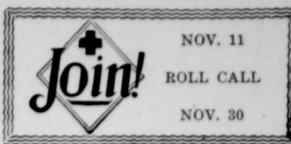




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Jal and Silver City Grid Teams Chosen to Meet Here in Gateway Game Friday, Dec. 8

Will Represent Southeast New Mexico and Out-state in Bowl Classic, to Be Made Intersectional Annual Clash.

DATE IS MOVED UP

Set Ahead from Dec. 9—Governor Miles to Boot Pigskin.

H. W. Jones, president of New Mexico State Teachers' College, Silver City, and J. L. Burke, Jr., superintendent of schools at Jal, in telephone conversations Tuesday with W. E. Kerr, superintendent of Artesia schools, accepted respectively for Silver City and Jal the bids of Artesia to play in the Gateway Bowl game here Friday, Dec. 8.

The Jal and Silver City High School football teams have been invited definitely to play the Gateway Bowl intersectional post-season game at Morris Field, chosen by members of the New Mexico Sports Writers' Association as outstanding teams in Eastern and Western New Mexico.

The game, originally planned for Saturday, Dec. 9, was set up a day, to Friday, Dec. 8, by the executive board of the Bulldogs Boosters, the sponsoring organization, at a meeting Monday evening. Friday, the Boosters had been advised, would be a better day from the standpoint of local merchants, as well as business people from other cities who will wish to attend. The game is to start at 2 o'clock.

Gov. John E. Miles is being invited to attend and make the kickoff. No reply had been received from him up to this morning.

Selection of Jal to represent this section of the state in the Gateway Bowl game, which the Boosters hope to make annual sports event in New Mexico, was uncontested. Originally Carlsbad and Roswell had been considered along with Jal.

Carlsbad's grid record for the season was not as good as that of Jal and was automatically eliminated, although the Cavemen and their school officials, as well as Carlsbad supporters, indicated they would be glad to play in the post-season game if they were invited.

The Roswell team was eliminated before it was invited by the definite stand of school officials that no game at Artesia would be considered "and you can underscore that if you wish."

From outstate Silver City and Raton were the strong contenders for the game, with Las Cruces originally considered. The season record of Las Cruces did not stand up and Raton was eliminated by indications from the school a post-season game would not be considered, at least without a guarantee of 1,500. Belen, which might have been considered, eliminated herself.

Silver City grid fans, school officials and team have been enthusiastic over the possibility of meeting another team here for the Gateway Bowl game and The Silver City Enterprise last week gave the idea a first page, top head story, in which Coach Dean French was quoted as saying, "Sure we'll meet them if invited."

The Silver City team has lost but one game, that to Las Cruces 12 to 18, which The Silver City Enterprise says was in a last-minute desperate passing attack.

Other records, all in favor of the Silver City team: Hurley 12 to 0, Alamogordo 20 to 0, Lordsburg 25 to 7, Hurley 26 to 0, Deming 50 to 6, Hot Springs 13 to 6.

Silver City completed her schedule last week end, when she won over Hot Springs, but the boys, it is understood, did not "hang up their uniforms," remaining in training in hopes the Gateway Bowl bid would come from Artesia.

Jal has a Thanksgiving Day game scheduled against Hot Springs, but deposters have it Jal will win. However, should the game go against the dope, selection has been made of the team on the strength of its record up to last week, for that had to be made the deadline with the post-season game coming up next week.

The Boosters Monday evening (continued on last page, column 6)

DATE FOR BOWL GAME CLASHES WITH PLAY

Only one repercussion from the Gateway Bowl game has come—an unfortunate and unintentional clash of dates.

The Bulldog Boosters, when they changed the date for the game from Dec. 9 to Friday, Dec. 8, "sat down" on the day picked for the annual Artesia High School junior play and, before it was discovered, had told the state of New Mexico about the game date change and the contending teams.

W. E. Kerr, superintendent of schools, said the juniors were somewhat distressed over the mistake—and so were the Boosters—and all there was to do was to re-set the play for Thursday, Dec. 21, which date the juniors claim by priority rights over anything else in town.

Burial of James G. Moutray of Seven Rivers at Artesia

Prominent Farmer Dies in a Carlsbad Hospital on Sunday

James G. Moutray, 71, prominent farmer of Seven Rivers, died in a hospital in Carlsbad Sunday afternoon of heart disease. He had been ill about six weeks and had been staying at the home in Carlsbad of a daughter, Mrs. B. C. Graham, until four days before his death, when he was moved to the hospital.

Funeral services were to be from the West Chapel in Carlsbad at 1 o'clock Wednesday afternoon by the Rev. H. V. Reeves, pastor of the First Christian Church there. Burial was to be in Woodbine Cemetery at Artesia.

There survive Mr. Moutray his widow, Mrs. Maud Moutray, two sons, Jim B. and Hugh Moutray, all of the farm address; two daughters, Mrs. B. C. Graham, Carlsbad, and Mrs. D. L. Park, Denver, Colo.; a brother, E. W. Moutray, Abilene, Tex.; two sisters, Mrs. Miller White, Willis, Kan., and Mrs. Oscar Milby, Sierra Blanca, Tex.; a sister-in-law, Mrs. W. G. Porter, who lives at the Moutray farm; a brother-in-law, Cleo Cummings of Oakdale, La., and six grandchildren.

Mr. Moutray was born March 15, 1868, in Missouri. He and his family had been in New Mexico about nine years. They came to Eddy County from El Paso. He and his sons operated a 1,200-acre cotton and alfalfa farm.

Nazarene Church Plans Revival to Start December 5

The Church of the Nazarene will begin a revival Tuesday, Dec. 5, with the Revs. Whitcomb and Maridel Harding, both young evangelists of Oklahoma City, as special workers. The meetings will continue through Dec. 17.

Mr. and Mrs. Harding are both preachers, singers and musicians. The parents of both are nationally known evangelists.

The father of the Rev. Whitcomb Harding, the Rev. U. E. Harding, is known on the Pacific Coast as the "blind preacher" and recently the press from coast to coast told of his experience in receiving as a gift from a Christian lady the corn of one of her eyes. Since the delicate operation the Rev. Mr. Harding's father has been able to see.

There will be lots of singing and special music at each service here and something different is promised for each. Services begin at 7:30 o'clock each evening and the public is urged to attend and hear these fine young workers by the Rev. Lee P. Phillips, pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Baldwin, Bernie Marie and Charles are having as their guests to share the Thanksgiving turkey Mr. Baldwin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Baldwin of Lamesa, Tex.

Music, Speech Teachers Are to Organize Sunday

Miss Sarah Gertrude Knott, national supervisor of folk festivals, who is in New Mexico supervising a series of New Mexico festivals for the Coronado Cuarto Centennial next year, is expected to be here from Albuquerque Sunday afternoon to assist in the organization of the New Mexico State Music and Speech Association, which probably will attract teachers of music and speech and public school teachers of dramatics and music from all over the state.

The teachers will meet at the Artesia Hotel at 2 o'clock in the afternoon for organization and election of officers.

At that time plans will be made for a statewide meet next spring, at which teachers will enter their pupils in contests of declamation, oration, debate, music, music theory and choral work.

Artesia will make a strong bid at the meeting Sunday for the meet next spring, Mrs. C. E. Robinson said Wednesday morning, and local organizations have been asked to bring an invitation before the assembled teachers.

The organization to be perfected Sunday is a revival of the former New Mexico Music Association, with speech teachers coming in to form a common group.

WILL PRACTICE IN ARTESIA

Dr. Miles Frost, chiropractor and naturopath of Miles Bros. Clinic at Hot Springs, came last week to practice here in the office of Dr. William R. McDams.

State Meeting of Legion Auxiliary Friday, Saturday

Vice President to Speak at the Midyear Conference in Artesia

The annual midyear department conference of the American Legion Auxiliary will be held in Artesia Friday and Saturday, with representatives from each of the forty-four units in the state expected to attend.

Mrs. Alfred J. Mathebat of Alameda, Calif., vice president of the Western division, is expected to attend the two-day conference as guest speaker.

An outstanding guest speaker also is expected for the national defense banquet at 7 o'clock Friday evening at the Artesia Hotel Roof Garden. Veterans of all wars and their wives are invited to attend the banquet. The invitation is also extended to anyone interested.

An executive board meeting will be held at the Legion hut at 10 o'clock Friday morning. The conference will open at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, with Mrs. Ben Pior of Artesia, department president, presiding. All unit members are urged to attend. The registration fee is very nominal.

Mrs. Pior, who returned last week from Indianapolis, Ind., where she attended the national midyear conference held there, answered to the roll call with 93 per cent of the membership quota for New Mexico. Mrs. Pior expects the state to reach 100 per cent of the quota by the first of the year and, if accomplished, this will be the first time the quota is reached on this date in the history of the organization.

ARTESIA RANCHER IS RE-ELECTED TO BOARD

S. L. Williams, Artesia rancher, was re-elected and Frank Beeman, Malaga, was elected a director to represent district 3 of the New Mexico Farm & Livestock Bureau, at the closing of the annual convention in Albuquerque last week.

Other directors named: District 1, G. D. Wiggins, Optima, and Tom Owens, Clayton; district 5, C. H. Christ, Albuquerque, and Floyd Lee, San Mateo.

PURCHASE NOBBY CLEANERS

Nobby Cleaners has been purchased by Mr. and Mrs. A. H. McGavock and Lewis Huddleston of Carlsbad from Mr. and Mrs. Cy Bunting and Huddleston will take over the management Dec. 1.

School Boiler Is Damaged Sunday By Gas Explosion

A minor explosion in the boiler room of Artesia Junior-Senior High school between 4 and 5 o'clock Sunday afternoon, although not serious, did considerable damage to the boiler itself, blowing off the door, and ripping the outer boiler room door from its hinges.

No one was in the building at the time, but W. Kerr, superintendent of schools, and W. A. Jones, school janitor, and a repair man from Albuquerque discovered the damage when returning to the school about 5 o'clock to resume repair work on the boiler, which they had left an hour previous.

The explosion was believed to have been caused by an excess of gas which had accumulated in the room after Jones had turned on the gas, but the pilot light failed to ignite it at that time.

The boiler had been out of order last week and the men were attempting to repair it over the week end.

District Head Rotary Points Out Influence

Gov. Simpson on Visit to Artesia Stresses Gain in Tolerance in World Through Efforts of Club's Service.

That the principles of Rotary International have their influence while a major conflict is in progress in the world today and may be felt at the termination of the conflict, with more tolerance shown, was brought out in an address Tuesday noon at the weekly meeting of the Rotary Club here by Claud Simpson of Roswell, district governor of the organization.

Simpson in his talk covered the four aims of Rotary, of which international service is the fourth. Although Rotary, as an organization, has been eliminated by the governments of Germany, Italy and other powers in Europe, there still are to be found Rotarians in those countries, who surely will exert an influence at the end of the strife when the war's wounds are being healed, he said.

The governor said he believes the influence of the organization has been felt in the last two decades to that extent, that the peoples of the world, through international understanding, are more tolerant of each other.

Community vocational service and club service were all touched upon by Simpson, who pointed out how Rotarians can discharge their obligations as members in the various lines.

One of the outstanding points made by the governor, not as a Rotarian, but as a citizen, was that any man through his vocation can contribute more to his community through the love of his occupation, rather than striving solely for monetary gain. It is through what one contributes to the community, hence to humanity, which counts, he said.

The district governor met Wednesday evening at the city hall with officers, the board of directors and heads of committees in a club assembly, at which many problems of club activities and procedure were worked out.

Oil, Gas Association Will Hold Election Here Next Monday

The annual meeting of the New Mexico Oil and Gas Association will be held at the Artesia Hotel at 2 o'clock next Monday afternoon, Dec. 4, Harry Leonard of Roswell, secretary, has announced.

C. J. Dexter of Artesia, president of the organization, said an executive committee will be elected at the meeting to manage the affairs of the association during the coming year.

JOE HAMANN'S MOTHER DIES IN MISSOURI

Mrs. Henry Kiel, mother of Joe Hamann, died suddenly in Springfield, Mo., Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hamann left here Monday afternoon and arrived in Springfield about 10 o'clock Tuesday morning, according to a message received here. Burial probably will be made at the family burial ground in Hiawatha, Kan.

Westlea's Cleveland Well in the Halfway Area Swabs 1,000 Barrels Oil in Seventeen Hours

Disasters in U. S. Total 217 During Year, Reported

The greatest number of disasters ever recorded over a period of twelve months by the American Red Cross happened during the year ending June 30, it was reported in the final section of the organization's annual report.

The report listed a total of 217 catastrophes in the United States and its insular possessions in which it was necessary for the Red Cross to administer disaster relief.

Relief expenditures also were made by the American Red Cross for the Chilean earthquake last January and to assist war-stricken non-combatants in China and Spain.

The report lists a total of 30,693 buildings destroyed or damaged during the fiscal year, 706 persons killed and 1,990 were injured.

In meeting the needs of the disaster stricken in continental United States, the American Red Cross spent \$2,187,279.32, the report stated. These funds, it was explained, were used for the emergency work of warning, rescuing, feeding, housing and giving medical attention to the affected, as well as materially assisting families in rehabilitation. The report stressed that all Red Cross assistance—whether it be the rebuilding of a home or the purchase of new gear for a hurricane-affected fisherman—was given as a gift.

Awards were made on a basis of need, rather than loss, so that those without resources were able to re-establish themselves.

Petit Jury Panel Named for Term Of District Court

Thirty-six Regulars and Eighteen Emergency Veniremen for Dec. 14

Names of thirty-six regular petit jurymen and an emergency panel of eighteen have been drawn for the next term of Eddy County District Court to convene Dec. 14, the first term of court to meet in the new courthouse in Carlsbad. The term is to last through Dec. 23 with the last case docketed for Dec. 20.

Both criminal and civil cases appear on the docket set for hearing before Judge J. B. McGhee.

The panel of thirty-six regular veniremen, including a number of Artesia and North Eddy County men are: Frank Aubrey, R. L. London, Herman D. Jones, Floyd Lee Cole, W. T. French, Roscoe Etter, W. J. Bindel, Neil H. Willis, Pruitt Lawson, Clyde Carr, Carl Bering, G. E. Cotton, Walter Lazenby, Joe Lusk, Max J. Thomas, Pete Jackson, Robert Calvani, Jack Clady, L. F. Rayroux, Edgar Kraus.

John Lively, Bert Gerrells, J. A. Clayton, Jr., George Neeley, J. H. Owens, W. R. Birchell, Joe Ausley, Andy Anderson, W. C. Merrell, Paris Davis, Willie Henry, J. H. Bartee, Howard Moots, Hubert Goff, H. D. Fleming and Horace Hubert.

The emergency panel: Ernest Houy, W. F. McCollum, Charles Felton, Jim Berry, Jim Harkey, Roscoe Wilson, Troy Jenkins, Roscoe Alexander, Claud Adams, Carl Manda, G. F. Coope, Elmo Naylor, Allen Blakeney, Bob James, W. E. Smith, Everett Horne, J. L. Seal and L. L. Felix.

Midwest Is Named In Suit for \$66,394 on Refinery Equipment

Suit was brought Monday in Federal District Court at Santa Fe by two out-of-state firms against the Midwest Refining Company for a judgment of \$66,394, which it was claimed was due on equipment used in building a refinery at Artesia.

The plaintiffs were Black, Sivalls and Bruson of Maine and the Bethlehem-International Supply Company of Delaware. Errol C. Holt and Mac Hall of Dallas, Tex., also were named defendants. The Tyreco Refining Company, which now occupies the refinery here, is in no way connected with the sued company nor with the suit.

SANTA ANNOUNCES HIS ANNUAL VISIT

Santa Claus is coming to town again this year to see the boys and girls, bringing with him treats of candy for all.

That is the word received by C. D. Marshall, president of the Rotary Club, who disclosed the message at the weekly luncheon Tuesday.

No definite date was set, according to the message from Santa, the old fellow leaving it up to the club to make his local arrangements and notify him.

So Marshall appointed a committee to attend to matters for the Rotary Club; V. D. Bolton, chairman, and Lewis Story, Clyde Guy and Boone Barnett.

And from past performances, the committee, along with the rest of the Rotarians, will help Santa fix up a real treat.

Red Cross Should Have 400 Members By End of Drive

Only Few Left to Go Before the Thanksgiving Day Deadline

C. J. Dexter, Red Cross roll call chairman for North Eddy County said 384 memberships had been turned in up to Tuesday noon, lacking ten of being 100 more than the total last year. However, he said he and his workers hope to have 400 members before the drive closes Thanksgiving Day.

And, he added, anyone who is overlooked even then, may pay his membership either to the chairman or to Fred Cole at the First National Bank any time within the next few days.

The 384 memberships brought in \$655.10 to the North Eddy County chapter, of which \$557.05 will remain here for Red Cross work among the needy and \$198.05 will go to national headquarters to be used if, when and where it is needed in case of disaster and for general Red Cross work, Dexter said.

The chairman said that although the year's total memberships will fall far below the goal of 600 set for the roll call, it will surpass any drive made in North Eddy County heretofore and shows a steady increase.

Dexter said more memberships would be sold if more people understood the work done by the Red Cross.

An example was cited by the chairman and other Red Cross sympathizers in the case of a tiny baby now in Artesia Memorial Hospital, a girl, who was born there Nov. 11 and weighed only 3 pounds 13 ounces.

The child, they said, was delivered by podalic inversion and was thought at first to have no chance to live. Through the assistance of the Red Cross the infant is being kept in an incubator in the hospital and now has a chance for normal development. In fact, it was said, she now is able to be removed from the incubator and is gaining.

WILL MAIL OUT NOTICES OF COTTON ALLOTMENTS

Notices of 1940 cotton allotments will be mailed out to producers within the next three or four days, the Agricultural Conservation Administration office announced Monday.

Planting of the acreage allotted will be the basis for compliance in the cotton program for 1940. Poundage allotments, which are the basis for payments, will be made later.

PLAN ENTERTAINMENT TO PAY FOR UNIFORMS

A program is being planned for next Feb. 2 at which to raise funds to pay for the uniforms provided this fall for the majorettes of Artesia High School.

It has not been definitely decided what form of entertainment will be presented, but it probably will be a play.

But Limited Structure Is Indicated by Two Other Holes in Region, Which Fail to Strike Pay Dirt.

SEVEN LOCOS FLOW

Producers Are Reported There, With Four New Locations.

Interest in the Southeast New Mexico oil fields shifted again this week to the "halfway area" north of the Carlsbad-Hobbs highway over the line in Lea County, where the State No. 1 well of Westlea Oil Company swabbed 1,000 barrels of oil in seventeen hours. However, two other wells in the general area indicate a limited structure at this time.

During the week all development in Eddy County centered on the Loco Hills pool, where seven producing wells were reported and four new locations were made.

Attention was directed to the "halfway area" early in October, when oil rose 2,500 feet in the Westlea, State No. 1, in NE SW section 16-20-32 from a total depth of 2,629 feet.

The showing in the discovery well led to staking of other locations in the region and increased activity. But reports this week show a well each a half mile south and northeast of the swabbing well to be dry holes.

The Cleveland No. 1 well of Westlea Oil Company in NE NW section 21-20-32, which is the hole a half mile south of the State No. 1 well, was reported full of sulphur water from a total depth of 2,670 feet. And the old Western Drilling Company's State No. 1 in the northeast corner of section 16-20-32, approximately a half mile northeast of the producer, is dry at 4,000 feet.

Oil men said the two holes, one on either side of the swabbing well, indicate the structure probably runs in a northwesterly direction.

The completions in Eddy County, all in the Loco Hills:

Allen, Fair & Pope, State 2-B, NE NE 11-18-29; total depth 2,676 feet; pumped 150 barrels oil per day plus five barrels water.

Bassett & Birney et al, State 2, NE SW 2-18-29; total depth 2,656 feet; flowed 90 barrels oil per hour.

Dixon & Yates, Ballard 1-B, SW NE 1-18-29; total depth 2,750 feet; flowed 45 barrels oil per hour.

Me-Tex, Stroup & Yates, Miller 1, NW NE 5-18-29; total depth 2,615 feet; flowed 300 barrels oil per day.

C. M. Pope, Jr., State 1, SW SW 2-18-29; total depth 2,654 feet; pumped 70 barrels oil plus 35 per cent water per day.

Underwood & Sanders, Guy 2-O, NW NE 9-18-29; total depth 2,517 feet; flowed 25 barrels oil per hour.

Yates et al, Witherspoon 1, SW SW 1-18-29; total depth 2,699 feet; flowed 110 barrels oil per hour.

New locations in Eddy County: Bassett & Birney et al, State 3-B, NE SW 10-18-29; Archer & Jones, Massie 1, NW NE 20-18-29; Underwood & Sanders, Guy 1-P, SW NE 9-18-29; Sallee & Yates, State 1, SW NE 2-18-29.

Progress among wildcats and other wells of general interest in Eddy County and the adjacent Maljamar area in Lea County:

Allen, Fair & Pope, State 3-A, NW SE 36-17-29. Total depth 2,730 feet; reshot with 100 quarts nitro; testing after shot.

Artesia Drilling Co., Hoffman 1, SE SW 14-17-24. Waiting for casing at 423 feet. Gene Burke, State 1, SE SW 36-16-24. Shut down for orders.

Carper & Brookover, State 1, SW NW 16-18-29. Drilling at 1,030 feet. J. R. Cone et al, Saunders 1, SE NW 13-17-27. Total depth 600 feet; waiting on machine. Gordon Cone, Langford 2, NE SW 9-18-29. Total depth 2,498 feet; running tubing to test. Dixon & Yates, Ballard 1-A, NE SE 1-18-29. Shut down for repairs at 1,450 feet. C. C. Dodson, McElrath 1, SW SW 3-16-29. (continued on last page, column 1)

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DEMOCRACY IS REASON ENOUGH FOR THANKS

It matters not when one observes a day of thanks, nor should it be necessary for a people to have set for them a designated day on which to give thanks for a kind Providence.

But it has been found necessary to remind people that such observance should be made, hence the birth of Thanksgiving Day.

We in the United States, with our plenty beyond the wildest dreams of our forefathers, have come to take things for granted. In our hustle and bustle to gain more of the world's goods we do not seem to have as much time to think of things spiritual as did the early settlers. Already with more comforts than are good for us, we continue to use them and to seek for more, ruining our nerves the while and shortening our lives.

It is therefore well that the custom begun by Lincoln is continued. When President Roosevelt proclaimed a Thanksgiving Day he was following a custom which has been practiced since Honest Abe's day. But days of thanksgiving were observed long before Lincoln, acting on the impassioned entreaty of a woman during the Civil War, issued his proclamation.

Nor does it matter whether we in New Mexico observed the day last week, or plan to do so this week. Possibly the confusion because of the change in date in some states and observation of the old date in others has made the citizens of the United States more alert to the need of a day of thanks.

There has been much fun poked over the confusion and jesters have cashed in on the situation, but we will wager more people in this country than usual are conscious of Thanksgiving Day.

That we in the United States have plenty for which to be thankful is realized by every sane person. We have the fruits of a democratic form of government, for one thing, which in itself is reason enough for the people to lay aside a day in humble thanks.

SOMETHING ELSE TO BE THANKFUL FOR

Another good reason for being thankful is that we are at peace, that we need the Red Cross only for the needy and in case of disaster. We in Artesia are thankful that the Red Cross has had a successful roll call, because of the untiring efforts of workers.

So we should give thanks for that and turn our attention to something else, for which the people of Artesia, so many of whom came here seeking health, likewise should be thankful, the constant fight against tuberculosis through the sale of Christmas seals. Those who enjoy good health should treasure it, even before wealth or happiness, as the greatest gift of the gods.

Tomorrow and the next day we will be receiving through the mail sheets of the 1939 Christmas seal, the seal to finance a program of tuberculosis prevention and control. Here is an opportunity for those of us who are enjoying good health to insure its continuance. And here is an opportunity to assist others to share in that good health.

These brightly-colored little stamps aid a cause which is concerned chiefly with those persons who have to count their own pennies carefully. The money realized from their sale is spent wisely and thriftily in fighting this dread disease.

The Christmas seal idea is sound year after year. It cuts into spending budgets but little; it decorates and makes more festive the whole Yule season; it provides true promise of great joy for people who are ill and who in this stimulating season can find little jubilation. "Protect Your Home From Tuberculosis" is the slogan of this year's campaign. We have come far in the fight against the disease. Let us be thankful that we can help finish the job and bring the eradication of tuberculosis within reach.

We knew those fellows at Rochester could do almost anything, but we will admit we were somewhat astonished when we saw this headline in The Albuquerque Journal: "Salmon Recuperates from Operation at Mayo Clinic." It happened, however, the story was about Nathan Salmon, Santa Fe capitalist.

Friday's football game would indicate Coyotes are not as much of a menace in the desert as they were at one time.

It certainly is consoling to have former subscribers, who have fallen by the wayside, return to the fold with the remark, "We just can't get along without The Advocate."

HERE'S GOOD NEWS FOR LITTLE WILLIE

Here's good news for Little Willie, as well as a number of Big Willies we know who are just looking for an excuse: A daily bath often is harmful to humans.

Dr. Paul A. O'Leary of Rochester, Minn., declares, "There's such a thing as being too clean. Winter itch is a common ailment, especially in middle-aged people. It comes from too constant bathing in cold weather."

So Little Willie has an argument. But personally, we'll take a chance on the itch.

A South American country is developing castor oil as a motor lubricant. Looks like soon you can threaten a balky motor with a dose of castor oil.—Cuckoo Comments in Roy Record.

The Jersey City man who didn't want anyone else to be using his toothbrush, carried things a little too far when he swallowed it.—Albuquerque Journal.

Oysters, according to a scientist, have no feeling and do not mind being eaten alive. This explains why we hear no screams of pain when we plunge a fork into the creature's innards.—Amarillo News.

Now who will gain the glory of carrying the immortal message: "LaFayette, we are unavoidably detained?"—Tucson Citizen.

Washington is about to draft a new Hatch law. And they probably are about to hatch a new draft law, too.—Albuquerque Journal.

CHURCHES

ST. ANTHONY CATHOLIC CHURCH

504 North Ninth Street

Priest in charge, Rev. Fr. Brendan Weishaar.
Masses: Sundays, 8 a. m. and 9:30 a. m.
Study Club every Wednesday evening, 7:30 p. m.
Rev. Brendan Weishaar, O.M.C.

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

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, 7 p. m.
Sunday
Bible school for all ages, 10 a. m.
Preaching, 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.
Lord's Supper, 11:50 a. m.
Training classes, 6:30 p. m.
Allen E. Johnson, Minister

SAINT PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Sunday services at Saint Paul's are held as follows:
Church school every Sunday at 5 p. m.
Evensong and sermon, except first Sunday of month, 7:30 p. m.
The Holy Communion first Sundays, 8 a. m.
Visitors are always welcome at Saint Paul's.
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Young people's meeting at 6:30 o'clock Sunday evening.
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John S. Rice, Pastor

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6:30 p. m., Baptist Training Union.
7:30 p. m., evening worship service.
Wednesday
7 p. m., prayer service and Bible study.
7:45 p. m., teachers' and officers' meeting.
Thursday
W. M. U. meeting, 2:30 p. m.
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Evening preaching, 7:30 p. m.
Wednesday prayer meeting, 7 p. m.
Go to church Sunday. We welcome you.
Lee P. Phillips, Pastor

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES

613 West Main

Sunday services 11 a. m. Wednesday services at 7:30 p. m.
"God the Only Cause and Creator" is the subject of the lesson-sermon which will be read in all Churches and Societies of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, Dec. 3.
The Golden Text is: "Let all the inhabitants of the world stand in awe of him. For he spake, and it was done; he commanded, and it stood fast."—(Ps. 33:8, 9).
Among the citations which comprise the lesson-sermon is the following from the Bible: "Every word of God is pure; he is a shield unto them that put their trust in him."—(Prov. 30:5).
The lesson-sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook:

Cotton Marketing Quota Referendum Is To Be Dec. 9

Meetings to Be Held in County Prior to Date of Election

Cotton farmers throughout the United States are to vote Saturday, Dec. 9 on whether they wish to have marketing quotas in 1940, as have been used the last two years.
The Eddy County Extension Service and the Agricultural Conservation Association have announced through W. W. Smith, county chairman, that a series of meetings will be held prior to the election in regard to the cotton marketing quota referendum. The times and places of the meetings were announced, but no announcement has been made as yet in regard to the places to vote on Dec. 9.
The meetings will be held in the school auditorium at Loving on Monday, Nov. 27; the Armory at Carlsbad on Tuesday, Nov. 28; city hall in Artesia on Monday, Dec. 4, and the school auditorium in Hope on Tuesday, Dec. 5.
All meetings are called for 7:30 o'clock in the evening and cotton producers are urged by Smith to attend at least one of them, at all of which will be a thorough discussion of the national and international cotton situation.
Smith said many producers have been concerned over the possible effect of the European war on the world cotton situation. Government figures show that the factors of supply, carry-over, production and consumption are essentially the same as last year.
As for the war situation, government agencies point out that the best index as to its possible effect is the experience of the cotton industry during the World War, Smith said.

Cotton soared to high prices during the later months of this war, but records show that cotton lagged far behind the general commodity price level for more than two years after the outbreak of the war. Shortly after the outbreak of the war cotton prices dropped sharply.
Advisability of establishing quotas is seen in the fact that the world supply of cotton is well above normal, Smith pointed out. Most nations which formerly purchased much American cotton have encouraged domestic production and have at least limited supplies available for immediate needs.
Smith said that interruption of normal industries by war activities will have a tendency to lessen the demand for cotton and encourage a larger use of cotton substitutes which can be manufactured within these purchaser nations.
Government agencies conclude that, at least until definite wartime trade practices can be established and the effect of industrial disarrangements determined cotton quotas will be advisable in order that production can be controlled to prevent a possibly disastrous over-production, he said.

Will Speak on "War That Is Ahead of Us" Sunday Night

"The War That Is Ahead of Us" will be the subject of the Rev. J. Vernon Wheeler, pastor of the Christian Church, Sunday evening in his series of sermons on prophecies appearing in the Bible.
While many people are speculating, the Bible reveals the truth, the pastor says, and asks: "What is the truth about the war that is ahead of us? Where will the war be fought? And who will be allied or fighting together on either side of the conflict? All of these questions are answered by the Bible. Why should we be satisfied with only the opinions of men, when the Bible reveals the truth, and some day all mankind will accept the truth as it has been revealed?"
The service will begin at 7:15 o'clock, with a piano prelude of several hymn tune variations by Mrs. Wheeler. An enthusiastic song service will be directed by Lawell Van Antwerp, beginning at 7:30 o'clock.
"Have you seen the beautiful new oil painting in the church?" the pastor asks and suggests that it be seen.

Acquaintance Is Renewed After Fifty-nine Years

J. S. Sharp entertained a visitor last week, a former schoolmate, whom he had not seen in about fifty-nine years, since she was 11 years old and lived at Delevan, Ill.
The visitor was Mrs. M. Allison of Chicago, whom Mr. Sharp squired through the Carlsbad Caverns and to the White Sands, at both of which she marveled.
Mrs. Allison stopped over here to see her acquaintance of school days while on a trip to California, for where she left Wednesday of last week.
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"Like the winds of the sea are the ways of Fate, As we journey along through life; It's the sea of the soul that determines the goal, And not the calm or the strife."
Amidst the multitude of things that we do, may the set of our souls determine our goal in things eternal. Bible study and worship are wonderful aids toward reaching this goal. Bible school, 9:45 a. m. and worship at 11 a. m. and 7:15 p. m.
J. Vernon Wheeler, Minister

State Is Almost Free of Frauds In Use of Mails

He who has little, loses little, is the belief of the United States postal inspectors operating out of Albuquerque.

They refer to the practical freedom enjoyed by New Mexico from frauds perpetuated through use of the mails.

"During the last few years, the matter of fraud has been negligible. There have been," the inspectors said, "a few minor cases, but nothing of great proportions." The reason, they assert, is that the state is not to be considered a wealthy state so far as individual fortunes are concerned and, furthermore, the largest city (Albuquerque) is not looked upon as a large city by those who prey upon the gullibility of others in large cities.

These persons who make their living by fraudulent methods, it is pointed out, usually operate in sections of the country where large cities having a relatively wealthy group predominate. They are "exceptionally mobile" and dare not operate in territory whose cities and potential victims are so far apart.
"There have been a few mining stock frauds and such like, but so far as New Mexico or Albuquerque people losing very much, there isn't very much to lose. We are prosperous, yes, but we are not possessing so much money that it becomes a lure to the crooks. Perhaps we are more fortunate than we really believe," the inspectors said.

Vox Populi

Legionnaires' Hats Off To Kerr and Marshall

As a member of the Americanism committee for Clarence Kepple Post No. 41, American Legion, and as a result of the efforts of this committee to bring to the attention of our American youth, through cooperation with our public schools, the fundamental principles of patriotism, realization of the principles granted our American citizens as set aside in the Bill of Rights or the first ten amendments to the Constitution of the United States, our indebtedness and respect to the United States flag, building loyalty and confidence in and to our American government, and in behalf of the members of this committee and Legion post, I take this opportunity to express publicly our appreciation and extend our thanks to both Professors W. E. Kerr and C. D. Marshall for their wonderful cooperation and extended efforts to bring to the minds of our local youth the solemnity and high principles derived from these teachings.

Diplomatic methods injected into a recent assembly of the local pupils at our high school auditorium should not go without mention at this time. It is generally understood that such daily assemblies are intended for acquaintanceship, closer relations and fun and amusement, along with impressive announcements and beneficial programs. At this recent assembly in mention, the professors announced that the program would be conducted by some members of the Boy Scouts with a demonstration in flag etiquette. During this demonstration, it was vividly plain that some of the youths in the audience were more intent in continued fun than they were in the flag demonstration. After adjournment of the assembly and a duration of about four hours of continued fun, amusement and critical remarks, a special assembly was called, and judging from the remarks of the youths with reference to the results of this special assembly, those two professors gave a first-class demonstration of a "diplomatic spanking," without personal mention, and it is highly apparent that every pupil in our local school knows more about flag etiquette today than he or she did a week ago. They have received a lesson in etiquette and respect to the American flag which will always be impressive in their minds as a result of the extra interest of these two professors to call a special assembly, and too often action of this nature goes without mention. These two professors no doubt entertained no idea that their interest and action would gain public notice, but merely were carrying out their personal feelings in patriotism and loyalty to their government through the opportunity afforded them by virtue of their position.
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United States, wherein our youths are receiving educational training or otherwise, possesses this high type of self-imposed patriotism within the personnel of their professional staff.

Again we express our appreciation for the cooperation and personal patriotism of these two professors.

J. L. Truett, Member, Committee on Americanism, Clarence Kepple Post No. 41, American Legion.

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Little Known Facts and Sidelights on Oil Industry

Three-Mile Limit—Down!

Astounding news that the depth of an Oklahoma oil well soon may exceed three miles is likely to raise a host of problems — and answers!

That age-old crack about annoying the Chinese if the drill goes too far is making its re-appearance, for instance. And some folks always have been worried about tapping that "ball of fire" which they insist is the center of the earth.

The Oklahoma drillers, already within 1,406 feet of the three-mile mark, are more concerned with operating problems than with folklore. New depths put new strains on men and equipment, and, as in so many cases in the progressive petroleum industry, there are no guide books.

Drilling records are piling up so fast under the knowledge that a large percentage of deep wells have struck the pay, that yesterday's depth record becomes the starting point for tomorrow's wildcat.

Only seven months ago, the Kern County Land A-2 in California was the deepest hole in the world. According to present plans, the No. 1 Proctor in Washita County, Okla., will exceed that depth by some distance.

With "pioneer" depths of 15,000 feet and more being tapped successfully, there is no doubt that the industry has embarked officially upon a deep drilling era. Legislators please note!

Heat Without Tears—

Prospective home owners who worry about heating costs are wasting time. Heating-equipment manufacturers have made them practically non-existent with a \$250 automatic oil burner.

Developed from the old-time heavy-duty hot water plant, the new burner occupies less than four square feet of floor space and heats a four to six-room house, or, as experts say, about 400 square feet of radiation. It is adaptable to both winter and summer heating.

All-in-one construction of the boiler-burner firing unit, hot-water storage tank and water heater brings its cost well under the combined cost of these units when purchased separately.

Contrasting sharply with the powerful heating plants of 20 years ago, the vest pocket model exemplifies the rapid progress in heating technique. With modern methods of insulation—protective roofings, linings and weather-stripping—far less heat is needed for the proportionate amount of comfort.

Lighter "heating loads" have scrapped the old-fashion furnace along with the carpet sweeper and have transformed the hot-water heater into a house-heating plant.

Automotive Ideas—

A new accessory for automobiles lubricates dry, cold parts in the engine when the driver steps on the starter.

Stainless steel trim strips on service stations catch the eye of the motorist looking for fuel or service; they can be lighted in different ways.

A natural-gas conversion attachment enables a diesel engine to change from fuel oil to natural gas or back again while in the field.

For cleaning ice, fog or steam from windshields, a rectangular gadget is equipped with metal blade, hard-rubber blade and soft rubber wiper on three sides.

A new portable grease gun in standard size may be rolled about at will without cords or hose attachments. Grease is pumped electrically by a motor and storage battery on a coaster. Pressure is adjustable up to 12,000 pounds.

Newly designed spark plug is said to give a wider, more effective spark and lasts longer.

A low-cost electric water heater, easily moved and installed, is designed to provide automatic hot water supply for camps, trailers

and service stations.

For Measuring Wear—

New method for measuring the wear on bearing surfaces, developed by government researchers, consists in measuring the minute indentations made on the surface of a bearing by a specially designed diamond point before and after the bearing has been used. Dimensions of the indentation change in proportion to the amount of material worn off the bearing by use. Measurement of the changes in the dimension quickly and accurately shows the extent of wear.

News—

New catalytic oil refining units are expected to pay for themselves in three years, it is reported.

Small planes are being used for oil pipe-line patrolling at a cost about one-half that of line walking.

Venezuela's crude oil production has jumped to 600,000 barrels daily, passing the latest reported output of U. S. S. R. which has held second place in world operations for years.

Five four-motored stratoliners equipped with "pressurized" cabins will be in service next spring. Geophysical exploration recently opened a new oil field in California, the fourth in 1939. Discovery well located oil at 10,000 feet.

Oilfield Items

(By Louise Beard)

Miss Wanda Davis is spending this week in Hobbs with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Branscum.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Miller and small son are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Miller.

Mrs. Jim Chambers' father, Mr. McCaw, visited here Monday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Francis and small son, Johnnie, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Beard and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Beard and daughter, Mary Ann, made a business trip to Roswell Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Karl Foster and son, William James, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Folkner.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Standard and family, and Buddy McCrory and Miss Louise Beard visited Misses Vera and Inez Standard of Carlsbad Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paris Davis had as guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Tony Welch, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Self and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Branscum of Hobbs.

Mr. and Mrs. Paris Davis and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Cassidy and family of Artesia last Thursday for a Thanksgiving dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Karl Foster were hosts at an aluminum dinner last Thursday night sponsored by a manufacturer. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Folkner, Mr. and Mrs. Miller Ammons, Mr. and Mrs. John Shearman and Mr. and Mrs. James Dew, Jr., all of Artesia.

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Pudding sauces fall roughly (or should instead, one say "glide lightly") into three classes; hot sauce, hard sauce and cream-type sauce. But whipped cream, meringue, ice cream and "toppings" are also claimed in the sweet embrace of the sauce family, and not to be ignored.

SAUCE-Y TIPS

Whipped Banana Topping

1 ripe banana, peeled, 1 egg white, dash of salt, ½ cup of sugar, ½ teasp. vanilla extract.

Use ripe banana (yellow peel flecked with brown.) Slice banana into a bowl. Add egg white, salt, sugar and vanilla. Beat with a rotary egg beater or electric mixer until smooth, light and fluffy. Makes about 1½ cups topping—for puddings and fruit gelatins.

Note: This topping has the best flavor, color and consistency when it is served within an hour after preparation.

Florida Foam (A Foamy Sauce)

1 egg yolk, ½ cup sifted powdered sugar, 1 egg white ½ cup orange juice, ½ teasp. lemon juice, ½ teasp. grated orange rind.

Beat yolk until thick and lemon-colored. Add ¼ cup sugar gradually, beating constantly. Add orange and lemon juice and grated rind, beating until mixed. Beat egg white stiff and add remaining sugar slowly. Fold in egg yolk mixture just before serving. Serves four.

Date Sterling Sauce

¼ cup butter, ¼ cup brown sugar, ½ teasp. ginger or ½ teasp. vanilla, ¼ cup pasteurized dates, sliced, 2 tbsps. cream, ½ teasp. salt.

Cream butter and beat in sugar gradually. Add cream very gradually as mixture stiffens. Beat in flavoring, cut dates and salt. Heap on a serving dish, chill thoroughly. Serve on hot steamed or baked pudding. Serves six.

Coffee Sauce

2 egg yolks, ¼ cup sugar, few grains salt, ½ cup double-strength freshly made coffee, 1 cup whipped cream.

Beat egg yolks slightly; add sugar, salt and freshly made coffee. Cook in double boiler until thickened (until mixture coats spoon.) Strain; cool. Fold in whipped cream. Serve as sauce

for puddings, etc.

Golden Pudding Sauce

(With brown sugar and nuts)
1½ cups brown sugar, ¼ cup white syrup, 4 tbsps. butter, ½ cup water, ½ cup milk, ½ cup cream, 1 cup Brazil nuts, chopped.

Combine sugar, syrup, butter and water. Place over low flame and cook until a small amount of syrup forms a very soft ball in cold water. Remove from fire. Add milk, cream and Brazil nuts and stir until smooth.

Peanut Fudge Sauce

1 sq. unsweetened chocolate, cut in pieces, 2 tbsps. honey, 3 tbsps. sugar, 2/3 cup water, ¼ teasp. salt, ½ cup peanut butter, ¼ teasp. vanilla.

Place chocolate, honey, sugar, water and salt in saucepan. Bring quickly to a boil, stirring until sugar is dissolved; cook 2 minutes longer. Cool. Place peanut butter in bowl, add syrup gradually,

whipping with rotary beater until smooth. Add vanilla. Store in covered jar in refrigerator until ready to use. Yield: one cup of sauce.

Regal Hard Sauce

¼ cup butter, 1 cup sifted confectioner's sugar, dash of salt, 1 teasp. cream, flavoring.

Cream butter thoroughly. Add sugar gradually, creaming together until light and fluffy. Add salt, cream and flavoring and beat well. Yield 2/3 cup sauce.

Variants in flavoring: ½ teasp. black walnut extract (about), ½ to ¾ teasp. maple flavoring, ¼ teasp. lemon extract (about), ¼ teasp. lemon extract (about) and ¼ teasp. angostura, ¼ teasp. orange extract (about), ¼ teasp. orange extract (about) and ¼ teasp. angostura, ¼ teasp. almond extract (about), ¼ teasp. almond extract (about) and ¼ teasp. angostura, ¼ to ½ teasp. angostura, ¼ to ½ teasp. angostura and ½ teasp. vanilla (about).

Lemon Pudding Sauce

¾ cup white syrup, 1 egg, ¼

teasp. salt, 2 tbsps. lemon juice, 1 teasp. grated lemon rind.

Heat syrup to boiling, pour slowly over beaten egg yolk, return to fire and cook until slightly thickened. Add salt, lemon juice and rind. Cool mixture and fold into

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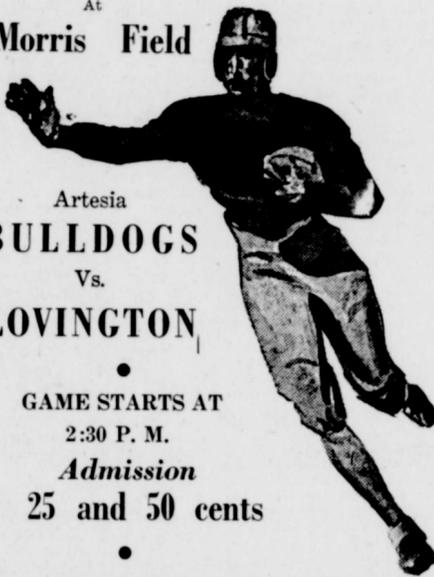
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Mr. and Mrs. Mahone Complimented On Their Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Mahone were complimented with a surprise dinner party on their twenty-first wedding anniversary at their home Tuesday evening with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Muncy, Jr., acting as hosts. Mr. and Mrs. Mahone had been duck hunting and upon their return found a turkey dinner ready to be served and only a short time in which to dress in time to greet guests who arrived with lovely anniversary presents.

Miss Flossie Hoffman was married to A. P. Mahone in New Boston, Tex., on Nov. 28, 1918. The Mahones have resided in Artesia for about ten years, taking active part in community affairs.

Dinner was served buffet style and guests were seated at a long dining table and also quartet tables. Yellow and white mums formed the attractive centerpiece on the dining table, a mixed fruit centerpiece was used on the buffet and miniature pine cone turkeys were used on the quartet tables.

Bridge and pitch were the after dinner games of amusement. Guests sharing the occasion with Mr. and Mrs. Mahone were: Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Perry, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Booker, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Muncy, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Booker, Mr. and Mrs. John Rowland, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Simon, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Crain, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Williams, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Johns and Mr. and Mrs. Elzie Swift and Miss Mollie Hoffman.

Fortnightly Club Thanksgiving Party

Mrs. W. Leslie Martin entertained the Fortnightly Bridge Club and an extra table of guests with a Thanksgiving party Tuesday.

Luncheon was served at quartet tables in the spacious living room. Red candles in apple holders, surrounded by winter greens and nuts, formed the centerpiece for each table.

Club members present were: Mmes. J. B. Atkeson, Glenn Booker, C. R. Baldwin, C. R. Blocker, Charles R. Martin, William Linell, Grady Booker, Albert Richards, Lewis Story and Landis Feather. Club guests were: Mmes. P. V. Morris, G. R. Brainard, Neil Watson, Wallace Gates, Howard Stroup and Wainright Miller.

At the conclusion of four rounds of contract Mrs. Glenn Booker held high score.

RE-ELECTED PRESIDENT OF COTTONWOOD CLUB

Mrs. Fred Chambers was re-elected president of the Cottonwood Woman's Club at a meeting held at the home of Mrs. D. A. Bradley Wednesday afternoon of last week.

The other officers of the club also were re-elected: Mrs. O. B. Montgomery, vice president; Mrs. Bob O'Bannon, secretary and treasurer, and Mrs. Glenn O'Bannon, reporter. The meeting was in charge of the president, Mrs. Chambers, and a general business meeting was held. Two new members, Mrs. Gene Conner and Mrs. Jack Fowler, were added to the club roll.

Lovely refreshments were served to eleven members by the hostess, Mrs. Bradley.

The December meeting, which will be a Christmas party, will be held at the home of Mrs. Bob O'Bannon. Each member and guest is requested to bring a gift of 25-cent value and numbers will be drawn in exchange of gifts.

MRS. COLL PRESIDENT OF PAST MATRONS' CLUB

Members of the Past Matrons' Club met at the home of Mrs. Reed Brainard Monday afternoon at which time an election of officers was held. Elected to serve were Mrs. A. B. Coll, president; Mrs. Paul Otts, vice president; Mrs. Calvin Dunn, secretary; Mrs. Jeff Hightower, treasurer, and Mrs. R. G. Knoedler, reporter.

The Past Matrons will have a Christmas party and a turkey dinner Dec. 8 at the Masonic hall, having as their guests their husbands.

The hostess served delicious refreshments to Mmes. Hightower, Otts, Coll, Dunn, P. V. Morris, J. M. Story, John Rowland, Jesse I. Funk, Lee Glascock and R. G. Knoedler.

RUTH HOLT CELEBRATES HER BIRTHDAY TUESDAY

Ruth Holt celebrated her fourteenth birthday Tuesday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Holt. The occasion was celebrated with a dinner which was enjoyed by the honoree, who has been ill.

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FRIDAY

Viernes Bridge Club, Mrs. Jack Clady, hostess, 2 p. m.
Chatterbox Bridge Club, Mrs. A. L. Bert, hostess, 2 p. m.

The 1937 Bridge Club, Mrs. Landis Feather, hostess, 1 o'clock luncheon, Artesia Hotel.
P. E. O. Sisterhood, Mrs. R. G. Knoedler, hostess, 2:30 p. m.

MONDAY

Spanish American P.-T. A., Central School, 7 p. m.
Past Presidents' Parley, Mrs. Albert Richards, 1 o'clock luncheon.
W. C. T. U. at Methodist Church, 2:30 p. m.

Library Board at library, 1:30 p. m.
Rebekah lodge birthday supper, I. O. O. F. hall, 6:30 p. m.

TUESDAY

First Afternoon Bridge Club, Mrs. A. G. Glasser, hostess, 2 p. m.

WEDNESDAY

Artesia Woman's Club at clubhouse, 2:30 p. m.
Pinochle Club, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith, hosts, 6:30 p. m.

THURSDAY (NEXT WEEK)

Methodist Missionary Society, at church, 2:30 p. m.
Presbyterian Women's Association, business meeting at the church, 2:30 p. m.
Nazarene Missionary Society, at church, 2:30 p. m.
Order of the Eastern Star, election of officers, at Masonic hall, 7:30 p. m.
Christian Women's Association, Mrs. Carl Martin, hostess, all-day meeting and covered dish luncheon.
Ace High Bridge Club, Mrs. Luke Taylor of Maljamar, hostess.

MRS. WILLIAMS HOSTESS TO SO-SO CLUB TUESDAY

Mrs. Kenneth Williams was hostess to the So-So Club, which met at her home Tuesday afternoon.

Sewing was enjoyed and club gifts were exchanged, after which the hostess served mince pie and coffee to Mmes. J. Clark Bruce, Charles Gaskin, C. D. Marshall, J. J. Clarke, Jr., and Joe Greeno.

HAVE STAG TURKEY DINNER AT GUY HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Guy feted with a wild turkey dinner and stag party at their home Tuesday evening.

Covers were laid for Dr. E. A. Metzger, Boone Barnett, Fred Daugherty, B. G. Robinson and Owen Haynes and the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Guy. Arriving later in the evening were Mrs. Barnett and Mrs. Robinson, at which time games of bridge and pitch were enjoyed.

MRS. WHEELER HOSTESS TO CHRISTIAN GUILD

The Young Woman's Guild of the Christian Church met at the home of Mrs. J. Vernon Wheeler Friday afternoon for a study meeting.

Mrs. Wheeler led the devotionals and the study meeting was led by Mrs. Opal Welch. Mrs. Wheeler served light refreshments to eight members.

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HAPPY STITCHERS MEET AT W. C. MOORE HOME

The Hapy Stitchers met in the home of Mrs. W. C. Moore at Smith last Thursday. The morning and afternoon were spent in embroidering and quilting. At noon a covered dish luncheon was served, followed by the social hour.

The honorees for the day were Mrs. H. L. Hughes, who was given a stork shower, and Mrs. J. C. Claybourne, who received many lovely birthday gifts.

Present were Mmes. Roy Gibson, Sarah Shanks, Claude Mathews, Harvey Jones, H. L. Hipp, P. L. Brown, A. L. Jackson, Pat Mathews, J. C. Claybourne, Willis Wilde, Whitey Parker, Lawrence Savoie, Allen Williams, Hugh Brown, Lee Solt, H. L. Hughes and Preston Camp, and the hostess, Mrs. W. C. Moore.

SHOWER FOR VETERANS FOR CHRISTMAS BOX

A shower for the veterans' gift shop was held Monday afternoon at the hut by the American Legion Auxiliary.

Games were enjoyed and winners drew prizes from a hidden group of prizes in a basket. After the games, cake, coffee and candies were served by Mmes. D. C. Blue, Charles Gaskin, Irvin Martin, P. V. Morris, John Runyan, Raymond Bartlett and Albert Richards, co-hostesses.

A lovely assortment of gifts was received for the gift box and they will be packed and sent to the Veterans' Hospital at Fort Bayard.

HOLIDAY DINNER AT THE A. E. CRAIN HOME

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Crain entertained with a delightful Thanksgiving dinner, served buffet style, at their home last Thursday.

Covers were laid for their son, Don Crain, of Austin, Tex.; Mrs. Crain's brother, Carl Hennessee, and Mrs. Hennessee of Springfield, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Watson and children, Helen and Jo; Mrs. Fannie Hennessee, Miss Natalie Murdock and Miss Gerda Smith and the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Crain.

THURSDAY SUPPER CLUB HAS THANKSGIVING DINNER

The Thursday Supper Club met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Landis Feather last Thursday evening for a Thanksgiving dinner, with all members present.

Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Dexter, Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Bigler, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Whitson, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Watson, Mr. and Mrs. Fay Hardeman and the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Feather.

High scores of the bridge games were held by Mrs. Watson and Mr. Dexter.

MRS. MORRIS ENTERTAINS AT THE WILLIAMS HOME

Mrs. P. V. Morris was hostess when she entertained the Miercoles Bridge Club at the home of Mrs. Howard Williams Friday afternoon.

At the close of the games of contract the hostess served a delicious salad and dessert course to Mmes. Dave Bunting, Glenn Booker and E. J. Foster, substituting guests, and Mmes. Williams, Hollis Watson, A. P. Mahone, Elzie Swift, Lewis Story, Grady Booker, H. A. Hamill, Raymond Bartlett and Lloyd Simon.

Mrs. Hamill was presented the high score award.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Yates, Jr., are having as their guests on Thanksgiving Day, their family and a few friends, John Ashby, St. Clair, Harvey and two sons, Jimmie and Sammie, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Yates III, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Bush, William Dooley, Ira Dixon and Bob Sallee.

Gift Shop For Legion Veterans This Christmas

A happy Christmas to a veteran, means first of all a happy Christmas to his family.

There are several hundred hospitalized veterans in the Albuquerque and Fort Bayard hospitals who are looking to the American Legion Auxiliary units over the state to give them a happy Christmas.

The new plan is an American Legion Auxiliary gift shop at each Veteran hospital. A room is to be decorated and arranged to resemble a real Christmas shop, and in it will be displayed gifts for wife, mother, sons and daughters. All veterans who are able will be invited to visit the Christmas shop and select a gift for each member of his family, or should he have no family, a gift for someone whom he wishes to remember. For the veterans who are not able to go, a gift shop on wheels will be taken to the wards where they may personally select their gifts. The gifts then will be wrapped and mailed out bearing the card of the sender.

Each unit in the department is requested to have a gift shower, each member bringing a gift suitable for a wife, son or daughter of a non-compensated veteran. These gifts then are to be sent to the designated hospital hostess, to be arranged in the gift shop.

Practical and easily mailed gifts are requested. The department rehabilitation chairman makes the following suggestions for the wife or mother, not to exceed \$1 in value: Hose, purses, aprons, dresses, underwear, scarfs, towels and sweaters. The following articles, not to exceed 50 cents in value, would be appropriate for the daughters and sons of veterans: Sox, vanity cases, stationery, gray mittens, jewelry, dresses, sweater sets, pajamas, scarf sets, ties, handkerchiefs, pocket knives, belts, shirts, shorts, books and caps.

In addition to the new plan the regular uniform gifts of a dollar bill will be given to each veteran in all of the veterans' hospitals in the United States. Each unit is requested also to send its usual money donation for the Christmas fund. This is very important as this dollar is, oftentimes, the only money which some veterans have throughout the year.

The new plan is a big undertaking, but Mrs. J. A. Richards of Artesia, the department rehabilitation chairman, hopes that it may be carried to success in such a way that it may add much happiness to the givers as well as to the veterans and their families.

HOME MAKERS' CIRCLE HAS ALL-DAY MEETING

The Baptist Home Makers' Circle met at the church last Thursday for an all-day meeting and covered dish luncheon.

The ladies spent the morning quilting and enjoyed a discussion on "Constraining Love," given by Mrs. J. D. Josey, in the afternoon. Sixteen members were present for the occasion.

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Rummy Club Honors Mrs. Kelly Friday

Members of the Rummy Club met at the home of Mrs. Harry Steinberger Friday for a covered dish luncheon after which they adjourned to the home of Mrs. W. S. Hogsett at which time they complimented Mrs. N. T. Kelly with a lovely miscellaneous shower.

Guests for the occasion were Mmes. Laura Kelly, Howard Gissler, Merrill Sharp, Dan Watson, Marvel Archer, Sion Edgerton, Glenn O'Bannon, Leon Barker, W. A. Hanson, Herman Green, John Shearman, Andy Company and Kyle Taylor and members present were Mrs. Kelly, the honoree, and Mmes. C. W. Stagmiller, Clarence Conner, F. E. Painter, J. W. Jones and C. C. Cornett and the hostesses, Mrs. Hogsett and Mrs. Steinberger.

Members of the Rummy Club and Mrs. Company, a club guest, also were entertained by Mrs. Cornett at her home Tuesday afternoon. Games of rummy were enjoyed with Mrs. J. W. Jones holding high score and Mrs. Painter, low score.

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MRS. MYERS ENTERTAINS THE H2O BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. J. Hise Myers entertained the H2O Bridge Club and Mrs. Jeff Hightower, a club guest, at her home Friday afternoon.

Members present were Mmes. J. B. Atkeson, John Lowery, G. R. Brainard, A. T. Woods, Fannie Bruton and A. B. Coll and the hostess, Mrs. Myers.

Mrs. Coll held high score at the conclusion of the games.

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Social Events Of High School Clubs, Groups

Doings, social events and other activities of Artesia high school students, reported by Peggy Linell.

Special Assembly Held
A special assembly was held at 1 o'clock last Thursday afternoon, during which C. D. Marshall and W. E. Kerr instructed the pupils in proper respect due to the flag.

Seniors Plan Annual
The seniors are planning to put out a printed annual this year. They have priced several types but have come to no definite conclusion as yet.

School Paper to Be Edited
The first edition of The Artesia Hi Beacon, the school paper, published by Mrs. Margaret Bildstone's journalism class, will be out Tuesday, Dec. 5.

Study Hall Closed
The new study hall-library has been closed for the last week due to repairs being made on the heating system.

Social Hours Held
The first social hour of the season was held from 4 to 6 o'clock last Thursday afternoon. Various games, including basketball, badminton, ping-pong, barricades and dancing were enjoyed. Everyone reported a good time. Candy and soda pop were sold by the junior class. About thirty seniors attended. The second social hour was held Monday afternoon and was well attended.

LEGION AND AUXILIARY DELIVER BASKETS FOR THANKSGIVING DINNERS

At a joint meeting of the American Legion and Auxiliary held at the hut Monday evening, one of the largest and nicest contributions in many years was brought for Thanksgiving baskets, which were delivered to the unfortunate and needy for their Thanksgiving dinners. The contributions included cranberries, gelatin, canned foods and many other things to add to a Thanksgiving menu. It has been a custom of the organizations for years and one which brings much happiness to many within this community.

The Legion boys were hosts at the Monday evening meeting. They served supper to about 100 guests. Various card games were enjoyed after the supper hour.

FRENCH CLUB PARTY AT THE BROWN HOME

Members of Miss Alyce Erickson's French Club enjoyed a party at the home of Mrs. John R. Brown Wednesday of last week. The young people enjoyed various games and dancing led by their sponsor, Miss Erickson, after which chocolate and fruit rolls were served.

Present were Christyene Anderson, Helen Louise Wells, Josephine Stewig, Dorothy Cassada, and June Brown and A. R. Munnerlyn, Roy Jones, Ted Howard, Dwight Arnall and Marvin McGuire.

MISS FELIX ENTERTAINS AT HOME IN CARLSBAD

Miss Alma Sue Felix entertained members of the Bridge Unit Club with a 1 o'clock Thanksgiving bridge luncheon at her home in Carlsbad Saturday.

For the occasion the large dining table was beautifully decorated with pink chrysanthemums, which formed the centerpiece, and on either side were tall yellow tapers. The luncheon, which was served buffet style, was enjoyed at quarter tables. The hostess presented her guests with small China turkey favors, which were daintily wrapped on top of chocolate bars. At the close of the rounds of contract Miss Ethel Bullock was awarded the high score prize.

Enjoying the occasion were Mrs. Bill Mayer of Carlsbad, a club guest, and Misses Ethel Bullock, Mary Luther, Corinne Puckett, Pearl Naanes, Jean Plunkett, Hilda Kletke, Elizabeth Hawes, Isabelle Macdonald, Gerda Smith and Edna Drury and the hostess, Miss Felix.

MRS. RUSSELL HOSTESS TO J. U. G. BRIDGE CLUB

The J. U. G. Bridge Club met at the home of Mrs. R. N. Russell Friday with Mrs. George Williams a club guest for the afternoon.

At the conclusion of the rounds of contract Mrs. W. A. Vandever held high score and Mrs. Lynn Buford, second high. The hostess served fruit cake and coffee to Mrs. Williams, Vandever, Buford, Ralph Barr, W. B. Gelwick, George Oliver and Thelbert French.

Mrs. E. E. Coll and her daughter, Miss Addie, entertained with a family dinner Sunday at their home, having as their guests C. H. Coll of Princeton, Ill., Mr. and Mrs. Max Coll and Max, Jr., of Roswell and Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Coll and Mr. and Mrs. Britton Coll and Jean.

Wirt Franklin Weds Mrs. Witherspoon in Artesia Tuesday

Of interest to those of the oil industry throughout New Mexico, Texas and Oklahoma was the wedding of Wirt Franklin of Ardmore, Okla., to Mrs. Anna Witherspoon of Dallas, Tex., at 8 o'clock Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Yates, Jr., in Artesia.

The informal ceremony was read by the Rev. John S. Rice, pastor of the Methodist Church. The bride, attired in a smart afternoon frock, wore a shoulder corsage of orchids. A small group of friends witnessed the ceremony, including Mr. and Mrs. Martin Yates, Jr., St. Clair and John Ashby, Bert Aston and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Aston.

After the wedding Mrs. Yates, seated at her grand piano, playing her own accompaniment, sang a number of old favorites. A tiered bride's cake was cut by the bride and served with coffee.

Mr. Franklin is president of the Franklin Petroleum Company with holdings in the Artesia field and is internationally known. He is organizer of the Independent Petroleum Association of America and served as president of the organization for six years. During the NRA days, Mr. Franklin was chairman of the planning and coordinating committee of the oil industry in Washington, D. C., and is credited with doing much for the industry.

Mrs. Franklin was a member of the teaching staff of Southern Methodist University in Dallas for many years. She is a world traveler and well-known author. One of her better known publications is "Golden Bells Around the World." Mrs. Franklin has holdings in the Loco Hill oil region in Eddy County and also is well known in oil men's circles.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin expect to go to Ardmore to act as hosts at the wedding of a niece of Mr. Franklin at their spacious home Saturday. They probably will make their home in Ardmore. Preceding the wedding, Mr. Franklin was host at a well-appointed dinner served at the Artesia Hotel with covers laid for Mrs. Witherspoon, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Yates, Jr., Bert Aston and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Aston and the host, Mr. Franklin.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR PLANS HOLIDAY TRIP

Several members of the Senior Christian Endeavor of the Presbyterian Church expected to leave for the state convention at Albuquerque Thursday for the Thanksgiving holidays. The meeting will start Nov. 30 and last until Sunday, Dec. 3. The young people will go in the car of Mrs. Ruth Tuttle, their sponsor. Those who expected to attend are Delores Mayrhofer, Jane Shugart, Marvin McCaw, Clarence McAnally and Mrs. Tuttle and her small son, Bill Tuttle.

ACE HIGH BRIDGE CLUB MEETS AT MALJAMAR

The Ace High Bridge Club met at the home of Mrs. George Westall of Maljamar last Thursday afternoon.

Games of bridge were enjoyed and awards were given to Mmes. Cecil Sweet, Kenneth Stewart and Luke Taylor. Light refreshments, carried out in the Thanksgiving scheme, were served to the following members and guests: Mmes. Sweet, Stewart, Taylor, J. B. Cooper, Carl Robinson, Cecil Hateman, Dan Yancy, Dick Hicks, Garrel Westall, Dru Taylor, Ken Allen and Kyle Taylor and a Mrs. Smith and a Mrs. Spurlock and the hostess, Mrs. Westall.

LOCALS

Miss Kitty Flint, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Flint, a student at the University of New Mexico in Albuquerque, arrived Tuesday afternoon for Thanksgiving with home folks. Miss Flint came with friends, who were passing through the city.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Bullock are serving Thanksgiving dinner Thursday, with covers laid for their children and their families, including Mr. and Mrs. Landis Feather and children; Mr. and Mrs. William Bullock, Misses Ethel and Laura Bullock, Charles Bullock, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Irby of Carlsbad.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Cole are entertaining with a family Thanksgiving dinner at their home here Thursday, laying covers for C. M. Cole, Miss Ina Cole, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cole and Hattie Ruth; Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Cole and children; Mr. and Mrs. Buford Gray, S. C. Albright, Guy Roberts and daughter, June, all of Artesia and Mr. and Mrs. Clint Cole of Lovington.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Coll will be hosts today to members of the Coll family, including Mrs. E. E. Coll, Miss Addie Coll, Mr. and Mrs. Britton Coll and Jean, Lawrence Coll, Miss Marian Coll of Carlsbad and Max Coll, Jr., of Roswell.

Local Ginnings

The gins of the Farmers Gin Company and the Artesia Alfalfa Growers Association in North Eddy County up to Wednesday morning had ginned 7,322 bales of cotton this year, compared with 7,117 on Dec. 1, 1938, and 10,993 bales on Dec. 2, 1937. No report from the Cottonwood gin was available Wednesday morning, nor for the issue a year ago.

	1938	1939
Assn., Artesia	1,627	1,739
Assn., Espuella	2,276	2,164
Assn., Atoka	1,581	1,539
Farmers	1,633	1,880

Artesia Memorial HOSPITAL Brief Items

The one hundredth patient entered the hospital Sunday, Nov. 26, exactly two months after the opening day and patient No. 103 was admitted Wednesday morning.

A son, James Floyd, weighing 7 pounds 4 ounces, was born at 4:30 o'clock Sunday morning to Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Little of Artesia.

Mrs. C. F. McGeorge of Maljamar, who has been recovering from a broken leg, is doing nicely and expects to leave the hospital this week.

Jesse L. Lisenbee of near Artesia underwent a minor operation Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Walter Coates of Hope, who had been receiving medical treatment since Nov. 8, left the hospital Tuesday.

Mrs. R. C. Journey underwent a minor operation Saturday and was discharged Tuesday.

Bonnie Mobley, 11-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Mobley of Route 1, Artesia, underwent an operation for appendicitis Friday. She was returned to her home Tuesday.

C. J. Gaines, an employee of the Kleiner Drilling Company, received treatment Saturday for injuries sustained in a minor accident.

Mrs. S. M. Munnerlyn of Artesia underwent a minor operation Wednesday morning and was reported at 11 o'clock as doing nicely.

LOCAL MEN ATTEND PHILLIPS PARTY

V. D. Bolton, Buford Gray and Oscar Pearson left here Sunday, driving to Amarillo, Tex., where they boarded a "Phillips 66 Special" train for Bartlesville, Okla., to attend a birthday celebration of Frank Phillips, founder of the Phillips Petroleum Company. It was his sixty-sixth birthday and company men were invited from many states.

The Artesians returned here Wednesday night.

BENSON IS INJURED BY CAR IN EL PASO

Will Benson of Artesia, city surveyor here more than thirty years, was injured in El Paso the latter part of last week when he was struck and knocked down by an automobile. His lower legs were the most severely injured.

He and Mrs. Benson, who was in El Paso with him at the time of the accident, were brought home Friday. He is able to get around the house on crutches.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Everett will be guests on Thanksgiving in the home of Mr. Everett's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Everett, and family. Covers will be laid for a daughter, Miss Maurine, who is attending Eastern New Mexico College in Portales and will be in Artesia over the holidays.



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Sun Bowl 'Home Team' Probably To Be Arizona

The question of who will be the home team in the annual Sun Bowl game at El Paso New Year's Day is practically settled with Arizona State of Tempe, Border Conference champion, riding in the driver's seat.

The Bulldogs, coached by Dixie Howell of University of Alabama and Rose Bowl fame, still must be nominated by the conference teams, but that is a technicality that will be removed within a few days. The Staters overwhelmed the University of New Mexico 28 to 6 for the conference crown Nov. 16.

The Bulldogs boast a squad of forty men that has managed to win eight and lose only one game this season—that loss being to powerful Hardin-Simmons in a non-conference game. Heading an array of outstanding backs is Wayne (Ripper) Pitts, practically a "one man gang" when it comes to cracking a line. He is also one of the best punters and defense men in the Southwest. He will probably get an all-conference backfield berth in a walk.

An opponent for the Bulldogs will be selected within a short time.

LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cole and Hattie Ruth spent the week end in El Paso.

C. H. Coll of Princeton, Ill., eldest son of Mrs. E. E. Coll, left Tuesday for his home after spending two weeks here with his mother, his sister, Miss Addie Coll, and his brother, A. B. Coll, and family.

Mrs. Glenn Thomason of Albuquerque arrived Monday of last week for a visit with her brother, Ray Carter, and Mrs. Carter and was joined Saturday by her husband. Mr. and Mrs. Thompson returned to Albuquerque Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Watson and son expect to spend Thanksgiving Day in Roswell with Mrs. Watson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Askren. They will be accompanied by Roswell by Mr. and Mrs. Herman Crile, Jr., who will spend Thanksgiving with Mr. Crile's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Crile.

Walter Johnson of the Joyce Fruit Stores expects to leave Thursday for Abilene, where he will attend the Hardin-Simmons homecoming football game between the Howard Payne College of Brownwood, Tex., and Hardin-Simmons.

Mary Dixon, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Dixon, who has been a patient at the Southwestern General Hospital in El Paso for about two weeks where she is receiving treatment for an infection in the knee joint, is reported as improving with hopes of a permanent cure. However, it will be several weeks before she will be able to leave the hospital. Mrs. Dixon is in El Paso with her daughter.

Students attending the University of New Mexico in Albuquerque who will be home for the Thanksgiving vacation include Miss Eunice Cadell, Marshall Morris, Charles Baldwin and Preston Dunn. Calvin Dunn went to Albuquerque for them Wednesday.



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WHAT'S WHAT —in— NEW MEXICO

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

The state prison bloodhounds got their man, all right, but officials were wondering what man? The hounds, called out to chase down a supposed pig thief, quickly were howling at the heels of an unhappy quarry, who admitted having been near the pilfered pen, but denied having anything to do with the theft. Unable to find either pig or pork, police and State Cattle Inspector Paul Ragle confessed the dogs might have got the wrong trail. They continued the investigation.

The State Game Department has completed transfer of 26 head of elk from the Philmont Ranch near Cimarron to areas less plentifully supplied, State Game Warden Elliott Barker said. Sixteen head went to the Philturn Boy Scout area, three to an area near Logan and seven near Coolidge. A shipment of six Oklahoma elk was unloaded at Grants, making a total of 12 transplanted to that area, Barker announced.

Governor Miles was assured by Under Secretary of State Sumner Welles that the welfare of New Mexico copper producers and bean growers would be considered in negotiations for a trade agreement with Chile.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Ray Edge visited last week at the ranch home of their daughter, Mrs. J. D. Tidwell II, of Sierra Blanca, Tex.

Max Coll, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Max Coll of Roswell, is spending the Thanksgiving vacation visiting the Coll families here.

James Robert Luttrell, small son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Luttrell, was born Saturday weighing eight and a half pounds. Both mother and son are getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Max L. Edge spent several days last week in the home of Mrs. Edge's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Robinson, of Sierra Blanca, Tex.

Mr. and Mrs. Myron Mundell and two children of Tucumcari came last Thursday and visited Mrs. Mundell's brother, J. W. Johns, and Mrs. Johns and Stanley Caughron until Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Linell returned last week from a trip to Oklahoma, Texas and the Gulf Coast. They expected to spend the winter in San Antonio, Tex., but after a few weeks changed their plans and returned home.

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Miss Alma Sue Felix will spend Thanksgiving in Carlsbad with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Felix.

Mrs. A. C. Brown left Tuesday for Hobbs, where she will spend several days transacting business.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Yates III, are expected home today from a business trip to Oklahoma City and Fort Worth, Tex.

Miss Lucille Morris is spending the Thanksgiving vacation in Roswell, a guest in the home of her sister and family, Mrs. Joe Massie, Mr. Massie and Joan.

Miss Grace Shearman expects to spend the Thanksgiving holiday in Roswell with Miss Annie L. Snorf.

John Shearman of Whitewater, N. Mex., visited over the week end with his father, John S. Shearman, and Mrs. Shearman.

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For Little Children and "Kids" of All Ages

Checkers -----set 15c	Picture Books
Checkerboard ----10c	Your child will love to color these pictures . . .
Bingo; Ten Pins ---29c	5c and 10c
Playing Cards ----29c	Fully Dressed 16-in. Girl
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XMAS PARTY NEEDS . . .

Xmas Tablecloths and Napkins-----10c
12-in. Taper Candles-----each 5c
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Complete Assortment of Fresh Candies

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THANKSGIVING

Thanksgiving is a good word, carrying the best traditions of our country and its people among its connotations. Of course the word has been abused, but after all is said and done, we do have a very great deal for which to be thankful. There is hardly a citizen of any country that you might mention who would not be more than grateful for your home, your friends and your country.

Southwestern PUBLIC SERVICE Company

THANKSGIVING

318 YEAR OLD HOLIDAY

The first Thanksgiving feast was given after the Puritans' first harvest in 1621. It had no special religious significance. In 1623 an abundant rain followed a protracted drought "for which mercie . . . they . . . set apart a day of thanksgiving." The first Thanksgiving proclamation was issued in 1668 by the Plymouth authorities. The observance of thanksgiving days was common from then on . . . George Washington issued the first presidential Thanksgiving proclamation. In 1864, President Lincoln proclaimed "the last Thursday in Novmber" as Thanksgiving Day!

AGAIN . . . WE WANT TO THANK YOU AND YOU AND YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUED PATRONAGE. WE HOPE TO CONTINUE TO MERIT YOUR BUSINESS IN THE FUTURE AS IN THE PAST.

MAY YOUR THANKSGIVING DAY BE
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The Greatest Thrill Ever Shown in the Ocotillo, and one of the best pictures of the year. It's a \$1.00 Show For 21c

Historical Mix-up Regarding Dates Bursey's Problem

This scramble to tie up New Mexico's historical loose ends before 1940 and the Coronado Cuarto Centennial has Joseph Bursey, state tourist director, talking to himself.

Not the least of his troubles is the effective date of the Gadsden Purchase, when the flag of the United States was first raised over Mesilla.

The Tourist Bureau's Mesilla marker gives the date, based on Mesilla Chamber of Commerce authorities, as July 4, 1854.

Protests against the marker's date have been many and varied. Alternative dates have included July 5 and July 20, 1854, and Dec. 13, 1853.

George Fitzpatrick, editor of New Mexico Magazine, heckles Bursey with Nov. 15, 1854, based on a copy of an old army order directing Col. Miles to raise the flag over Mesilla "at noon this day."

But Wallace Perry, Las Cruces editor, front-paged a story on Nov. 16 at the eighty-fifth anniversary of the consummation of the purchase. He quoted "the history of the Gadsden Purchase" by Dr. Paul Neff Garber as his authority.

Bursey is convinced the date cannot be settled without bloodshed.

"I hope they shoot it out at 20 paces—but leave me alone," he muttered.

Nine members of the Stackpole family, hunting in woods near Biddeford, Me., took no chances with strangers. Other hunters were startled to find large printed signs tacked to trees in the vicinity reading: "Don't shoot, it may be a Stackpole."

Warehousemen claim 33-year-old Wilson Dunn is the fastest tobacco packer at Durham, N. C. But what amazes his admirers in the auction warehouses is that Dunn beats the others single-handed. He lost his left hand in a corn shredder 11 years ago.

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NOTICE OF PUBLICATION

Pursuant to Section 32-238, New Mexico Statutes Annotated, Codification of 1929. Notice is hereby given of the filing in the State Corporation Commission of New Mexico, of a Certificate of Incorporation of THE ARTESIA LUMBER COMPANY.

1. The amount of authorized capital stock is: 100 shares with par value of \$100 per share.

2. The names of the incorporators and their postoffice addresses are:

T. E. Johnson, Artesia, New Mexico; Helen H. Johnson, Artesia, New Mexico; T. C. Stromberg, Artesia, New Mexico.

3. The objects and purposes of the said corporation are: To buy and sell or otherwise to deal or traffic either wholesale or retail in lumber, sand, cement, iron, steel, builders, hardware, feed and general merchandise and all materials used in building, of every kind and character, whether of the same general nature as the items and articles specifically enumerated, etc., and as more fully specified in the Articles of Incorporation.

4. The principal place of business of the corporation is Artesia, New Mexico, and the name of the statutory agent therein, and in charge thereof, upon whom process against the corporation may be served is T. E. Johnson at Artesia, New Mexico.

5. Filed in the Office of the State Corporation Commission ad-

November 17, 1939. No. 21795 Cor. Rec'd. Vol. 5, Page 87, at 10:00 A. M.

STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION OF NEW MEXICO

By DON R. CASADOS, Acting Chairman. Certified Copy of Certificate of Incorporation has been recorded in the Office of County Clerk of Eddy County, Nov. 23, 1939, at 9 a. m. Book 4, Page 367.

MRS. R. A. WILCOX, County Clerk

(SEAL) 48-1tc

ORDINANCE NO. 51

AN ORDINANCE EMPLOYING NEIL B. WATSON AND O. O. ASKREN TO REPRESENT THE CITY OF ARTESIA, NEW MEXICO AS ITS ATTORNEYS IN THE CASE OF CAMPBELL VERSUS THE CITY OF ARTESIA ET AL AND FIXING THE COMPENSATION OF SUCH ATTORNEYS.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ARTESIA, NEW MEXICO:

SECTION 1.—That Neil B. Watson and O. O. Askren be, and they hereby are employed as attorneys to represent the city of Artesia, New Mexico in the trial in the District Court in the case of Owen Campbell versus the City of Artesia, New Mexico and others and that said attorneys receive the sum of five hundred dollars (\$500.00) for their services in representing City in said cause.

SECTION 2.—That this Ordinance shall be published once in The Artesia Advocate and in its issue of November 29, 1939 and shall be in full force and effect five (5) days after said publication.

PASSED, SIGNED, AND APPROVED this 20th day of November, 1939.

H. G. WATSON, Mayor

T. H. RAGSDALE, City Clerk

(SEAL) 48-1t

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF P. P. MANN, Deceased.

No. 945

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT OF ADMINISTRATOR.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN:

That the undersigned has been appointed administrator of the estate of P. P. Mann, deceased, and did qualify as such on the 24th day of November, 1939.

All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same as provided by law within six months from the 29th day of November, 1939, the date of the first publication of this notice, or said claims will be barred.

J. E. MANN, Administrator

(SEAL) 48-4t-51

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF MATTIE ELIZABETH GISSLER, DECEASED.

NOTICE OF HEARING OF PROOF OF AN INSTRUMENT PURPORTING TO BE THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF MATTIE ELIZABETH GISSLER, DECEASED.

No. 944

STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO: Ralph Robert Gissler, Elsie Gissler, and Howard Tell Gissler, the known heirs, devisees, legatees of Mattie Elizabeth Gissler, deceased, and all of the unknown heirs of said decedent, if living, and if dead, all of the unknown heirs of the unknown heirs of said decedent; and all unknown persons claiming any lien upon, or right, title or interest in and to the estate of said decedent, and to whom it may concern:

Notice is hereby given that an

instrument purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of Mattie Elizabeth Gissler, deceased, has been filed for probate in the Probate Court of Eddy County, New Mexico; That by order of said court the 6th day of January, 1940, at the hour of 2 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 the hearing of proof of said Last Will and Testament.

THEREFORE, any person or persons wishing to object to the probating of said last will and testament are hereby notified to file their objections in the office of the County Clerk and Ex-officio Probate Court of Eddy County, New Mexico on or before the aforesaid time for said hearing.

G. U. McCrary whose post office address is Artesia, New Mexico is attorney for said estate.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the County Clerk of Eddy County, New Mexico, this 18th day of November, 1939.

MRS. R. A. WILCOX, County Clerk

(SEAL) 47-4t-50

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

MARY HAMILTON AND GAIL HAMILTON PLAINTIFFS, VS. The Estate of Jesse T. (J. T.) Collins, deceased; Earl Collins; Mina Henderson, formerly Mina Collins; Jesse C. Paris, R. L. Paris, Mary L. Paris and William C. Paris, sons and daughter of Minerva Paris, deceased, formerly a daughter of said decedent, the unknown heirs at law of said Jesse T. (J. T.) Collins deceased, if living, and if dead, all of the unknown heirs of the unknown heirs of said Jesse T. (J. T.) Collins, deceased; and all the unknown claimants of interest in the property hereinafter described as Lots 10 and 12 in Block 17, Clayton & Stegman Addition to the City of Artesia, Eddy County, New Mexico, Defendants.

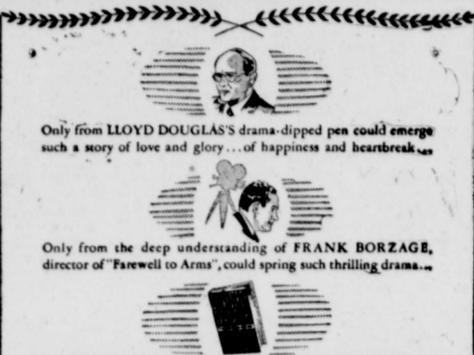
No. 7046

NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF SUIT

G. U. McCrary is attorney for Plaintiffs and his address is Artesia, Eddy County, New Mexico.

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THEREFORE, any person or persons wishing to object to the probating of said last will and testament are hereby notified to file their objections in the office of the County Clerk and Ex-officio Probate Court of Eddy County, New Mexico on or before the aforesaid time for said hearing.

G. U. McCrary whose post office address is Artesia, New Mexico is attorney for said estate.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the County Clerk of Eddy County, New Mexico, this 18th day of November, 1939.

MRS. R. A. WILCOX, County Clerk

(SEAL) 47-4t-50

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

MARY HAMILTON AND GAIL HAMILTON PLAINTIFFS, VS. The Estate of Jesse T. (J. T.) Collins, deceased; Earl Collins; Mina Henderson, formerly Mina Collins; Jesse C. Paris, R. L. Paris, Mary L. Paris and William C. Paris, sons and daughter of Minerva Paris, deceased, formerly a daughter of said decedent, the unknown heirs at law of said Jesse T. (J. T.) Collins deceased, if living, and if dead, all of the unknown heirs of the unknown heirs of said Jesse T. (J. T.) Collins, deceased; and all the unknown claimants of interest in the property hereinafter described as Lots 10 and 12 in Block 17, Clayton & Stegman Addition to the City of Artesia, Eddy County, New Mexico, Defendants.

No. 7046

NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF SUIT

G. U. McCrary is attorney for Plaintiffs and his address is Artesia, Eddy County, New Mexico.

WITNESS my hand and seal of said court at Carlsbad, Eddy County, New Mexico, this 15 day of November, 1939.

MRS. R. A. WILCOX, Clerk

(SEAL) 46-4t-49

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

HELEN M. BOWERS, KATHERINE BOWERS YATES, formerly Katherine J. Bowers, R. W. Fair, BERT ASTON, and C. N.

Anna Heath, L. E. Hedberg, and all unknown claimants of interest adverse to the plaintiffs in the premises hereinafter described; GREETING:

You, and each of you, are hereby notified that the above numbered action has been commenced and is now pending in the District Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, wherein the above named plaintiffs are plaintiffs, and you, and each of you, are defendants.

That the general objects of the action are as follows:

(a) To quiet title in the plaintiffs Helen M. Bowers and Katherine Bowers Yates, formerly Katherine J. Bowers, against all claims of the defendants to the following described interest in real estate in Eddy County, New Mexico, to-wit:

TRACT NO. 1: That certain oil and gas leasehold estate in the NW 1/4 SW 1/4 of Section 1, Township 18 South, Range 29 East, N. M. P. M., which was created and vested by the issuance of Lease No. B-5524 dated December 10, 1935, issued by the Commissioner of Public Lands of the State of New Mexico to W. S. Patterson as the lessee and thereafter assigned as to said NW 1/4 SW 1/4 of Section 1, Township 18 South, Range 29 East, by mesne assignments to Helen M. Bowers and Katherine J. Bowers.

TRACT NO. 2: That certain oil and gas leasehold estate in the SE 1/4 SE 1/4 of Section 11, Township 18 South, Range 29 East, N. M. P. M., which was created and vested by the issuance of Lease No. B-5524 dated December 10, 1935, issued by the Commissioner of Public Lands of the State of New Mexico to W. S. Patterson as the lessee and thereafter assigned as to said NE 1/4 SW 1/4 and SE 1/4 SW 1/4 of Section 2, and NE 1/4 SW 1/4 of Section 10, Township 18 South, Range 29 East, N. M. P. M., which was created and vested by the issuance of Lease No. B-5524 dated December 10, 1935, issued by the Commissioner of Public Lands of the State of New Mexico to W. S. Patterson as the lessee and thereafter assigned as to said NE 1/4 SW 1/4 and SE 1/4 SW 1/4 of Section 2, and NE 1/4 SW 1/4 of Section 10, Township 18 South, Range 29 East, N. M. P. 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Bulldog Reserves Down Roswell Seconds to Tune of 18 to 7 on Coyotes' Field Friday

(By Leon Bert)

The Artesia High School Bulldogs varsity was not needed to beat the Roswell High second string Coyote favorites in their Friday evening clash at Roswell, during which fans saw two powerful second strings pitted against each other. Coach Joe Greeno jerked the majority of his starters in the opening minutes allowing the subs to go in and defeat the coyote seconds by an 18-to-7 score on the Roswell field.

Bulldog play was sparked by the brilliant work of two sub backs, Bud Cleve and Charles Rogers, who held the spotlight. Halfback Cleve kept everyone gasping while he ripped off long yard-gaining runs one after another, while fullback Rogers was turning in a great defensive game when he wasn't tearing off needed first down yards through the Coyotes' line.

All scoring took place in the first half, with the Coyotes getting away early in the first period for their only score. The Bulldogs also scored once in that quarter with two following on long runs in the second stanza.

It looked bad for the Bulldogs when the Coyotes scored quickly after the opening kick-off and promptly proceeded to make the extra point. The score came after the Artesia starters were unable to check a fake play, Laster to English. English smashed his way from his own 32-yard line to the Bulldog 3-yard marker in ten straight plays to batter his way over for the score. A few seconds later on an off-tackle smash the Coyotes ran the ball over for the extra point on that disastrous fake with English totting.

At this point Coach Greeno sent in second stringers to replace the majority of his varsity.

It didn't look half so bad for the Bulldogs a short time later when John Rice, triple threat back, broke into the clear to gallop 57 yards for the Bulldogs' first score on an off-tackle smash. Cleve had ripped off three consecutive first downs with his brilliant running, to place the ball on the Artesia 43. Rogers' try for point was unsuccessful.

The Artesia lads then quickly sewed up the game, when Rice got away a nice 37-yard pass to Captain Harvey Burgess, who proceeded to gallop off the remaining 8 yards for the second Bulldog score early in the second stanza. This time Rogers' kick for extra point hit the right goal post, going outside.

It was Cleve all the way later in the period, when that second string half intercepted an enemy pass at midfield and with flying legs went over unmolested for the final score of the game, after clipping off a pretty 50-yard run. Rogers' try for point again failed and the half ended with the score 18 to 7 in favor of the Bulldogs.

Rogers pulled the Bulldogs out of a tough spot by recovering a Coyote fumble on first down on the Artesia 13-yard line midway in the third quarter, after the Coyotes had plowed their way deep into Artesia territory for a first and ten. No other scoring threats by either team were made in the period, with both elevens playing nip and tuck ball, usually kicking on late downs.

The Bulldogs' late scoring threat highlighted play in the final period. The threat came after Rogers, playing heads-up ball, again recovered an enemy fumbled lateral for the Bulldogs on Artesia's 20-yard line. Rice charged around right end on first down with the help of nice blocking by Gilchrist and McCasland, carrying to his own 46-yard line. Cleve was taken out of the game at this point on the recurrence of a foot injury. He was replaced by Ray Lewis, regular halfback. Lewis went wide around left end for a first and ten on first down. Rice added another first and ten to the cause, carrying to the Coyotes' 20-yard line on the next play. The game ended as Lewis banged left end to the enemy 14-yard line.

Dr. Robert Koch, a German physician, announced the discovery of the germ which causes tuberculosis (tubercle bacillus) in 1882.

New Mexico 4-H Boys to Attend Chicago Meet

Three New Mexico 4-H Club boys will attend the eighteenth annual 4-H Club congress to be held in Chicago Dec. 2-9, as the result of winning educational awards offered by the Santa Fe Railway System.

The New Mexican youths winning the coveted honor for outstanding club activity during the last year are Harold Grandi, Carlsbad; Connelly Bridges, Clovis; and Edwin Weir, Cunico. The awards are part of the railway's aim to encourage interest in farm development.

Sixty-one enterprising youngsters in 4-H Club work in eight states earned the railway awards this year, being chosen by agricultural institutions on the basis of individual records.

The New Mexico youths will be accompanied by the state club agent and they will be met at Chicago by officials of the Santa Fe. In addition to taking part in the 4-H congress these delegates will have the opportunity of viewing the International Livestock Show in the same city and another feature of their entertainment program will be a special breakfast to be held in the Harvey House as guests of the railway. Officials of the Santa Fe and farm leaders will take part in the breakfast program.

Thus far more than 1,000 4-H Club youths have been enabled to take part in the annual gatherings as a result of the railway's interest in their educational development.

Christmas seals serve two purposes: They decorate holiday mail and help fight tuberculosis.

When you buy and use Christmas seals, you help drive tuberculosis toward eventual eradication.

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WARRANTY DEEDS—
Joe A. Clayton to S. C. Collins et ux, 39x80 feet blk. 31, Fairview Add. to Artesia, \$40.

Allen Tipton et ux to Robert and Albert Calvani, S $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 29; SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 30; NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 32-22-28, \$10 &c.

D. F. Owen et ux to Hattie E. Paton, lot 12, blk. 21, Artesia Imp. Co., and lot 12, blk. 13, Chisum Add. to Artesia, \$10 &c.

Berry & Dexter Drilling Co. to General Supply Co., W $\frac{1}{2}$ S $\frac{1}{2}$ lot 8, blk. 17, orig town of Artesia, \$1,000.

Arthur C. Dimock et ux to J. E. Taylor, Jr., NE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 4-17-24, \$160.

Ollie Boyd et ux to W. R. Richardson, lot 14, blk. 11, Valley View Heights Add. to Carlsbad, \$10 &c.

W. E. Hellyer et ux to J. K. Cooper, N 60 feet lot 5, blk. 10, Greene's Highland Add. to Carlsbad, \$120.

Elsie Crumpler et ux to Opal McCollaum, lot 8, blk. 3, Greene's Highland Add. to Carlsbad, \$10 &c.

A. M. Brininstool et ux to Millard Queen, W $\frac{1}{2}$ W $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 32-22-27, \$1.

Ross M. Conner et ux to J. L. Briscoe, lots 3, 5 and 7, blk. 47, Artesia Improvement Co.'s Add. to Artesia, \$10 &c.

TAX DEEDS—
State Tax Commission to J. E. Walters, lots 7 and 8, blk. 20, F. H. Add. to Artesia, \$40.

State Tax Commission to Mrs. Nellie Cogdell, lots 15 and 16, blk. 13, Blair Add. to Artesia, \$60.

State Tax Commission to Jerry Mann, E 10 acres out of NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 22-19-25, \$10.64.

DEEDS—
State Tax Commission to J. E. Walters, lots 7 and 8, blk. 20 F. H. Add. to Artesia, \$40.

QUIT CLAIM DEEDS—
George Brantley, trustee to Robert and Albert Calvani, S $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 29; SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 30; NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 32-22-28, \$10 &c.

DISTRICT COURT—
No. 6998. Adeline Riley vs. William Spurck and Vada Spurck. Order of dismissal.

Kinda seems like th' more effort a gal puts into catchin a husband th' less she'll put into keepin' him.

Seven Recruits Are Accepted by Army

Seven young men have been accepted for enlistment in the United States Army from this area through the recruiting office at Roswell the last few days, Neal F. Marshall, sub-station commander there, has announced.

The recruits and their assignments: L. V. Pillers, Hagerman, Medical Department, William Beaumont General Hospital, El Paso; John B. Russell, Portales, Medical Department, Philippine Islands; Francis L. R. McAlpine, Hobbs, Air Corps, Hawaiian Islands; Herbert G. Tyson, Portales, Air Corps, Philippine Islands; Homer W. Lomax, Eunice, Signal Corps, Fort Bliss, Tex.; Raymond Brown, Roswell, Medical Department, William Beaumont General Hospital, El Paso; Brown F. Davidson, Roswell, Air Corps, Philippine Islands.

Shucks! These young mothers that have decided not to spank their kids ain't got any cause 't worry about it — school'll more'n likely even up th' score, an' if that misses life'll wallop him aplenty anyhow!

Diplomats are right valuable if

One out of six deaths among men between 20 and 40 years is caused by tuberculosis.

It is estimated that there are more than 500,000 active cases of tuberculosis in the United States.

Meditations Of Your Country Cousin

If we'd be only thankful for th' things we ain't in no ways deservin' we'd still have thanksgivin' every day in th' year!

Them that thinks th' kids ain't got any innards should remember that "age" is on th' tail end of "courage"—not th' beginnin'.

too much emphasis ain't put on th' last syllable.

Jake thinks th' devil sure must have a grudge against some of these fellers an' takes it out in sons-in-law!

It's just possible that th' way we resent that "home in the old country" attitude in th' folks that come to live in our neck of th' wood is a barometer of conceit instead of loyalty.

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NOTICE OF SALE

Of Real Property On Which Taxes Are Delinquent To Satisfy The Lien For Taxes, Penalties, Interest and Costs Due

State of New Mexico, County of Eddy

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Notice is hereby given that on the first Monday in December, being the 4th day of said month, 1939, at the front door of the courthouse in Carlsbad, Eddy County, New Mexico, commencing at the hour of 10:00 a. m., and continuing from day to day for a period of five days, unless all property delinquent for taxes shall sooner be sold, the undersigned County Treasurer by virtue of the power vested in me by law will offer for sale and sell at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash the lands and lots or parts of lots on which taxes are delinquent for the year 1938, as shown by the tax rolls of said county for said year, or so much thereof as may be necessary to realize the amount of taxes, penalties, interest and costs, unless the same be paid before the sale.

Witness my hand this the 10th day of November, 1939.

H. F. CHRISTIAN,

County Treasurer, Eddy County, New Mexico.

NOTICIA DE VENTA

De Propiedad En Que Tasaciones Se Han Tardado Para Satisfacer Las Obligaciones de Tasaciones, Pena Pecuniaria, Intereses Y Costa Que Se Deben

Estado de Nuevo Mexico, Condado de Eddy

A EL QUE LE INTERESA:

Noticia se da que en el primer Lunes de Diciembre siendo el dia 4 del mes antedicho del ano 1939 en la puerta de adelante de la casa de corte, en Carlsbad, condado de Eddy, Nuevo Mexico, comencern a las 10:00 de la manana y continuran desde dia en dia por cinco dias, si no todas las propiedades delincuentes por tasaciones se venderan antes, el tesorero abajo firmado del condado en virtud del poder establecido por la ley, ofrecera para venta y se vendera al publico venduta a el que ofreca mas dinero al contado el terreno y lotes o partes de lotes en que tasaciones estan tardas por el ano 1938, como ensenado por la lista de tasaciones del condado antedicho por el ano antedicho, a ten mucho de esto como sea necesario para que ganen la cantidad de tasaciones, pena, intereses y costas si no pagan lo mismo antes de la venta.

Atestado ante mi este, el 10 dia de Noviembre de 1939.

H. F. CHRISTIAN,

Tesorero del Condado de Eddy, Nuevo Mexico.

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FOR RENT—Trailer space. Lights and water furnished, \$8 per month. Ollie Akerman, 3/4 mile north of old Roswell highway. 48-2tp-49

FOR RENT—Bedroom for two men, with adjoining bathroom and toilet, all private; outside entrance. Apply Advocate office. 48-1tc

MISCELLANEOUS

LOANS for remodeling and refinancing. Long term loans, small monthly payments. Chaves County Building & Loan Assn., represented by E. A. Hannah. 42-1fc

SEE THE NAZARENE Missionary Society women for comfort tacking. Eleanor Clark. 45-4tp-48

FOR DRESS MAKING, alterations, tailored and machine button holes see Mrs. W. E. Fleming, 406 West Texas St. 46-4tc-49

HOME LOANS without red tape, through the Roswell Building and Loan Association. J. S. Ward, local representative. 203 W. Main, phone 173. 28-1f

LOST

LOST—Black Scottie dog, answers to "Zump." Reward. Mrs. Glenn Williams, Box 115, Artesia. 48-1tp

Oil Activity—

(continued from page 1)

Drilling at 1,440 feet.
L. E. Elliott, Elliott-Selby 1, SE 24-18-29.
Total depth 3,435 feet; shut down for orders.
Elliott & Taylor, Cannon 1, SW 4-19-30.
Total depth 3,209 feet; small show of oil at 3,205 feet; shut down for orders.
Everts Drilling Co., Grier 1, SE SE 31-16-31.
Drilling at 2,765 feet.
R. W. Fair, Shuler 1, SE SE 4-18-29.
Total depth 2,542 feet; preparing to test.
R. W. Fair, Brainard 3, NW SE 10-18-29.
Drilling at 600 feet.
Franklin, Ballard 2-B, SW NE 1-18-29.
Drilling at 1,760 feet.
Franklin Petroleum Co., Coppedge 1, NW 5-18-30.
Drilling at 3,280 feet.
Franklin, Masteller 1, NW NE 7-18-30.
Total depth 2,830 feet; shut down for orders.
Flynn, Welch & Yates, Langford 1, NE NW 9-18-29.
Drilling at 1,765 feet.
Hadlock & Randall, Shelby 1, SW SW 10-18-29.
Drilling at 2,535 feet.
Kersey & Co., Creek 1, NE NW 23-18-30.
Drilling at 3,168 feet.
C. J. Kleiner, Brookover 2, SW SE 4-18-29.
Total depth 2,543 feet; cleaning out after shot.
Leo Manning et al, McClay 1, NW NE 21-18-30.
Drilling at 2,730 feet; small shows of oil in sand at 2,573-88 feet.
McClure & Swift, State 1, NW NE 20-19-29.
Drilling at 2,000 feet.
Me-Tex, Stroup & Yates, Yates 3, NW SE 5-18-29.
Drilling at 2,500 feet.
Plains Development Co., Massie 1, SW SW 27-18-29.
Total depth 3,235 feet; sulphur water at total depth; plugged back and shot from 2,490 to 2,550 feet with 250 quarts nitro; cleaning out.
Premier, Beeson 3-F, SE SW 31-17-30.
Drilling at 2,215 feet.
Underwood & Sanders, Guy 1-N, SW SE 9-18-29.
Drilling at 360 feet in new hole.
Franklin, Yates 4-A, NE NE 6-18-30.
Total depth 2,850 feet; cleaning out after shot.
Premier, Beeson 4-F, NE SW 31-17-30.
Rigging up.
Sy Pitman, State 1, SW SW 16-16-29.
Drilling at 730 feet.
Sam Weiner, Hess 1, SE SE 9-16-29.
Drilling at 110 feet.
Dave Elder, Hess 1, SW NW 21-16-29.
Drilling at 650 feet.
Thomas & Bowers, Etz 1, SW NW 13-16-30.
Location.

Cottonwood Items

(Ora Buck)

J. W. Buck of here received a nice shipment of shrubbery recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Huffmaster of Artesia visited with friends on Cottonwood Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Bradley of Cottonwood visited relatives and friends in Roswell Sunday.

Ray Zumwalt's brother of Nogal, N. Mex., was a visitor in the Zumwalt home one day last week.

Charlie Powell of Upper Cottonwood has been shipping out a lot of feed the last week.

W. T. Holman of near Artesia was a visitor on Cottonwood Friday.

Quite a few were present for the assembly at Cottonwood school gym Wednesday of last week given by Mrs. Ben Marable's room.

Jess Funk of this community was transacting business in Santa Fe last week. He returned to his home Saturday.

Miss Esthel Johnson of the health office in Carlsbad was a visitor in the Cottonwood school one day last week.

Mrs. John Buck received word last week that her niece, Bertha Hobbs, of near Malaga, was quite ill of scarlet fever.

John Havens of Lake Arthur was attending to business matters in Artesia Nov. 22. He also was transacting business in Carlsbad one day recently.

The seventh and eighth grade boys who take manual training received \$31 worth of carpenter tools recently. They are getting along nicely with this work.

Oscar Pearson of the Cottonwood community left early Sunday morning for a visit with relatives at Rock Island and Woodhull, Ill., and Flint, Mich., where he will purchase a new car.

Mr. and Mrs. Alva Southard attended an aluminum supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Southard of near Lake Arthur on Monday night, Nov. 20. They reported a fine supper and a very interesting demonstration.

Those who are playing on the Cottonwood basketball team this season are Gene Felton, Terry Ray Buck, forwards; Ed Taylor, Jr., center; Raymond Brooks and Buddy Taylor, guards. Substitute players are H. V. Parker, Jr., Grover Layman and Gene Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Terry of this community and Mr. Terry's sister, Mrs. N. R. tStroud, who has been visiting them, left Nov. 22 for Altus, Okla., Mrs. Stroud's home. They will visit relatives in Ross-ton, Okla., and Englewood, Kan., before Mr. and Mrs. Terry return home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Zumwalt of here had as their guests Wednesday night of last week, Mrs. Zumwalt's sister and her husband, Mrs. L. Pruitt, and Mr. Pruitt, of Carlsbad. Mr. and Mrs. Zumwalt's little son, Perry, accompanied his uncle and aunt home for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Crook of Lake Arthur entertained at their home on Nov. 21 with a birthday dinner honoring Juanita Sue Boyce of Hagerman on her third birthday. Those who enjoyed this event with Juanita Sue were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Boyce and Francis Boyce and Thomas Arthur Crook.

The Rev. A. D. Jameson filled his regular appointment at the Cottonwood church Sunday with a nice crowd in attendance. It was announced the first quarterly conference will be held at the Cottonwood church Sunday night, Dec. 17.

Miss Laurene Nelson, a 4-H Club delegate to the national convention in Chicago, leaves Roswell Nov. 29, it was announced. Miss Nelson was winner of the state dress review held for state 4-H Club members at the annual conference at Las Cruces in August. Miss Nelson is known on Cottonwood and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nelson of Roswell. Mrs. Nelson is a cousin of Mrs. Jesse I. Funk of this place.

Mrs. Roy Denzel Lambert, Jr., a recent bride, was named honoree for a beautiful surprise shower Tuesday afternoon by Mrs. Tom Terry at her attractive home on Cottonwood, when about forty friends presented Mrs. Lambert

Cotton Sales Are Increasing Under Program of Export

Sales and deliveries of cotton and cotton products through Nov. 15 under the cotton export program totaled approximately 3,700,000 bales, according to Fred O'Cheskey, member of the New Mexico state conservation committee. Included in the total are sales and deliveries of cotton products equivalent to about 187,000 bales. The cotton export program has been in effect since last July 27.

Exporters, under the program, have the option of declaring either their sales for export or their actual deliveries for export. The current total, consequently, does not include sales which have not yet been exported and which exporters have chosen to declare at the time of delivery for export.

Payments of 1 1/2 cents a pound on exports of raw cotton and equivalent payments on exports of cotton products are provided under the program.

From the beginning of the 1939 marketing season, Aug. 1, to Nov. 15 the total quantity of cotton shipped out of the United States amounted to 2,057,382 bales, compared with 1,387,723 bales for the same period in 1938.

For the period from Nov. 1 through Nov. 15, exports amounted to 414,000 bales, or 117,000 bales more than for the same period in November, 1938.

PASO BOOSTERS WILL VISIT HERE ON TRIP

El Paso and Sun Carnival boosters will begin a goodwill swing through West Texas and Eastern New Mexico, including Artesia, Dec. 5. Towns to be visited will be told of the forthcoming Southwestern Sun Carnival and Sun Bowl football game.

About seventy El Paso businessmen will make the tour.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Champion of Carlsbad will be guests on Thanksgiving in the home of Mrs. Champion's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Rowland.

with many useful gifts for the home. Many additional gifts were sent by friends who were unable to attend. The hostess served refreshments to the guests, Mrs. Larry Knoedler, Mrs. G. G. Golden, Mrs. J. A. Clayton, Jr., and Mrs. Orval Gray.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Vowell of the Cottonwood have had their guest for a few days the last week their daughter, Mrs. Lee Vowell, Mr. Vowell, and small son, Claude, of Longview, Tex., and Mrs. J. C. Brickhouse of Big Spring, Tex., and Mr. and Mrs. Tige Vowell of Maljamar, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bajoneard and little son of Eldorado, Tex. Their guests left Thursday afternoon for Maljamar, where they will visit their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Dru Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Pearson of here were hosts at a dinner given in their lovely country home on Cottonwood Sunday. Those who enjoyed this occasion with Mr. and Mrs. Pearson were their son, Clarence Melvin, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ingram and small daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Pearson and children, Mrs. Zelma Thompson, all of here, Mrs. Hans Olson and Miss Ruth Bjorkholm, a nurse in the Artesia hospital.

The Cottonwood Community Extension Club met Nov. 22 at the home of Mrs. D. A. Bradley. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Fred Chambers. A general business meeting was held during which time election of officers was held for the coming year with the following result: Mrs. Chambers, president; Mrs. O. B. Montgomery, vice president; Mrs. Bob O'Bannon, secretary and treasurer, and Mrs. Glenn O'Bannon, club reporter. Two newcomers were added to the membership: Mrs. Jack Fowler and Mrs. Gene Conner. The December meeting will be a Christmas party at the lovely new home of Mrs. Bob O'Bannon, each member and guest to take a 25-cent present to the party. At the close of the meeting, the hostess served refreshments of pumpkin pie, sandwiches and cocoa to eleven present.

Hope Items

(Marjorie Johnson)

Tommy Buchanan of Roswell was here visiting friends Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Teague are here from Carlsbad visiting Mr. and Mrs. Chester Teague.

Members of the Methodist Church have installed a new light plant in the church.

The schools were dismissed Wednesday afternoon until Monday for the Thanksgiving holidays.

John Teel and Raymond Teel have been making a trip to Roswell each day for Raymond, who is receiving medical treatments.

Mrs. A. C. Kling of Roswell spent several days of last week here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bill Glasscock.

Mrs. Glenn Curd and children, Glenn and Maxine, arrived here over the week end from Auburn, Calif., to spend two months with Mrs. Curd's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Lovejoy.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Bush were called to Superior, Ariz., Nov. 19 because of the death of her brother, Marvin Burnam, who was killed in a car accident.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Coats left Tuesday for Kerns, Tex., where Mrs. Coats will be placed under the care of a doctor. Mrs. Winnie Smith, sister of Mrs. Coates, who had been here visiting, returned with them to Kerns, which is her home.

At a P. T. A. executive committee meeting held at the home of Mrs. Ed McAuliffe last Thursday afternoon, plans were made to introduce a recreation program for the community. The program will consist of an evening's entertainment at the gym once a week. Further plans will be announced later.

A Thanksgiving program was to be presented at the school gym Wednesday evening by the grade school. After the program the junior class was to sponsor a pie supper to raise funds for the junior-senior banquet. The program: Thanksgiving play, "Thanksgiving Long Ago," the second and third grades, directed by Mrs. Massid; a number by the primary rhythm band, "November," under the direction of Marjorie Johnson; a play, "The First Thanksgiving," by the fourth and fifth grades, directed by Alma Lane. Jessie Young was to present the sixth, seventh and eighth grades in two plays, "Thanksgiving Spirit" and "Thanksgiving Lesson."

Mr. and Mrs. Don Riddle and Mr. and Mrs. Ode Ludlow drove to Dexter Saturday evening to attend a basketball game between Lake Arthur and Dexter. The game was won by Lake Arthur. Dexter will meet the Hope team on the Hope floor Friday evening, Dec. 1, in the first game of the season for the Hope boys. In the last three years each of the two teams has won three games. The first game of the season at Hope will break this tie. All basketball fans are urged to attend the first game Friday evening, because the next home game will be played here Dec. 20, then there will not be another game at home until Jan. 30 when Hope will play Cloudcroft here.

Mrs. Orlin Parker, Delma Wood before her marriage Nov. 6, was the honor guest at a bridal shower given at the home of Mrs. Lee

FIRE DAMAGES SMALL RESIDENCE ON FRIDAY

A small combination residence and shed in the alley between Fifth and Sixth Streets and Quay and Richardson, behind the Sanders residence, was damaged badly by fire Friday afternoon from an unknown cause.

No one was at home at the time of the fire and firemen had to break in to extinguish the flames, which ruined the furnishings.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Wilson of Estancia will be guests Thanksgiving Day in the home of Mr. Wilson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Wilson, and family.

Payne Monday by Mrs. Joe Young, Mrs. Anderson Young and Mrs. Payne. The twenty-one guests, who were present for the afternoon affair, were entertained part of the afternoon by playing Chinese checkers. The remaining time was spent sewing for the bride. The attractive articles made at the party were dish cloths, pot holders and dish towels. Hot chocolate and white cake, decorated with rosebuds made of pink icing, were served to the guests by Barbara Williams and Dizie Helen Parker. Many lovely gifts were presented to the bride. Guests were: Mrs. Will Keller, Edna Wood, Mary Lou Harrison, Mrs. Jack Cowan, Mrs. Hilary White, Jr., Mrs. Emmett Potter, Mrs. Jim Banta, Mrs. Hilary White, Sr., Mrs. Joe Parker, Mrs. Lyle Hunter, Mrs. Phil Smith, Mrs. Wayne Coalson, Mrs. Velmon Autry, Mrs. George Teel and Mrs. Newt Teel.

Mrs. George Teel and Mrs. Andy Teel were joint hostesses at the George Teel farm home last Thursday evening at a "hen" party, to which forty people were invited. Each brought a hen which was sold and the money was placed in a fund to buy a Thanksgiving gift for the minister of the Methodist Church. The gift was a new suit. The guests enjoyed the evening playing Chinese checkers and "forty-two." A delicious refreshment plate of pumpkin pie, sandwiches, stuffed celery and hot chocolate and coffee was served. Guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Hilton Cole, John Teel, Virgil Craig, John Ward, Dick Carson, Ed McAuliffe, Chester Teague, Velmon Autry, Ode Ludlow, Charley Cole, Floyd Cole, Mrs. Annie Allen, Mrs. E. O. Traylor, Mrs. Bryant Williams, Mrs. Bill Glasscock, and Mrs. A. O. King of Roswell, the hosts and hostesses, Mr. and Mrs. George Teel, and Mr. and Mrs. Andy Teel and the honoree, the Rev. H. J. Norris, and Mrs. Norris.

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worked out a number of details in regard to the game and Louis Blackburn, president, appointed committees to handle the ticket sale, finances and the like.

The advance ticket campaign will be in charge of Dr. L. F. Hamilton, the Rev. John S. Rice and Jim Ferguson, with the president serving as an ex-officio member of the committee.

In Artesia the ticket sale will be conducted by Dr. Wainright Miller, Dr. Lawrence Clarke, Herman Crile and Howard Williams.

Tickets are to be \$1.10 for adults and 55 cents for school children, including tax, and will be on sale at the three local drug stores, the Artesia Hotel and the Smoke House.

P. V. Morris was appointed game manager, H. G. Watson and V. D. Bolton are to serve as the finance committee and Blackburn and Pot Bert as the publicity committee.

Sheriff Howell Gage is to be asked to furnish a dozen members of the Eddy County Sheriff's posse, a group of honorary deputy sheriffs, to serve as special police.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our appreciation for the kindness and sympathy shown at the death of our wife and mother.—W. F. Allen, Crowell Allen and family. 48-1tp

Grandson Born in England to Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Schnoor

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Schnoor, who returned Sunday from a trip to Houston, Tex., where they looked after property interests, found awaiting them at Artesia a letter from their daughter, Neva Mary Davies, telling of the arrival of a son, Emlyn Bernard, second son of Mr. and Mrs. Davies, who reside in England.

The elder of their two children, Keith, aged 3 1/2 years, had been looking forward to having a baby sister, and after a long speculative look at the baby remarked optimistically, "Oh, well, he may turn into a girl later on," the letter said.

Mr. Davies is at present the foreman of a crew of men that are camouflage an army camp somewhere in England. Mr. and Mrs. Davies are caring for six evacuees from London in their home, they wrote.

LICENSES FOR 1940 GO ON SALE DEC. 1

License plates for 1940 in New Mexico will go on sale Dec. 1, the State Highway Department has notified distributors. The department likewise sent out state instructions that no checks will be accepted.

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