. Mex. 24-2tp-25

### FOR RENT

**FOR RENT**—Partly furnished six-room house for rent. 115 Richardson Ave. Mrs. Threlkeld. 25-1tp

**FOR RENT**—Bedroom for gentlemen. Inquire at Advocate office. 25-1tc

### WANTED

**HELP WANTED**—Married lady to handle our collections, collecting small monthly payment magazine accounts in Artesia. Part time work—small real estate bond required—no cash. 18 per cent commission. Write 747 Harrison St., Denver, Colo. 23-3tc-25

### MISCELLANEOUS

**OASIS SWIMMING POOL**—Two and half miles east on Main Street. Re-opened under new management. Bring the family and enjoy the clean circulating water and shade. Church and other parties welcome. No rough stuff allowed. 24-2tp-25

**Buying cheap insurance to save money** is like stopping the clock to save time—do not stop the clock. E. A. Hannah. Insurance. 24-1tc

**LAWNMOWERS SHARPENED**—With ideal sharpening machine, the only perfect way. Precision ground. Shorty's Gun & Fixit Shop, back of Artesia Laundry. 16-1f

### Oil Activity

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Rhodes Drilling Co., Swearingen 2, NE sec. 14-18-31. Drilling at 2,450 feet.  
W. K. Royalties, Turner 3, NW sec. 16-17-31. Drilling at 3,710 feet.  
George Quillin and Carper Drilling Co., Quillin 1, NE sec. 12-19-31. Total depth 2,835 feet; hole full of water; shut down for orders.  
Underwood & Sanders, Miller 1, NE sec. 5-18-29. Drilling at 2,420 feet.  
Martin Yates, Saunders 1, NE section 12-18-29, in new sand area. Total depth 3,200 feet; cleaning out after shooting.  
Me-Tex Supply, Stroup and Yates, Yates 1, SW SW section 5-18-29. Drilling at 2,120 feet.  
Me-Tex Supply, Stroup and Yates, Ballard 1-B, NW NW section 8-18-29. Drilling at 1,210 feet.  
Underwood & Sanders, Langford 1, SW section 9-18-29. Drilling at 2,533 feet; oil shows 2,140-45 feet and 2,500-10 feet; gas show 2,492-95 feet; 1,500 feet of oil in hole.  
Continental, Brainard 1, NW section 11-18-29. Drilling at 2,220 feet.  
Underwood & Sanders, Guy 1, NW NW section 10-18-29. Drilling at 1,450 feet.  
Continental and Yates, Travis 1, SE SE section 3-18-29. Drilling at 50 feet.  
R. W. Fair, State 2, NW NW section 36-17-29. Location.  
Allen, Fair & Pope, Snowden-McSweeney 3, SW NW section 36-17-29. Rigging up spudder.  
Carper Drilling Co., Simon 2, SE NE section 29-17-32. Location.  
English & Harmon, Daugherty 3, SE sec. 11-17-27. Total depth 525 feet; preparing to acidize.  
Fred Turner, Cave-Nickson 1, NE NE sec. 30-18-26. Drilling at 250 feet.  
Republic Production Co., Robinson 3-B, SE SE sec. 35-17-29. Location.  
Premier, Beeson 2-F, SW SW sec. 31-17-30. Location.  
Miss Dorothy Berry and her house guests, Miss Nancy Graham of Jameson, Mo., and Miss Marjorie Suddarth of Kansas City, Mo., were guests at the Lodge in Cloudcroft several days last week.

### Artesia People

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Chester, Lucille Rowland, Ester Johnson, Juanita Chester, Catherine Louise Williams, Edna Carder, Gertrude Vaught and Mattie Frances Vaught.

In the High School softball team's bus were the following boys: Howard Santa, Bob Ferguson, J. H. Ansley, Elvin Webb, Curtis Bolton, Richard Gill, Jack Harrison, R. D. Wright, Raymond Kennedy, Billy Gray and Carl Long.

Among the many others who went: Mr. and Mrs. Howard Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Will Purdy, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ferguson and two daughters; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. D. I. Clowe, Mr. and Mrs. Arba Green, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Martin and Charleen; Mr. and Mrs. Ben Pior, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Mahone, Mrs. Jimmy Haskins, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse I. Funk, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Haldeman, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bradshaw, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Francis, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Dunn and Ann Marie; Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Attebery and Margaret; Joe Nunn, A. B. McGuire, Don Myers, Leland Price, Clarence Pearson, Claberon Buckner, Lloyd Evans F. M. Privett, Mrs. Ethel Vaught, Mrs. Jim Cobble, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Batie, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Clayton, Jr., Mrs. Nora B. Clayton, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Bullock, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Fulton, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Folkner, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Carr, H. J. McKitteneck, Mrs. Bob Fulton and Mrs. C. R. Blocker. Joining the party that evening were Miss Jessye Lee Cunningham and Miss Lucille McCorley of Rushville, Ky.

The crowd was swelled at Cloudcroft Thursday evening by Mrs. Lloyd Simon and son, Bobby; Mrs. Clyde Guy, Mrs. Herman Dick and Mrs. Carl Folkner.

The good willers were joined at Elk Friday by Mr. and Mrs. Ward Cave and Misses Ethel and Edna, Mrs. John Brown and D. S. Martin.

### Sanction Given

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Continental Airlines. Application of the air carrier to include the feeder route from El Paso to Albuquerque with stops in the Pecos Valley was made last fall, since when approval had been pending.

As has been pointed out by the Chamber of Commerce committees here, the oil fields attract many men on business who fly whenever possible, because of the saving in traveling time. And a great amount of airmail is dispatched from Artesia, with the probability that more would be sent from this postoffice were the airmail route to include Artesia.

The need for a port, not only for airmail purposes, but for private craft as well, has been stressed by members of the Chamber of Commerce.

### Pays Up, Submits Name, Helps Church In Single Letter

Stronghurst, Ill., June 12, 1939.

To The Advocate: Please set my subscription up a notch.

The name for the new hospital should be: "Artesia City Hospital." It is to be a city hospital and the public should know it as such. The name, Artesia, should be a part of the name to inform people that it is located in Artesia and not in Chicago or London.

You will find herewith, in addition to subscription check, a check for \$1 for the new Mexican Methodist Church. Please hand to the Rev. Constantino Gonzales.

If you decide to give a prize for the best name and my name should win, you may give that to the new church, too.

R. W. Rankin

### Jim Elliott Joins Police Force as A Night Officer

A second night police office was added to the Artesia force last Thursday. Jim Elliott, who has considerable experience in police work, began his duties that night. Elliott is a former deputy sheriff of Chaves County and state policeman and is versed in fingerprint work.

Prior to accepting the job as a police officer, he was a tool dresser for the Carper Drilling Company here.

J. C. Floore, chief of police, now has a force of three, including himself, another indication that the city is growing. The other night officer is R. M. McDonald, who has been on the force about a year.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gant and P. D. Wilson of Carlsbad are expected to return this week from a visit with relatives on the East Coast and also the New York World's Fair. Mrs. Gant, who before her marriage was Miss Opal Martin, and Mr. Wilson are both former residents of this city.

### Filed for Record

**WARRANTY DEEDS**—John F. Hart, et ux to L. L. Felix, 5 acres in N $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$  sec. 13-22-26, \$10 &c.

Arthur C. Dimock, et ux to W. M. Coates, NE $\frac{1}{4}$  sec. 1-18-23; NW $\frac{1}{4}$  sec. 6-18-24, \$320.

Florence W. Hainer to W. H. Willey, lots 1 and 3, blk. 2, Blair Add. to Artesia, \$1,200.

W. K. McGonagill, et ux to J. H. Pierce, center 55x140 feet lots 1 and 3, blk. 1, Gibson's Add. to Carlsbad, \$10 &c.

M. S. Brown, Jr., et ux to Claude Carpenter, part SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$  sec. 31-21-27, \$1,740.

W. S. Medcalfe, to Edwin C. Hawkins, lots 1, 3, 5 and 7, blk. 4, Gage & Runyan Add. to Hope, \$600.

Lucile Clement to J. C. Follis, et ux, E $\frac{1}{2}$  lot 2, blk. 5, orig. town, Hope, \$1,800.

S. Boone Barnett, et ux to Elie Ireton, tract of land in sec. 16-17-26.

H. D. Burch, et ux to J. B. Smith, S $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ , NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$  (less 5 acres) N $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$  sec. 23-18-26 and int. pump plant, etc., \$10 &c.

Valley Land Co. to United States Potash Co., 1,505 acres water rights, etc., \$10 &c.

**QUIT CLAIM DEEDS**—F. L. Butler, et ux to John F. Hart, part of N $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$  sec. 18-22-26, \$1 &c.

Ralph A. Shugart, et ux to C. W. Morgan, lots 10 and 12, blk. 19, Clayton & Stegman Add. to Artesia, \$10 &c.

C. Y. Rascoe, et al to A. M. Brininstool, et ux, lot 8, blk. 5, Gibson's Add. to Carlsbad, \$10 &c.

E. Barker to Preston Davis, lot 8, blk. 5, Gibson's Add. to Carlsbad, \$10 &c.

Pool Oil & Gas Co., to John N. Neveger, SW sec. 31-22-27, \$1 &c.

Valley Land Co. to United States Potash Co., 695 acres land, etc., \$10 &c.

**TAX DEEDS**—State Tax Commission to W. M. Coates, NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$  sec. 25-17-24; NE $\frac{1}{4}$ , E $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ , E $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$  sec. 35-17-23; SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$  sec. 10; NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ , E $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$  sec. 15-18-23, \$490.

H. F. Christian, Treas., to Alonzo Feemster, blks. 28 and 29, Fairview Add. to Artesia, \$49.23.

State Tax Commission to J. W. Lewis, lots 2 and 4, Roberts Add. to Artesia, \$39.29.

**DEEDS**—Dept. of Financial Institutions of the State of Indiana to A. M. Feemster, blks. 28 and 29, Fairview Add. to Artesia, \$1 &c.

**REAL ESTATE CONTRACTS**—Occidental Life Ins. Co. to J. W. Bradshaw, et ux, lots 3 and 4, S $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ , SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$  sec. 2-18-26, \$15,000; \$1,500 cash, \$1,000 yearly.

**DISTRICT COURT**—No. 6943. Dorothy, Hanney, administratrix vs. Ben Jones. Suit on note, \$150.

No. 6944. Maggie Myers vs. Henry Myers. Divorce.

**CERT. OF INCORPORATION**—State of New Mexico to Montgomery Furniture Co., Incorporated; R. C. Montgomery, Ora Montgomery, Torello Howard Calvani; capital \$10,000, paid in \$6,000.

**Welfare, Crippled Children's Group To Meet Friday**

The June meeting of the welfare and crippled children's committee of Eddy County will be held at the county welfare office on North Canyon Street in Carlsbad at 7:30 o'clock Friday evening, according to an announcement made by Carl Folkner, chairman of the committee.

Every civic organization is asked to send representation and invitation is extended to the public.

The committee, which was recently organized in the county at a meeting in Artesia, expects to cooperate with the county and state welfare workers and to act as a kind of clearing house for all organizations doing welfare work.

**MORE BUILDINGS ARE GOING UP**

In addition to the list of new improvements here this summer, given in last week's issue, several others are under construction.

Among them are: Boone Barnett, residence on Eighth and West Main; G. C. Kinder, garage at his home on West Main, and Jack McCaw, new fireproof hatchery at his home west of Artesia.

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### Carrizozo Golf Players Defeat Artesia Sunday

Carrizozo golfers took revenge Sunday for the beating on their home course a few weeks ago at the hands of members of the Artesia Golf Club, playing a return match here and taking the long end of a 20-to-14 score.

The visiting divot diggers were entertained after the match play at a barbecue on the club grounds, which was attended by about 150 persons.

Although they were jovial over their victory, nevertheless the Carrizozo golfers sincerely said they were more royally and cordially treated in Artesia than anywhere else they have played—and those boys up there have been getting around somewhat.

The Carrizozo players were assisted in their victory by two young men from England, whom they brought along. The Englishmen, who have wooden shaft clubs, found difficulty after playing in the arid country for some time, having to dip the clubs in a water barrel before playing.

Ralph Perry, 1938 Southwest champion, who was defeated in the previous match at Carrizozo by Henry Bailey, pro of the Artesia club, again went down before the Artesian Sunday, losing on the last two holes.

The Carrizozo and Artesia players are planning to meet for a play-off match either at Cloudcroft or Ruidoso in the near future.

The Artesia boys also are looking forward to a trip to Hobbs in July for a match, as well as to a four-city tournament here sometime this summer to select a team champion for Southeast New Mexico from Roswell, Carlsbad, Hobbs and Artesia. Plans now are for the four-city tournament to be an annual event.

The "ladderboard" tournament in progress on the local course is attracting considerable attention among some of the members, but club officers believe there should be more interest shown among all of the members.

Under the method used, if a member challenges a member next above him on the ladder, and the latter does not accept, the former changes places with him. Likewise, he changes places if a round of golf is played and the lower member wins from the higher. The tournament continues a full year.

**Are Rigging Up The First Drilling Outfit at Hope**

Interest in prospects of a new oil field in the Hope vicinity was renewed yesterday with the moving in of the first rig, to be used in drilling the Coates No. 1 well of Edward S. McAuliffe in SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$  of section 3-18-23, about 3 $\frac{1}{2}$  miles southeast of Hope.

Workmen were to start rigging up this morning and McAuliffe said the well would be spudded in immediately.

After eleven months, during which McAuliffe has acquired a block of more than 5,000 acres of leases, indications are that work will go ahead without further delays.

Interest in the locality became general in March, when McAuliffe announced the whole Hope territory had been geologized, not only by geologists working in his interests, but by representatives of some of the major companies, and that tests proved the oil is there in paying quantities.

Test holes sunk near Hope in the past, McAuliffe said, were on the wrong side of the fault.

The new test is on the Walter Coates ranch, and Coates plans to have a barbecue on the place when the well is spudded in, within the next few days.

Mrs. Jesse L. Truett and son Johnny, who visited her father in Richmond, Ky., for the last three weeks, returned home Wednesday.

F. Davenport, with whom they made the trip and who visited with relatives in Tennessee, returned and is back on the postal route.

The returning party was held up for 16 hours at Colorado, Tex., with an estimated 2,000 tourists, who were held up on account of flood waters.

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### Constitution and By-Laws Adopted By Artesia Lions

A constitution and by-laws were adopted by the new Artesia Lions Club at the regular weekly luncheon Wednesday noon.

They were patterned after the form drafted by the international organization, with a few changes to meet the local conditions.

No program was presented, the Lions taking up the luncheon hour with discussion of the constitution and forming a plan of defense against the strong Rotary softball team, which they are to meet this evening.

In the absence of Fred Cole, president, Don Myers, vice president, presided.

**BALLARD AND NEELEY BACK FROM HOSPITAL**

Two familiar figures, both of whom have been in hospitals for some time, returned this week, Judge W. H. Ballard and Loren Neeley, each looking well and saying he feels that way.

Judge Ballard, who underwent an operation at Providence Hospital, El Paso, for the removal of a cataract from his left eye about four weeks ago, arrived home Monday night. He said the operation was quite successful and that he will be able to see well again.

Neeley returned Wednesday afternoon from the Veterans' Hospital at Albuquerque, where he was taken five weeks ago after illness here, from which he was not recovering as rapidly as he should.

**Sell About 700,000 Pounds Wool Last Week in Roswell**

About 700,000 pounds of wool of the 1939 clip were sold last week at the Bond-Baker Company warehouse in Roswell, including clips from flocks in the Artesia area. Prices ranged from 17% to 24% cents a pound.

Topping the sale was a small clip of mixed wool from the Jud McKnight ranch.

Clips belonging to Edgar Watts and Tom Runyan from the territory west of Artesia brought 20% cents and R. N. and M. O. Teel sold wool at 19% cents a pound.

The greater part of the wool put on the market was from the Hondo region, and some of the largest clips, including that from the John P. Cauhope & Brothers ranch near Hope, were not offered.

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