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Possibility of Anti-Tank Unit Is Seen for Artesia

Big Increase In School Roll Is Unexplained

In Spite of Supposed Fall in Population, 178 More Students Are Registered Now Than at End First Week Last Year.

In spite of a reported shrinkage in the population the last few months due to decreased activities in the oil fields, the Artesia public schools are facing a worse housing problem than a year ago. W. E. Kerr, superintendent of schools, reported this morning.

At the close of school Wednesday, Kerr said, there had been an increase in enrollment after only two days of 178 over the enrollment at the end of the first week of school last year.

The total on the rolls of the two schools last evening was 1,322, as compared with 1,144 at the end of the first week a year ago.

Of the increase, thirty-eight were in Junior-Senior High School and 140 in Central School, Kerr said his figures showed.

The superintendent said it had been expected the enrollment this year would be less than a year ago, because of the supposed falling off recently in the city's population. This was supposed to have started several months ago, when the export from the Eddy County oil field was curtailed and the Loco Hills pool became nearly drained out about the same time.

No explanation for the increased enrollment could be given by Kerr, who said it was quite unexpected.

Four elementary teachers were added to the faculty this year in order to relieve the crowded classroom situation experienced last year. But the increase has made the situation more serious than before, Kerr said.

The same condition has been found elsewhere in the state, the superintendent said, likewise from an unexplained cause. He has been in touch with Carlsbad, where the condition exists.

Valley Electric Coop Gets \$12,000 More Allotment

An additional allotment of \$12,000 has been made by the Rural Electrification Administration to the Central Valley Electric Cooperative, Inc., directors said this week, when making announcement of the annual membership meeting, to be held in the auditorium of Artesia Junior-Senior High School at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon.

Of the amount, \$15,000 was allocated for making loans to the coop members for irrigation equipment. The other \$2,000 is for house wiring and plumbing, in order to bring conveniences to rural homes and make them modern.

This allotment was designed to take care of pressure systems and bathroom fixtures.

William D. Scoats, irrigation engineer, is here to supervise the spending of the \$15,000. It is to be used only for the highest efficiency pumping installations.

They must be efficient, directors said, in order to be economical.

Scoats will supervise well testing and adapting the correct pump units to be used.

Twin Canteloupes Grown on Stroup Farm on Display

Twin canteloupes growing from a common stem were brought to The Advocate office early this week by Dewey Barton, who said it was raised by a Mr. Wells on the Howard Stroup farm.

Apparently there is a complete fusion of the two canteloupes at the stem end, but they developed into separate parts near the bottom, or blossom, end, where two blossom scars are visible.

The freak of the vegetable kingdom was placed in The Advocate hands for several days this week.

and Mrs. Howard Stroup and Church, Mrs. Kenneth Williams electrical enjoyable day of outing Misses canteloupes Sunday.

Open Antelope, Pheasant Seasons Are Announced

The State Game and Fish Department Saturday announced the antelope and pheasant seasons and designated the areas for each.

Antelope permits will be limited this year to 640, the bag again was set at one buck and the deadline for making permit applications was made 10 o'clock Wednesday, Sept. 18.

The antelope areas and dates:

Sept. 28-30—Magdalena-Beaverhead and Engle.

Oct. 4-6—Alamogordo, White Signal-Separ and Bar Y ranch near Santa Rosa.

Oct. 11-13—East of Roswell, J. Lane and J. P. White ranches; west of Roswell, Flying H and Treat ranches and Border Hill; the Bell ranch.

Pheasant areas, Oct. 20-21:

Eddy and Chaves Counties, east of the range line between ranges 21 and 22 east.

Sandoval, Bernalillo, Valencia, Socorro, Sierra and Dona Ana Counties, within the Rio Grande Valley.

Hidalgo, in the Gila River Valley from Red Rock Box Canyon to Arizona.

San Juan County.

Peppers Take First Game in Post-Season Go

In the first of a three-game post-season softball series Wednesday evening between the season champion Malco team and the Dr. Peppers, runners-up, the latter took the long end of a score of 25 to 14.

The game started off close, with both teams making four runs in the first inning, but the Dr. Peppers gradually crept up and ran away in the sixth inning with five runs, taking a wide lead which they increased inning by inning. The game was marked by errors of both teams.

The two teams played a series for the second half season championship last week, two straight of which were taken by Malco to win the half season and the season honors. Malco previously had won the first half without losing a game.

Managers of the two teams emphasized that the series this week is not being played in protest, as has been said, the rumor growing out of a little unpleasantness at last week's contests. The games were scheduled merely for some post-season fun between the two top-ranking teams in the Artesia Softball League.

Entries Coming in Well for Regatta M'Millan Sunday

Better Races Than Before Are Predicted, as Drivers Tune Up

Entries for the Pecos Valley Boat Club's second runabout regatta on Lake McMillan are coming in nicely, Vic Jones, secretary-treasurer, said this morning, and with three days yet to go he believed there should be good races in each of the seven horsepower classes, as well as the free-for-all.

Jones is tabulating the entries for the Roswell and Carlsbad areas are being sent in respectively by Vice Commodore Dwight McNally and Rear Commodore F. T. White. Commodore Jim Ferguson of Artesia said members are using the experience gained at the previous regatta in planning to speed up the events Sunday, which he believed will attract a larger crowd than before, when it was estimated 800 to 1,000 persons lined the lake banks for the fun.

The regatta rules are that a boat carrying a motor of any horsepower may be entered in any race of greater horsepower, if the owner thinks he has a fast enough craft to compete.

The classes have been divided into 3, 5½, 10, 18, 22 and 33 horsepower. Besides there will be a

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Must Make Farm Tenant Application In Next Few Days

Eddy County tenant farmers, sharecroppers and farm laborers have only a few more days in which to turn in applications for the purchase of a farm under the Bankhead-Jones Tenant Purchase Act.

Blanks can be obtained at the Chamber of Commerce office in Artesia and at the Farm Security Administration office in the Eddy County courthouse in Carlsbad.

All farmers who are interested should fill in one of these applications as soon as possible, advised Paul W. Ball, county supervisor.

Five New Oil Well Locations in Eddy Fields Reported

Addison, Ginsberg No. 3-A. Is Only Completion in the County

Only one completion was reported this week in the Eddy County oil fields, but five new locations indicated an increase in the activities, which have been somewhat curtailed the last few weeks.

The completion was of Ginsberg No. 3-A of Addison Oil Company in NW NE section 17-18-31, which flowed 104 barrels of oil in eight-hour tests. Total depth was 3,183 feet.

New locations in Eddy County: F. E. Baker, Root 1, SE NW 12-17-29; Thomas & Flint, Root 1, NE NE 12-17-29; Premier, Beeson 4-B, NE SW 27-17-30; Bassett & Birney, Platt 2, SW SW 26-18-26; (Continued on last page, col. 4)

Hope and Magdalena School Heads Swap Their Jobs and Homes

A swap between the superintendents of schools at Hope and Magdalena the last week brings Rufus Stinnett, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Arba Green of Artesia, to the West Eddy County town.

Odie E. Ludlow, former superintendent at Hope, and Stinnett resigned their respective positions and were appointed for each other's former jobs. The two men also "swapped" their homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Stinnett and little daughter, Rosemary, moved to Hope last week and Stinnett now is in charge of the school there.

TONSILS, NOT APPENDIX, WHICH BALDWIN LOST

Charles (Chuck) Baldwin, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Baldwin, was not as bad off as was indicated in last week.

In fact, had it been the latter, he probably would not have been able to leave Tuesday of this week for Albuquerque to resume his studies at the University of New Mexico. But he did, going with Irvin Martin, a juror in Federal Court from here, who was on his way there to serve.

Bulldog Squad Is Twenty-Six Likely Lookers

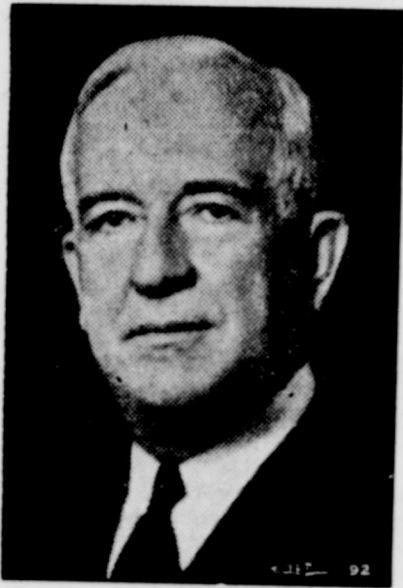
Coaches Greeno, Thompson Are Grooming Lads for Season—Opens at Hobbs Sept. 13—Many New Prospects.

Twenty-six likely looking Bulldog squad candidates have answered the call for football practice issued by Coaches Joe Greeno and Alan Thompson and are now hard at work on the job of building a team for 1940. The call was issued Aug. 26 but practice did not get fully under way until school opened Tuesday.

Practice is now going full blast and the boys are getting into shape for the coming grind. The first scrimmage is scheduled to be held

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Speaks in Artesia



REP. JOHN J. DEMPSEY

Democratic candidate for nomination for United States senator, who addressed several hundred persons at Morris Field Friday evening, after being guest of honor at a banquet.

Tex Henson Is Recipient of New Plated Golf Bag

As an aftermath of the city open golf tournament, R. M. (Tex) Henson, champion, has been presented a splendid golf bag with name plate. But he will have to wait until next winter at the annual banquet of the Artesia Golf Club to receive his trophy.

Bill Linell, runner-up and six-time golf champion, including last year, has as an extra prize \$10 in golf equipment.

The winners of each flight will receive trophies, as well as other prizes, some of which will go to other players in the tournament. The forty-four other prizes were presented by the merchants of Artesia.

The only two final games which were not played in time for last week's issue, have been played. They were the consolation matches of the first and third flights. In the former Harold Crozier won 2-1 over C. A. Baker and in the latter C. Graham won 1-up over Lum Richards, Jr.

In the driving contest on the club course Sunday, Dr. R. A. Crouch took first place with an average of 189 yards, driving into the wind. Only three contestants managed to keep all three balls on the fairway. Second went to Floyd Springer, who averaged 174 yards and Bob Bourland was third with an average of 165 yards.

An approach and putting contest is planned by the club for the near future.

Rotarians and Anns Attend Inter-City Meeting at Roswell

The Artesia Rotary Club was represented last Thursday evening at an inter-city Rotary meeting in Roswell by sixteen members, fourteen of whom had their Rotary Anns along, among more than 200 Rotarians and their wives, who enjoyed the affair at the home of Col. and Mrs. D. C. Pearson on the New Mexico Military Institute campus.

Guests also were present from Alamogordo, Clovis, Fort Sumner, Hobbs and Lovington, N. Mex.; San Angelo and El Paso, Tex., and Tulsa, Okla.

Representing Artesia were Mr. and Mrs. Neil B. Watson, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Dexter, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Ward, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. W. Leslie Martin, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Mahoney, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Watson, Dr. and Mrs. D. N. Schneberg, Mr. and Mrs. P. V. Morris, Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Spratt, Mr. and Mrs. D. I. Clowe, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Blue, Mr. and Mrs. George Frisch, W. W. Myers and Frank Smith.

New Mexico Oil Important in Preparedness

Dempsey Cites Petroleum Industry in State as Related to National Defense—Senate Candidate Visits Here Friday.

Congressman John J. Dempsey, speaking Friday evening to several hundred persons at Morris Field as he visited Artesia on a swing over the state, touched on legislation of interest to the voters and stressed the great part the petroleum industry in New Mexico is destined to play in the nation's preparedness program, insisting, however, that it must have ample protection against demoralization by foreign competition as part of the national policy.

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LEAVE TO ATTEND STAR MEETING ON WEST COAST

Mr. and Mrs. Arba Green plan to leave Friday for San Francisco, where they will attend the triennial international convention of the Order of the Eastern Star and to visit friends and relatives.

Mr. Green is a past grand patron of New Mexico, as well as being a past patron, and Mrs. Green is a past matron. They expect to be gone about two weeks.

Robert B. Porter Dies Last Thursday In Hospital Here

Robert B. Porter, 68, of 1002 Washington Street died in Artesia Memorial Hospital last Thursday after having been an invalid for some time.

Funeral services were held from the First Baptist Church at 3 o'clock Friday afternoon by the Rev. S. M. Morgan, pastor. Burial was in Woodbine Cemetery.

Mr. Porter is survived by his aged wife, who also is an invalid.

He was born July 20, 1871, at Lemasco, Ky., and had lived in Eddy County the greater part of the last eighteen years.

Legion Cuts Out Ambitious Program For Coming Year

Enlarged Hut, Boys' Drum and Bugle Corps, National Defense Discussed

Clarence Kepple Post No. 41, American Legion, of Artesia is starting out the fall season with new vigor, after taking it fairly easy during the summer months.

Members meeting at the hut Monday evening outlined a number of activities which should keep the World War I veterans busy during the coming months.

Jobs cut out for the members in the near future include the enlargement of the hut, plans for which are being worked out by a committee; the formation of a Sons of the Legion drum and bugle corps, the annual membership drive and the annual fall barbecue and dance, which will mark the

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Greeno Announces Football Officials For Current Season

Officials for the Bulldog home football games this season were announced this week by Coach Joe Greeno.

They are Hugh Donald Burch of Artesia, "Doc" Ledbetter of Hagerman and Jay (Red) Lewis of Carlsbad.

However, Burch said Wednesday he intends to move in about a month to Plainview, Tex., to make his home, so a substitution will have to be made before the end of the season.

PAUL SHELTON IS ILL OF PNEUMONIA

Paul Shelton is quite ill in a San Angelo, Tex., hospital of pneumonia, where he was taken while on a trip with Mrs. Shelton. They had been to Fort Worth, Tex., over the double holiday. Mrs. Shelton has returned home in order to keep things moving at the Sprouse-Reitz Company store, of which Mr. Shelton is manager. Mr. Shelton's condition was considered much worse Wednesday; however, he is very much improved this morning.

Move to Natural Nationalism Need, Booker Advocates

He and Miss Brooks Address Rotary Tuesday at Weekly Meet

A movement back to natural nationalism was advised by Grady Booker Tuesday noon, when he addressed the Rotary Club on "Education in the Public School."

Booker, a former school superintendent and college instructor, shared the program with Miss Katherine Brooks, new Artesia school music teacher, and the two presented one of the most interesting programs heard at civic club meetings here in a number of months. Both, by coincidence, stressed the fact that there has been something wrong in teaching methods, Miss Brooks confining her remarks to the teaching of music, but Booker enlarging on the subject and confessing that he was one who advocated the type of teaching practiced in the past, which he sees today was wrong.

"We have lost something in the schools through the pre-determined program in the public schools," he said, adding that the schools took something from the church, the home and social institutions. "We debunked our heroes," he said, "and now we have no soul

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Contends First Well to West of Pecos Was His

Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Brown of Oklahoma City, who homesteaded on the Cottonwood in 1903, arrived here last week to look after business interests and Mr. Brown, who called Saturday at The Advocate office, contended that he drilled the first oil well west of the Pecos in 1925.

The well, known as the old Brown well, is in the Dayton area and did produce many barrels of oil. However, it never was considered a commercial well. The first commercial well was the Yates discovery, brought in a few weeks ago.

But Brown claims the honor, and he can back up his claim, for the old Brown well, although it also flowed water, did produce considerable quantities of petroleum over a number of years. Probably had it been properly cased, there would have been a well-developed field on this side of the Pecos years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown have kept in touch with the oil business in this locality, as well as other activities of the community over the years through The Advocate, they said. And they couldn't get along without it, they added.

Bulldog Boosters To Meet Friday For Organization

A reorganization meeting for the Bulldog Boosters among old members and anyone else interested in high school athletics has been called for 7 o'clock Friday evening at the city hall by the Rev. John Rice, vice president and acting president.

The Rev. Mr. Rice urged that as many of the old members and potential new members as possible be present Friday, as the time is short until the first game of the season of the Artesia Bulldogs.

The squad will go to Hobbs Friday, Sept. 13, at which time it is hoped a number of Bulldog Boosters will accompany them in order to help start them off to a successful season.

It is expected at this time that a membership drive will be organized at the meeting and that members of the membership committee will go to work early next week in order to have as large a roster as possible prior to the Hobbs game.

However, the drive will be extended after that time, the acting president predicted, swelling the membership for the first home game, which will be played against Alamogordo on Morris Field Friday evening, Sept. 13.

Officers for the coming year will be elected at the meeting Friday.

On Preferred List of Cities For Companies

Roswell Is Sure—Three of Six Others to Be Chosen Soon for the 104th Battalion, New Mexico National Guard.

Artesia is being mentioned prominently for a unit of the newly assigned 104th Anti-Tank Battalion of the New Mexico National Guard, which is slated for a year's active duty starting Dec. 15.

Although not yet organized, assignment for duty has been made, to bring to about 800 the number of National Guardsmen in the state to be placed in training, according to Adj. Gen. R. C. Charlton, who was quoted in the state press yesterday in dispatches from Santa Fe.

Of four cities, at which the new units are to be stationed, only Roswell has been designated. Being considered for the other three, besides Artesia, are Raton, Tucumcari, Hobbs, Portales and Alamogordo. Inspection of the cities has started.

Immediately yesterday upon receipt of the news here of the possibility such a unit might be assigned to Artesia, a number of individuals and organizations telegraphed Gen. Charlton and Gov. John E. Miles, asking that every consideration be given this city.

It was pointed out here that the proximity to Roswell, where the nucleus unit will be located, would be to the advantage of both units, that they could work hand in hand

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Floyd T. Kennedy, Out for Congress, Will Speak Here

Floyd T. Kennedy of Portales, Democratic candidate for Congress, will speak in Artesia at 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon. It was not learned where the speaking would be.

Kennedy, who served four years as assessor of Roosevelt County prior to entering the State House of Representatives, in which he brought out much of the outstanding legislation since that time, feels he could serve the state well in Washington.

The candidate introduced the first old-age pension measure in New Mexico. He was an exponent of the state-wide primary law, and in 1935 and 1937 introduced such measure.

During his years in the House and prior to that time as a staunch Democrat Kennedy has stood for progressive measures and those measures which were for the betterment of the people of New Mexico. He plans to discuss a number of these measures when he speaks here Saturday afternoon.

Civil Service Makes Announcement of Job On Carlsbad Project

The United States Civil Service Commission has announced an open competitive examination for the position of foreman (irrigation), for filling a vacancy in the Bureau of Reclamation, Department of the Interior, Carlsbad reclamation project, Carlsbad.

Applications must be on file with the manager, Thirteenth U. S. Civil Service District, 416 Post Office Building, Denver, Colo., before the close of business on September 16, 1940.

Full further information may be obtained from the secretary, Board of U. S. Civil Service Examiners, Post Office Building, Artesia or Carlsbad, New Mexico, or The Manager, Thirteenth U. S. Civil Service District, 416 Post Office Building, Denver, Colo.

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SO WE TELL YOU THIS WEEK

This exceedingly outstanding New Mexico weekly newspaper finds it necessary to go back over the record in order to keep its large roster of subscribers informed.

There are occasion when time will not permit more pages and space will not allow all type and copy to go into an issue, without inconveniencing the public too much. Such was the case last week.

In spite of unusual crowding of the issue and the "killing out" of every superfluous paragraph and holding out some of the live copy, mechanical difficulties made The Advocate a little late in coming off the press.

In the general merry-go-round attendant to the "putting to bed" of any newspaper, it was necessary last week for us to discard the interesting bit of news in which it was to have been recorded that about a dozen and a half members of the Artesia Goat Ropers' Club and sixteen horses—they counted the horses but not the men—and some of their wives—the men's—were guests of the Penasco Roping Club in a return match the Sunday prior to the issue. The story written for last week recounted that there was a barbecue at the noon hour and that besides the mild sport of goat roping in the afternoon, the cowboys and the drug store cowboys took part in wild cow roping. There were no serious accidents, we were pleased to have written into last week's copy.

Then there was the matter of Miss Margaret Clowe. On the same day the goat ropers went to Penasco, Miss Clowe placed in two events at an invitational swimming and diving meet at Carlsbad, the only Artesia person to represent this splendid city. She placed third in the 100-yard freestyle swim for senior women and fourth in the 50-yard freestyle swim for junior women. El Paso, we went on to say, won the meet and Carlsbad was second.

As we look further over the type which was crowded out, we find that Charles Morgan, department commander of the American Legion, attended funeral services Monday of last week in Albuquerque for H. C. Neuffer, national committeeman of the Legion from New Mexico, who died Aug. 22.

And we had prepared copy to tell you that L. M. Friend, who fractured his left forearm and shoulder when he fell at his shoe shop Tuesday, Aug. 20, was back on the job the next Friday, managing to do some work, in spite of his cast. And now we can further report that he has improved greatly since then and finds but little handicap.

Of course we were going to tell our readers that the dove season would open Sunday, which it did. So this week we will tell you elsewhere in this interesting chronicle that the season did open. Therein also you will find the rules and regulations for the 1940 duck season.

Then too, we were going to tell you about the baptism of Mrs. Martina Lopez, 108 years old. But if you'll look, you will find it in this issue, along with another appeal of her pastor, the Rev. Constantino Gonzalez, for funds with which to keep up payments on the missionary car.

And there were many other current items which either were docketed or "killed out."

And there were the world and state news, "Meditations of Your Country Cousin," "Removals," "Little Known Facts and Sidelights in the Oil Industry" and others which we are sure you missed. We hope it won't happen again.

But, you know, as much as we hated to crowd out the news, we did something much more distressing to us, when we had to give up more than 100 inches of advertisement which was received too late, including the cutting of one advertisement by fifty inches, down to a mere forty.

And that made us very sad.

IT'S MORE MILES FOR MILES

Although, of course, we have known it all along, we were somewhat surprised the other day that people in Eddy County remembered that John E. Miles has an opponent for governor of New Mexico on the Democratic ticket. We had supposed that after having once heard something to that effect the average person forgot all about it and went on about his business in the knowledge—happy to be sure—that Miles would be returned to Santa Fe.

But we did hear some men talking on the street and more than one name was mentioned.

As we listened we were pleased to hear that Gov. Miles was the main subject, that he was being upheld for his accomplishments for Eddy County and New Mexico in the year and a half he has been governor; for the roads he has built; for the promises he has kept.

One thing which has struck us is the fact that in the first three-quarters of his first term Miles built or let to contract a yearly average of 1,078½ miles of road, as compared with an annual highway accomplishment of 731¼ miles for the two terms combined immediately preceding him.

The totals, a little arithmetic shows, were 2,925 miles in four years for the man who claims so much in four years to 2,157 miles for Miles. Construction costs were \$16,127,068 for the larger previous mileage and \$10,562,000 for the incumbent governor. Quite some difference, eh?

From first-hand information and the visible aid to Eddy County, we hardly see how anyone else but Johnnie Miles could be considered.

One of our readers says that Eve didn't know she was nude until she ate the apple, and wonders if it isn't about time to pass the apples again.—LaCrosse (S. D.) Republican.

Then there was the absent-minded American, in an overseas air raid, who rushed to the bomb-proof cellar, knocked three times and asked for Gus.—San Francisco Chronicle.

Communists are called on to boycott the newest and most talked-of film show, we hear. That outfit's press agent thinks of everything.—Greensboro (N. C.) Daily News.

A woman in Detroit accidentally swallowed the key to her car. And that probably was the first time she knew where she'd left it.—Dug Out by Root in Albuquerque Journal.

Any pilot will tell you his best friend is his parachute even though it does let him down.—Altoona Mirror.

CHURCHES

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday school at 9:45 o'clock each Sunday morning; classes for every age group.
Morning worship at 11 o'clock; special music by the choir.
Combined Epworth League and evening worship service, 7:30 o'clock.
Visitors and friends of the church are always welcome. Newcomers are invited to visit our services and to make our church their church home while in the city.

John S. Rice, Pastor

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

"The Church With a Burning Message"
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Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship, 11 a. m.
Young people, 6:30 p. m.
Evening preaching, 7:30 p. m.
Wednesday prayer meeting, 7 p. m.

Go to church Sunday. We welcome you.

Lee P. Phillips, Pastor

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Seventh and Grand

Regular Services
Ladies' Bible study, Wednesday at 2:30 p. m.
Mid-week meeting, Wednesday, 8 p. m.
Bible school every Sunday, 10 a. m.
Preaching every Sunday, 11 a. m.
Preaching every Sunday, 8 p. m.
Training classes, Sunday, 7:30 p. m.

Allen E. Johnson, Minister

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Corner of Grand and Roselawn
Bible school, 9:30 a. m.
Morning worship, 10:50 a. m.
Young people's service, 7 p. m.
Evening worship, 8 p. m.
Mid-week prayer and Bible study, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.
W.M.U., first and second Thursdays.
Brotherhood, third Thursday evening.

Deacons' meeting, Monday evening after first Sunday

S. M. Morgan, Pastor

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FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Sixth and Quay

"A Center of Spirituality and Sociability"

Our Bible school meets at 9:45 Sunday morning, with a class for every member of the family. Special worship service is planned for the 11 o'clock hour, with music by members of the choir. A special welcome is extended to all teachers. The pastor's subject for Sunday morning is: "Christian Certainty vs. Religious Certainty." Young people's meeting, 6:30 o'clock, in the basement of the church. Evening worship, 7:30 o'clock. "Services that are serviceable."
J. Vernon Wheeler, Minister

Sands of Time

THIRTY YEARS AGO

(From The Advocate Files for Aug. 27, 1910)
Artesia will have a representative with an exhibition at the Chicago Land Show in November. It was decided at a meeting of the Commercial Club Saturday night that the exhibition there last year was successful and that Artesia again should be represented. A committee was appointed to carry the plan through.

Artesia, which since its foundation, had been regarded as the most

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES

613 W. Main
Sunday Service, 11 a. m.
Wednesday service, 7:30 p. m.
"Man" is the subject of the lesson-sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, Sept. 1.
The Golden Text is: "The Spirit itself beareth witness with our spirit, that we are the children of God: and if children, then heirs; heirs of God, and joint-heirs with Christ." (Romans 8:16,17)
Among the citations which comprise the lesson-sermon is the following from the Bible: "Unto the upright there ariseth light in the darkness: he is gracious, and full of compassion, and righteous." (Psm. 112:4)
The lesson-sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook: "The perfect man—governed by God, his perfect Principle—is sinless and eternal."

FIFTEEN YEARS AGO

(From The Advocate Files for Aug. 27, 1925)
Artesia schools will re-open Sept. 7, with J. T. Reid as superintendent. The principal of the high school and coach will be A. C. Crause. Miss Linna McCaw will be principal of junior high school and Mrs. Laura B. Howard of Central School.

THE NEW MEXICO PIPE LINE COMPANY

now has en route to Artesia a 55,000-barrel storage tank. The Illinois Pipe Line Company has one of the same size on the way here.

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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

SAINT PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Sunday, Aug. 4, Holy Communion, 8 o'clock a. m.
Thereafter Sunday services will be suspended until the second Sunday in September.

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

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A number of young ladies of Artesia, who are going away soon to attend various colleges, were guests of the Artesia Rotary Club at its Tuesday luncheon.
One of the most convincing arguments that the oilfield is destined to play an ever increasing part in the development of the mid-continent field comes to light this week in a brief story on the amount of crude oil now in storage by some of the companies. To those who feared production has not come up to expectations this information will be especially refreshing.
Artesia was chosen for the 1926

NOTICE TO BIDDERS
The City of Artesia, New Mexico will open bids at 4:00 P. M. on the 9th day of September for the furnishing of the following quantity of road oil to be delivered in Artesia, New Mexico as needed, to-wit:
2000 barrels (standard barrels —42 gallons each) of MC 3 road oil.
No bids will be received after 4:00 P. M. on September 9th, 1940 and the City of Artesia, New Mexico reserves the right to reject any and all bids.
Done by the order of the City Council.
T. H. Ragsdale
City Clerk
35-21-36

NOTICE TO SUBMIT BIDS FOR GARBAGE DUMP BODY FOR TRUCK
Notice is hereby given that the City of Artesia, New Mexico will open bids, at 4:00 P. M., September 9th, 1940 to purchase the following described garbage dump body:
One Elgin Corporation Cruiser Model 625 Refuse-Getter.
Bids shall include installation on body of truck.
Further details may be obtained at the office of the City Clerk in the City Hall of Artesia, New Mexico.
The City of Artesia, New Mexico reserves the right to reject any and all bids.
Done by the order of the City Council.
T. H. Ragsdale
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meeting of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, meeting at Alamogordo.
The finding of potash beds in the Artesia field is corroborative of the belief in the great natural resources of New Mexico.
At Dayton a native threw a coffee can from a car and it was picked up by Orville Brausel. When he opened the lid, he was greeted by the head of a three-foot rattlesnake. Some think it was intended for a practical joke; others that the man had a grudge against someone.

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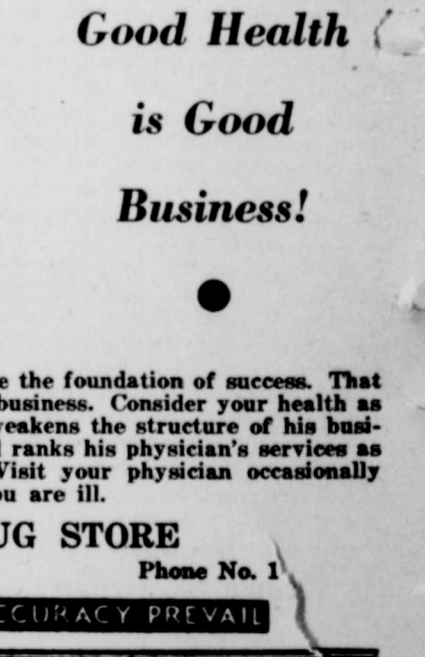
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Hope Items
(Mrs. C. B. Altman)

Miss Betsy Parks left Saturday for Flagstaff, Ariz.

Delbert Muncy left Monday for his home in Overton, Tex.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Buckner of Carlsbad were here Friday.

Zane Ray Wilburn is in a hospital in Carlsbad, where he underwent a tonsillectomy.

James Ray left last week for Morren, Ariz., where he has been employed.

Mrs. M. E. Wathen returned last week from Sherman, Tex., where she visited friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Jernigan of Roswell were business visitors in Hope Saturday.

Mrs. Rex Seeley and baby girl returned from a Carlsbad hospital Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Glascock are the parents of a daughter born September 1 in a hospital in Carlsbad.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. (Dick) Attebery of Artesia visited in Hope Friday.

J. B. Choate of Otis, candidate for county treasurer, was in Hope last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bryant and Mr. and Mrs. Riley of Carlsbad spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. D. Swift.

Mrs. Elnora Massed arrived in Hope Sunday for the duration of the school term.

Mrs. M. A. Cole of Oilfield is making an extended visit with her son, R. L. Cole.

Mrs. Harry B. Finer of Houston, Tex., arrived Saturday to join her husband, who has been visiting in the Edward S. McAuliffe home.

Mrs. Cliff Longbotham spent the week end in Lubbock, Tex., visiting her daughter, Mrs. Jimmie Heald.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Teel and family of Fort Sumner visited friends and relatives in Hope this week.

Mrs. Houston Teel and Mrs. Frank Teel of Lower Penasco attended to business in Hope Monday.

Mrs. Cliff Longbotham of Lower Penasco has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Miller, for the last few days.

Joe McKenny, who had been in Southwestern General Hospital in El Paso, has returned home and is doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Riddle are back home after spending the summer vacation in Silver City and Indiana.

L. P. Knight of McCamey, Tex., was a dinner guest of Mrs. E. L. Landreth and Mrs. B. M. Ballard last Thursday evening.

Jesse Poe and Harry Martin of Lubbock, Tex., and Miss Lora Mae Teel and Mary Louise Goddard motored to the White Sands Sunday.

Mrs. A. L. Netheland of Oilfield and Mrs. Jim Hool and children of Bronxville, N. Y., visited in the C. A. Cole and R. L. Cole homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Miller went to Tularosa Sunday to be with her mother, Mrs. J. B. Taylor, who is very ill.

Mrs. Max Salazar and small son, Skipper, of Albuquerque are visiting her mother, Mrs. Anna Coffin, this week.

Vaughn Santo of Fort Sumner and Adam Santo of Austin, Tex., visited friends here over the week end.

Misses Bill Ward and Roma June Carson left Monday to enter Eastern New Mexico College in Portales.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bailey of Gila Bend, Ariz., are visiting in Hope. Mrs. Bailey's friends will remember her as Miss Ollie Teel, a former resident of Hope.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Donahoe of Houston, Tex., who have been visiting in the Edward S. McAuliffe home, have moved to Roswell to make their home.

Mrs. Ernest Wilson and daughter, Miss Carol Jean, of Dallas, Tex., has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Robert Parks, the last few days.

Albert Jackson of Fort Worth, Tex., joined his wife and family in Hope Saturday. Mrs. Jackson has been here several weeks visiting her mother, Mrs. C. R. Coffin.

Mrs. O. M. Scoggin and son, Lewis, and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lovejoy and son, Rell, motored to Vaughn Sunday to join Mrs. W. S. French and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Horne for a picnic lunch.

Mrs. Elgar Fite and Fred Fite left Wednesday of last week for Long Beach, Calif., by way of Albuquerque, where they were to stop and visit their sister, Mrs. Harper Simms.

Mrs. Bryant Williams was hostess at a dinner Tuesday evening of last week at her home south of Hope. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Fite of Hope and Mrs. Elgar Fite and Fred Fite of Long Beach, Calif.

Miss Martha Kletke, who had been visiting her father in Taos and attending summer school in Las Vegas, returned last week to resume her duties as teacher in Hope School.

Bob White returned last week from New Orleans, La., where he had been called to report to National Guard. Since then he has been busy wiring the Methodist Church, which is now serviced with electricity from the REA.

Misses Margaret and Alice Ruth

Williams left Wednesday of last week for Albuquerque to visit their sister, Mrs. Albert Black. After a visit of a few days they were to leave for Gallup, where they are to teach in the school.

Odie E. Ludlow and family left Friday for Magdalena, where he has the position of superintendent of the school. Rufus Stinnett of Magdalena is the new school superintendent. He and his family arrived in Hope Saturday.

The Rev. and Mrs. H. J. Norris entertained a group of young people at their home at the Methodist parsonage last week. Charles and Rachel Norris were host and hostess to Barbara Williams, Mary Wood, Winnie Pearl Wood, John Williams and Don Lee Potter.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ward entertained at noon Sunday with a buffet dinner. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. George Teel, Mr. and Mrs. Hilary White, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Cole, Mrs. Edgar Williams, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Horner of Artesia, Miss Anne Klassen of Carlsbad, Misses Martha Kletke and Elizabeth Williams, Charles Fink and Robert Williams.

Miss Jackie McAuliffe entertained with a "kid party" at her home Wednesday evening of last week at 8 o'clock. The guests were dressed in children's costumes and were served candy lollipops throughout the evening. Those enjoying this pleasant affair with the hostess were Roma June Carson, Lora May Teel, Robert Williams, Bill Ward, Janice Wilburn, Joe Donahoe, Mary Alice Bumgardner, D. W. Carson, J. C. Ward, Jack Donahoe, Lillie Ruth Craig, Elizabeth Williams, Garth McAuliffe and Miss Roe Shafer of Artesia.

Marylin Goddard celebrated her fifth birthday anniversary with a party given by her mother, Mrs. K. R. Goddard, and Mrs. R. L. Cole. The scene of the party was the home of Mrs. Virgel Craig. Various games were played throughout the afternoon and refreshments of punch and cake were served. Those sharing the pleasure with Marylin were Joyce and Joan Parish, Glenn Alvie Smith, Billie and Mary Vance Glascock, Myrna and Sue Wilburn, Patsy Foster, Bobbie Rex Seeley, Jimmy Norris, Marylin Cox, Emma and Julia Ruth Netheland, Sammy Loyd Wilburn and Gordon Goddard.

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF ISA McCLEAY, DECEASED.

ss. No. 966.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT OF EXECUTRIX

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned was on the 20th day of August, 1940, appointed Executrix of the Last Will and Testament and Estate of Isa McCleay, deceased, in the above entitled matter, by Honorable B. F. Montgomery, Probate Judge of Eddy County, New Mexico.

Therefore, all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to file their claims within the period prescribed by law, or the same will be barred.

Leah F. McDonald
Executrix
34-3tc-36

NOTICE TO SUBMIT BIDS FOR OFFICE FURNITURE

Notice is hereby given by the City of Artesia, New Mexico that they will open bids on the 9th day of September at 4:00 P. M. to purchase the following furniture, to-wit:

Counter Unit

1 7244 Artmetal 3 drawer legal file—all drawers equipped with thumb latches, snap out guide rods and label holders. Hardware to be solid bronze. Each drawer to be equipped with side lock compressors and Cradle type ball bearing progressive suspensions. Width over all 18.06 inches. Drawer bottoms grooved to receive feet of guides.

2 7240 Artmetal 3 drawer letter files—specifications same as for legal file—overall width 14.93 in.

1 7231 Wide knee space—overall width 32.87 inches—consists of top, back, and brass foot rail.

1 2262 Wide section storage cabinet with base and top, double doors, paracentric Yale key lock. Overall width 32.75 inches.

1 7256 6 drawer check file. Hardware, suspensions guide rods drawer bottoms same as 7244 above.

1 7259 Artmetal roller shelf unit. Overall width to be 21.81 inches—equipped with eight roller shelves adjustable every half inch.

1 5263 Artmetal storage cabinet with two plain shelves, double doors, Yale paracentric key lock. Overall width 34.75 inches.

inet with two plain shelves, double doors, Yale paracentric key lock. Overall width 34.75 inches.

1 7219 Panel Gate. Attached at end in center from front to back as shown in sketch. Front to have artmetal paneling and pilasters as shown to give finished appearance. Bronze binding, green artolin. Continuous Artolin top to cover entire unit as shown in sketch. No. 2262 Wide section storage cabinet to have individual green artolin top. Bronze binding.

1 1760 FB Flat top ART METAL AIRLINE DESK 60 x 34.

1 1760 SDTPL Side Pedestal Typewriter desk—Typewriter pedestal on left. ART METAL AIRLINE.

1 SHEPHERD COM-FORTAIRE Stenographers chair. Completely adjustable with 2 1/2" latex rubber cushion. Cushion and back to have removable covers.

1 1900 Columbian suite Hartner chair covered with top grain leather.

ALL UNITS TO BE FINISHED IN ART METAL OLIVE F

Bids shall be made on the above described equipment or its equivalent.

Bids shall be subjected on the basis of payment in cash on delivery and on the basis of payment of six monthly installments.

Further details may be obtained at the office of the City Clerk in the City Hall of Artesia, New Mexico.

The City of Artesia, New Mexico reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Done by the order of the City Council.

T. H. Ragsdale
City Clerk
35-2t-36

WEEKLY JINGLE

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less you make answer in the above entitled cause on or before the 30th day of October, 1940, judgment will be taken by default.

The name and address of plaintiff's attorney is Keith F. Quail, 221 Ward Building, Artesia, New Mexico.

(Sgd) Ethel M. Highsmith
Clerk of Court, Eddy County,
New Mexico
35-4t-38

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

MYRON BRUNING,
Plaintiff

vs.

G. W. DENT, if living and if dead the heirs of the said G. W. Dent; James E. Dent, if living and if dead the unknown heirs of the unknown heirs of the said G. W. Dent; and all unknown persons claiming any lien, right, title or interest in and to lots No. 10 and 12 in Block 31, Artesia Improvement Company Addition to the Town (now City) of Artesia, Eddy County, New Mexico, adverse to the Plaintiff,
Defendants.

NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF SUIT.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO:
All of the above named defendants GREETINGS:

You and each of you are hereby notified that a suit has been filed and is now pending in the District Court of the Fifth Judicial District of the State of New Mexico, within and for the County of Eddy, same being Cause No. 7276, on the Civil Docket of said Court, entitled Myron Bruning, Plaintiff vs. G. W. Dent, et al, Defendants.

That the general objects of this action are to quiet and set at rest the title of Plaintiff in and to the following described real estate and premises, situate, lying and being in the County of Eddy, City of Artesia, State of New Mexico, to-wit: Lots No. 10 and 12 in Block 31, Artesia Improvement Company Addition to the Town (now City) of Artesia, Eddy County, New Mexico, as the same appear on the official plat thereof on file in the office of the County Clerk and ex-officio recorder of and for said County; and to debar and estop you and each of you from having or claiming any right, title, interest, lien or claim of lien upon said real estate adverse to Plaintiff.

You and each of you are further notified that you and any of you failing to appear or answer and plead in the above entitled and numbered Cause on or before the 30th day of September, 1940, a decree of default will be rendered against you and all of you failing

NOTICE OF SUIT

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF EDDY IN THE DISTRICT COURT

G. V. PRICE, REX WHEATLEY and W. C. THOMPSON, doing business as PEOPLE'S MERCANTILE COMPANY, a partnership
Plaintiffs,

vs.

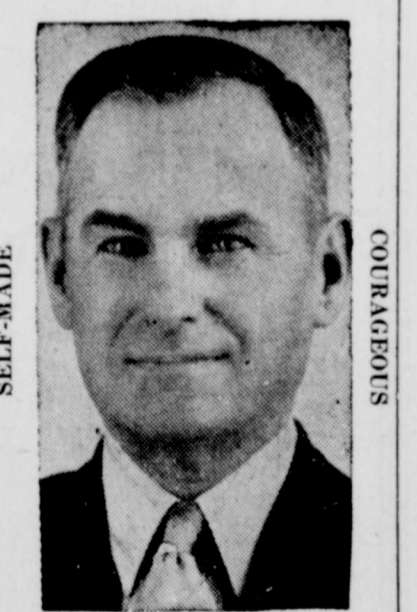
T. A. HORNADAY
Defendant,
HOWARD WHITSON
Garnishee.

No. 7272

The defendant, T. A. Hornaday, is hereby notified that he has been made defendant in the above entitled cause, filed the 12th day of August, 1940, in the District Court, County of Eddy, State of New Mexico, in which cause the plaintiffs seek judgment for the sum of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) for merchandise sold to defendant; and for the sum of One Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$150.00), on account of a promissory note, executed by defendant in favor of plaintiffs, together with interest thereon at eight percent (8%) per annum from February 5, 1940, until paid, together with ten percent (10%) additional of the amount of said note as attorney's fees; and a writ of Garnishment against Howard Whitson has been issued in whose hands certain personal property of defendant has been found.

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to appear or answer as aforesaid in said Cause; and the allegations in said Plaintiff's Complaint filed in said Cause will be taken as confessed by you and the relief prayed for in Plaintiff's Complaint will be granted by the Court.

G. U. McCrary of Artesia, New Mexico, is attorney for Plaintiff in the above entitled and numbered Cause.

WITNESS my hand and seal of said Court, at Carlsbad, New Mexico, this, the 14th day of August, 1940.

Ethel M. Highsmith
Clerk of District Court
33-4tc-36

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES IN AND FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW MEXICO

BLACK, SIVALLS & BRYSON, INC., a corporation, and **BETHLEM-INTERNATIONAL SUPPLY COMPANY, INC.**, a corporation,
Plaintiffs,

vs.

MIDWEST REFINING COMPANY, INC., a corporation, **ERROL C. HOLT, MAC HALL, THE BIG JO LUMBER COMPANY, INC.**, a corporation, **IVERTON TOOL COMPANY, INC.**, a corporation, **W. S. WELCH, ALICE H. FLYNN, WILLIAM D. FLYNN, MARTIN YATES, JR., GREENE BROTHERS, INC.**, a corporation, **DICK DUNCAN, and SANGRE AZTECA, a fraternal corporation.**
Defendants.

No. 128 Civil

NOTICE OF SPECIAL MASTER'S SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN:
That the United States District Court for the District of New Mexico did, on the 10th day of July, 1940, enter judgment in the above styled and numbered cause in favor of plaintiffs and cross-claimants and against defendants Midwest Refining Company, Errol C. Holt and Mac Hall. That said cause was an action by the plaintiffs for judgment against defendants Midwest Refining Company, Errol C. Holt and Mac Hall upon certain promissory notes held by plaintiffs and foreclosure of three certain mortgage deeds securing said notes and embracing the land herein described, in which said cause defendants The Big Jo Lumber Company and Iverson Tool Company cross-claimed for judgment against Midwest Refining Company upon certain accounts and for the foreclosure of mechanic's liens securing the payment thereof and wherein defendants V. S. Welch, Alice H. Flynn, William D. Flynn and Martin Yates, Jr., asserted a vendor's lien upon certain of the lands hereafter described, defendant Greene Brothers, Inc., cross-claimed for judgment against defendant Midwest Refining Company and for the foreclosure of a

chattel mortgage, and defendant Sangre Azteca cross-claimed for judgment against defendant Midwest Refining Company and foreclosure of a mortgage deed embracing certain of the hereafter described property.

That judgment was rendered in said cause in favor of Greene Brothers, Inc., and against defendant Midwest Refining Company, a corporation, upon a promissory note in the amount hereafter stated and foreclosure of a chattel mortgage securing said promissory note.

That by said judgment the undersigned Robert A. Glazier was appointed special master and upon failure of the defendant Midwest Refining Company to pay the judgment so granted, within sixty days from the entry thereof, said special master was ordered by the Court to sell at public auction the personal property hereafter described which was embraced in the chattel mortgage so foreclosed.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that on the 27th day of September, 1940, at the hour of 11:00 o'clock a. m., at the front door of the Courthouse at Carlsbad, Eddy County, New Mexico, the undersigned special master will sell at public auction for cash to the highest bidder, as a unit and not separately, all of the following described articles of personal property which are now located at the Midwest Refining Company refinery in Artesia, Eddy County, New Mexico, to-wit:

All laboratory equipment, testing equipment and other personal property which are described as being subject to that certain chattel mortgage lien adjudged to Greene Brothers, Inc., in detail, in said final judgment of the Court in the above styled and numbered cause on file in the office of the Clerk of the United States District Court at Santa Fe, New Mexico, which said articles of personal property (among others) are also enumerated and described in that certain lien note or chattel mortgage executed by Midwest Refining Company to Greene Brothers, Inc., under date of August 25, 1939, and filed for record in the office of the County Clerk of Eddy County, New Mexico, on the 2nd day of September, 1939, as Chattel Mortgage No. 52181. All prospective purchasers are hereby referred to said judgment or to said chattel mortgage so filed, as limited by said judgment, for enumeration of the articles of personal property to be sold

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as herein recited.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that as provided by the final judgment aforesaid the said Greene Brothers, Inc., may bid at such foreclosure sale and after the payment of costs of sale may credit the amount of its judgment granted upon the purchase price of said property.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the amount of the judgment so granted Greene Brothers, Inc., with interest thereon to date of sale, and costs of sale herein are as follows:

Principal and interest \$1,104.12
Attorney's fee 108.35
TOTAL \$1,212.47

Judgment also includes, and proceeds from sale will be applied to, the Special Master's fee, cost of sale and administrative costs.

For further particulars intending purchasers are hereby referred to said judgment.

WITNESS the hand of said special master on this the 27th day of August, 1940.

Robert A. Glazier
Special Master
35-4t-38

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SOCIETY

Miss Buzbee Weds Pampa Man Here On Sunday

In a quiet but impressive ring ceremony, Miss Marie Katherine Buzbee, daughter of Mrs. Bill Schlegel of Artesia, became the bride of Darrell Eugene Bohlander of Pampa, Tex., at the Methodist parsonage here at 9 o'clock Sunday morning. The marriage rites were read by the Rev. John S. Rice, pastor of the Methodist Church.

Attendants were relatives of the bride: Her mother, Mrs. Schlegel; her aunts, Mrs. Gene Ledford of Artesia and Mrs. Glenn Thomason of Albuquerque, and uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Carter of Artesia.

The bride was attractively dressed in an olive green costume suit with brown accessories. She carried an arm bouquet of talisman roses. For "something old" she wore a lavalier watch of her grandmother, Mrs. T. E. Carter.

Mrs. Bohlander attended Artesia Junior-Senior High School last year. This summer she assisted her aunt, Mrs. Ledford, in running Jo's News Stand.

The newlyweds and wedding guests were entertained with a chicken dinner at the home of Mrs. T. E. Carter at 810 West Main Street immediately after the ceremony, after which the couple left on a two-week honeymoon to Santa Fe and different points in Colorado.

They will make their home in Pampa, Tex., where Mr. Bohlander is bookkeeper for the Carlson Drilling Company there.

E. B. BULLOCK FAMILY HOLDS REUNION HERE

A reunion of the E. B. Bullock family was held at the Bullock and Landis Feather homes over the week end.

All of the children and grandchildren, with the exception of one, were present. Those in attendance were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ed Bullock and son, Tommy, of Abilene, Tex.; Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Claypool of Fort Worth, Tex.; Mrs. Frank Irby and Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Wilson of Carlsbad; Mr. and Mrs. Landis Feather and children, Robert, Billy and Shirley Sue; Mr. and Mrs. William Bullock, Charles Bullock and Misses Edna and Laura Bullock, all of Artesia. Accompanying Mr. and Mrs. Claypool were Mr. Claypool's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Claypool.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ed Bullock and son and Mrs. Irby and Mr. and Mrs. Wilson returned to their homes Tuesday. The Claypool families left Monday morning. Miss Edna Bullock, a teacher in the Gallup schools, was taken to Gallup Saturday night by Charles Bullock and Stanley Carper.

EXTENSION CLUB MEETING WITH MRS BOB O'BANNON

The Cottonwood Community Extension Club met Wednesday evening of last week at the lovely country home of Mrs. Bob O'Bannon, with Mrs. D. A. Bradley as co-hostess.

A short business session was held with Mrs. Fred Chambers, president, in the chair. As a custom of the club, the hostesses were complimented with a shower.

A refreshment plate of cake and ice cream with punch was served to the two guests, eleven members and the one new member, Mrs. Leroy Dawlin, who was admitted to the club that day.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Ott Varnell the last Wednesday in September, at which time Miss Vernita Conley, county demonstration agent, will present the program.

RECEPTION TO BE HELD FOR TEACHERS

The Artesia Parent-Teacher Association will be host at a reception for the teachers in the Artesia Central and Junior-Senior High Schools at the high school gymnasium at 7:30 o'clock Friday evening.

Preceding the reception there will be a short program under the direction of W. E. Kerr, superintendent of Artesia schools, in the high school auditorium. All parents are invited to attend.

AUXILIARY TO HAVE AN ALL-DAY MEETING

An all-day meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary will be held at the new home of Mrs. Oscar Samelson on South Roselawn Monday.

Members will meet at 10 o'clock in the morning to sew and work on comforts. A covered dish luncheon will be served at 12:30 o'clock, after which there will be a program and musical entertainment, the latter in charge of Mrs. M. C. Ross.

Social Calendar

Marbeth Jones, Society Editor Telephone 7 or 99

THURSDAY (TODAY)

Methodist Women's Society of Christian Service, organization meeting, all circles, at church, 1 o'clock covered dish luncheon.

Presbyterian Women's association, Mrs. A. G. Glasser, hostess, 2:30 p. m.

Cottonwood Women's Club, Mrs. Virginia Briscoe, hostess, all day meeting and covered dish luncheon.

Christian Women's Association, at church, all day meeting and covered dish luncheon.

FRIDAY

Viernes Bridge Club, Mrs. A. G. Glasser, hostess, 1 o'clock luncheon.

P.E.O. Sisterhood, Mrs. Leslie Martin, hostess, 2:30 p. m.

Parent-Teacher Association, program, high school auditorium, 7 p. m.; reception for new teachers in the new gym, 7:30 p. m.

MONDAY

Rebekah Lodge, birthday supper at lodge hall, 6:30 p. m.

Women's Christian Temperance Union, Mrs. William Pistole, hostess, 2:30 p. m.

TUESDAY

Hi-Lo Luncheon Club, Mrs. Orval Gray, hostess, 1 p. m.

Fortnightly Bridge Club, Mrs. Grady Booker, hostess, 1 o'clock luncheon.

WEDNESDAY

Pinochle Club, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Kiddy, hosts, 7 p. m.

Artesia Junior Woman's Club, Dr. C. B. Wivel of the Eastern New Mexico College at Portales, guest speaker, Artesia Woman's Club invited, clubhouse, 2:30 p. m.

THURSDAY (NEXT WEEK)

Artesia Garden Club, city hall, 3 p. m.

Sunshine Class of the Methodist Church, class party and election of officers, Mrs. Leslie Martin, hostess. Those without transportation to meet at church at 2:15 p. m. All members urged to be present.

CHARMING MRS. DEMPSEY PAYS ADVOCATE A VISIT

Mrs. John J. Dempsey, charming wife of Congressman John J. Dempsey, paid The Advocate office a visit last Friday afternoon while in the city.

Mrs. Dempsey, who barely is over five feet tall and weighs 110 pounds, did not show the strain of travel; her eyes sparkled when asked if she were not tired of meeting so many people and probably being asked the same questions over and over. Her reply was "Tired of meeting people! We like to meet people and we feel you are doing Jack and I a favor when you take time to visit with us."

It is obvious that Mrs. Dempsey takes being a congressman's wife seriously. She listens to debates at the capitol day after day. She said, "It is wonderful to listen to great men discuss pro and con what they think is best for our country." Mrs. Dempsey said that she listened in on every talk given before the senate committee on the conscription bill.

Last but not least, Mrs. Dempsey is one of the able campaign managers of her husband who is a candidate for the United States Senate.

FIDELES HAS CLASS PARTY, REYNOLDS HOME

Mrs. L. C. Reynolds was hostess when she entertained the Fideles Sunday School Class of the Baptist Church with a class party at her home last Thursday afternoon.

After a short devotional period, an open discussion was had, with each of the members telling her summer experiences while on her vacation.

A nomination committee for the election of new officers for the coming year was appointed by the president, Mrs. R. E. Dixon. They were Mrs. Floyd Springer, Mrs. W. C. Parsons and Mrs. Carl Lewis. The committee was to meet with Mrs. Reynolds and Mrs. Dixon at the home of Mrs. Dixon at 9:30 o'clock this morning.

Mrs. Reynolds served a light refreshment course to Meses Dixon, Springer, Parsons, Lewis, Cecil Mitchell, Ray Hart, Boone Jones, C. C. Grimlan, J. L. Graves, Ike Moore, Hazel Hebert and Ethel Walker, and a Mrs. Campbell.

LADIES' TOURNAMENT TO BEGIN NEXT MONDAY

The qualifying rounds of the Artesia ladies' city golf tournament began this morning and will continue through Sunday at the Artesia Golf Club course.

The tournament play-off will begin Monday morning and all matches are to be played by the end of two weeks, ending Sunday, Sept. 22.

Artesia Club Women Have Lovely Garden Party, Berry Country Home



MRS. IRVIN MARTIN

More than a hundred club women attended a garden party of the Artesia Women's Club held at the spacious country home of Mrs. J. W. Berry Wednesday afternoon, complimenting the new members of the club.

The guests were graciously received by Mrs. Berry, hostess, and the new officers, Mrs. Irvin Martin, president; Mrs. Elmer Perry, first vice president; Mrs. E. J. Foster, second vice president; Mrs. P. V. Morris, recording secretary; Mrs. J. W. Johns, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Dale Thomas, treasurer; Mrs. F. C. Hart, custodian, and Mrs. Fred Cole, parliamentarian, and the past presidents and Mrs. A. E. Crain, chairman of the entertainment committee. They were each dressed in lovely floor length gowns, adding dignity and a beautiful touch of color on this occasion.

Mrs. J. M. Story and Mrs. C. R. Blocker presided at a double crystal punch bowl service at a long dining table in the dining room. Frosted ginger ale punch and dainty white cakes iced in pink and green were served with pink and green mints.

The velvety green lawn, the

beautiful shrubbery and huge bowls and baskets of late summer flowers formed a setting for a charming lawn dance rendered by Betty Blue, and the graceful tap dance number given by Miss Mary Frances Vaughn. A delightful reading was given by C. B. Strebeck and a violin duet was rendered by Miss Shirley Bartlett and Lewis W. Story. The dance and musical numbers were accompanied by Mrs. Oscar Samelson on the accordion.

The club years has opened with more than 125 members and a few others to be added. The next meeting of the club will be held at the clubhouse the third Wednesday of this month. The year books will be presented by Mrs. E. M. Perry, chairman of the program committee, who will also present the program of the year for approval.

Junior club women are compiling the data for their year book and expect to have it off press soon, according to the program chairman, Mrs. J. Vernon Wheeler. Junior club women will meet at 2:30 o'clock each second and fourth Wednesday afternoon at the clubhouse.

Miss Hobson and Jack Hubbard Marry On Sunday Morning

The marriage of Miss Edith Lorene Hobson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Hobson, Jr., and Jack David Hubbard, son of Mrs. Modie Hubbard, was solemnized at the Church of Christ parsonage Sunday morning. The ring ceremony was read by the Rev. Allen E. Johnson, pastor.

The bride wore a lovely rose lavender chiffon dress with black accessories. She is a graduate of the high school in Littlefield, Tex., and has worked for the last two years at the Sprouse-Rietz Company store in Artesia.

Mr. Hubbard attended school in Loraine, Tex., and moved to Artesia about two years ago. He has been employed by Joyce Fruit Company the last year.

The newlyweds left after the ceremony on a short honeymoon and are now at home at the Hinrichsen apartments at 608 Quay Street.

ARE CO-HOSTESSES TO ATOKA WOMAN'S CLUB

Mrs. W. R. Hornbaker and Mrs. R. G. Knoedler were co-hostesses when they entertained the Atoka Woman's Club at the home of Mrs. Hornbaker Tuesday afternoon.

The members answered roll call with a current event, after which Miss Vernita Conley, county demonstration agent, was in charge of a program on pictures and picture hanging and gave an illustration of suitable pictures for different rooms. Pictures of copper Christmas cards appropriately framed were displayed. Mrs. Paul Rogers gave a short reading.

At the close of the program a social hour was held and group singing enjoyed, after which the hostess served a dessert course to a Mrs. Phillips, a Mrs. Holeman, Mrs. Jim Lauderdale and Miss Conley, club guests, and Meses Herman Green, W. M. Van Horn, S. G. Strebeck, Paul Rogers, Charles Rogers, J. W. Rowland, S. O. Higgins, Alvin Paynes, Ed Kissinger, J. W. Bradshaw, Nevil Muncy and J. O. Garner.

Little Theater Makes Plans for Coming Season

Members of the Little Theater of Artesia, meeting last evening at the clubhouse to organize for the coming season's activities, decided to have the first public presentation some time in November, tentative dates being set for either Nov. 7 or 14. That production, however, will not be a major one.

Mrs. Walter Seavall and Miss Lelia Cooper were elected play directors, because of the resignation of Mrs. C. E. Robinson, director in chief, who has moved to Texas.

An immediate membership drive was planned, when Mrs. Charles Morgan, president, appointed a membership committee. She named Miss Katherine Ragsdale chairman, and Miss Mary Ann Miller and Miss Sue Ward. All members of the organization, however, were asked to help obtain new members and to consider themselves on the committee.

Dues for the year were set at \$3, as compared with \$5, which was voted last year when the Little Theater was founded here.

Selection of a play for the organization's first major production of the season was not made, although two members of the reading committee reported on plays they had read during the summer months. Reporting were Mrs. Martin Yates III, past president, and Russell Floore.

Meeting dates for the year were set for the second and fourth Thursday evenings of each month. Thursday of next week being the second of the month, Mrs. Morgan announced the Little Theater will meet again then. She asked that as many interested persons as possible be present at that time.

MISS FILBERT RECEIVES POSITION IN HOSPITAL

Miss Catherine Filbert, daughter of Mrs. G. C. Kinder, local school nurse, was to leave today for El Paso, where she will be supervisor of the surgical floor at Southwestern General Hospital.

Paul Whitted and John Borens went to Elephant Butte Dam on a fishing trip over the week end.

Mrs. J. T. Henry and Miss Ella Bauslin were in Hagerman Friday visiting Miss Bauslin's cousin, Mrs. Frank Bauslin, who has been ill several weeks and who recently suffered a second paralytic stroke.

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HAPPY HOUR CLUB HAS TWO PARTIES THIS WEEK

Members of the Happy Hour Club entertained with two parties this week, the first a steak fry at Clark's Lake on Monday evening and the other a meeting at the home of Mrs. Jack Wyatt Wednesday afternoon.

At the steak fry, members and their husbands were present, including Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Brown, a Mr. and Mrs. Holmes, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wyatt, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bynum and children; Mrs. Charlotte Jones and Mrs. Laura Smith.

Wednesday afternoon members of the club enjoyed games of Michigan with the lucky high score prize going to Mrs. Harve Nolen and consolation prize going to Mrs. James Dew. Delicious refreshments were served to Meses. Nolen, Dew, Boyd Brown, Earl Bynum, M. S. Brown and Charles Brown.

SOCIAL HOUR HELD FOR MRS. MARY KISSINGER

Mrs. Pete L. Loving entertained with a social hour in honor of Mrs. Mary Kissinger Saturday evening. Sharing the occasion with the honoree were Meses. William Schnieder, Julia Terry, Howard Gissler, J. J. Clarke, Sr., Frank Herbold, Otis Brown, George Frisch, Ed Kissinger, S. G. White and Charles Rogers.

MARRIAGE OF MISS ALENE OWEN AND ORVAL DURBIN SOLEMNIZED

Miss Ruth Alene Owen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Owen of Los Angeles, Calif., became the bride of Orval Venson Durbin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Durbin of Artesia, at Carlsbad Friday evening, with the Rev. A. L. Goodwin, pastor of the Baptist Church, reading the ceremony.

The only attendants of the couple were Miss Lola Bazil and Tommy Ditto of Artesia.

The bride was attired in a lovely orchid alpaca dress with black accessories.

Mr. and Mrs. Durbin were both members of this year's graduating class from the Artesia Junior-Senior High School. Mr. Durbin is an employee at the Guy Chevrolet Company. The newlyweds are now at home at 306 W. Third Street.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Gilbert and Miss Delores Mayrhofer visited Cloudcroft, the White Sands and El Paso and Juarez over Sunday and Monday.

Miss Meredith Martin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Martin, returned home this morning by train after having spent the summer vacation studying dancing at St. Joseph, Mo., and at the Pent House in Chicago, Ill. She also attended the dancing convention held in Chicago three weeks this summer.

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WHAT'S WHAT
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NEW MEXICO

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

Governor Miles, after being delayed several hours Tuesday night of last week by water-filled arroyos near Bernalillo, said he was convinced "we should do away with dips on all main highways. 'I propose,' he said, 'to have them replaced by bridges and culverts just as rapidly as funds for the road program will permit.'"

New Mexico's WPA quota, unchanged for the last three months, will remain at 9,000 for September, State WPA Administrator J. J. Connelly announced.

The State Board of Finance last week handed Governor Miles the problem of finding \$13,000 for the impecunious state police. At its meeting, the board withheld approval of a \$182,398 current fiscal year budget for the state police and took no action on budgets submitted by the various departments of the Bureau of Revenue, which support the police. The reason was the bureau budgets allowed the police only \$169,398.20, falling \$13,000 short of needs. The board, which this year has spent much time searching for money to meet the police expenses, referred both sets of budgets to the governor for study. Also referred to the governor were an Eastern New Mexico College request for restoration of its 10 per cent budget cut, and a request by the state board of education for a restoration of half of its ten per cent. The board, however, did approve eleven budgets for the current fiscal year. They were: Department of Public Health, \$337,226; commissioner of public lands, \$150,562; architects' examiners, \$697.25; state optometry board, \$310; sheep sanitary board, \$37,845; oil conservation commission, \$48,325; Miners' Hospital, \$83,164; state comptroller, \$34,740; public auditing, \$9,000; state racing commission, \$3,380; and State Teachers College, \$196,086.60, less deductions totalling about \$13,000.

The appointment of Dr. James G. Scott, Albuquerque, as New Mexico state director of public health was announced last week. Dr. Scott, professor of health at the University of New Mexico, succeeds Dr. E. B. Godfrey, who resigned from the position June 1 because of ill health. The new appointment took effect immediately.

A total of 2,000 persons in New Mexico are expected to be affected by the new law requiring registration and fingerprinting of aliens. Harry S. Roberts of Washington, field supervisor for the alien registration program, made the estimate in connection with a school for fifty postmaster and postal inspectors who will supervise the program in Colorado, Utah, Wyoming and New Mexico. The registration started at local postoffices on Aug. 27 and continues through Dec. 26.

Attorney General Filo Sedillo has held that a political party must have primary candidates in every position for which it seeks representation on the general election ballot. In an opinion written for State Republican Chairman John Emmons, the attorney general held that party committees would have no power to appoint candidates to fill general election ballot places left vacant by lack of primary contestants.

Sgt. Alvin C. York, conscientious objector in the World War who was drafted and became a hero for the single-handed capture of 132 German officers and men, favors conscription. York, in Albuquerque last week en route to Los Angeles to attend the national encampment of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, said conscription would "remove the morass of disgrace" which separated volunteers and drafted men in the World War.

New Mexico is in an "excellent" position to get "several" new national guard units, Adj. Gen. R. C. Charlton said last week, announcing he would leave for Washington to seek War Department approval of as many new units as the state could get. He declined to say how many new units might be expected, what type they would be or where they would be situated, but he added he had "good reasons" to be confident "several" would be approved.

Plans for the establishment in Santa Fe of a New Mexico office for the wage and hour division of the U. S. Department of Labor were announced by Gus C. Street, Jr., regional director of New Mexico, Texas, Oklahoma and Arkansas. He said the office would employ three field inspectors in addition to a clerical staff.

Keeping abreast with the national defense program, New Mexico Normal University is including

Goats Still Used To Thresh Grain Of 'Little People'

Giant combines whirr an efficient harvest song in big wheat fields of the great plains but in New Mexico this fall, as for 300 years, the "little people" of the deep mountain country in the northern part of the state still depend upon goats to do their threshing, relates a story from Taos.

Juan and Pedro and their hijitos (sons) live the placid existence which was old 200, even 300, years ago. In Las Trampas, Truchas, Penasco—and a dozen little villages just like them—the "little people" are a link with Spanish conquistadors of the sixteenth century.

At Las Trampas the mail comes by buggy every two days. There, on Good Fridays, the Penitentes whip themselves with yucca and haul the ritualistic death cart in the procession of the flagellant brothers.

In the Chimayo country and elsewhere goats still are regarded as the ideal threshers.

On hard-packed ground the herd is driven around and around, threshing the wheat under sharp hooves as it is carried in from the field.

Juan and his friends shovel up the chaff and wheat (and dirt) and throw it into the air to blow away the chaff. The grain is carried by the women to the river banks, where it is washed and spread to dry on clean, white sheets.

The valleys and fertile lands are intensely farmed, and occasional cash is picked up by cutting and marketing "vegans" which form the roof poles of a proper adobe house. Officials of Carson National Forest, which embraces the northern mountains, estimate the average yearly income of these native people at less than \$200.

Mrs. Horace Dohner underwent an operation at Artesia Memorial Hospital last Thursday. She was removed to her home Wednesday.

courses in airplane mechanics in the curriculum this year. Dr. Edward Eyring, university president, announced that the courses would be held in conjunction with the Civil Aeronautics Authority's program at the school. Besides the regular college course, night classes in the subject will be offered adults under sponsorship of the State Department of Vocational Education.

About 500 members of the New Mexico National Guard 120th Engineers and 158th Field Artillery are expected to be called to active duty next month under mobilization legislation sent to the White House. The New Mexico units are members of the 45th Division, which, with troops from Oklahoma, Arizona and Colorado, will train at Fort Sill, Okla., according to plans recently told to the senate military affairs committee by General George C. Marshall, army chief of staff. Marshall's plan would make 55,426 enlisted men, 3,930 officers and 53 warrant officers subject to the first call.

New Mexico's July tourist travel, according to the monthly 24-hour border station count, showed a 607-car increase over June but dropped 1,101 from July, 1940, State Tourist Bureau Director Joseph Bursey announced. "However," said Bursey, "indications are that August will be the biggest tourist month in the state's history." The July count was 5,932 cars and 17,944 passengers, compared with June's 5,325 cars and 14,921 passengers, and July, 1940's, 7,033 cars and 20,513 passengers. Bursey added that the greatest drop between the two July figures was reported at Anthony, Clayton and Hobbs, which he said accounted for the smallest portion of cross-state traffic.

Adj. Gen. R. C. Charlton has announced a proposed program of "overnight marches" to improve the physical condition of New Mexico National Guardsmen. The War Department, he said, has provided funds for such training in connection with the guards' regular drill periods. While many guardsmen may be called to active duty soon, Charlton said, the 200th Anti-Aircraft was expected to come under provisions of the new home training program.

Governor Miles has urged the New Mexico congressional delegation to investigate the possibility of federal funds to enlarge state police forces. Expanded state police facilities, he said, are necessary to national defense, both as anti-espionage agencies and as the possible nuclei of "home guard" organizations. He added that New Mexico is having trouble finding state funds for "even a skeleton state police force."

R. B. Coombs, office deputy of the State Game Department, said the state would make no exception to federal regulations for the coming waterfowl season. Where the federal government permits the use of 10-gauge shotguns, he said, the state will stick to its limit of 12-gauge.

WORLD NEWS
—in—
BRIEF FORM

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

No words were wasted between Capt. Charles M. Wallace, Richmond, Va., attorney, and Secretary Henry A. Wallace after the latter's nomination for the vice-presidency. "Dear Henry," wrote Wallace, "from one Wallace to another, congratulations. Charles M. Wallace." The answer came on the margin of his letter: "Thanks, Charles. Henry."

At Laurinburg, N. C., Nelson McLaurin thought he'd had a nightmare when he regained consciousness. McLaurin lay down on the railroad tracks, near the station, for a nap between trains. He overslept. A train knocked him clear of the steel rail he was using as a pillow. He was not seriously injured.

A Portland, Ore., stenographer glanced from her office window and saw a head on a roof across the street. She blinked; looked again. The head had disappeared. A leg replaced it. The stenographer ran for a drink of water; summoned courage to look again. The leg was gone but an entire torso had appeared. Investigators found department store employees repainting mannequins.

Thousands of fish died in the upper Wicomico River in Maryland and irate sportsmen demanded an autopsy. "They drowned," said Dr. Seth H. Hurdle, county health officer acting as coroner. Foreign matter and summer heat reduced the oxygen in the stream below the life sustaining requirement.

The Concord, N. C., national guard arrived at maneuvers, set up camp and prepared to run up the flag. They had forgotten it.

Denver motormen have standing orders to "go easy" past the South Denver switch plate where a mourning dove built her nest. "The baby birds ought to be hatching out any day now," one of the street car herders confides.

At Grand Island, Neb., things are peaceful at the Harry Paulsen home now after a three-day siege of ghostly rapping sounds in the basement. Paulsen finally traced the sounds to the furnace. Fluttering around inside was a woodpecker which apparently had mistaken the chimney for a hollow tree.

More than 12,000 rat tails were turned in to the county agent in a drive to rid Scotland County, Mo., of rats. The merchants offered a bounty of one cent a tail, estimating that each rodent would do damage of \$1 a year.

Paul Pralinsky of Athol, Mass., is amazed at the virtuosity of a plant in his back yard. Below the ground the plant is growing healthy potatoes, while up above there is a handsome tomato.

At Pittsburgh, a husband told the judge his wife was nice to him only a day or two before paydays. On other days, the husband said, she refused to cook, threw bricks and clocks at him, bought expensive furs he couldn't pay for, punctured his automobile tires with an ice pick, threw his clothes out the window and entertained other men. He got the divorce.

A Pittsburgh "heat wave special" offered by a drug store: "Banana splits—8 cents." But the sign adds: "Bring your own bananas."

A thief at Oklahoma City who broke into Mrs. C. W. Alexander's home was planning to take life easy. He stole three pillows.

Pete Sondergard, Dannebrog, Neb., bachelor farmer, is a fellow who sleeps soundly, but a bolt of lightning shot down his chimney, demolished a section of the roof, tore away three sides of his house and caused the bed in which he was sleeping to bounce four feet away from the wall. Pete stepped out of bed, unharmed.

Scientists at Mellon Institute, Pittsburgh, usually given to pondering weighty problems of industrial research, dealt with one of a lighter nature—how to keep pigeons off the magnificent institute building, a showplace of Pittsburgh. Superintendent Frank Hicks complained the pigeons "have the place looking like the floor of a bird cage." Whereupon the scientists, after a brief conference, suggested that toy green snakes be put on the roof to wiggle and scare the birds away. Hicks, having no luck with other methods, said he'd try it.

At Marietta, Ohio, a bolt of lightning shot into Mrs. Pete Silvus' kitchen, knocked a skillet from

Artesia, Carlsbad 20-30 Clubs Enjoy Stag Dutch Lunch

The Artesia 20-30 Club was host at a stag Dutch lunch at Lake McMillan Friday evening to the Carlsbad 20-30 Club. There was no set program, but the members of the two organizations entertained themselves with various games.

The affair was a pay-off of the Artesia men because they had a fewer number of representatives at the recent district convention in Carlsbad than the Carlsbad club had members here when the Artesia club received its charter night.

Both clubs had good sized delegations at the Dutch lunch party.

Meditations
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There ain't no denyin' that th' beginnin' end is mighty important—but it's always th' finishin' end that carries th' tale.

Bud says he just can't believe in love 'cause it's mathematically impossible—bein' nothin' divided by two.

If you respect a feller although you disagree with him—you've got something there—an' more'n likely he has!

Folks are a lot like some of this here restaurant coffee—dregs rise to th' surface when they get stirred up.

'Tain't action that puts a feller ahead; it's th' direction he takes—watch any buckin' critter!

CRILE TO VISIT PHOTO STUDIOS WHILE ON TRIP

Herman Crile, Jr., is to leave Saturday evening to take his sister, Miss Ann Crile of Roswell, to Oklahoma City, where she will join some other young women, who will make the trip together to Bristol, Va., to enter Sullen's School for Girls.

Mr. Crile plans to combine business with pleasure and will stop at Amarillo on the trip to Oklahoma City and come home by way of Fort Worth, Dallas and Wichita Falls, Tex., visiting photographic studios at each place, in order to learn "how the other fellow does it" and to increase his general knowledge for adaption to his studio here.

Mrs. Robert Lee of Odessa, Tex., was a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Gray the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Bryant and small son, "Denny," returned Sunday from Clovis, where they spent a two-week vacation visiting Mr. Bryant's relatives.

SON BORN TO MR. AND MRS. KALBERG

A son was born at 5:20 o'clock Monday afternoon at Artesia Memorial Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Edwil Kalberg. He weighed 3 pounds 3 ounces at birth. Both are doing nicely.

The baby's father is a butcher for Peoples Mercantile Company.

U. S. NAVY ENLARGES ITS TRADE SCHOOLS

The Navy trade schools located at the Naval Training Stations, San Diego, Calif., and Norfolk, Va., are being enlarged to handle the thousands of men who must be given vocational training in preparation for the petty officer ratings that will be needed to man the enlarged Navy recently authorized by Congress.

There are many vacancies in the mechanical, technical, radio, Hospital Corps and clerical branches of the U. S. Navy.

Mr. A. E. Lane, who underwent an appendectomy at Artesia Memorial Hospital Monday of last week, is doing nicely.

W. G. Everett, an employee at the Artesia Alfalfa Growers' Association, who has been critically ill at his home for several days was reported as being slightly improved this morning.

her hand, jumped to a nearby field and struck a tool from her husband's grasp. The husband escaped injury, but Mrs. Silvus was burned severely.

Genius Thomas A. Edison's nine-day diary—the only one he ever kept. Written at the time the great inventor was working on some of his most important experiments, it is filled with pungent, witty comment upon all sorts of things, from dreams to what causes dandruff. Don't miss the appealingly human and vital historic document printed for the first time anywhere, in The American Weekly, the magazine distributed with next week's Los Angeles Examiner. 36-1tx

Livestock Report

The livestock report on the Kansas City market, U. S. Department of Agriculture figures:

Hogs, salable and total, 3,000; slow, steady to 5 lower; mostly steady with previous day's average; top 7.20; good to choice 180-270 lbs. 7.00-7.20; heavies scarce; a few 280-300 lbs. 6.75-7.00; 140-170 lbs. 5.75-7.00; sows 5.50-6.25, a few stock pigs 5.85 down.

Cattle, salable 5,000; total 5,800; calves, salable, 800; total 1,000; good to choice grades fed steers yearlings and heifers strong to 25 higher; other killing classes cattle mostly steady; demand slow for common to medium light weight grass cows; vealers and killing calves steady; stocker and feeder classes steady; limited supply good to choice native fed steers and yearlings 11.25-12.25; part load mixed yearlings and a few head yearling steers 12.50; choice Colorado and Kansas fed heifers 12.15; good strong weight fed Kansas grass steers up to 11.00; majority caked and fed grass steers 8.75-10.25; early sales common to medium straight grass steers mostly 7.10-8.50; two loads 9.00; good heavy cows 7.50; bulk grass fat cows 5.25-6.25; vealer top 10.50.

Sheep, salable, 8,000; total, 9,500; practically nothing sold early; opening bids on slaughter lambs around 25 lower; asking stronger; good to choice Colorado spring lambs held above 9.25.

FIRST BOOK PRINTED IN U. S. 300 YEARS AGO

The year 1940, which marks the 500th anniversary of the invention of printing, is also the 300th anniversary of the first book printed in what is now the United States. That volume, "The Whole Booke of Psalmes," which was printed by Stephen Day and his two sons in Cambridge, Mass., was also the first book written in what is now the United States.

It is almost unbelievable, says Douglas C. McMurtrie, printing historian and chairman of the Invention of Printing Anniversary Committee of the International Association of Printing House Craftsmen, that the ministers of the gospel in that wilderness settlement translated its text from the original Hebrew. Few scholars could accomplish that task today.

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Mitchell, Republican Senate Candidate, Visits Here Today

Albert K. Mitchell, Republican candidate for the United States Senate, was a visitor in Artesia today on a campaign swing over the state, calling on voters.

He said he expects to visit every section of the state prior to the primaries Saturday of next week. Mitchell was the Republican candidate for governor of New Mexico in 1938.

Mrs. E. E. Zeigler and daughter, born Aug. 24 at Artesia Memorial Hospital, were taken to their home last Thursday.

Miss Laura Lou DeLouche, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. DeLouche, left Tuesday for Fort Collins, Colo., to attend Colorado State College.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Barr and small daughter, Sandra, returned Monday from Deming where they visited Mrs. Barr's sister, Mrs. Raymond Ried, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Johns drove to Ruidoso Saturday afternoon to enjoy the Labor Day holiday in the mountains and returned home Tuesday afternoon.

Clarence Smith was a patient at Artesia Memorial Hospital Wednesday for the removal of his teeth.

Robert Heard, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Heard of Smith, has entered the New Mexico Military Institute at Roswell.

Mrs. Carl Joiner and son, Jim Bob, of Arrp, Tex., arrived Sunday to spend the winter with their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Gray. Mrs. Joiner brought her son to Artesia on account of his health.

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Mrs. M. A. Cole is spending the month with her sons, C. A. Cole and R. L. Cole, and families at Hope.

Mrs. T. H. Flint left Sunday from Amarillo, Tex., by plane for New York City to visit her daughter, Mrs. Frank Dent, and Mr. Dent. She expects to return home in about two weeks, accompanied by Mrs. Dent, who will come for an indefinite visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Muncy and daughter, Miss Elizabeth, and son, Bert, Jr., and his wife returned last Thursday from a trip to different points in the East. They visited in Washington, D. C., New York City, Niagara Falls and Louisville, Ky., and several places of interest including the World's Fair at New York City.

Miss Nell Collins of Kansas City, Mo., and Mrs. George Duren of Springfield, Mo., left Saturday after a two-week visit with their brother, J. W. Collins, and family. The Collins family spent several days with their guests at Ruidosa last week. This is the first visit Mr. Collins has had with one of his sisters in twenty-four years and the other in twelve years.

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

THEDA E. SLAUGHTER, Plaintiff, vs. J. F. SLAUGHTER, Defendant.

No. 7259

NOTICE OF PENDING SUIT

STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO J. F. SLAUGHTER, DEFENDANT HEREIN, GREETING:

You will take notice that there has been filed in the District Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, a suit numbered 7259 wherein Theda E. Slaughter is Plaintiff and you, J. F. Slaughter, are Defendant; in which suit said Theda E. Slaughter is seeking a Divorce from you, and unless you appear, answer, and defend herein on or before the 20th day of October, 1940, a judgment by default will be entered against you, and the Plaintiff herein will apply to the Court for the relief prayed for in her Complaint filed herein. Robert A. Glasier is attorney for the Plaintiff and his address is Short Building, Carlsbad, New Mexico.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and official seal this 28th day of August, 1940.

Ethel M. Highsmith Clerk 35-41-38

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES IN AND FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW MEXICO.

BLACK, SIVALLS & BRYSON, INC., a corporation, and BETHLEHEM-INTERNATIONAL SUPPLY COMPANY, a corporation, Plaintiffs,

MIDWEST REFINING COMPANY, a corporation, ERROL C. HOLT, MAC HALL, THE BIG JO LUMBER COMPANY, a corporation, IVERSON TOOL COMPANY, a corporation, V. S. WELCH, ALICE H. FLYNN, WILLIAM D. FLYNN, MARTIN YATES, JR., GREENE BROTHERS, INC., a corporation, DICK DUNCAN, and SANGRE AZTECA, a fraternal corporation, Defendants.

No. 128 Civil

NOTICE OF SPECIAL MASTER'S SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: That the United States District Court for the District of New Mexico, did, on the 10th day of July, 1940, in the above styled and numbered cause then pending in said Court, enter judgment in said cause in favor of said plaintiffs and all cross-claimants and against said defendants MIDWEST REFINING COMPANY, ERROL C. HOLT and MAC HALL. That said cause was an action by the plaintiffs for judgment against defendants MIDWEST REFINING COMPANY, ERROL C. HOLT and MAC HALL upon certain promissory notes held by plaintiffs and foreclosure of three certain mortgage deeds securing said notes and embracing the land herein described, in which said cause defendants THE BIG JO LUMBER COMPANY and IVERSON TOOL

COMPANY cross-claimed for judgment against MIDWEST REFINING COMPANY upon certain accounts and for the foreclosure of mechanic's liens securing the payment thereof and wherein defendants V. S. WELCH, ALICE H. FLYNN, WILLIAM D. FLYNN and MARTIN YATES, JR., asserted a vendor's lien upon certain of the lands hereafter described, defendant GREENE BROTHERS, INC., cross-claimed for judgment against defendant MIDWEST REFINING COMPANY and for the foreclosure of a chattel mortgage, and defendant SANGRE AZTECA cross-claimed for judgment against defendant MIDWEST REFINING COMPANY and foreclosure of a mortgage deed embracing certain of the hereafter described property.

That judgment was rendered in said cause in favor of plaintiffs and cross-claimants, in the respective amounts hereafter set out, and for foreclosures of the mortgages and liens securing said sums. That by said judgment the undersigned Special Master was appointed Court, upon failure of the judgment debtors to pay the several judgments so granted within sixty days from the entry thereof, to sell at public auction the hereinafter described premises and real property in one parcel as a whole, subject to the right of redemption as provided by law, the proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction of the judgments so granted as provided in said final judgment.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that pursuant to said judgment on Friday, the 27th day of September, A. D. 1940, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock a. m., at the front door of the County Courthouse in the City of Carlsbad, Eddy County, State of New Mexico, the undersigned Special Master will sell, at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, all of the following described real estate, premises and property situate, lying and being in the City of Artesia, County of Eddy, State of New Mexico, to-wit:

Lots 6, 7, West Half of all that part of Lot 8 North of the railroad, as said railroad now appears across said Lot 8, East Half of said Lot 8, and all of Lots 9, 10, 11 and 12, all in Block 17 of the Original Town (now City) of Artesia, New Mexico; also a wedge-shaped strip of land which lies immediately South of Lots 9 and 10 in said Block 17 and runs to the North line of the Artesia-Lovington Highway; also that certain tract of land commencing at the Southwest corner of Lot 12 in Block 17 of said Original Town of Artesia and running thence East along the South line of Lots 11 and 12 in said Block 17, to the East line of said Lot 11, thence South in a straight line along the East line of said Lot 11 extended South to the Northerly line of Main Street, thence West to the intersection of said line with the West line of said Lot 12 extended and thence along said line to point of beginning; together with all and singular the lands, tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining, and the reversion and reversions, remainder and remainders, rents, issues and profits thereof, and any and all improvements, refinery, refinery equipment, machinery, tools and fixtures now located thereon or used in connection therewith, including all additions, repairs and improvements.

That said above described property will be sold in one parcel as a whole.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the foregoing description covers and includes and that said sale shall cover and include, the following described personal property, to-wit:

1 No. 14995 TAG Mactheth Daylight lamp, 1 No. 15010 Saybolt Chromometer, 1 No. 15775 Saybolt Universal Viscosimeter, 2 No. 15705 Pipettes, 3 No. 15720 Flasks,

60 ml, 2 No. 15745 Strainers, 100 Mesh, 3 No. 15740 Ring Burners, Gas; 3 No. 15755 Pans with Lip, 1 No. 15760 Tube Cleanin with Lip, 2 No. 15765 Perforated Protecting Disc, 1 No. 15770 Wrench for changing tips, 1 No. 15260 P. I. Gravity Correction Chart, 1 No. 15150 Electric Distillation Apparatus, 2 No. 15180 Asbestos Boards 6 x 6 x 1/4 with 1 1/4" hole, 2 No. 15185 Asbestos Boards 6 x 5 x 1/4 with 1 1/4" hole, 24 No. 9080 100 ml Pyrex Dist. Flasks, 24 No. 7295 100 ml Graduated Cylinders, 2 No. 15225 Asbestos Boards 6 x 6 x 1/4 with 3 1/4" hole, 1 No. 15450 Pensky Martens Closed Cup Tester, 1 No. 15470 Conradson Carbon Residue Appr., 1 No. 15900 Water Determination Apparatus, 12 No. 4430 15 ml. Centrifuge Tubes, 2 No. 19245 ASTM Cloud & Pour Test Thermometers, 50 No. 15585 Corrosion Test Stips, 1 gr. No. 15125 Wicks for No. 2 Hinge Burner, 1 No. 1000 Double Beam Balance, 1 set No. 1235 Balance Weights 1 gm to 100 gm, 1 No. 1945 Balance Brush 1", 2 No. 2000 Burette, Mohr 50 ml, Blue Line; 2 No. 2015 Burette, Geissler, 50 ml, 4 No. 2225 Burette, Pinch Cock Attachments, 6 No. 2235 Burette Caps, 3 No. 1370 Pyrex Beakers, 50 ml, 3 No. 1370 Pyrex Beakers, 100 ml, 3 No. 1370 Pyrex Beakers, 150 ml, 3 No. 1370 Pyrex Beakers, 250 ml, 3 No. 1370 Pyrex Beakers, 400 ml, 3 No. 1370 Pyrex Beakers, 600 ml, 3 No. 1370 Pyrex Beakers, 800 ml, 12 No. 1560 Bottles, 250 ml, 12 No. 1560 Bottles, 500 ml, 2 No. 1815 Bottles, wash, 500 ml, 2 No. 1855 Weighing Bottles 50 x 40 ml; 2 No. 1885 Brushes, Beaker, Tools; 2 No. 1915 Brushes, Flask; 4 No. 1920 Brushes, Burette; 2 No. 2290 Burners, Hi Temp; 6 No. 2605 Burner, Wing Tops for No. 2325; 1 No. 2850 Calcium Chloride Tubes 150 mm; 2 No. 4635 Burette Clamps, 6 No. 4595 Burette Clamps, 6 No. 4644 Test Tube Holders, 6 No. 4785 Tubing Compressors, 1 No. 6320 Liebig Condenser 500 mm, 1 set No. 6500 1-12 cork borers, 1 No. 6525 Cork Borer Sharpener, 1 No. 7350 Dessicator, 150 mm; 2 No. 8955 250 ml Pyrex Flasks, 2 No. 5155 500 ml Pyrex Flasks.

2 No. 8975 125 ml Erlenmeyer Flasks, 2 No. 8975 250 ml Erlenmeyer Flasks, 2 No. 8975 500 ml Erlenmeyer Flasks, 2 No. 9065 250 ml Pyrex Dist. Flasks, 2 No. 9170 500 ml Volumetric Flasks, 1 No. 91705 1000 ml Volumetric Flasks, 2 No. 9360 Forceps, 3 No. 9407 65 mm Fluted Funnel, 3 No. 9410 65 mm Funnels, 2 No. 9455 7" Ribbed Funnels, 32 oz.; 2 No. 9565 250 mm Funnels, Separatory; 1 No. 9505 500 mm Funnels, Separatory; 4 No. 12745A 0/11 Hydroimeters, 4 No. 12750A 0/21 Hydroimeters, 4 No. 12755A 0/31 Hydroimeters, 4 No. 1780 49/61 Hydroimeters, 4 No. 12765 59/71 Hydroimeters, 4 No. 12790 69/81 Hydroimeters, 1 ctn No. 13610 No. 205 Labels, 1 ctn No. 13610 Labels (No. 213), 1 No. 14625 Mortar & Pestle, Size 5; 2 No. 16850 Pipettes, 1 ml; 2 No. 16830 Pipettes, 10 ml; 2 No. 16830 Pipettes, 25 ml; 2 No. 6830 Pipettes, 50 ml; 2 No. 17795 2" Rings, 2 No. 17705 3" Rings, 2 No. 17795 4" Rings, 2 No. 17795 5" Rings, 2 No. 17795 6" Rings, 2 No. 13050 Shears, 3 7/8" Blade; 1 No. 13055 Shears, Tinners, 2 1/2"; 6 No.

18500 Stopcocks, 3 No. 18735 Support, Small, 3 No. 18735 Support, Medium; 1 No. 18890 Support, Funnel; 1 No. 18998 Test Tube Rack, 24 No. 19125 150 x 16 Pyrex Test Tubes, 12 No. 19125 150 x 25 Pyrex Test Tubes, 12 No. 19199 20 x 580 Thermometers, 3 No. 19196X 10/760 Thermometers, 1 No. 195918 20/220 Thermometers.

2 pr. No. 19690 Tongs, 6 No. 19690 Triangles, 2"; 2 No. 19835 Tripods, 5"; 1 No. 15915 Reid Vapor Pressure Bomb, 1 No. 13925 1 1/4" Reid Vapor Pressure Gauge 0-45 No.; 2 No. 8970 2000 ml Pyrex Glass Flasks, 1 No. 15250 TAG Manual, 36 No. 1625 4 oz. Oil Sample Bottles, Polished and Corked; 24 No. 1520 16 oz. Sample Bottles, 6 No. 1555 2000 ml. Tinture Bottles GGS, 6 No. 14935 Cloud & Pour Test Jars, 6 No. 6395 Size 1, Coors Porcelain Crucible; 6 No. 7255 1 1/4 x 15 Hydro Jars, 4 No. 2 x 15 Metal Hydro Jars, 1 No. 15150 Electric Distillation Appr., 1 No. 15210 Crude Petroleum Dist. Appr., 1 No. 15425 TAG Closed Tester, 1 No. 14915 Cloud & Pour Appr., 2 No. 19245 ASTM Low Cloud & Pour Test Thermometer 36/210, 1 No. 15520 Gum Gasoline Appr., 1 No. 15535 Thermometer 30/400, 1 No. 3510 Electric Centrifuge 15 ml., 1 No. 04952 Sulphur Determination Apparatus Ethyl, 1 No. 15580 Gasoline Corrosion Test Bath, 1 No. 15105 Saybolt Standard Testing Lamp, 1 No. 1505 Blow Pipe, 6 No. 2325 Burners, Bunsen; 1 No. 2290 Burners, Hi Temp; 2 No. 4645 Universal Extension Clamps, 1 No. 6320 Liebig Condenser 500 mm, 1 No. 6530 Cork Press, 4 No. 12762 Hydrometer, 26/41; 4 No. 12775 Hydrometer, 39/51; 1 No. 14625 Mortar & Pestle, size 1; 1 No. 19199B Thermometers, 20/480; 2 No. 19592B Thermometers, 20/220, 12 No. 4450 centrifuge Tubes 100 ml, 1 No. 18710 Stopwatch 60 second, 1 No. 7340 Dessicator Plate 140 mm, 1 No. 2850 Calcium Bottom Flask 500 cc, 6 No. 2030 40 cc Burette with Straight Glass Stopcock and side tub, 1 Fixanal Piercing Funnel, 48 No. 1520 Bottle, 1 quart; 1 No. 7310 10 cc Graduated cylinder, 144 No. 1655 Oil Sample Bottles 4-oz. polished; 7 No. 4595 Clamps, 2 No. 8155 Distilling Columns, 1 No. 11150 Glass Beads, Perforated; 1 No. 15029 1/2 Color Disc for Saybolt Color Apparatus, 1 No. 8085 Dean Stark Receiver Pyrex, 1 No. 15300 Cleveland Open Tester, but that said sale of said first above described property as aforesaid, shall, as to the immediately hereinabove described personal property, and only as to it, be subject to that certain first and superior chattel mortgage lien in the sum of \$100.01, with interest thereon at the rate of six per cent per annum, from August 25, 1939, until paid, and an attorney's fee of \$108.35, adjudged to GREENE BROTHERS, INC., in said judgment on said personal property, said chattel mort-

gage lien not extending, however, to any other property whatsoever herein described and to be sold.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that as provided by the final judgment aforesaid, any of the judgment creditors in said cause may bid at such foreclosure sale and receive credit upon the purchase price for the amount of the judgment rendered in favor of said purchaser, except for the amount necessary to pay Court costs, expenses of sale and judgments secured by liens prior to the lien of such purchaser.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the amounts due upon the judgment granted the respective parties in said cause, with interest to date of sale, and the costs of sale (less all credits since the entry of said judgment) are as follows:

Black, Sivalls & Bryson, Inc. Principal and interest \$24,180.65 Attorney's fee 2,348.00 Bethlehem-International Supply Company Principal and interest \$42,565.68 Attorney's fee 4,277.00 The Big Jo Lumber Company Principal and interest \$ 4,557.25 Attorney's fee 445.52 Iverson Tool Company Principal and interest \$ 347.86 Attorney's fee 75.00 V. S. Welch, Alice H. Flynn, William D. Flynn and Martin Yates, Jr. Principal and interest \$ 3,408.50 Sangre Azteca Principal and interest \$ 1,938.17 Attorney's fee 188.12

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Judgment also includes the Special Master's fee, cost of sale and administrative costs and expenses of Frank Smith, custodian of the above property, appointed by the Court herein.

For further particulars, intending purchasers are hereby referred to said judgment.

WITNESS the hand of said Special Master on this the 27th day of August, 1940.

Robert A. Glasier Special Master 35-41-38

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R. E. A. ANNUAL MEETING Regular Annual Meeting of Members of Central Valley Electric Cooperative, Inc., (R.E.A. Co-op) will be held Saturday, September 7th, at 2 p. m. in Artesia, N. M., at the High School Auditorium. BE THERE

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Will Determine if Cotton Gin Rates In Need Revising

Corporation Commission Asks for Proposed Schedules in Two Valleys

All cotton ginners of the Pecos and Mesilla Valleys have been asked by Robert Valdez, corporation commission chairman, to file with the commission their proposed rate schedules for the ginning season of 1940-1941.

Chairman Valdez said he was conducting an investigation to determine whether changed conditions in the cotton growing and ginning industry had necessitated a revision of ginning laws instituted last season.

Valdez was the sponsor of the Harrelson uniform rate act, passed at the last legislature, and applicable specifically to the Pecos and Mesilla Valleys in New Mexico.

He said he deemed it advisable to contact by letter and telegram all ginners in the state for the purpose of determining whether conditions had changed in the industry sufficiently to warrant a proposal for changes in the law.

"Prior to passage of the Harrelson Act," Valdez said, "an evil condition existed in the ginning business, namely unfair competition among the ginners in the form of rebates. And cotton growers were never quite sure what rate they would have to pay at the gin."

At the time the Harrelson Act was in the state's legislative hopper, Valdez said, a suit was brought in the District Court of Santa Fe County, challenging the authority of the corporation commission to establish minimum rates for ginning service.

While the suit was pending the legislature met and passed a bill granting full power to the commission in the matter of rates. This power was conferred in the form of the Harrelson Act, introduced by State Senator Robert Harrelson of Las Cruces.

As a result of this act, Valdez said, the commission put into effect a system of uniform rates for the two cotton growing valleys of New Mexico, and these rates applied during the 1939-1940 ginning season.

"These uniform rates, while assuring the growers of a fair and reasonable price for ginning service, also protected the independent ginner from unfair trade practices by the wealthy ginners, by prohibiting rebates to farmers," Valdez said.

"However," he added, "there has been marked changes in the agricultural picture in the nation, as a result of the wars in Europe, and it is just possible that both farmers and ginners might need some important changes in the existing rate law."

"If that condition exists, I want to know about it, and if conditions justify, I will be the first to advocate amendments to the act," Valdez said.

Roswell Caravan To Visit Artesia Next Wednesday

Between 30 and 40 Roswell business and professional men will visit Artesia Wednesday morning, Sept. 11, in order to get better acquainted with the community and its people, and to advertise the Eastern New Mexico State Fair to be held in Roswell Oct. 2-5.

The party will travel in special buses and will visit Dexter, Hagerman and Lake Arthur before reaching Artesia. The party is scheduled to reach Artesia about 10 o'clock, and will go on to Carlsbad for the noon hour. Hobbs, Lovington and Tatum are scheduled on this first day's trip. Visits will be informal, with no definite programs arranged, in order to allow as much time as possible for visiting with the people in the various communities.

"We're going to have a great fair this year and since this is an Eastern New Mexico institution we want the people in all communities to have a part to play in the past," said W. R. Cobean, chairman of the Chamber of Commerce committee in charge of the trip.

"We wish that we could spend more time in every community but even to visit a limited number of the communities in the area will require three full days. Next year we hope to include Hope and a number of other places which we could not work in this year. We want to know these neighboring communities better, whether they are large or small."

Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Smith left by automobile Sunday morning to take home Mrs. Smith's mother and sister, Mrs. A. C. Flowers and Mrs. G. Birnie, and Mrs. Birnie's children, Miss Olive and Bill Birnie, who had been visiting here a month. Mr. and Mrs. Smith were to be gone about a week.

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That it is better to go to an army training camp than to wait and go to a concentration camp That is better to be born in freedom, than to die into freedom

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That it is better to live in and with politics than to live in a land with lunatics

That is better to have National Security and Social Security than to have any kind of National Security

A new title for the saga of Adolf Hitler is "Loco Boy Makes Good." The main ingredient of glamour is printers' ink. Spread thickly over the face of the newspapers

Today's Short-Short Editorial
West Point, America's premier training school for officers, still teaches the same curriculum as in 1890 Months are given to the drilling of lieutenants to march in mass formation, something no army does ever do, outside of school Weeks are spent in teaching the cadets to ride a horse while the tanks roll by As a consequence, ladies and gentlemen, the only thing that a West Pointer can blitzkrieg is a plebe's date

Now going on is the Great English opus they 'opus'll come over and 'elp them.

Yesterday's News Today
Dec. 6, 1938, Paris—Germany and France today signed a pact for "pacific and good-neighborly relations." (Today: Hitler has proven his intents were good. He has been neighborly enough to go over and visit the Frenchmen.)

Jan. 31, 1939, Berlin—The official Nazi newspaper, Voelkischer Beobachter, and others, today branded FDR as "head of the war agitators" because he had stated that he favored rearmament. (Today: The entire U. S. favors rearmament but the Voelkischer Beobachter is calling no one a "war agitator.")

Solutions to the Great Social Problems
The bugs have eaten your entire crop and you are facing famine this winter. You can't get a loan to carry you over and your children are crying. Don't commit suicide. Your problem is easy. Solution No. 1: Eat the bugs. No. 2: Hibernate.

Van Welch Named On IPAA Committee Of Twenty-Nine
Van S. Welch of Artesia was named a member of the committee of twenty-nine of the Independent Petroleum Association of America by Frank Buttram, president, a news release from the association's headquarters at Tulsa disclosed. The members of the committee are prominent oil men from many states.

The association headquarters said the committee was created to conduct an exhaustive study of problems that affect the oil producing industry.

A report which will contain the facts gathered by the committee will be presented to the IPAA membership at the annual meeting in Dallas, Oct. 16, 17 and 18. The work of the committee is to come under three general headings, with a sub-committee doing the fact-finding work in each division. The three topics are: Imports, interstate oil compact and conservation practices of the states and temporary national economic committee hearings. The last named assignment calls for a study of the evidence on petroleum presented to that governmental committee some months ago.

Mrs. E. C. Abston, who underwent an operation in a Carlsbad hospital Sunday for appendicitis, is reported as doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Kiddy and family have as their guests this week Mr. Kiddy's mother, Mrs. Mary Kiddy, and brother, Orval Kiddy, and Mrs. Kiddy and their children, Jimmy and L. R., all of Okmulgee, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Thomason of Albuquerque left Monday after spending the week end here, coming down Sunday for the wedding of Mrs. Thomason's niece, the former Miss Marie Buzbee, and to visit her mother, Mrs. T. E. Carter, and other relatives. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Carter and her grandson, little Max Gene Ledford.

DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATES for State Corporation Commissioner
Roberto Valdez
Arsenio Velarde
TAYLOR E. JULIEN

Martina Lopez, Oldest in State, Baptized Here

Sra. Martina Lopez, 108 years old, believed to be the oldest woman in New Mexico, was baptized and received into the Mexican Methodist Church here Monday evening of this week by the Rev. Constantino Gonzalez, pastor.

The aged Spanish-American, who has been attending services when able, took the steps Monday of her own accord, the pastor said, no one bringing pressure to bear. During her attendance at services Sra. Lopez, who is blind, has learned a number of hymns by ear, which she sings with enjoyment, the pastor said.

The Rev. Mr. Gonzalez told of baptizing a man 104 years old a number of years ago when he had a pastorate in Cuba, of which he is equally proud.

Of him and his work The Eddy County News, Carlsbad, recently had this to say:

"The Rev. Constantino Gonzalez is your local pastor serving in the missionary church work among the Mexican people. This is the third year that Rev. Gonzalez is serving your community. He enjoys the friendship and appreciation of many who have made contact with him. Many persons of this locality has felt the call to serve and do missionary work and they have assisted Rev. Gonzalez. With the assistance and support of his friends he has been able to build up the church missionary work here and all this area, going as far as Lake Arthur and Lakewood. In Artesia last year has been built a church and the work is progressing very fine.

"Now in order to attend the missionary work all around these places, Rev. Gonzalez needs some means of transportation and for such purpose he has bought a little car which he hopes to pay for with the assistance of all who feel inclined to help him with the church missionary work.

"Let us all consider that Rev. Gonzalez is one of our local pastors serving the missionary work in our community. He deserves our appreciation and support and this, at side of what other obligations we may have in our own church. If we help this preacher we will be helping ourselves and our community. Consider these facts and then if Rev. Gonzalez visits you do your best in not turning him glad and he will go on doing his work serving the Spanish people, our neighbors."

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hancox and daughters, "Boots" and Norma, have returned home after three weeks at Salt Lake City, Utah, where they visited home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hastie left Wednesday for Oklahoma City, where Mrs. Hastie will receive medical treatment for several weeks.

Miss Maribeth Alcorn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Alcorn, left Friday for Pasadena, Calif., where she will enter Pasadena Christian College.

Donald Pior, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Pior, left Monday morning by car for Los Angeles, Calif., to begin his freshman year at the University of Southern California. He was accompanied to Los Angeles by Dalton Loving, who was returning to his position at the Ultee Aircraft factory, after having spent the week end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete L. Loving, and brother, Armond.

Cotton Marketing Cards to Be Issued Starting Wednesday

Marketing cards for this season's cotton crop are being issued in North Eddy County beginning Wednesday, Sept. 4, George M. Adams, local administrative assistant, announced this week.

Cards will be brought to Artesia every Wednesday thereafter until each producer has secured his card. Marketing cards may be secured on other week days at the ACA office in Carlsbad, he said.

At the time cards are issued, each farm operator will be given a blank form on which to keep a record of the farm production. This report will be turned into the ACA office at the end of the season and will be used to check the production reported by the gins. This will help to eliminate errors, Adams said.

War Kept Wilson From Practice of Law in Artesia

It was pointed out here this week that Fred E. Wilson, candidate for Congress on the Democratic ticket, missed practicing law in Artesia because of the declaration of war by the United States on the Central Powers in 1917.

Wilson arrived here on April 6 that year to enter the practice of law. But when he learned of the declaration he immediately enlisted—that same day—as a private in Company C, First New Mexico Infantry. His lieutenant was John Runyan, prominent Artesia rancher.

Having contracted tuberculosis in the service, Wilson was honorably discharged from Camp Kearney, Calif., the early part of 1918, when he returned to Eddy County to regain his health at Hope, where he served as chief clerk at the local draft board until the end of the war.

He began the practice of law at Carlsbad as a partner of Attorney General John W. Armstrong in 1919 and there he married Miss Mona Heard, daughter of Allen C. Heard, prominent cattleman. They have four children.

While in Eddy County Wilson served as probate judge and as assistant district attorney. In 1923 he entered a law partnership at Albuquerque with Richard H. Hanna, a connection still maintained.

Fred Wilson was appointed attorney general for New Mexico in January, 1926. He was elected state senator from Bernalillo County and served in the legislative sessions of 1933, 1934 and 1935. Senator Wilson also served as city attorney for Albuquerque from 1933 to 1935. He was later appointed as district judge of the second judicial district early in 1935 and served nearly two years, resigning late in 1936.

After resigning from the bench, Judge Wilson was attorney for the Middle Rio Grande Conservancy District for approximately three years. He was also one of the attorneys representing the State of New Mexico in a suit filed by Texas in the Supreme Court of the United States, involving the use and distribution of the waters of the Rio Grande. He was one of the legal representatives of the State of New Mexico in the negotiation of the inter-state compact among Colorado, Texas and New Mexico. This compact was approved by the legislatures of those states and by the Congress of the United States and now furnishes the basis for an equitable distribution of the waters of the Rio Grande among the citizens of these three states.

Alien Registration Starts Here, to Be Complete Dec. 26

Fine, Imprisonment for Failure to Comply—Apply at Postoffice

Registration and fingerprinting of aliens in the United States began Tuesday, with registration places designated as first and second-class postoffices and postoffices in county seats, of any class.

They must have registered by Dec. 26 or they will subject themselves to a fine of \$1,000 and six months in jail.

The Artesia and Carlsbad postoffices in Eddy County have been designated as registration places. Jesse L. Truett, Artesia postmaster, said registration and fingerprinting here will be done under his supervision and that any alien wishing to register should ask at the windows for the postmaster.

Truett also suggested that anyone knowing an alien, especially one who does not read English, notify that person of the Alien Registration Act passed June 28 by Congress requiring the registration.

Aliens under 14 years of age are not required to register. This will be done for them by their parents or guardians.

Aliens who are aged or infirm may, upon request, have postoffice employees sent to their home, for the required registration and fingerprinting.

After registration all resident aliens must report each change of address within five days after making the change. Failure to so report will make the alien liable to fine and imprisonment.

All information required in registration will be kept secret. There will be no local follow-up investigation to determine accuracy of registration.

Questions which must be answered by the alien at the time of registration include the length of time he has been in this country and how long he expects to stay; method of transportation he used to get here; description of any military or naval service he has had, and the names of any organizations or clubs or societies in which he participates or holds membership, along with a description of his activities in such groups.

Chief Says Play Safe, Don't Chase Fire Apparatus

Albert Richards, Artesia fire chief, when he learned of the safety campaign in connection with the reopening of schools, pointed out that one of the most dangerous practices of which he knows is chasing fire apparatus to fires.

In spite of a law to the contrary and numerous warnings, Chief Richards said, many motorists rush to fires close behind the trucks, endangering their own lives and the lives of firemen. As this is a voluntary fire department here, the majority of the firemen do not ride on the truck, but must rush to the fires themselves, the chief said. They, as well as the apparatus, have the right of way.

The firemen, Richards pointed out, in spite of the fact they make haste in answer to an alarm, make haste slowly. In other words, he said, they drive rapidly, but not at excessive speed. However,

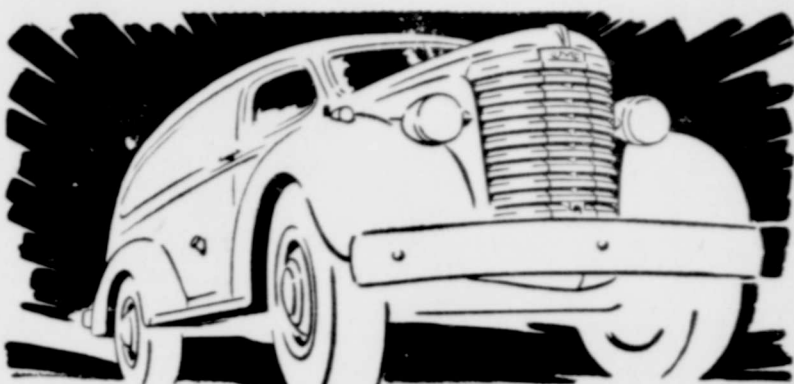
when they approach an intersection they frequently are met by others hurrying to the location of the fire, drivers who sometimes cut in ahead of them and so hold them back.

Chief Richards said he does not condemn anyone for wishing to "go to the fire." But he does condemn them for racing there ahead of the firemen.

Aside from the law, Richards said, it is one of the most dangerous practices of which he knows. He said that as a part of the safety campaign it will be well for every motorist to make up his own mind to show the firemen more consideration at the time of an alarm and stay well in the background, not driving too rapidly.

Mrs. Chet Woodruff of Enid, Okla., was a guest in the home of Mrs. Gene Ledford last week.

Miss Margaret Compary, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andy Compary, will leave this week end for Albuquerque, where she will resume her studies in training as a nurse in St. Joseph's Hospital.



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Cottonwood Items
(Ora Buck)

M. C. Munson of Weed was a business visitor on Cottonwood Friday afternoon.

Jess Rogers of the Sacramento Mountains was a business visitor in Artesia Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Pearson of Cottonwood spent last Thursday in Roswell attending to business.

Mike Salazar of this place was a business visitor in Carlsbad last Thursday.

Junior Parker of here was a Sunday dinner guest of Teddy Ray Buck.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Buck of this place made a business trip to Roswell Saturday afternoon.

Buster Knowles of the Cottonwood community was in Roswell Saturday attending to business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. Noah Buck and son, Eugene, were guests at a 6 o'clock Sunday dinner of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Bartlett of Artesia.

Mrs. Marie Vandergriff of here spent Saturday and Sunday with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Bartlett, of Artesia.

Mr. and Mrs. Flint Powell returned home Sunday from a vacation trip through Texas, Colorado and Arizona.

Mrs. Thomas Hitt and little daughter, Lena Fay, who had been visiting in Texas, returned to their home here last week.

Jim Elliott and daughter, Jewel, of Cottonwood were among those from here in Roswell Wednesday of last week on business.

Mrs. "Dad" Moore of this community left several days ago for Oklahoma, where she will visit relatives and friends.

Dan Elliott and little daughter, Ivern Lorene, of Dexter visited his father, Jif Elliott, and Mrs. Elliott Sunday.

Glenn O'Bannon and Monroe Howard of the Cottonwood community have gone to the northern part of the state on a fishing trip.

Ted Smethers and Mr. and Mrs. Slim Smethers have returned from Weatherford, Tex., where they had been on a vacation.

The primary election Sept. 14 to be held in Chaves County, precinct No. 6, at Lake Arthur, will be in E. C. Jackson's office.

Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Golden and daughter, Marshall Lee, of Artesia spent Monday visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Golden.

Mrs. Ernest Mahan and children of Artesia were visiting her mother, Mrs. Ed Taylor, of this place, who is still on the sick list.

A Mr. Scott, who was here several days looking after business matters, left Sunday for Sweetwater, Tex.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Elliott and little daughter of Cottonwood spent Sunday at Dexter visiting his brother, Dan Elliott, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hitt and little daughter, Leana Fay, of this community visited over the week end with Mr. Hitt's father, Bill Hitt, of Grier, N. Mex.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wethered, who have been living on the Reser farm for several months, left Sunday morning for Amarillo, Tex., where they will be for a while.

Miss Ovie Smith has returned from Las Vegas, where she attended summer school, and will take up her duties as a teacher in Cottonwood School.

Paul Roberson of here, who was ill of typhoid three weeks in a Carlsbad hospital, was moved Sunday to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Roberson, of Hagerman.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Neal and children of Artesia were guests at a Sunday dinner of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Buck. Mr. and Mrs. Neal plan to leave next week for Arizona.

A good rain fell on Cottonwood and vicinity last week. Wind last Thursday night did some damage to the feed by blowing it down. The road grader has been grading the roads in the vicinity since.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Taylor of this community were transacting business in Carlsbad last Thursday. Mrs. Taylor, who has been ill for some time, went to a hospital for a check.

Quite a few farmers were present at a program planning meeting held at Cottonwood School gym Aug. 27. Fred Barham, county agent, was present and gave an interesting talk.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Howard and children, Lois and Floyd Monroe, and Mr. and Mrs. Truman Howard and baby son returned home last week end from a vacation of several days and a fishing trip to Alamogordo Dam.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wethered of this place had as their guests last week their son, Robert Wethered,

Arizona Champs to Meet Artesia All-Stars



These Phoenix softball players, champions of Arizona, will meet the Artesia All-Stars on Morris Field here next week, the exact date to be learned by wire from Detroit, where they are now playing in the national tournament. The stop in Artesia will be made on their way home.

Arrangements for the game have been made between the All-Stars and the Phoenix players, but no definite date could be set until the tournament is over, or the Arizona aggregation is eliminated, for the team will start for home as soon as it has played its last game.

This year's Phoenix team representing Arizona in the national tourney is one of the strongest teams that has ever come out of the Valley of the Sun. The team is well-balanced and shows strength in every position. The hurling staff is undoubtedly the finest an Arizona team has taken East, and is composed of young Len Murray and the veteran Coon Rosen. Gus Glitsos, manager and catcher, has been voted leading Western catcher four times in the last eight years.

Nimrods Find That Doves Are Scarce As Season Opens

Take Advantage of Two-Day Holiday—Rules for Duck Hunting

The 1940 hunting season in New Mexico opened Sunday with doves the first on the program for the numerous nimrods, many of whom took advantage of the two-day holiday for their first try with their trusty fowling pieces.

Hunters reported doves are not here in great numbers as yet, but they are looking forward to fine dove hunting by the middle of the month. Unusual for the early season was the fact hunters found the doves to be quite wild.

As the various open seasons open one after another, hunters always are interested in the migratory waterfowl regulations, which this year have been made more liberal by federal regulations. This is because of the steadily increasing numbers, after ducks were nearing extinction a few years ago.

Of greatest interest is the lengthening of the season from 45 to 60 days in all zones, which in this zone will be from Oct. 16 to Dec. 14. And the time has been increased to include sunrise to 4 o'clock in the afternoon, instead of 7 to 4 o'clock.

The open season includes ducks, geese, coot and jacksnipe. The bag limit on geese has been reduced from four to three a day. But bag limit on ducks remains at ten a day. The number of waterfowl that may be possessed at any one time is limited to two days' bag. The legal limit may be possessed for twenty days after the close of the season.

The daily bag limit on canvasbacks, redheads, buffleheads and ruddy ducks is three and not more than three of this entire group in the aggregate may be taken in any one day. The possession limit on these birds is also double the daily bag limit.

The bag limit on coot is twenty-five a day and jacksnipe fifteen a day. The possession limit on these species may not at any time exceed the bag limit. Jacksnipe may be taken from sunrise to sunset.

There is no open season on wood-ducks, Ross' geese and swans.

Hunters may use bows and arrows or shotguns not larger than 10-gauge, according to federal regulations, but the New Mexico regulation remains at a limit of 12-gauge. It is illegal to use shotguns capable of holding more than three shells or to take waterfowl by means of bait or the use of live decoys.

Oil-Gas Ratios For Eddy Up for Hearing Nov. 15

While Lea County oil operators submitted oil-gas ratios before the state oil conservation commission last Thursday at Santa Fe, Eddy County operators asked additional time in which to prepare a similar proposal and the commission continued the hearing until Nov. 15.

The proposal of the Lea County operators was taken under advisement by the operators. It was for the regulation of waste gas in the Southeast New Mexico fields.

The problem of setting an oil-gas ratio for New Mexico oil fields has been before the commission since early this year, when an experimental oil-gas formula was put into effect.

Lea County operators submitted the following oil-gas ratios for oil fields in their county, prepared on a basis of cubic feet of gas per barrel of oil:

Arrowhead, 5,000; Cooper, 10,000; Eaves, 7,000; Eunice, 7,000; Hardy, 7,000; Hobbs, 4,000; Jal, 10,000; Langlie, 7,000; Lynn, 5,000; Mattix, 7,000; Monument, 6,000; North and South Penrose, 7,000; Rhodes, 5,000; Skaggs, 5,000; Skelly, 7,000; South Eunice, 7,000; South Lovington, 2,000; Vacuum, 2,000.

Smith Items
(Gladys Jackson)

Gladys Jackson visited Carrie Bell Wise Sunday.

Lucille Brown spent Sunday with Lois Jackson.

Sunday school attendance is still growing. All visitors are welcome.

A bake sale given by the ladies of the Sherman Memorial Community Church, held at the Smith Store Friday, went over as a great success. About \$16 was raised.

Services were held at the Sherman Memorial Community Church Sunday evening by the Rev. Mr. Sterling. Preaching services followed by a business meeting, were held Tuesday evening.

The Rev. Mr. Sterling of Lake-wood will hold services in the Community Church Sunday. Morning services will begin immediately after Sunday school, which begins at 10 o'clock. The evening services will begin at 7:30 o'clock.

Mrs. Otis Rogers and children, Charles, La Vern and Ronald, who were accompanied by Vera Evans, returned from a three-week visit in Oklahoma last summer. She visited in several places.

The intermediate classes are giving an ice cream social at 7 o'clock Friday evening. There will be other refreshments at a nominal charge. The yard in front of the church will be lighted. There will be games and different types of entertainment. Everyone is invited. The funds raised will be used to help pay off church debts.

Mr. and Mrs. Jewel Heard entertained the young people of the community Friday with a wiener roast. The party was given as a farewell to their son, Bobby, who is leaving for a year of training at New Mexico Military Institute, Roswell. Games were played outside in the afternoon. The party moved inside after they had roasted as many wieners and marshmallows as they could eat. Those present: Freddie and Barbara Creil, Billy Morgan, Harvey Wise, Carrie Belt Wise, Gladys and Lois Jackson, Charles and La Vern Rogers, James Heber Briscoe, Lee Baker, Rex Briscoe, Ronald Rogers, Willis Baker, Johnny Frank Herbold, Vera Evans, Norman Crosskors, Wanda Morris, Frances Emmons, Drotha Stuart and Billy Pierson.

Sammy and Fred Beckwith and Charles Roberts had a successful fishing trip at Alamogordo Dam over the week end.

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WARRANTY DEED—
W. E. Davenport et ux to Geo. N. Dennis, lot 3, blk. 166, Woodard's Addn. to Carlsbad, \$10, etc.
G. R. Spencer et ux to New Mexico Eastern Gas Co., right of way easements, etc., \$10, etc.
Herbert J. Alcorn et ux to L. O. Robson, lot 9, blk. 44, Artesia Imp. Co. Addn. to Artesia.
E. Birch Harrison to John B. Sears, lots 1 and 2, blk. 175, Harrison's Subdiv. Carlsbad.
B. E. Johnson et ux to Carl P. Hansen, part of S½ No. 2/5 SE¼ Sec. 25-22-26, \$10, etc.
Gilberto Carrasco to Salvador Griego, lot 5, blk. 14, Original Carlsbad.
Caesar Grandi et ux to M. F. Sadler, ¼ int. lot 24 and part lot 1, blk. B, East Addn. to San Jose, \$10, etc.
T. W. Carter et ux to Ira Leibhardt et al, lots 6 and 7, blk. 23, Morningside Addn. Artesia, \$1, etc.
John E. Clark et ux to John R. Joyce II, Sec. 12-23-21, \$10, etc.
Ollie I. Boyd et ux to L. C. Lamb, lots 3 and 4, blk. 14, Valley View Hts., \$10.
Herman Hemler et ux to W. R. Richardson and V. M. Davis, lots 11, 12 and 13, B L & L, 10, 11, 12 and 1, blk. M, Hemler's Subdiv., \$10.
Bert N. Shipp to Anna Mae Shipp, ½ int. lot 12, Orig. town Artesia, \$1.
George E. Cooper et ux to Harvey J. Jones, tract in Sec. 2-22-26.
W. E. Walling et ux to H. J. Jones, tract in Sec. 2-22-26.
Stanley L. Jones et al to R. W. Fair, W½NW¼ Sec. 24-18-26, \$10, etc.
John Falkenberg et ux to Stanley L. Jones et al, W½NW¼ Sec. 24-18-26, \$5,000.
Tom Tucker et ux to Mrs. Huling Usery, S½S¼ Sec. 10; N½, N½S¼ Sec. 13-16-23.
John B. Sears et al to O. D. Chiles et ux, lot 9, blk. 167, Woodard's Addn. to Carlsbad, \$10, etc.
J. C. Mings to Guy E. Nix, W½NW¼, 6¼ A. W½SW¼ Sec. 30-18-27, \$860.
Mrs. Belle Longbotham to Jesse L. Young, 1 acre NW corner Sec. 30-17-23, \$10.
Alta Skaggs et vir to John R. Hymeyer, lot 8, Walterscheid Subdiv. to Carlsbad, \$800.
E. E. Harrington et ux to Catherine Robuck, tracts in SE¼ SW¼ NW¼ Sec. 1-22-26, \$10, etc.
Pecos Irrigation Co. to Wesley Dickson et ux, No. 35 ft. lot 18,

Caverns Travel Passes 50,000 In Month, First Time in August

Once again during August all previous records for the Carlsbad Caverns were broken, with 51,711 registered visitors, 2,564 more than the previous high August of 1937.

It was the first month more than 50,000 visitors ever visited in the caverns in a single month. The daily average was 1,668, with no fewer than 1,100 persons there on any day. On three days more than 2,000 visitors were counted. The low day was Aug. 2, when 1,101 made the trip and the high day was Aug. 19, with 2,049. Visitors this year to Sept. 1 totaled 182,339.

Texas easily led the states in sending visitors, with 23,349 registered from there. Next in line was Oklahoma, with 5,888, while California sent 3,553 and New Mexico accounted for 2,972. More than a thousand each were registered from Colorado, Illinois, Kansas, Louisiana and Missouri, and 798 came all the way from New York.

Mexico paced the foreign nations sending tourists, since 37 came from there. Thirteen came from Cuba, eight from India, seven each from Brazil, Canada and the Canal Zone, and six each from Argentina and Peru. Despite the war, two came from England, while even far off Manchuria sent one visitor.

In all there were twenty-three foreign countries listed, of which China sent five visitors, the West Indies four, Bolivia three, Honduras and Puerto Rico two each and Columbia, Australia, Denmark, Dutch Indies, Greece, Panama, Philippine Islands and Uruguay one each.

Registrations from all of the United States, Alaska, District of Columbia and Hawaii:

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land and his wife and children, and daughter, Mrs. Bill Alexander, and family, all of Amarillo, Tex., and another daughter, Mrs. Ervin Gray, and children of Dexter.

Two farmers of here attended a meeting Wednesday night of last week. P. K. Norris, a cotton specialist from the Office of Foreign Agricultural Relations, gave fine talks that were of interest. He also made similar talks at Carlsbad.

Dr. O. E. Puckett, Eddy County health officer, and Miss E. Johnson, Eddy County nurse, were at Parker's Store Monday vaccinating several in the community against typhoid. Dr. Puckett will be at Cottonwood School Monday.

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Mrs. B. Boyd, who was taken to an El Paso hospital last Thursday critically ill, was brought home Monday feeling somewhat better.

Mrs. C. A. Scott of South Texas, who will be remembered as Mrs. Ovie Meadows, a teacher in the Artesia schools fifteen years ago, accompanied by her daughter and her parents, called on friends in Artesia Monday, as she was en route to the Carlsbad Caverns.

QUIT CLAIM DEED—
State Tax Commission to Velma Owen, 2 A SW¼SW¼ Sec. 22-18-26.
Cruz V. Montoya et al to Juan V. Montoya, lots 9 and 11, blk. 19, Art. Hts. Addn.
R. J. Jones et ux to R. W. Fair, W½SW¼ Sec. 23-18-30, \$1, etc.
State Tax Commission to P. R. Ramuz, tracts 381, 382, 383, NE¼-SW¼ Sec. 18-18-27.
Victoria Baker to C. L. Tallmadge, SWP NW¼ Sec. 2-17-29.

LAND PATENT—
United States to John E. Clark, Sec. 12-23-21.

Artesia and Valley Well Represented as ENMC Year Opens

Freshmen week opened at Portales Monday with prospects of the biggest enrollment in Eastern New Mexico College's history and with reports that there are almost twice as many freshman co-eds registering as last year.

The Pecos Valley, Roosevelt County and Curry County are contributing the largest numbers of students, with especially large delegations from Artesia, Carlsbad and Roswell, the college reported.

Junior and senior girls have given up their rooms in Women's Hall to freshman girls, and enlargements have been made in the hall to accommodate seventy-two instead of the previous sixty co-eds.

But almost 300 other girls are taking rooms in town houses set aside under the college's approved housing system for their use, or are living at home and going back and forth to college each day.

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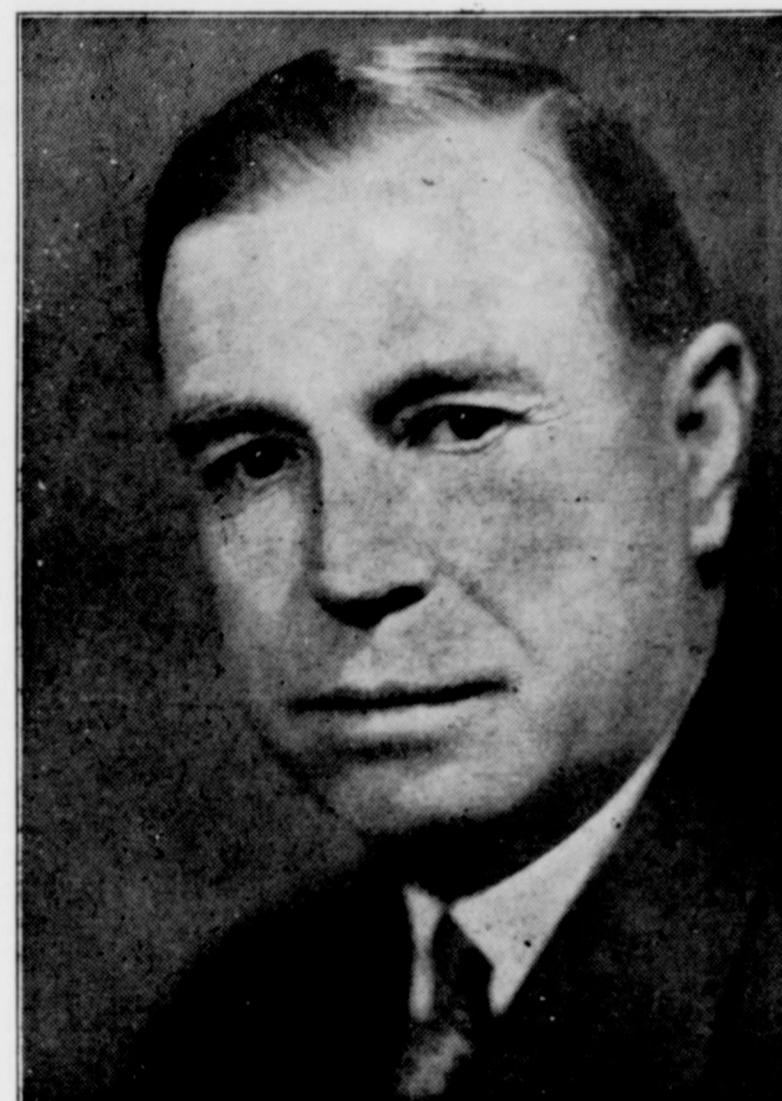

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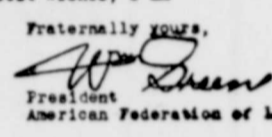
Mr. D. G. Wright, Secretary-Treasurer
 New Mexico Federation of Labor
 431 Maroon Street
 Santa Fe, New Mexico

Dear Sir and Brother:

The American Federation of Labor is very much interested in helping to reelect members of the United States Congress who have proven that they favor legislation beneficial to labor. For this reason I am calling your attention to the one hundred per cent legislative record which has been built up by Senator Dennis Chavez, both in the United States House of Representatives and in the United States Senate. He has not only voted favorable when measures beneficial to labor were under consideration but he has also strenuously opposed legislation of a harmful character.

May I urge you and your associates to give every aid and support possible to Senator Chavez in his campaign for reelection. Let it not be said after the election that labor was ungrateful.

With best wishes, I am

Fraternally yours,

 Frank Hefferly
 President
 American Federation of Labor

The Eddy County-Chavez County Rural Electrification project can be credited to Senator Chavez. It was he who discovered the "joker" in the state's 1937 REA act and worked day and night, even made trips to Santa Fe to confer with Governor Miles, to have the farce act repealed and have the REA act adopted by the state legislature in 1939. And after the new act he conferred with REA officials in Washington to speed up putting into operation of the \$140,000 project.

Senator Chavez fought and voted against the Reciprocal Trades Agreement Authority, which would have given the President the power to negotiate reciprocal trade agreements without Congressional ratification. He believed such authority would be a temporary stimulant to trade but in the long run would tear down New Mexico's oil, livestock and agriculture industries.

Pointing out New Mexico's oil wells have a proved productive capacity of 2,000,000 barrels daily and are permitted to produce only about that much during an entire month, Senator Chavez said:

"Of course, we realize that this removes the possibility of gainful employment for a certain number of our people and therefore, we would appreciate the possibility of turning their productive energies elsewhere than to stultifying, respect-sapping relief projects, but when the Federal government decrees a limitation upon oil production, it does not leave sufficient room for Manganese ore production—instead it makes possible the importation of quantities of that precious and strategically essential raw material from foreign countries, thereby giving employment to aliens and leaving our own citizens to become public burdens."

He is advocating a plan to bring New Mexico \$6,000,000 yearly through increased development of Manganese ore production for national defense, by: Government purchase of ores; storing it at mines or a central point in New Mexico; reconstruction finance loans for machinery, purchase and improvement of properties, and government assurance that domestic Manganese producers would be protected against imports of low-cost foreign ore after the defense emergency ended.

By Senator Chavez' amendment, which was adopted and incorporated into the bill, the Reconstruction Finance Corporation was enabled to refinance irrigation districts in the west. The Dexter-Greenfield District, the Roswell Drainage District and the Hagerman Drainage District were three districts relieved by Senator Chavez' amendment.

He sponsored the Moratorium Bill, which gave untold relief to New Mexico's irrigation districts through a postponement of the charges of small dams constructed.

Senator Chavez and Senator Carl Hatch jointly introduced and successfully sponsored Senate Bill 1661, which amended the Federal Oil and Gasoline Act to liberalize the method of holding of oil and gas leases. He and Hatch sponsored the Strategic Materials Bill, by which New Mexico Manganese is being bought by the government and stored for national defense use.

"While I have not checked the records of all votes on labor legislation, nevertheless, my own knowledge is such that I can say Senator Chavez has consistently voted for all legislation beneficial to those who labor."

U. S. SENATOR CARL A. HATCH

The Grand Lodge of the Brotherhood of Railway Clerks, Freight Handlers and Express and Station Employees has instructed all New Mexico lodges to support Senator Chavez. The instructions, signed by GRAND PRESIDENT GEORGE M. HARRISON, urged relatives and friends of railway labor to support the New Mexico Senator.

"In the coming New Mexico senatorial campaign I want to call your attention to the fact that the incumbent, Senator Dennis Chavez, has a one thousand per cent labor record," said FRANK HEFFERLY, United Mine Workers of America regional director, Denver, in endorsing Chavez.

Senator Dennis Chavez has always voted in the best interests of the people of New Mexico. His record for party loyalty and performance for his state cannot be matched. The size of his hat 10 years ago, when he was elected to Congress, was 7 1/8, and it's still 7 1/8 today. He's down to earth on legislation, and his interest is in New Mexico, not elsewhere.

Protect Senator Dennis Chavez' seniority on the Appropriations Committee, the Public Lands Committee, the Committee on Indian Affairs, and the Post Offices and Post Roads Committee. Each of these committees bring New Mexico benefits in federal money, and Senator Chavez, through this seniority, is in a position to get his state its share.

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Possibility of—

(Continued from page 1) for greater efficiency in training. The nucleus will be formed from Battery "A" of the 158th Artillery in Roswell, which is slated for conversion Monday to the anti-tank unit, which will be a motorized infantry unit under independent command.

Although the conversion will be made Sept. 9, Gen. Charlton said the recruits are being notified their unit will be subject to active service in mid-December.

It was not learned here definitely what a unit of the anti-tank battalion would mean to Artesia, by way of numbers of men and officers and equipment, but it is presumed by the figures given in early press releases that there would be a peacetime complement of about eighty men.

Nor is it known who will be eligible to belong if and when the conscription law is passed.

That Artesia would benefit in more ways than one is shown in a statement of Gen. Charlton, who said that while details of the border army post could not be revealed as yet, it might prove to be "one of the biggest things in the state."

Local observers, although delighted that Artesia might be assigned a unit, emphasized that the formation of such an organization here and over the state in no way indicates any imminent danger, but rather that it is a part of the national defense program, made necessary, the citizens of the United States have discovered, in this day of totalitarian powers.

In other words, observers said, it is by way of being prepared in order that any invasion or conflict be avoided.

Mrs. M. Murphy of Taos, formerly of Artesia, left Sunday for a month vacation with friends in Seattle, Wash., and visiting places of interest on the West coast, including a visit to the Golden Gate Exposition in San Francisco.

Political Announcements

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For Sheriff of Eddy County:
HOWELL GAGE
Carlsbad

For County Clerk:
MRS. R. A. WILCOX
Carlsbad

For County Assessor:
R. H. (Dick) WESTAWAY
Carlsbad

For County Treasurer:
J. R. (Dick) ATTEBERY
Artesia

J. B. CHOATE
Carlsbad

For County Superintendent:
R. N. THOMAS
Carlsbad

For County Commissioner, Dist. 1:
C. F. (Charlie) MONTGOMERY
Carlsbad

For County Commissioner, Dist. 2:
JUDAL TERRY
Cottonwood

C. E. MANN
Artesia

For County Commissioner, Dist. 3:
TROY (Pete) CAVINESS
Loving

For Justice of the Peace, Precinct 6:
W. H. BALLARD
Artesia.

Legion Cuts—
(Continued from page 1)

opening of the regular dance schedule at the hut. The members also are looking forward to participation in the national defense program, in whatever capacity might be assigned.

S. A. Lanning, post commander, appointed P. V. Morris and A. L. Bert as a committee to find the probable costs connected with forming and outfitting a drum and bugle corps and to feel out the sentiment among eligible boys in the community. The committee members plan to call a meeting of boys in the near future to discuss such an organization with them.

The hut building committee, appointed at a previous meeting, reported and showed tentative plans for the proposed enlargement program. No definite action was taken at the meeting.

Oscar Samelson, adjutant and membership chairman, reported that there now are seventy-eight paid-up members for 1941, which is ahead of past years. However, he stressed that the post's quota of 107 must be met or surpassed before the national convention in Boston out of courtesy to the state commander, Charles Morgan, a member of the local post.

The annual barbecue and opening dance will be Thursday evening, Sept. 19, it was decided. Commander Lanning appointed the hut custodian, Loren Neeley, as "major domo" for the affair. He will have the regular entertainment committee to help him put it across.

In appreciation for the work of General John J. Pershing, commander-in-chief of the American Expeditionary Forces, who will be 80 years old Sept. 13, Samelson was instructed to send him a telegram of congratulations and greetings on his birthday.

State Commander Morgan announced at the meeting that Commander Lanning, at a meeting of the state executive committee Sunday, was appointed a member of the department finance committee for three years. A. L. Bert, post historian, was named department publicity chairman at the same meeting, Morgan said, the first time such a job has been held by anyone outside the department headquarter city of Albuquerque.

A. C. BUSH HAS ONE FOR ROBERT RIPLEY

A. C. Bush, formerly of Artesia, who lives now at Oilfield, claims he has one for Ripley.

A pack rat, he says, climbed on the differential of his car, ate its way through the floor and built a nest under the rear seat.

Bulldog—

(Continued from page 1) this afternoon at the practice field just west of the high school building. Blocking, tackling and passing have been given to the boys in big doses by Greeno and Thompson and now comes the job of welding them into a unit.

Faced with a loss of the entire backfield and half of the first team line from last year's team, the prospects for this year are not as bright as in '39. Coach Greeno in commenting on the situation had this to say, "We have a hard row to hoe before we hit last year's stride. We haven't any stars on our ball club, just a good bunch of boys who are working hard and showing a fine spirit. We'll have a ball team later."

With only eight days until the first game, the Bulldogs have a lot of work to master the Notre Dame system and the plays from that formation which have been handed out to them. The first game is against Hobbs and will be played there Friday, Sept. 13.

Line Coach Thompson, when asked about the line prospects for this year, said, "At ends we have three boys who should be able to take care of the situation, although we are weak at this point because of a lack of reserve material. Out for end is Vance Haldeman, 160-pound senior, who is being shifted from a tackle position to end this year. Raymond Kennedy, 145-pound senior, who is a letterman from last year, and Thomas Brock, 145-pound senior, are the other two candidates. Brock is a transfer from Jal."

The tackles are looking fairly good, although there are no lettermen returning. Doane Watkins, 185-pound junior, heads the list. He was on the squad last year but injuries kept him from lettering and he should be ready to go this year. Other prospects are "Buddy" McCrary, 150-pound senior; "Buck" Buchana, 160-pound senior, and Hal Hamill, 160-pound senior. Several of these boys are looking good and with a little experience should develop all right.

Guards are James Manley, 135-pound Junior, the only letterman from last year's squad; Junior Foster, 137-pound sophomore; James Powell, 140-pound junior, shifted from the backfield this year; "Lightning" Green, 125-pound sophomore, and J. B. Champion, 115-pound freshman, are the others who are battling for a first string berth.

Two good boys, Eugene Scroggins, 140-pound junior, and Eugene Conner, 160-pound senior, should be able to handle the center position in nice shape. Scroggins is a letterman from last year and Conner is new here, coming from California.

"All in all," Thompson said, "the line prospects are in fair shape, except as a whole it will be inexperienced and untried."

Backfield candidates, according to Coach Greeno, are Quarterbacks Bill McCasland, 158-pound senior; "Lefty" Hernandez, 140-pound junior; Dallas McCasland, 120-pound junior, and Lefty Tidwell, 130-pound junior. B. McCasland is the only letterman in this group, but some of the others have had experience and are showing up fairly well.

At the halfback posts the Bulldogs have Ray Lewis, 150-pound senior, left half; Dooley Juarez, 135-pound junior, right half; Curtis Bolton, 150-pound senior, right half; Riley Brown, 140-pound junior, left half, and Jim Cunningham, 145-pound junior. Only two lettermen are in this group. They are Lewis, two-year letterman, and Juarez, one-year letterman.

Bob Ferguson, 160-pound junior, and R. D. Wright, 150-pound junior, are sharing the job as fullback. Both of them have lettered two years and should be able to handle this job very nicely, Greeno said.

Move to—
(Continued from page 1) and are debunking ourselves."

Booker advised that Americans get above their personal feelings, point out the great things of the state, nation and church; after teaching children to love their city, state and nation, they should be taught to love democracy, which has been neglected in the school and the home. "We must get back to natural nationalism," he said.

Miss Brooks, who spoke on the value of the music program to the community, said that music was introduced into the schools twenty years ago on its weakest point, technique. Now music instructors realize that the aesthetic side of music is more important.

Music should be given to children dose by dose, she said, and then they will grow to appreciate it and they will carry it to the community. That is one thing she hopes to accomplish this year: Have music taken into the home and community from the school.

MR. AND MRS. GLASSCOCK ARE PARENTS OF DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Glasscock of Hope are the parents of a daughter, born at 9:15 o'clock Saturday night.

The baby, who weighed 9 pounds 13 ounces, was born in a Carlsbad hospital.

Oil Activity—

(Continued from page 1) Knox & Featherstone, Hatchet 1, SW NE 14-20-26.

Progress among wildcats and other wells of general interest in Eddy County and the adjacent Maljamar area in Lea County: Grover Mann et al, Riggs 1, NE NE 7-20-30.

Drilling below 500 feet. Bedingfield-Walker, Seale 1, SE SE 10-20-27.

Shut down at 969 feet. J. D. Crumley, State 2, SW SW 34-17-28.

Total depth 2,400 feet; shut down for orders. Talmadge et al, State 1, NW NE 24-16-28.

Drilling at 2,600 feet. Jones & Yates, Everest 1, NE SE 15-18-26.

Drilling below 720 feet. E. G. Woods, Simon 2-B, SE NE 30-17-32, Lea County.

Drilling at 3,000 feet. Black & Ratleff, Simmons 1, SE NW 9-21-25.

Drilling at 600 feet. A. & M. Petroleum Co., State 2, NW SE 15-21-27.

Total depth 350 feet; shut down for orders. H. Aid, Leonard-State 1, SE SW 16-17-29.

Drilling at 2,280 feet. Carper, Keohane & Sanders, Day 1, NE NW 3-19-31.

Total depth 2,678 feet; flowed estimated 120 barrels a day. J. O. Wood, Root 1, NE NW 12-17-29.

Drilling at 2,439 feet. Barnsdall, Dodd 3, NW SE 14-17-29.

Drilling at 2,980 feet. Macy & Talmadge, State 2, SW SE 2-17-29.

Drilling at 1,420 feet. Brainard & Guy, Brainard 1, NE SW 6-18-27.

Total depth 620 feet; shut down for repairs. Shumaker & Richey, Root 1, NW SE 1-17-29.

Drilling at 540 feet. Artesia Drilling Co., Hoffman 1, SE SW 14-17-24.

Total depth 1,278 feet; shut down for repairs. Powell & Matthews, Levers 2, NW SW 33-16-29.

Total depth 2,505 feet; shut in for storage. O. H. Randel, Gates 1, SW SE 22-18-30.

Total depth 3,392 feet; preparing to test. J. B. Mulcock, Etz 1, SW SW 25-16-30.

Total depth 2,530 feet; shut down for repairs. Mac T. Anderson, Root 5, SE SE 1-17-29.

Total depth 3,434 feet; shut in for storage. Schumaker & Richey, Levers 1, NE NE 33-16-29.

Total depth 2,825 feet; bailing 35 barrels per day after shot. Jack Harris, Josey 1, SW SE 19-20-23, eighteen miles south of Hope.

No report. Martin Yates, Jr., et al, Williams 1, NE NW 25-18-26.

Location. Wills & Abell, Hale 1, SE SW 12-20-30.

8 1/4-inch casing cemented at 580 feet. Helm & Martin, Stephens 1, NW NE 22-15-29, Chaves County.

Total depth 2,340 feet; shut down for orders. Dooley & Hayes, Martin 1, SE NW 9-19-25.

Drilling at 280 feet. Clark & LaNeve, Boulter 1, SE NW 28-19-27.

Moving in. Martin Yates, Jr., et al, Fedell 1, NW NW 35-18-26.

Total depth 612 feet; 10-inch casing cemented at total depth.

New Mexico—

(Continued from page 1) Dempsey, candidate for the Democratic nomination for United States senator, said that is the position every member of the congressional delegations from the oil-producing states must assume "unless we wish to hamper seriously the orderly development of one of our greatest resources."

The congressman told of passing legislation providing for joint action by state and federal governments in leasing public lands for oil and gas development; of obtaining concessions regarding lease rentals so as not to retard discovery work; of opposing legislation which would provide further federal jurisdiction over oil production, which now is worked out by interstate pro-ration agreements, and of opposition to a reduction of import excises on foreign crude petroleum.

Regarding the last, he said: "Although I favor the 'good neighbor' policy of the present administration, I do not believe it should be carried to the extent of working injustices or hardships on our domestic industries. For that reason I opposed extension of the reciprocal trade agreement authority vested in the State Department, unless some restriction was placed upon it, so that our oil industry, for instance, would not be called upon to face unfair foreign competition."

"I could see no justice, to cite one case, in reduction of the import excise on Venezuelan crude petroleum by 50 per cent, when our own producers were operating their wells on a proration agreement which cut their actual production to a very small fraction of their potential."

"In such cases I believe our own producers are better neighbors than the owners of wells in Venezuela or any other foreign country, for all of them would have the same import advantage under the 'favored nation clause' of our reciprocal trade agreements."

Rep. Dempsey told his audience of his support of the neutrality bill and the Hatch bill, both of which were passed by Congress, and of his opposition and fight against the Supreme Court bill, which was defeated, as well as other accomplishments during the six years he has served New Mexico in the House of Representatives.

The candidate was introduced by S. A. Lanning, who served as chairman. On the platform also were Mayor Emery Carper and former Mayor Hollis G. Watson.

Prior to the open-air meeting at Morris Field, Congressman Dempsey was the guest of honor at a banquet on the Roof Garden of the Artesia Hotel.

There he spoke briefly and informally. Mrs. Dempsey, who was with him on the trip, was introduced. Former Mayor Watson was the toastmaster.

Dempsey spoke at Hagerman in the afternoon and went from here to Roswell, where he spoke at two meetings on Saturday.

J. D. Stein, 9-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stein of Fredericksburg, Tex., who became ill while the family was visiting the Grady Booker family and underwent an operation for appendicitis at Artesia Memorial Hospital Aug. 27, was taken to his home Monday.

Augmented Band to Rehearse Monday for Home Grid Games

Alumni and members of the Artesia school band will have the first rehearsal in preparation for the fall football games at 8 o'clock Monday evening, E. L. Harp, director, announced. The rehearsal will be in the high school auditorium.

Harp said he hopes to have the band in top shape for the first home game, which will be played at Morris Field Friday evening, Sept. 20, against Alamogordo.

At that time the combined band will play a thirty-minute concert while the teams warm up and the school members alone will have their customary maneuvers between halves.

Commodore Ferguson said great interest in the races is being shown throughout this section, and racers, as well as spectators, are expected from considerable distances.

Entries Coming—

(Continued from page 1) free-for-all, in which any run-about may compete.

It is possible there may be some hydroplanes on the lake for a special event, but the club officers were not certain this morning. Two of the fastest hydroplanes in the country were there at the previous regatta, but as there had been no advance registration nor matching, the racers declined to stage a contest because of high waves.

The rules for Sunday call for every driver entered to race when his class is called, or forfeit his entrance fee.

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