

Artesia Advocate

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SUBSCRIBE TO U.S.O. AND KEEP THE BOYS HAPPY WHILE THEY SERVE US

SAVE CIVILIZATION BUY U. S. DEFENSE BONDS AND DEFENSE STAMPS

VOLUME THIRTY-EIGHT

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U.S.O. Drive for Funds in North Eddy Will Open Friday

Young Men Who Are 21 July 1 Must Register Next Tuesday

If That Age Since Last Oct. 16, Must Comply With Nationwide Sign-up—Federal Offense for Failure.

REGULATIONS CITED

Eddy County Places to Be at City Hall, Artesia, and Courthouse.

All male citizens and residents of the United States who will have reached the age of 21 years since last Oct. 17 and by July 1, inclusive, are required to register for military service next Tuesday, July 1, in order to add a new class to those who registered last Oct. 16.

Registration places in Eddy County will be at the city hall in Artesia and the courthouse in Carlsbad, but Selective Service pointed out that any young man coming under the federal order who finds it inconvenient to register at the place nearest his home may report to any other registration place.

The registration places in Artesia and Carlsbad will be open from 7 o'clock in the morning until 9 o'clock in the evening next Tuesday.

The Census Bureau has estimated 3,509 New Mexico youths must appear for registration, whereas the estimate for the nation was 832,000, as compared with the Army's guess of about a million.

Selective Service, in order to serve properly the young men who will be required to register, has issued a list of general essential facts, which are in the main:

The registration will be handled by the same boards as in the primary draft, except that in certain counties additional points of registry will be provided. Ample notice will be given of these points.

The safest plan is for the individual to go to the board already functioning.

The law is absolutely plain as to this registration. All male citizens who have attained the age of 21 must present themselves for enrollment on July 1. Failure to do this is a grave offense, carrying a heavy penalty fixed by the government.

All young men who have reached 21 must promptly notify their county registration boards in event of a change of address, and remember that failure to do this also carries a heavy penalty.

REPORT FISHING GOOD ON THE GILA RIVER

Clyde Guy and Dr. E. A. Metzger, who returned home Sunday from a trout fishing trip on the Gila River across the Continental Divide in West New Mexico, reported wonderful catches.

The Artesia men had to pack into the river country.

Oil Development Is Below 10 Per Cent Expected

James Murray of Hobbs, former lieutenant governor, said at Santa Fe last Thursday that oil development in Southeast New Mexico was less than 10 per cent of expectancy due to uncertainty regarding the national and international markets.

Many Men Lack Pride in Doing Their Job Well

George Frisch, speaking Tuesday noon at the regular weekly Rotary meeting, said one of the greatest troubles in everyday life is man's lack of pride in doing a job well, just getting by.

The unethical conduct and practices of an individual are reflected in his daily life, Frisch said, rather than his craft. This, he said, casts judgment not so much on the individual as on his work.

Frisch said that Rotary should place more stress on the lifting of vocational ideals, which comes under the club's vocational service object, than on international service, under which the organization strives to bring about peace and good-will, for, he said, this cannot be accomplished by Rotary or any other group.

Neil B. Watson, president, who completed his year in office this week, to be succeeded next week by M. A. Schulze, was presented a token of esteem by the club at the conclusion of the meeting. The presentation was made by Col. C. J. Dexter in his customary fluent manner of speech.

CONY COUNCIL WILL MEET HERE ON FRIDAY

A meeting of the Eddy County Council of Extension Clubs will be held at 1:30 o'clock Friday afternoon at Artesia High School.

Plans will be made for the program during the summer months. "Achievement Day" also will be discussed. All club members are requested to attend.

Three Locations Single Section by Murchison, Cloisuit

Seven new locations were made in the Eddy County fields during the last week, bringing to fifteen the number staked during the two-week period, more than in any single month previously this year.

Of the seven locations, three were made by Murchison & Cloisuit, all in section 17-17-31. Their Foster No. 2 was located in NE SW, Foster No. 3 in NW SE and Foster No. 4 in SE NW.

Other locations staked the last week: Flynn, Welch & Yates, Travis 3, SW SE 8-18-29; Ezz Oil Co., State 7, SW NE 16-17-30; Sanders Bros., Berry 14, SW SE 24-17-30; G. B. Suppes, Miller 3, NW NE 6-18-29.

Neil Willis et al completed the Keyes No. 4-C well in NE SW 15-20-30 at a total depth of 1,490 feet. The well flowed seventeen barrels an hour for seventeen hours.

The only other completion in Eddy County the last week was the Yates-State No. 3 of Republic Production Co., in SE SE 33-17-28, at a total depth of 2,220 feet, flowing forty barrels a day.

Progress among wildcats and other wells of general interest in Eddy County and the adjacent (Continued on last page, col. 4)

Sgt. Alan Thompson Is Hurt Returning To Bliss From Here

Sgt. Alan Thompson of Fort Bliss, former assistant high school coach here, is in a Carlsbad hospital recovering from a broken arm and other injuries sustained on the El Paso highway about forty miles south of Carlsbad Sunday night in a head-on collision, in which one other person was badly injured.

Thompson, who had been in Artesia on week-end leave, was returning to Fort Bliss in his car and had with him four other soldiers, two from Carlsbad, when they collided with an automobile driven by E. V. Springer of Tacoma, Wash., whose son, Edward, sustained a broken arm also.

The former Artesia coach's arm was said to have been badly mangled and he regained partial consciousness only yesterday.

Local Civic Clubs' New Officers Are Taking Over Reins

Artesia 20-30 Names Harry Gilmore to Succeed Charles Denton

The coming week will finish changes in administrations in the three Artesia civic clubs, with the installation of new officers, in all of which elections have been held.

The 20-30 Club elected last Thursday evening at the regular meeting, the members naming Harry Gilmore for president to succeed Charles Denton.

The Rotary and Lions Clubs elected several weeks ago, but each organization's new officers regularly take over the reins at the first regular meeting in July.

M. A. Schulze will succeed Neil B. Watson as president of the Rotary Club and Dr. Glenn Stone was installed to succeed Dr. J. J. Clarke, Jr., as head of the Lions at a banquet last evening.

Besides Gilmore, the 20-30 Club also elected: Vice president, Bob Williams; secretary, Roy Gurley; treasurer, Laurant Gordon; sergeant-at-arms, J. Don Hudgens; directors, Keith Quail, Don Jen- (Continued on last page, col. 7)

Crosby, Arnold To Meet Sunday For Roping Title

With a record that entitles him to the position of challenger for the world championship steer roping title, Carl Arnold of Buckeye, Ariz., will enter the arena at Roswell at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon against Bob Crosby of Roswell, holder of the title for the last several years.

In a previous match early in May at Carlsbad, Arnold missed winning by only a few seconds, and before Bob Crosby's last steer was turned into the arena was conceded winner by a majority of the crowd.

Each contestant will rope, trip and tie twelve wild Mexican steers in the match Sunday, total time for the twelve to determine the winner. Arnold has a record of sixteen seconds on a single steer, while Crosby's best is seventeen seconds. Crosby has a record of 257 seconds on ten steers.

GIVE ALUMINUM FOR U.S. DEFENSE

Artesia is taking a lead in the all-out national defense program, for it not only is one of the first places in this section to start a U.S.O. drive, but it is the first community in the state of New Mexico to start a drive for aluminum, so necessary in the national defense.

The Junior Woman's Club, under Mrs. Ralph G. Roberson, Jr., project chairman, is sponsoring the local drive, in which everyone with old aluminum ware of any nature, with which he is willing to part, is asked to contribute it.

The drive will start next Wednesday, July 2, with a wire pen provided on the lot next door to the city hall, into which pots and pans and other articles made of aluminum may be tossed.

The lot was loaned the Junior Woman's Club by Raymond Bartlett. On it the Big Jo Lumber Company will erect posts and Brainerd-Corbain Hardware Company will furnish the fencing necessary.

Artesia Boy Scouts will make a house-to-house canvass to gather further articles of aluminum.

Something for Everybody to Do in Defense

Lanning Speaks on National Program at Lions Banquet Last Evening, as New Officers Are Installed.

"There is something for everybody to do in the national emergency and to correct things in this country, for which you and I are responsible," Capt. Steve Lanning of the State Guard, a World War veteran, declared last evening.

The occasion was the annual banquet and ladies' night function of the Artesia Lions Club, at which new officers for the coming year were installed, headed by Dr. Glenn Stone as president.

The new officers were installed by Dr. J. J. Clarke, Jr., outgoing president. Dr. Stone and the others will take over the active business of the club at the regular meeting next Wednesday, the first meeting in July.

Installed to serve with Dr. Stone were: First vice president, Guy (Whitey) Roberts; second vice president, Ralph Petty; third vice president, Leland Price; "Tail Twister," Ernest Houy; "Lion Tamer," Ormand Loving; secretary. (Continued on last page, col. 3)

Tenant Purchase Deadline Is Next Monday, Ball Warns

The deadline for filling out applications under the tenant purchase program is next Monday, June 30, Paul W. Ball, county RR supervisor for the Farm Security Administration, called to the attention of farm tenants, sharecroppers and farm laborers this week. No applications under the 1941-42 fiscal year's appropriation in Eddy County will be available after that date, he said.

Successful applicants who will receive loans will be given a wide choice in selecting farms which they wish to purchase on a forty-year plan, paying interest at the rate of only 3 per cent.

Interest Shown in Kiddies' Play Period On Friday Mornings

Members of the Junior Woman's Club were greatly pleased last Friday morning, when about three times as many boys and girls showed up at the high school and swimming pool for a morning of fun than had the week prior, when the play project started.

But they said there still are many kiddies from primary age up to 12 years who might be taking advantage of the fun and swim period. All is free, except that a child must have a nickel in order to go in the pool.

Mrs. Ralph G. Roberson, Jr., project chairman, said that as Friday falls on the Fourth of July next week, the play period will be held on Thursday. However, it will be on Friday this week, from 8:30 to 11 o'clock.

Morgan Steps Up Again in American Legion Officialdom

Charles Morgan of Artesia, New Mexico department commander of the American Legion the last year, was elected national executive committee member from New Mexico at the closing session of the annual convention in Ruidoso Saturday, and was succeeded as commander by Don Hoover of Santa Fe, who was one of the department vice commanders under Morgan.

Election to the post of national committee member is a step up in the Legion ranks for Morgan and is the highest honor a department can confer.

The Artesia Legionnaire succeeds Ed Hobbs of Raton as national committee member and has as his alternate Wayne Drysdale of Roswell, another past department commander. Prior to his election as state commander a year ago, Morgan was department vice commander.

Clarence Keppele Post No. 41 of Artesia was honored also by the election of Steve Lanning as commander. (Continued on last page, col. 2)

An All-Request Concert Program By Band Tonight

The weekly concert in Central Park this evening by the Artesia band, under the direction of E. L. Harp, will be an all-request program. The concert will start at 8 o'clock.

The program: March, Little Giant; Moon; Alexander's Ragtime Band; Irving Berlin; march, Military Escort, H. Bennett; All American, M. L. Lake; Tiger Rag, D. J. LaRocca.

Overture, Footlights, G. E. Holmes; march, Officer of the Day, R. B. Hall; medley, The Southland, compiled by Al J. White, including Listen to the Mocking Bird, Massa's in the Cold Cold Ground, O Susanna, Carry Me Back to Old Virginia and Dixie.

March, Carnival Parade, Glenn Morton; unison baton twirling, flip baton twirling and exhibition baton twirling, Artesia Majorette Club and Ann Crouch.

At the program Thursday evening of next week the band will be assisted by the Boy Scouts, who will give a patriotic program at the park. That program will be sponsored by the 20-30 Club and will be dedicated to the Boy Scouts and the Scout leaders.

Artie McAnally, post commander of the American Legion, announced this week there will be a feed at the hut at 7 o'clock Tuesday evening prior to the regular monthly meeting.

Community Is to Cooperate in "Army Behind the Army" Move

Baptist Men in Two-Day Session At Lake McMillan

Approximately 200 men attended a two-day session of the Baptist Brotherhood held at Lake McMillan below Lakewood last Thursday and Friday.

The men all enjoyed a big mutton and beef barbecue on Thursday evening, followed by some addresses by outstanding Baptist leaders, including S. M. Lattimore of Nashville, Tenn., and C. E. Robinet of Albuquerque, who is president of the Baptist Brotherhood of New Mexico.

The men took their bedrolls along and camped out over Thursday night. Various addresses were made Friday morning, and Friday afternoon was devoted to fishing, boating and a softball game, in which a few ministers defeated the laymen by a score of 9 to 6.

A big fish fry climaxed the meeting Friday evening, when representatives of eighteen New Mexico churches were present and about six out-of-state churches also were represented.

Among those attending from Artesia were J. S. Mills, president of the Artesia Brotherhood; the Rev. S. M. Morgan, Walter Johnson, Fred Cole, C. M. Cole, K. A. Bivens, Ralph Gurley, Willie McCasland, James Powell, H. R. Miller, O. M. Doss, W. R. Mahon, W. S. Hogsett, James Dew, Sam McAfee, Ed Jackson, R. E. Bean, Louis Cole, J. H. Myers, Louis Burris, Wesley Sperry, Donald Simons, Allen Mills, Clifford Perkins, T. F. Wilson, J. D. Gilbert and Burr Clem.

Extensive Drilling Program by Hover Planned in Area

Contemplates Drilling More Than Fifty Wells in Maljamar, Artesia Pools

A. H. Hover announced a drilling program this week which probably is more extensive than any ever before contemplated in New Mexico, in which more than fifty wells are to be drilled, twenty-five of them Hover's own.

Hover has contracted with D. D. Thomas of Thomas & Sons to drill for him a series of twenty-five wells in the Maljamar area, of which two have been completed.

The other contracts, of which Hover disclosed information on two, but withheld details of the others, are on acreages taken from him by the drilling contractors, under drilling contracts whereby Hover maintains interests for himself and associates.

One such contract was made with Ployhar Drilling Company for twenty wells in the old Artesia field, in which a block of about 1,000 acres is held. The contract calls for the continuation of operations from well to well.

Hover said he made another similar contract with Otis Roberts of Oklahoma for the continuous drilling of ten forties in the Sanders area of the Artesia field. Roberts (Continued on last page, col. 2)

Artesia Lawyer Wins Unusual Workman's Compensation Case

In one of the most unusual cases ever tried under the workman's compensation law in New Mexico, the District Court of Bernalillo County a few days ago held that the widow of a citizen killed while assisting a deputy sheriff in handling an emergency is entitled to compensation.

Whirlwind Campaign to Be Local Citizens' Part in Helping to Maintain Morale of Armed Forces in Emergency.

NATIONAL IN SCOPE

Six Organizations Tie in Together in Unity to Get the Job Done.

In a whirlwind campaign, organized less than a week after the movement reached here, North Eddy County is ready to start Friday to do its part in the nationwide drive to provide for "The Army Behind the Army."

The North Eddy County committee of the United Service Organizations for National Defense, Inc., will strive to contact every adult in North Eddy County for contributions, starting tomorrow and continuing through Thursday, July 3, with a small army of men and women workers rounding out plans today and poised for the local drive.

Behind the campaign are a dozen or more Artesia and North Eddy County civic-minded groups, all of which are represented in a central committee, which is headed by Grady Booker as committee and drive chairman.

Through the central committee, sub-committees of workers have been formed to solicit funds to help provide recreation and to serve the religious, spiritual, welfare, educational and social needs of the armed forces and defense industries of the United States and in general to contribute to the morale of the defense forces and the communities in which they are based during the national emergency.

Nationally the U.S.O. is composed of the Young Men's Christian Association, National Catholic Community Service, Salvation Army, Young Women's Christian Association, Jewish Welfare Board and National Traveler's Aid Association, which have banded themselves together in the necessary work of maintaining morale after the manner in which some of them helped in World War I. By banding together in the single organization it is planned to avoid over- (Continued on last page, col. 2)

REMOVED FROM COOLER, IT'S COOLER COURTROOM

Judge W. H. Ballard admits that his court is not as hot as it used to be, speaking of the temperature, not its efficiency nor the personnel of the one-man court of justice.

His Honor moved his quarters Monday from the jail building to the southwest corner of the basement of the city hall, which is one of the coolest places in town, and there, until further notice, those having justice or police court business, plaintiff or defendant, may find him during regular hours. It's cooler, but not the cooler.

Ag Department Evolves Flexible Standard Lease

A new service to farmers has been initiated by the Department of Agriculture in connection with leasing and cropping agreements between farm landlords and their tenants and sharecroppers, by putting out a new, standard, flexible lease form.

One of the major problems of agriculture is the increasing change made by tenants and sharecroppers from farm to farm and from locality to locality, department spokesmen said.

Agricultural statisticians have compiled figures showing that approximately a million tenant families move each year. The cost for the average family to make such a move is between \$60 and \$70, and the cost to landlords, considered. (Continued on page 5, col. 7)

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IT'S NOT JUST "ANOTHER DRIVE"

Again Artesia and North Eddy County are showing their leadership in the formation here this week of the North Eddy County committee of the United Service Organizations for National Defense, Inc. Long-winded as that name sounds, it merely is the local community's participation in a movement of nationwide importance, through which a number of existing service organizations are pooling their strength and work for the purpose of furnishing the armed forces of the United States good, clean entertainment and places to play during off hours in our participation in World War II.

In World War I some of the organizations provided service clubs and entertainment for the boys and did a good job of it, but there was considerable lost motion and doubling up in some places, whereas in others the service did not go far enough.

Any veteran of that war will tell you of the happy hours away from hard tasks which the clubs provided.

And after World War II it is hoped all can look back on the U.S.O. as having done considerable to help win by way of keeping up the morale of troops.

Every community in the nation is participating, or will before it is over, and we should be happy that we are getting in on the ground floor.

And all should be happy to do a small part for the happiness of our boys, in the drive which opens today and will last through next Thursday.

Give freely! This is not just "another drive," but a movement to keep our boys happy and in good morale—for democracy and liberty.

O-9 TRAGEDY SERVES OBJECT LESSON

The tragic accident of the O-9 and its crew serve as a lesson to the American people, who up to now seem unable to wake up to the fact we are not thoroughly prepared, but must speed up production of new, modern equipment of all kinds, including submarines.

The accident is understandable to us, for we were in a flotilla of O-Boat submarines during the World War and knew and have been aboard the O-9, which was attached to the U.S.S. Savannah. Even then, when it was spanking new, the O-Boats of both the Holland and Lake types looked frail to us alongside the S-Boats and M-Boats and others. But we had little time to worry about the O-9 or any of the others, for our own ship, the U.S.S. Rainbow, mother-ship of the O-Boats 11 to 16, was then even more obsolete than was the O-9 when she went down last week, for the Rainbow was built in 1890!

That's how far behind we were in 1917-18, but we sped up things and got the job done, facing war machines as obsolete in many respects as were ours.

But today it is a different proposition. Germany has the most modern of war machines of all kinds, while we are just getting well under way, still having to use some dummy objects to represent machines in maneuvers and World War submarines, which have been out of commission ten years.

We recall that when the O-12 was renamed the Nautilus a number of years ago for an experiment in the Arctic (can you remember that far back?) it was announced that she was obsolete as a naval vessel. The O-12 was from our own flotilla. And we agreed that she was obsolete.

So was the O-9. So are all of the rest of the O-Boats. So are a lot more of the ships and other equipment which we have today.

For democracy's sake, for liberty's sake—wake up America!

FIRECRACKERS FOR ENGLAND!

Our nerves can take it—although it doesn't make us happy—but there are many persons in Artesia and the nation at large, as well as pets, who go through many days of misery prior to and after the Fourth of July because of firecrackers and other fireworks.

Shooting of firecrackers is fun, we will admit, and there was no boy who received more of a kick out of the practice than we. But we were not allowed to scare the daylight out of the aged and the very young and the neighborhood pets for days on end by way of celebrating the Fourth. We were confined in our activities, both by law and parental decree, to one day, which we will admit now was tough enough on many persons and dogs—including our own.

Someone mentioned the other day that his dog already is hiding out the greater part of the time, because the dog does not realize the kids are telling the world by means of firecrackers that they are Americans and want to celebrate its independence.

And the suggestion was made by this same fellow that most of the children know enough about the plight of England and are unselfish enough to give up all or the greater part of their firecracker money for Britain.

Splendid idea! Why don't some of you parents put it across, thus helping Britain by saving the nerves of the community?

BUT IT REALLY IS JUNE

It really still is June in Artesia, the inside datelines in last week's issue of The Advocate notwithstanding. Nor is it "June in January," as goes the song.

Perhaps you didn't notice, but on every page except the front, the issue was dated Dec. 4, 1941.

The simple explanation is that the datelines are set at this office a whole year in advance and are laid aside in galleys until needed. In some manner the dateline slugs seem to have been garbled and no one noticed until after the ink was dry last week.

So don't be misled; this warm weather is not just an unusual December; it's really June.

Science Professor: "What happens when a body is immersed in water?" Co-ed: "The telephone rings."—Topeka (Kas.) Capital.

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.

Epworth League, 6:45 o'clock.

Evening worship, 7:30 o'clock.

Visitors and friends of the church are always welcome. New-comers are invited to visit our services and to make our church their church home while in the city.

John S. Rice, Pastor.

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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

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Fourth at Grand

Church school, 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship, 11 a. m.
Vesper service, 5 p. m.
Christian Endeavor, 6:30 p. m.

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

Henry S. Stout, Minister.

MEXICAN METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday school, 10 a. m.
Preaching services, Monday at 7:30 p. m.

Everyone is welcome to these services. Even if you do not speak Spanish, you will feel at home, for the Spanish-speaking people enjoy having you and will extend a spirit of courtesy.

Constantino Gonzales, Pastor.

SHERMAN MEMORIAL CHURCH

(Oilfield Community)

Sunday school at 10 o'clock.
Prayer meeting and choir practice, 7 o'clock Wednesday evening.

R. D. Yancy, Superintendent.

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Study Club every Wednesday evening, 7:30 p. m.

Rev. Brendan Weishaar, O.M.C.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH

Corner Fourth and Chisholm

Sunday Services
Sunday school, 10 a. m.
Morning worship, 11 a. m.
Children's church, 7:30 p. m.
Mid-week services, Wednesday, 8 p. m.
Young people's services, Friday, 8 p. m.

Rev. Orel Boteler, Pastor.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

7th and Grand

Sundays
Bible school for all ages, 10 a. m.
Sermon and Communion, 11 a. m.
Young people's meeting, 7 p. m.
Adult Bible study, 7:30 p. m.
Evening sermon, 8 p. m.

Wednesdays
Ladies' Bible class, 2:30 p. m.
Wednesday night meeting, 8 p. m.

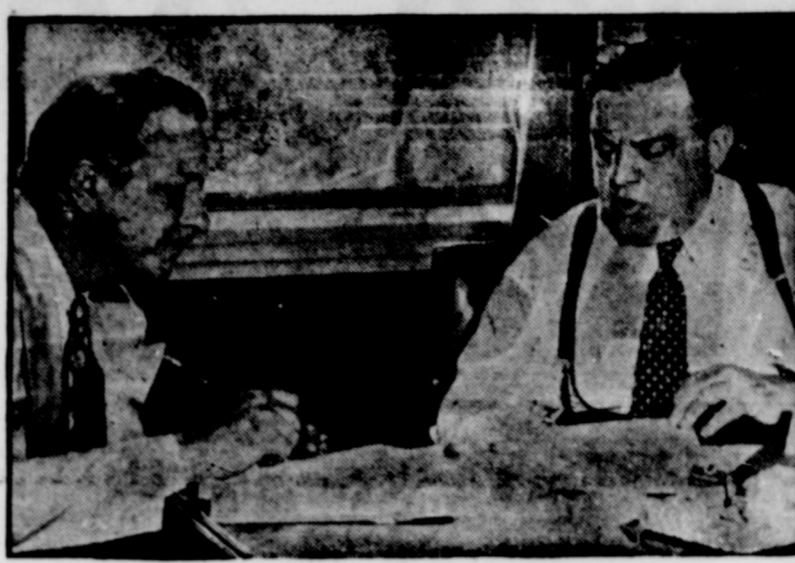
Thursdays
Men's meeting, 8 p. m.
Allen E. Johnson, Minister.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Corner of Grand and Roselawn

Sunday Services
9:30 a. m., Sunday school, departments for each age group and classes for each age.
10:50 a. m., morning worship.
2 p. m., Mission Sunday school.
7 p. m., evening Baptist Training Union service.
8 p. m., evening worship ser-

Mayor LaGuardia Plunges In



WASHINGTON, D. C.—Receiving his commission as head of Office of Civilian Defense from President Roosevelt, the mayor of New York City tackled his new duties of mustering men, women and children in a great voluntary peacetime mobilization for civilian protection "in the event of attack." Mayor LaGuardia is shown in his office in Washington (right) conferring with Paul Betters, secretary of the mayor's committee.

IS IT IS, OR AIN'T IT?

The Bassarisk, or civet cat, or ringtail cat, or the same animal known by more than a dozen different names, but scientifically dubbed *bassariscus astutus*, is a fur animal in Louisiana—according to law. But, whether there has ever been one taken alive and wild in that state is a moot question.

TOO FUR NORTH?

Popular belief has it that only in the cold countries of the far North are good fur animals to be found. As a matter of fact, furs can come from too far north. For instance, the fur of the average Canadian muskrat is the poorest of all the rodent furs in wearing quality. This is attributable to the fact that in cold weather the Canadian muskrats absorb their own fat for food, which thins the pelt and impoverishes the fur.

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ELECTRIC CHAIR FOR FLIES

An electric chair for flies has been developed at the Quinault hatchery of the U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service in Washington. Flies were attracted to the feed room at the hatchery in large numbers. They were not only a nuisance, but threatened contamination of the food.

One of the scientists rigged up a copper screen hooked up to a radio condenser, which electrocutes the flies when they touch it. Now flies are welcomed at the hatchery. About a gallon are electrocuted every twenty-four hours—and are used to feed the fish, cutting down food bills. Thus a nuisance is eliminated and an economy effected at the same time by the ingenious device.

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Corbin Newlyweds Complimented At Reception Tuesday Evening

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Anderson Corbin, bridegroom and bride of a week, were complimented at a reception held in their honor at the Corbin home Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Corbin as hosts.

In receiving line with Mr. and Mrs. Corbin, hosts, were the honorees, Mark Anderson and his bride; Mrs. Dale Thomas, Mrs. Harold Keinath, Mrs. Carl Lewis, Mrs. Joe Nunn, Miss Ruth Bigler, Mrs. John Runyan, Mrs. N. M. Baird, Mrs. Fred Brainard, Mrs. Raymond Bartlett and Miss Betty Jo Brainard.

A number of those in receiving line alternated in serving at a punch bowl which was at one end of a lace-covered table and dainty individual white cakes, decorated in pastel shades, which were served from the other end. A beautiful bouquet of sweet sultans was used for the centerpiece and the table was lighted by tall white tapers in crystal holders. Others alternated in presiding at a guest book, in which about 200 guests registered.

Hosts who assisted in entertaining were N. M. Baird, Fred Brainard and George Nixon.

Mrs. John Lowery and Mrs. Jeff Hightower were in charge of gifts, which were displayed in the knotted pine bedroom. The bride and groom received a lovely assortment of beautiful and practical gifts.

Those playing at intervals during the reception hours at the grand piano were Mrs. M. C. Ross, Mrs. Wallace Gates and Mrs. Stanley Carper, and as a final number a duet by two young girls, Misses Shirley Bartlett and Georgia Lee Williams, with Raymond Bartlett accompanying them at the piano.

MISS NELSON HOSTESS AT BRIDAL-SHOWER FRIDAY

Miss Marguerite Nelson was hostess at a bridal-shower Friday afternoon at the Ralph Pearson home, honoring Mrs. Bruce Cabot, who before her marriage was Miss Mozelle Pate.

The house was decorated with lovely garden flowers. After the honoree had opened the gifts, dainty refreshments were served. A pink and white color scheme was carried out in the table appointments and refreshments. The table was covered with a white linen cloth and centered with a bouquet of white roses, and pink and white tapers in triple candelabra were on either side. Miss Nelson poured.

About thirty-five guests were present. Mrs. Cabot received a lovely assortment of gifts, of which a number were sent by those who were unable to attend.

Miss Jones Honored At Bridal Shower on Wednesday Evening

Mrs. William Wright Dunn and her mother, Mrs. W. A. Beard, were hostesses Wednesday evening at a bridal shower at the Hollis Watson home, honoring Miss Marbeth Jones, whose approaching marriage to Widd Boyce on July 2 has been announced.

The gifts were delivered in a laundry basket after all guests had arrived. The beautifully wrapped gifts were covered with a cloth with "Marbeth and Widd" and the wedding date embroidered on it, a gift of the hostesses.

The invited guest list included Misses Margie Jones, Madge Cabot, Ruby Kennedy, Irene Van Osdel, Maurine Everett, Wanda Davis, Annadele Williams, Mary Adair, Grace Kimbell, Lelia Cooper, Ruth Coleman, Maxine Bunting and Louise Rice, and Mes. N. H. Jones, William Boyce, R. W. Dunn, Charles Floore and R. C. Horner.

BARBARA NEWTON HONORED ON FOURTH ANNIVERSARY

Barbara Jean Newton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Newton, was honoree at a birthday party celebrating her fourth anniversary Thursday afternoon of last week at the Newton home.

Guests present sharing the occasion were June Brewer, Sandra Kay Butts, Diana Reed, Sandra Barr, Jane Miller, Ann Armstrong, Lois Lee Foster and Gretchen Lee Petty.

The afternoon was spent in playing games, after which ice cream and angelfood cake were served.

Social Calendar

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THURSDAY (TODAY)

The Order of the Eastern Star, covered dish supper, at the lodge hall, 6:30 p. m.

Catholic Altar Society, Mrs. D. D. Sullivan, hostess, 2 p. m. Nazarene Woman's Missionary Society, Mrs. Lonnie Chester, hostess, 1 p. m.

Methodist Society of Christian Service, work day, at the church, 1 p. m.

FRIDAY

Chatterbox Bridge Club, Mrs. James Allen, hostess, 2 p. m.

H20 Bridge Club, Mrs. S. O. Higgins, hostess, at The Corral, 2 p. m.

Viernes Bridge Club, Mrs. Jack Clady, hostess, at The Corral, 1 p. m.

MONDAY

Junior 4-H Club, Leatrice Meadows, hostess, 411 West Chisholm.

WEDNESDAY

Artwood Pirates Bridge Club, Mrs. J. O. Wood, hostess, 1 p. m. Kongenial Kard Klub, Mrs. M. A. Lapsley, hostess, 2 p. m.

THURSDAY (NEXT WEEK)

Presbyterian Women's Association, at the church, 2:30 p. m.

Christian Woman's Council, all-day meeting, covered dish luncheon, sewing for Red Cross, at church.

Methodist Society of Christian Service, covered dish luncheon, at church.

Artesia Ladies' Golf Club, golf course, 8:45 a. m.

Miss Teel Married To James Robertson

Miss Lora May Teel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Teel of Hope, and James Robertson of Artesia and Gallup, were married Sunday morning at the Methodist Church in Hope with the Rev. T. H. Norris reading the ring ceremony.

The bride wore an ashe of roses silk dress with blue accessories and a corsage of pink brides roses. Mrs. George O. Teel was the matron of honor and George O. Teel, best man.

Miss Teel graduated from Hope High School in 1939 and attended Draughon's Business College in Lubbock, and for the last year has been an employee at the Artesia Alfalfa Growers Association.

Mr. Robertson has been employed at the Ferguson Motor Company for the last seven years. Immediately after the ceremony the newlyweds left for Gallup, where they will make their home.

Catherine Arnall Is New 4-H President

Catherine Arnall was elected president of the Junior 4-H Club on Monday afternoon at a reorganization of the club at the Charlie Hall home.

Other officers elected were: Vice president, Billie Jean Baker; secretary, Louise Hayhurst; club reporter, Leatrice Meadows; song leader, Norman Ruth Hancock, and recreational leader, Dorothy Hayhurst.

After the election of officers Miss Vernita Conley, home demonstration agent, explained the club work to the members. Misses Juanita and Mildred Cline are the local club leaders.

Members of the club are Leatrice Meadows, Jo Hall, Charline Hall, Louise Hayhurst, Lucille Arnall, Veatrice Meadows, Billie Jean Baker, Kathleen Inman, Dorothy Hayhurst, Francis Warren, Stella Baker, Junell Simer, Norma Ruth Hancock, Wanetta Thomas, Patricia Younger, Audrey Swackhammer and Catherine Arnall.

The club will meet with Leatrice Meadows, 411 West Chisholm, on Monday, June 30.

Mrs. Lorena Crouch and her nephew, Charles Hale, left Tuesday morning for points in Missouri to transact business. They were accompanied by Miss Ella Bauslin, who will visit relatives in her former home at Peabody, Kan., and Mrs. C. F. Welch, who will visit her parents at Hutchinson, Kan.

Wedding Announcements, printed or engraved—The Advocate.

Church Activities

Methodist Circle Meetings

The Gladys Dixon Circle of the Methodist Society of Christian Service met at the home of Mrs. John S. Rice last Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. George Frisch was leader of the program, on "Temperance and Narcotics." Discussions were given by Mrs. R. O. Cowan and Mrs. Matthews.

Mrs. Roy Buck and Mrs. O. S. Mattison were hostesses and they served refreshments late in the afternoon to fifteen members.

The Laura Bullock Circle met at the home of Mrs. Frank Herbold at the Grayburg lease for a covered dish luncheon.

Mrs. Reed Brainard presided during the business meeting. Mrs. H. A. Jordan was leader of the program, on "Our Stewardship for Christian Citizenship." Mrs. Pat Gormley, Mrs. C. E. Terrell and Mrs. Roger Durand joined in the discussion.

Members present were Mes. C. E. Speck, Pat Gormley, Roger Durand, H. A. Jordan, Reed Brainard, Dale Thomas, Harry Triplett, G. Kelly Stout, G. E. Kaiser, C. D. Knight and K. Hardy. Guests of the afternoon were Mrs. Fred L. Jacobs, Mrs. J. L. Briscoe, Mrs. Buster Mulcock and Mrs. Grace Rhodes.

Mrs. Lannom President

Mrs. C. E. Lannom was installed president of the Christian Woman's Council at a regular meeting last Thursday afternoon at the church. Mrs. Mills Tallmage of Roswell was the installing officer.

Other officers installed were: Vice president, Mrs. J. W. Jones; secretary, Mrs. B. B. Thorpe; treasurer, Miss Cora Rogers; world call chairman, Mrs. E. C. Jackson; parliamentary, Mrs. Albert Richards; publicity chairman, Mrs. John Lanning; sunshine chairman, Mrs. Will Ballard; finance chairman, Mrs. Frank Thomas.

Before the installation of officers Mrs. John Lanning sang "In the Garden," and afterward she sang "Why Should He Love Me So?" Mrs. Frank Thomas and Mrs. A. B. Coll were hostesses. Light refreshments were served to twenty-five members and two guests, a Mrs. Hayes and Mrs. Bradshaw.

Presbyterian Association

Circle No. 2 of the Presbyterian Woman's Association met last Thursday morning at the home of Mrs. J. W. Collins for a coffee.

Mrs. Fletcher Collins conducted a study on the "History of the Churches in the Philippines." She was assisted by Mrs. Wallace Gates.

MRS. LANNING ENTERTAINS THE HI-LO LUNCHEON CLUB

Mrs. S. A. Lanning entertained the Hi-Lo Luncheon Club Tuesday at The Corral. Mrs. Robert Wardlaw of La Fayette, Ga., was a guest of the club.

Members present enjoying the rounds of bridge were Mes. Harold Dunn, Leon Clayton, Jack Armstrong, Garland Rideout, John Williams, George Williams, Thelbert French, J. O. Wood, Fritz Crawford, Leland Price and J. A. Clayton, Jr.

Mrs. Wood and Mrs. Lanning received high and second high awards.

MRS. HIGHTOWER HOSTESS ABNORMIS SAPIENS CLUB

Mrs. Jeff Hightower was hostess to the Abnormis Sapiens Bridge Club Tuesday afternoon. Substituting guests were Mrs. B. E. Kennedy, Mrs. C. G. Ross, Mrs. John Rowland, Mrs. Nevil Muncy and Miss Josephine Wible of Lincoln, Neb.

At the close of the rounds of bridge the hostess served a salad course to the guests and Mrs. J. J. Clarke, Sr., Mrs. L. A. DeLouche, Mrs. Roger Durand, Mrs. Dave Bunting, Mrs. James Nellis and Mrs. Beecher Rowan. Mrs. Bunting held high score of the afternoon.

B. & P. W. STEAK FRY AT GOLF COURSE MONDAY

The Business and Professional Women's Club enjoyed a steak fry at the Artesia Golf Course Monday evening.

Members attending were Miss Beth King, Miss Florence Dooley, Miss Irene Van Osdel, Mrs. Gracie Green, Mrs. Owen Hensley, Mrs. Gertrude Hogan, Mrs. Frank Marshall, Mrs. C. O. Fulton, Mrs. Matie Fullilove, Mrs. Laura Richards, Mrs. Dave Bunting, Mrs. J. W. Johns, Mrs. Lockett Trigg, Mrs. H. A. Keinath, Miss Opal Casey and Mrs. V. A. Nicholes.

Mrs. Martin Elected To State Auxiliary Office at Ruidoso

Mrs. Irvin Martin of Artesia was elected to head the Americanization committee of the American Legion Auxiliary of the state of New Mexico, at the state convention held in Ruidoso last week.

Other officers were: President, Mrs. Rowena Jopling of Clovis; vice presidents, Mrs. Ora Brook of Gallup and Mrs. Edith Pankey of Hot Springs; chaplain, Mrs. W. H. Dearholt of Roswell; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Geraldine Mercier, re-elected; historian, Mrs. Rowena Latimer of Santa Fe, and sergeant-at-arms, Mrs. Nina Eilers of Las Cruces.

PAST NOBLE GRAND CLUB IS HOST AT DANCE FRIDAY

Members of the Past Noble Grand Club of the Rebekah Lodge were hostesses Friday evening at a benefit dance given at the Artesia Woman's Club house.

Music was furnished by an out-of-town orchestra. A large number of guests were present. The entire evening was spent in dancing.

MRS. HENDERSON HONOR GUEST AT BARBECUE

Mrs. S. E. Henderson of Maywood, Calif., mother of John Fanning, was honor guest at a barbecue dinner at the Fanning ranch southeast of Artesia on Sunday.

About eighty-five relatives and friends were present on this occasion. Mrs. Henderson arrived here June 12 for the summer vacation. She was accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. George Grosh, and children of Wilcox, Ariz.

MRS. FLOORE ENTERTAINS PAST MATRON'S CLUB

Mrs. J. C. Floore entertained the Past Matron's Club Monday afternoon.

The house was decorated with lovely garden flowers. Mrs. Calvin Dunn, president, presided during the business meeting, after which delicious refreshments were served to Mrs. A. B. Coll, Mrs. Dunn, Mrs. P. V. Morris, Mrs. Jeff Hightower, Mrs. Lee Glasscock, Mrs. John Rowland and Mrs. R. G. Knoedler.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Jesse I. Funk on July 28.

MRS. LEWIS HOSTESS TO CANDLEWICK CLUB

Several members of the Candlewick Club met at the home of Mrs. Carl Lewis Wednesday afternoon.

Members presented Mrs. Floyd Springer lovely birthday gifts. The afternoon was spent sewing, after which the hostess served an iced drink.

ARTWOOD PIRATES MEET WITH MRS. LANNING

Mrs. S. A. Lanning was hostess to the Artwood Pirates Bridge Club Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Jack Clady was a guest of the club.

Members present were Mrs. J. O. Wood, Mrs. Lee Burns, Mrs. J. E. Keith, Mrs. Boone Barnett, Mrs. George Williams and Mrs. Henry Oliver.

At the close of the rounds of bridge Mrs. Barnett held high score and Mrs. Woods second. A refreshment course was served afterward.

KONGENIAL KARD KLUB MET ON WEDNESDAY

The Kongenial Kard Klub met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Phil Johnston.

A salad course was served at the close of an afternoon of bridge to Mes. H. C. Adams, A. B. Sloan, M. A. Lapsley, W. J. Cluney, L. A. DeLouche, Dave Bunting and Andy Company.

Mrs. Company held high score, Mrs. Cluney, second, and Mrs. Sloan, low.

BEVINS IS SERVING AS CAVERNS RANGER

Melvin Bevins of Artesia was one of six new rangers put to work at the Carlsbad Caverns last week, as the force is built up to take care of the summer tourist rush.

The six are in addition to fourteen new rangers added on June 15, at which time an extra daily trip was added to the schedule.

Col. Thomas Boles, superintendent, said that besides the regular summer walking trips starting at 9:15 and 10:30 o'clock each morning, third trips will be arranged for July 4, 5 and 6, when several thousand tourists are expected to make the trip.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Knoedler and Frances motored to El Paso Tuesday. Mr. Knoedler attended a meeting of wholesale dealers of the Standard Oil Company.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Corbin will leave the latter part of this week on a vacation and fishing trip, which will be spent at El Vado and in the northern part of the state.

Mrs. Morris Is Honored At a Bridal Shower

Mrs. C. R. Baldwin entertained Wednesday evening with a lovely bridal shower, complimenting Mrs. Marshall Morris, whose marriage occurred the third week in June. The new Baldwin home was attractively decorated with garden flowers for the occasion.

After the arrival of the guests, Mrs. Morris, the honoree, was asked to find "the pot of gold at the end of the rainbow." Crepe streamers in rainbow colors led to a bedroom, where the streamers were draped over a bed stacked high with lovely gifts which were beautifully wrapped.

More than an hour was spent unwrapping the gifts to be viewed by those assembled.

The invited guest list included: Mes. Jesse L. Truett, J. A. Richards, D. C. Blue, M. D. Sharp, A. M. Archer, Calvin Dunn, G. C. Kinder, Lewis Story, Lloyd Simon, L. M. Vaughn, M. Murphy, Walter Douglas, Harold Hancock, L. H. Tennant, P. V. Morris, John Lanning, C. Bert Smith, Leslie Martin, Ben F. Pior, Irvin Martin, C. R. Blocker, Grady Booker, Emery Carper, Pat Gormley, Ruth Graham Fields, Howard Williams, Jack Kennedy, Elzie Swift, Frank Herbold, A. P. Mahone, Glenn Booker, F. E. Painter, Howard Gisler, Reed Brainard, J. M. Story, C. R. Vandagriff, Roger Durand, E. C. Morgan, C. W. Morgan, John Runyan, Raymond Bartlett, Creighton Gilchrist and Harry Jorren, and Misses Peggy Hammill, Wanda Story, Boots Hancock, Catherine Williams, Nancille Hart, Mary Adair, Shirley Bartlett and Ruby Kennedy.

An iced drink was served with individual white cakes, decorated in pastel colors, after the shower.

MR. AND MRS. JOHNS ARE PARENTS OF A DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. Jack E. Johns are the parents of a daughter, Joyce, born Saturday, June 14, in a Carlsbad hospital. Mrs. Johns is the former Miss Bertha Richards, daughter of Joe Richards of Artesia.

LOCALS

Mrs. I. H. Spratt of Hereford, Tex., visited her son, I. L. Spratt, several days last week.

Mrs. J. A. Clayton and Mrs. Robert Wardlaw, of La Fayette, Ga., spent the week end in Cloudcroft golfing.

Mrs. J. R. Willhite and daughter, Margie Faye, of Hobbs visited in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gordon, last week.

Wilton Tarbet, operator of the Tarbet Studio, left Wednesday for a vacation of a week, which he expects to spend in Oklahoma City.

Miss Virginia Gordon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gordon, returned home Sunday from Albuquerque, where she visited relatives the last two months.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brainard and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Story spent several days last week fishing at El Vado, Corkins Camp, Eagle Nest Lake and Taos.

Mrs. J. M. Story, who was admitted to Artesia Memorial Hospital Monday, is getting along nicely and will probably be able to return to her home today.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Fulton of The Advocate left Friday for Kingfisher, Okla., to see Mr. Fulton's father, who is ill. They are expected home this week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dougherty and children returned home Saturday evening from a three-week vacation trip in the East. They visited relatives while they were away.

Carl Folkner of Midland, Tex., visited and transacted business in Artesia Monday on a return trip from the Artesia Sacramento Camp, where he visited Mrs. Folkner and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wilkerson and son, Hardy, of Oklahoma City are visiting in the Raymond Bartlett home. They were accompanied to El Paso and Juarez Wednesday by Mr. and Mrs. Bartlett and Miss Shirley.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed M. Smith returned home Tuesday from Portales, bringing with them their little son, Duaine, who was quite ill last week of pneumonia. The baby was greatly improved.

W. F. Daugherty returned home Monday night after a visit of a month with his daughter, Mrs. Clara Biglow of Amarillo. He plans to leave within a few days to visit his son, Lt. Col. Richard Daugherty, at San Antonio, Tex.

LOCALS

Mrs. Omer Kersey, Mrs. T. N. Kersey and Miss Thelma Kersey of Alamogordo, wife, mother and daughter of Omer Kersey, joined Mr. Kersey and Harold here last week. They have taken residence at 502 West Main.

Judal Terry, accompanied by three brothers-in-law, J. A. Clayton and Orval Gray of Artesia and Robert Wardlaw of La Fayette, Ga., enjoyed trout fishing at El Vado last week. They report good catches while there.

Robert Lee Calmes, CCC enrollee at Carlsbad and son of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Calmes of Artesia, who was here Sunday for dinner with his family, underwent an operation at Carlsbad Monday, CCC officials telephoned. He was reported doing nicely.

Mrs. B. B. Curtis of Monarch, Ind., a sister of Mrs. C. O. Brown, and a niece of Mrs. Brown, also from Monarch, and another niece, Mrs. A. E. Papp, and her two children of Chicago, and Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Mersfelder and daughter of Clovis were guests in the C. O. Brown home the last week.

Mrs. Howard Williams went to Amarillo, Tex., Friday to visit relatives. She was accompanied home by her sister, Mrs. O. E. Chenoweth, and son, James Ernest, of Borger, Tex., who will visit here for a week. Miss Catherine Louise and Billy Williams, who were visiting in Texas, returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Howard and children, Lois and Floyd, returned home Friday from a fishing trip in Colorado and the northern part of New Mexico. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Burgess and children of Albuquerque. They also visited Mrs. Ben Merrilal of Cottonwood, who is attending summer school in Albuquerque.

Thirty-one families, left homeless by last month's floods, have been assigned lots in the Carlsbad flood rehabilitation area, New San Jose. Ground was apportioned according to holdings in the San Jose section of Carlsbad, much of which was destroyed by floods which raged down two canyons and a draw.

Ag Department

(Continued from page 1) ering everything, is at least this much, it was shown. And the greatest primary cause of this problem is the lack of understanding; the lack of a simple and direct written contract.

So in order to help both landlords and tenants or sharecroppers alike, the department has evolved the standard, flexible lease form, which may be adapted to cover any known type of farm lease. These forms are legally correct and are easily prepared and easily understood. Blanks are obtainable from the county agricultural extension agent.

Use of these forms is urged by the Eddy County ACA committee. They are much more satisfactory to both owner and tenant than a verbal agreement, members said, and stressed that such "verbal understandings" are usually "verbal misunderstandings." Important points, usually forgotten, are covered by the lease form.

It was estimated that at least 50 per cent of the annual loss from unnecessary moves, or about \$60,000,000, could be avoided if owners and tenants would come to a true understanding through an adequate lease agreement.

SANTA FE CARLOADING REPORT FOR THE WEEK

The Santa Fe Railway System carloadings for the week ending June 21 were 25,463 compared with 20,164 for the same week in 1940. Received from connections were 7,589 compared with 5,200 for the same week in 1940. Total cars moved were 33,052 compared with 25,384 for the same week in 1940. The Santa Fe handled a total of 29,367 cars during the preceding week this year.

RAILWAY OFFICIAL HERE

Ralph Trolinger of Amarillo, traveling freight and passenger agent for the Santa Fe Railway, was in Artesia Wednesday on business.

Miss Lela Bess Mann expects to leave Saturday for Los Angeles, Calif., where she will attend the Westminster Choir School for the next three weeks, conducted by Dr. John Williamson.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Brown left today for a vacation trip to Utah, Chicago and Kansas. They expect to be gone for two or three weeks.

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SOCIETY.

WOMEN BOWLERS PLAY IN CARLSBAD MONDAY

In the Intercity Ladies' League Monday evening, Ann's Shoppe of Carlsbad bowled 2,073 to 2,033 to defeat the Independents, while The Corral team of Artesia bowled 2,031, nearly tying the Independents, but playing without an opponent team, as the Artesia Beauty Service team has dropped out of the league.

A new team is expected to join the league and it will be handicapped and play an individual match to be counted in opposition to The Corral team's Monday score.

The summer series of matches, being played each Monday evening in Carlsbad, started June 9 and will continue for twelve weeks.

IS GOOD ATTENDANCE AT INTERMEDIATE ASSEMBLY

An early report from Sacramento to Methodist Assembly near Weed in the Sacramento Mountains indicates that the attendance at the intermediate assembly this week should be about the same as last year.

"Ku-Sha-Ru," intermediate assembly daily mimeographed newspaper put out by the Rev. John S. Rice of Artesia, said the dining room force reported Tuesday morning there were 146 persons for breakfast that day.

DR. KNOTT TO SPEAK AT NAZARENE CHURCH

Dr. J. Proctor Knott, a professor at Pasadena (Calif.) College, will speak at the Church of the Nazarene here at 8 o'clock Friday evening, the Rev. Lee P. Phillips, pastor, has announced.

Although his topic was not announced, the Rev. Mr. Phillips said he thought it would be along prophetic lines, Dr. Knott, who is making a tour of this part of the country, will bring a good message, the pastor said, and invited the public to hear him as well as to join in the good music.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD PLANS VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

The Assembly of God Church of Artesia will begin a vacation Bible school Monday, June 30, the Rev. Orel Boteler, pastor, announced this week.

Classes will be from 9 to 11 o'clock each morning, Mondays through Fridays, and there will be classes for all ages.

Everyone is invited to attend the Bible school, the pastor said.

"Angels With Broken Wings" Presents Novel Film Story at Valley

"Angels With Broken Wings," the Republic comedy with music which the Valley Theatre will present for a three-day run beginning Sunday, June 29, has the diverting theme of five charming young misses trying to straighten out the complications which have entered into their widowed mother's second romance.

The mother, Charlotte Lord, wants to marry Guy Barton, but it has just been learned that Barton's divorce from his first wife, Sybil, has been annulled. Furthermore, Sybil won't give Barton another divorce unless Barton will pay her \$250,000.

Here Charlotte's three daughters, Jane, Marilyn, and Leni; and the girls' two friends, Lois and Mary—who consider Charlotte a second mother to them too—go into action. With the aid of Jane's sweetheart, Steve Wilson, and Don Pablo, a handsome and wealthy Argentinian, they plan to trick Sybil into giving Barton his divorce. The various maneuverings provide the film with a hilarious climax.

Five starlets from the Republic contract list—Jane Frazee, Mary Lee, Leni Lynn, Lois Ranson, and Marilyn Har—are seen as the girls. The girls have been carefully trained and supervised for future stardom. All of them have had previous film work, but this offers the first "big" chance for them.

Binnie Barnes, long popular actress, plays the part of Sybil, while Katherine Alexander, last seen in "Sis Hopkins," is Charlotte Lord.

Charles Montgomery, county commissioner, and Jim Stagner and R. M. Thorne of Carlsbad were in Artesia Wednesday on business.

She prophesied that Hitler would die in 1942—so now she's in a concentration camp! So many of her other astonishing predictions have been accurate that the petulant Fuehrer had a tantrum when she boldly foretold his violent end and promptly had her taken into "Protective Custody." Read about this remarkable Hungarian prophetess, Boriska Silbiger, and see the striking photographs in The American Weekly, the magazine distributed with next week's Los Angeles Examiner. 26-1tx

Conclusion of Prophecy Series By Miller, Founded on the Bible

(The following article concludes a series by J. R. Miller of Artesia and El Paso, in which he has pointed out, by means of the Bible, that world events of today were prophesied 2,500 years ago. Any comments in regards to the series will be welcomed by Mr. Miller, who may be addressed in care of this newspaper.)

Revelation states: "And there was given unto him a mouth speaking great things and blasphemies; and power was given him to make war against the saints, and to overcome them; and power was given him over all kindreds, and tongues, and nations." How perfectly Revelations confirms all the statements of Daniel, and this prophecy was made 600 years later.

Isaiah states: "Fear, and the pit (underground airplane shelters) and the snare, are upon thee, O inhabitant of the earth. The earth is utterly broken down, the earth is clean dissolved, the earth is moved exceedingly. The earth shall reel and fro like a drunkard, and shall be removed like a cottage; and the transgression thereof shall be heavy upon it; and it shall fall, and not rise again. And it shall come to pass in that day, that the Lord shall punish the host of the high ones that are on high, and the kings of the earth upon the earth. And they shall be gathered together, as prisoners are gathered in the pit." Few weeks pass by without some king fleeing his own beloved country in order to save his life.

Joel states: "Proclaim ye this among the Gentiles: Prepare war, wake up the mighty men, let all the men of war draw near; let them come up; beat your plowshares into swords, and your pruninghooks into spears; let the weak say, I am strong."

For the benefit of those who are unable to believe in divine prophecy we quote again from Daniel: "This matter is by the decree of the watchers, and the demand by the word of the holy ones; to the intent that the living may know that the most High ruleth in the kingdom of men, and giveth it to whomsoever he will, and setteth up over it the basest of men." When the nations have rebelled against God, He endeavors to correct them through the chastisement of war, the same as a good father would correct his son to save him from the electric chair.

No doubt, there will be some who doubt our statement that the date of World War No. 1 was foretold in prophecy. The Jewish year at one time was a lunar year of 360 days. When the Jews turned to the worship of idols God warned them time and again, he would cause "seven times" to pass over them, unless they returned to the true worship of God. The New Testament states: "For I would not, brethren, that ye should be ignorant of this mystery, lest ye should be wise in your own conceits; that blindness in part is happened to Israel, until the 'fulness' of the Gentiles be come in." The "fulness" of the Gentiles could not begin until all Jewish authority was abolished. This took place 606 B. C., when the Jews were carried away into Babylon, and never from that date to the present one have they had a king. "Times" is a prophetic Jewish lunar year of 360 days which in prophecy is 360 years, and the "seven times" (360 years), the period of time warned the Jews he would cause to pass over them, equals 2,520 years, or the total number of years required for the completion of the "fulness" of the Gentiles.

As the "fulness" of the Gentiles began in 606 B. C., deduct this date from 2,520, the "fulness" of the Gentiles, and we have A. D. 1914, the end of the Gentile period, and the beginning of World War No. 1, which was the Gentile

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battle to continue the domination of the world. The power of the Gentiles has steadily waned since 1914, and it will continue to do so, because as foretold by the prophets it is the end of the "fulness" of the Gentile age.

Hitler is at this stage in the present war: "But tidings out of the East (Balkans) and out of the North (North America and Russia) shall trouble him; therefore he shall go forth with great fury to destroy, and utterly to make away many."

If we understand prophecy correctly this war will terminate the last of March, 1943, and after he has conquered all the Mediterranean countries, including Turkey. The final struggle, and the major battle of the war will be fought in Palestine, and is borne out by the statement of Daniel: "And he shall plant the tabernacles (military tents) of his palace between the seas (the Salt and Mediterranean Seas) in the glorious holy mountain; yet he shall come to

his end, and none shall help him." However, Daniel informs us in another place, "but he shall be broken without hand . . ." meaning it will take some great catastrophe to conquer him.

How clearly the prophet Joel saw the conditions of the small nations in the latter days, and cried out: "Multitudes, multitudes in the valley of decision; for the day of the Lord is near in the valley of decision." No one can contemplate the fear and sorrow through which the small nations of Europe have passed in trying to arrive at the best possible decision. And individually tens of millions of living souls without home or country are like the prophet foretold us, in the valley of decision.

These great prophecies were made centuries ago in order that the Christian people might demonstrate the wisdom of God to a doubting world, and turn some of them to the source of all wisdom and knowledge.

The prophets informed us that at "the time appointed," Hitler will be destroyed, but not until God has used him with which to chastise a godless and rebellious

world. We do not see how anyone can live in this day and time without the assurance and knowledge of the protection of a heavenly Father. In the 13th Chapter of St. Luke, 21st Chapter of St. Luke, and the 24th Chapter of St. Matthew, Christ foretells the very hour in which we are now living. He foretold us, "And when ye shall hear of wars and rumors of wars, be ye not troubled; for such things must need be." Note wars are necessary to correct wicked nations and peoples. Jesus describes the present conflagration, and calms the Christian's heart, soul and mind with the marvellous statement, "Be ye not troubled," and further states, "And when these things begin to come to pass, then look up, and lift up your heads; for your redemption draweth nigh."

In reading this article keep in mind that it was written just before the Balkan nations went down.

Miss Josephine Wible of Lincoln, Neb., sister of Mrs. B. E. Kennedy, arrived Wednesday of last week for a visit of several weeks in the Kennedy home.

R. E. Coleman, president of the Central Valley Electric Cooperative, Inc.; George E. Kaiser, manager, and Neil B. Watson, project attorney, went to Santa Fe yesterday on business in regard to the cooperative with the state tax commission.

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The labor unions representing engineers, firemen, conductors, brakemen and switchmen are demanding a 30 per cent increase in wages, amounting to 190 million dollars a year—although their present rates of pay are the highest in history.

Other unions representing a greater number of railway employees are demanding wage increases ranging as high as 95 per cent—averaging 47 per cent—and amounting to 580 million dollars a year—although their present rates of pay also are the highest in history.

Thus the wage increases being demanded by the labor unions amount to 770 million dollars a year, an average increase in excess of 41 per cent.

In addition, certain of these labor unions have demanded advances in their pay not included in the above figures, and more rates for the creation of unnecessary jobs.

The situation, then, is this: The total cost of complying with all the demands made would be approximately 900 million dollars a year!

The average weekly earnings of railway employees are now 15 per cent higher than in the peak year 1929, while the cost of living is 12 per cent less.

The demands of the railway labor unions are being made when the entire nation has just been asked to make a supreme effort for National Defense.

The railways cannot meet these demands without a great increase in the cost of transportation. They exceed by more than 700 million dollars the income that the railways had left after paying their annual expenses, taxes and charges in 1940.

The railways have a vitally important job before them. They need all their resources to continue adequately to serve you and contribute effectively toward the National Defense Program.

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FIFTEEN YEARS AGO

(From The Advocate Files for June 24, 1926)

J. D. Josey of Hope, who was in Artesia Friday, says he has finished threshing his oats crop and that the yield was satisfactory. A portion of the oats yielded as much as eighty bushels an acre.

Ben Kaiser, Jr., graduated from the United States Naval Academy June 3.—Dayton item.

Mr. and Mrs. James Sangster have received word that their daughter, Mrs. R. E. Griggs, was suddenly taken very ill and underwent an operation in a Kirksville, Mo., hospital Friday. From latest reports she is improving nicely.

Joe Richards, county road supervisor, is at Hope working on the highway. Hope is also grading streets and rebuilding bridges.

Mrs. Ray Bartlett and children are staying at the Bartlett cabin at Sacramento Camp.

Dr. Clayton Stroup, son of Dr. H. A. Stroup, is leaving today for Detroit, Mich., where he will be an interne in Harper Hospital the coming year.

John Clarke, who had been moved to the Carlsbad hospital from El Paso, was brought home Friday, after having been in Carlsbad a week.

C. E. Mann and little daughter, Lela Bess, left Saturday for Decatur, Tex., where Mr. Mann will spend a few days visiting his parents. Mrs. Mann, who has been visiting relatives in East Texas, will join Mr. Mann and daughter on their return trip.

Plans have been drawn for a new, modern school building in Hagerman.

Money may not buy happiness, but you can purchase a change of misery with it.

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids for the furnishing of all labor and material for the construction of Grade School Building and a Band Room addition to Girls' Gymnasium, Artesia, New Mexico, will be received by W. E. Kerr, Superintendent, at his office in High School Building until 1:00 P. M. the day of July 14, 1941.

The proposal will embody statements to the effect that the bid is accompanied by a certified check or a bid bond in a sum not less than 5% of the Maximum bid, payable to Board of Education, Artesia, New Mexico, with the understanding that if the proposal is

accepted, the bidder will within 10 days thereafter enter into a contract and give a Surety Company performance bond in the full amount of the bid for such work. In case of failure of the successful bidder to enter into a contract and give an acceptable bond, the said check or bid bond shall be forfeited to the Board of Education, Artesia, New Mexico, as liquidated damages, otherwise it will be returned to the bidder within 30 days from the date of the opening bids.

Separate proposals will be received at the same time for Plumbing and Heating and Electric Wiring Systems. Combination proposals may also be submitted covering any or all contracts.

Bidders desiring plans and specifications may secure the same from R. W. Vorhees and Frank M. Standhardt, Architects, Roswell, New Mexico, upon the payment of the sum of \$25.00 which sum shall be refunded if and when said plans and specifications are returned in good condition within 5 days after the date of the opening of bids.

Proposals must be transmitted in accordance with the detail plans and specifications on the forms prescribed for that purpose and the Board of Education, Artesia, New Mexico, reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive all technicalities.

Ordered by the Board of Education, Artesia Municipal School District No. 16, Artesia, New Mexico.

Signed: Charles Morgan President
W. E. Kerr Secretary
26-2tc-27

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF EDDY COUNTY STATE OF NEW MEXICO

IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF ELIZABETH WRIGHT BLAKE, DECEASED.

NO. 1907
NOTICE OF HEARING OF PROOF OF INSTRUMENT PURPORTING TO BE THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF MRS. ELIZABETH WRIGHT BLAKE, DECEASED.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO: Albert Blake, of Artesia, Eddy County, New Mexico, and to all persons claiming any right, title, or interest in and to the estate of said Decedent, and to whom it may

concern: Notice is hereby given that an instrument purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of Elizabeth Wright Blake, Deceased, has been filed for probate in the Probate Court of Eddy County, New Mexico; that by order of said Court the 18th day of August, 1941, at the hour of 2 o'clock P. M. at the courtroom of said Court in the City of Carlsbad, Eddy County, New Mexico, has been fixed and designated as the date, time and place for hearing proof of said Last Will and Testament and the issuance of Letters Testamentary.

THEREFORE, any person or persons wishing to object to the probate of said Last Will and Testament are hereby notified to file their objections in the office of the County Clerk and Ex-Officio Probate Clerk of Eddy County, New Mexico, on or before the aforesaid date of hearing.

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

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the County Clerk and Ex-Officio Probate Clerk of Eddy County, New Mexico, this 24th day of June, 1941.

Mrs. R. A. Wilcox County Clerk.
By: R. A. Wilcox Deputy
26-4tc-29

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT AND ESTATE OF E. C. HIGGINS, DECEASED

No. 1905
NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT OF EXECUTRIX

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned was on the 12th day of June, 1941, appointed Executrix of the Last Will and Testament and Estate of E. C. Higgins, deceased, in the above entitled matter, by Honorable J. T. Hardin, 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 of time prescribed by law, or the same will be barred.

Signed and dated this 12 day of June, 1941.
Mary Lorena Higgins Executrix.
25-3tc-27

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF WILLIAM SCHNEIDER, DECEASED.

No. 1904
NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT OF EXECUTRIX

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: That the undersigned has been appointed executrix of the last will and testament of William Schneider, deceased, and qualified as such on the 27th day of May, 1941.

All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same within six months from June 5th, 1941, the date of the first publication of this notice, or said claims will be barred.

Elizabeth Schneider Executrix
23-4tc-26

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

O. S. BREWER and T. B. KNOX, composing a partnership doing business under the firm name of BREWER DRILLING COMPANY; MARTIN YATES, JR.; LEE VANDAGRIFF and WM. KISSINGER, Plaintiffs,

-vs- JOSEPH LEHMANN; LINDA HEBERT LEHMANN; ROBERT B. REHN, Trustee; and ROBERT B. REHN, individually; BESS REHN; CHARLES F. DICKSON; MARGARET B. DICKSON; J. B. CECILL, trustee; and J. B. CECILL, individually; MARY A. CECILL; R. D. COMPTON; SYLVIA M. COMPTON; G. A. GROBER; IVA M. GROBER; Unknown heirs of W. W. RIDDELL, otherwise known as WM. W. RIDDELL and WILLIAM W. RIDDELL, deceased; Unknown heirs of MARY J. SMITH, deceased; Un-

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Summons and notice of pendency of suit in the State of New Mexico to: JOSEPH LEHMANN, impleaded with the following named defendants against whom substituted service is hereby sought to be obtained, to-wit: JOSEPH LEHMANN; LINDA HEBERT LEHMANN; ROBERT B. REHN, trustee; ROBERT B. REHN, individually; BESS REHN; CHARLES F. DICKSON; MARGARET B. DICKSON; J. B. CECILL, trustee; and J. B. CECILL, individually; MARY A. CECILL; R. D. COMPTON; SYLVIA M. COMPTON; G. A. GROBER; IVA M. GROBER; Unknown heirs of W. W. RIDDELL, otherwise known as WM. W. RIDDELL and WILLIAM W. RIDDELL, deceased; Unknown heirs of MARY J. SMITH, deceased; Un-

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NO. 7550
SUMMONS AND NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF SUIT IN THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO: JOSEPH LEHMANN, impleaded with the following named defendants against whom substituted service is hereby sought to be obtained, to-wit: JOSEPH LEHMANN; LINDA HEBERT LEHMANN; ROBERT B. REHN, trustee; ROBERT B. REHN, individually; BESS REHN; CHARLES F. DICKSON; MARGARET B. DICKSON; J. B. CECILL, trustee; and J. B. CECILL, individually; MARY A. CECILL; R. D. COMPTON; SYLVIA M. COMPTON; G. A. GROBER; IVA M. GROBER; Unknown heirs of W. W. RIDDELL, otherwise known as

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You and each of you are hereby notified that there is now pending in the District Court of the Fifth Judicial District of the State of New Mexico, within and for the County of Eddy, that certain civil action No. 7550, in which a complaint has been filed by O. S. Brewer and T. B. Knox, composing a partnership doing business under the firm name of Brewer Drilling Company; Martin Yates, Jr.; Lee Vandagriff and Wm. Kissinger, as plaintiffs, against you, the said defendants.

That the general objects of said action are as follows: a. To quiet title in plaintiffs, and each of them, against all claims of you, and each of you, adverse to the estates of each of the plaintiffs in that certain tract of land located in the County of Eddy and State of New Mexico, which is more particularly described as the West One-Half of Section Twenty-Four (24), Township Eighteen (18) South,

Range Twenty-Six (26) East, N. M. P. M., which said estate is alleged in the complaint to be that certain oil and gas leasehold estate created by that certain oil and gas mining lease which was executed by E. L. McCall, a single man, to Lee Vandagriff and W. M. Kissinger, under date of October 26th, 1938, the plaintiffs O. S. Brewer and T. B. Knox, composing a partnership doing business under the firm name of Brewer Drilling Company, and Martin Yates, Jr., having acquired an interest in said lease and leasehold estate by a conveyance from said lessees.

b. To quiet title in plaintiffs, and each of them, against all claims of you, and each of you, adverse to the estates of each of the plaintiffs in that certain tract of land located in the County of Eddy and State of New Mexico, which is more particularly described as the North One-Half (N½) of Section Twenty-Five (25), Township Eighteen (18) South, Range Twenty-Six (26) East, N. M. P. M., which said estate is alleged in the complaint to be the oil and gas leasehold estate created by that certain oil and gas mining lease executed by R. T. Copeland, an heir of E. M. Williams, deceased, to Martin Yates, Jr., under date of December 1st, 1939, and duly ratified by all of the heirs of E. M. Williams, deceased, and heirs of heirs of E. M. Williams, deceased, who constitute all of the persons holding interests in fee in said real estate, the plaintiffs O. S. Brewer and T. B. Knox, composing a partnership doing business under the firm name of Brewer Drilling Company, Lee Vandagriff and Wm. Kissinger having acquired an interest in said lease and leasehold estate by conveyance from said lessee.

c. To bar and forever estop you, and each of you, the said defendants, from having or claiming any lien upon, or right or title to the above described premises adverse

to the plaintiffs, or any of them; and to forever quiet and set at rest the plaintiffs' titles to their respective interests and estates. If you, or any of you, said defendants, fail to enter your appearance in said cause on or before the 4th day of August, A. D. 1941, judgment by default will be rendered in said cause against you, and each of you, if you so fail to enter your appearance, and the plaintiffs will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Watson & Quail are the attorneys for the plaintiffs and their Post Office address is Ward Building, Artesia, New Mexico. WITNESS my hand and the seal of the said Court on this 12th day of June, A. D., 1941.

(Sgd) Ethel M. Highsmith Clerk of the District Court 25-4tc-28

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(Mrs. C. B. Altman)

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Runyan were visiting friends here Monday. Newman Seelye motored to Carlsbad Tuesday for medical treatment.

Mrs. Bell Burleson left Monday morning for Kerrville, Tex., to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Wilburn are driving a new car, which they purchased in Artesia last Monday.

Billie Coates returned Monday from El Paso, where he spent several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Curry are here this week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Menefee.

Dee Swift, who recently moved to Carlsbad, was here last week visiting friends and doing repair work on his rent houses.

Miss Colleen Zeih of Clayton, N. Mex., arrived Saturday and is a guest of her cousin, Miss Roma June Carson.

Mrs. Grace Green and Mrs. Lockie Trigg of Artesia were guests at the Parks ranch last week end.

The blacktopping of Highway 82 for fifteen miles west of Hope was completed Tuesday and the crew moved the camp to Artesia.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgel Craig are building a new house on their farm west of town. Ray Hill is doing the work.

Pat Coffin, who is stationed with the Army at San Antonio, Tex., is here this week visiting his mother, Mrs. Anna Coffin.

Mrs. Pete Jackson, who recently moved to Gallup, arrived Tuesday for a visit of a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Keller.

Mrs. H. A. Hamill returned Sunday from El Paso, where she had been visiting her two sisters, Mrs. R. J. Murray and Mrs. Sam Zumwalt.

John Prude left Friday for Clovis to be with his uncle, Lee Prude, who was operated on last Thursday evening.

Mrs. Jim Lauderdale, Mrs. L. O. Miller and Mrs. Foy Riley and their father, W. W. Hardin, were business visitors in Roswell Monday.

Mrs. Floyd Stewart and son, Wilbur Ray, of Jal arrived last Thursday and are visiting in the home of her brother, D. W. Carson.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Kinder and small daughter, Beverly Jean, of Roswell spent last week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Keller.

Mrs. Charlie Wilburn and daughter, Mrs. Sam Neely, left yesterday for their home in Torrance, Calif., after a visit of a week with Mr. and Mrs. Buck Wilburn.

Alvin Kincaid of Midland, Tex., who recently leased the Edgar Williams pasture, moved his family here last week and is now living in the Dee Swift house.

Mrs. Bob Means and aunt, Mrs. John O. Stevens, of Tularosa were visiting relatives in Artesia last week. Before returning home they spent a few days at the Prude ranch.

John Buckner of High Rolls and Raymond Buckner of Mountain Park, who were en route to Carlsbad to attend to business, stopped for a few hours with their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Buckner.

Mrs. Hilary White, Sr., received word Friday evening of the death of her brother, Lester Robertson, at his home in Lordsburg, N. Mex. He was accidentally shot while cleaning a gun. Mr. Robertson was a former resident of the mountain section and had many friends in Hope.

Miss Madeline Prude, accompanied by her cousin, Mrs. Juliet Rowley, and Mrs. Sarah Talke of Dallas, Tex., and her aunt, Mrs. Andrew Prude of Fort Davis, Tex., returned last Thursday from visiting friends in Clovis and Fort Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Stinnett returned Monday after a month vacation trip in Kentucky, Kansas and Colorado. In Murray, Ky., they visited Mrs. Stinnett's sister, Mrs. A. C. La Follette, and in Medicine Lodge, Kan., they visited Mr. Stinnett's sister, Mrs. W. A. Watson. Before returning home they attended the Rotary International convention, which was held in Denver last week.

Miss Jackie McAuliffe and Miss Roma June Carson entertained Wednesday evening with a wiener roast complimenting Miss Colleen Zeih of Clayton, N. Mex., and Wilbur Ray Stewart of Jal, who are guests of Miss Carson. The group motored to the dam, where they roasted wieners and spread a picnic supper, after which the evening was spent playing games and visiting. The guests included Misses Mary K. Teel, Elizabeth Williams, Janice Wilburn, Louise Lee, Lucille Young, Mr. and Mrs. George O. Teel, Lewis and Bill Weddige, D. W. Carson, Robert Williams, Zane Ray Wilburn, J. C. Scott, Nash and Horton Bumgardner and the honorees, Miss Colleen Zeih and

Wilbur Ray Stewart.

A marriage of interest to their many friends is that of Miss Lora May Teel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Teel of Hope, and James Robertson of Artesia and Gallup. The wedding took place at 11 o'clock Sunday morning at the Methodist Church, which was beautifully decorated with roses and gladioli. The single ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. T. H. Norris and the bride was given in marriage by her father, John Teel. The wedding march was played by Miss Mary Katherine Teel, a cousin of the bride. Her only attendant was Mrs. George O. Teel, who acted as bridesmaid. She was attired in a beige crepe street dress with white accessories. The bride was lovely in an ashes of roses silk dress, with blue accessories. She wore a corsage of pink brides' roses. For something old she carried a handkerchief, which her grandmother had carried at her wedding, and for something borrowed she wore a necklace belonging to her bridesmaid, Mrs. Teel. The bridegroom wore an oxford gray suit with a pink rosebud boutonniere. George O. Teel, who served as best man, wore a conventional dark suit. Mrs. Robertson graduated from Hope High School in 1939 and attended Draughon's Business College in Lubbock, Tex., the following year. For the last year she has been employed by the Alfalfa Growers Association in Artesia. Mr. Robertson has been associated with the Ferguson Motor Company for the last seven years. The couple left immediately after the ceremony for Gallup, where they will establish a home.

Abilene Christian Quartet Will Sing Here Friday



Abilene (Tex.) Christian College's male quartet will present a program Friday evening, June 27, at the Artesia Church of Christ, the Rev. Allen Johnson, pastor, has announced.

Personnel of this quartet is (left to right): Erle T. Moore of New Market, Ala., first tenor; Leon

Locke of Columbia, Tenn., second tenor; Wayland James of Friendship, Tenn., baritone; and James Black of Denver City, Texas, bass. W. R. Smith, vice president of ACC, will accompany the group, which is making a two-month tour into seven different states. The quartet is recognized as one

of the best in the institution's history and as one of the most outstanding collegiate groups in the Southwest. During the last year it has been unusually popular for civic programs, radio broadcasts, religious singing and all kinds of campus programs.

hand lacerated in the struggle with the animal. They were inclined to attribute the death to rabies. Burial was held at Milagro, Sisneros' home. He leaves four sons and three daughters.

State Drivers License Director Al S. Roughton reported that sixty-three persons were killed and 398 injured in New Mexico automobile accidents the first four months of this year. The figures compared with fifty killed and 252 hurt in the same period of 1940.

The Southwestern Associated Chambers of Commerce, which includes chambers in Southeast New Mexico, Southwest Texas and Southern Arizona, has an eventual goal of 5,000 members and a fund of \$10,000 to \$15,000 annually for national advertising for tourists. The present membership is only 275, with 1,500 the goal within the next six months, according to L. P. Bloodworth, of El Paso, executive secretary of the association. Bloodworth recently withdrew as assistant manager of the El Paso Chamber to devote all of his time to the Southwestern Association.

A pair of enterprising youths took advantage of adversity and proved again that it's an ill wind

—and so on. At a washout on the Capitan-Ruidoso road they erected a sign, "Toll Bridge 25 cents." Then off the roadway they erected a makeshift, but reasonably adequate, bridge.

The most favorable moisture conditions in thirty years have given Quay County grass its best start in a long time, landowners report.

An attorney general's opinion held that a year's New Mexico residence is mandatory for voter inclusion on the permanent election registration rolls. In an opinion written for Assistant District Attorney Scott Mabry of Albuquerque, Howard Houk of the attorney general's office ruled no person could register unless he had lived in the state one year up to

the time of the next municipal election. Persons living outside a municipality are guided by the date of the next primary or general or special election.

State Tourist Director Joseph Bursey is conducting a one-man campaign through the East in search of visitors for New Mexico. The tourist chief is spending a month in Eastern centers outlining the attractions of the state. His trip will be climaxed at the National Educational Association convention in Boston June 29.

New Mexico's summer will be warm and dry, weather expert Irving P. Krick predicted. Dr. Krick's forecast, prepared for the July issue of New Mexico Magazine, looked for temperature above average and precipitation below nor-

mal in July, August and September. The Pasadena, Calif., weatherman specializes in long-range predictions for industrial clients.

The Midwest Refining Company of Deming was chartered by the corporation commission last week. Mae Hall, Deming, and R. E. Love and Harold Waggoner, Albuquerque, are organizers.

The first 1941 Zia book, containing license numbers of 25,000 automobiles and 10,000 trucks, was published last week.

National Youth Administration projects have been set up at Eastern New Mexico College giving employment to seventy-five students on construction of a men's dormitory and to thirty others in national defense training. The defense course is to start July 15 with instruction in forge and weld-

ing work.

New laurels in the calf roping arena have been garnered by Homer Bennett of Clovis. In a special ten-calf event Bennett defeated Jim Crosby of Kenna 251 3/5 to 317 4/5 seconds. He also won a jackpot event against sixteen ropers including Crosby, trussing up a calf in 16 1/5 seconds.

Raton figures that it has obtained about 1,500 of the 5,000 marriages that Colorado has lost in the last year from couples fleeing from the severe health tests and the three-day notice required by the new Colorado license law. About 80 per cent of the marriage licenses now issued at Raton are to Colorado couples. Taos and Aztec also have picked up some of the business.

CARBON PAPER—The Advocate.

WHAT'S WHAT
—in—
NEW MEXICO
News Briefs of the "Sunshine State," Gleaned from Many Sources

Felipe Sisneros, 64, who gained widespread notice last April when he killed with his bare hands a yearling mountain lion which attacked his sheep, is dead. Doctors said Sisneros was in Santa Rosa just before his death Tuesday of last week from a badly-infected

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President

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WORLD NEWS
—in—
BRIEF FORM

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

A Kewanee, Ill., woman's want ad search for the man who played an "Only Forever" record for her three times on a tavern juke box—and then went out of her life—has started to warm up. The Kewanee newspaper received a letter from an Albuquerque man asking her address so he could propose marriage. He explained: "I live alone and don't like it."

Private Raymond L. Bettman, Jr., called out for a year's training, stood at ease at the railroad station in New Albany, Ind., waiting for a train to take him to Camp Shelby, Miss. The ease didn't last long. A police car screeched up to the platform. His sister jumped out and told him his wife had just given birth to a son. The accommodating policemen rushed him home, where he took a quick look at the baby, and then back to the station. He caught the train.

The house boy listened dutifully while Mrs. Ed Mura of Kansas City explained how to mix an egg nog, then exclaimed: "That's a powerful waste of some very fancy ingredients. Was it me, I'd drink the whisky and fry them eggs."

At Walla Walla, Wash., Convict Colin Campbell, 61, longed for years for the privileges accorded a trusty. Finally he realized his ambition—but worked so strenuously on grounds outside the prison walls that he collapsed and died the first day.

Rubie Levy's career as a New York motorist was short and far from sweet. He bought a jalopy for \$10, drove a couple of blocks and parked it. Returning, he found two parking tickets on it. Then the motor wouldn't start, and he sold it to a junkman for \$5. Traffic court relieved him of another \$4—\$2 a ticket.

Albert M. Manheimer, who spent New Year's in Cleveland participating in a family foursome of pinocle, predicts this is going to be a lucky year for him. The cards were dealt. He picked them up, and his eyes nearly popped out. Right in a row—eight aces—a perfect hand. "First time in fifty years," declared Manheimer.

Lee Schwartz of Dallas bought rare stamps from three youths at 40 cents to \$1 each for three months, he told police. Then, he said, he discovered he was buying back his own stamps, stolen from his garage.

A six-man fire rescue squad needed some of its own medicine in Cleveland. The squad answered a call to an east side home and worked four hours on five persons overcome by carbon monoxide fumes. Then the rescuers became ill. A second squad and a doctor were summoned. Two hours later all had been revived.

Once upon a time Reginald B. DeLaCour and Lawrence Reagan were privates and George A. Davis a corporal in a single squad of F Troop, First Illinois Cavalry. Today DeLaCour is adjutant general of Connecticut; Reagan until recently was adjutant general of

Illinois, and Davis is—yep—adjutant general of Oklahoma.

At Monroe, La., the Junior Chamber of Commerce conducted a safety week in which coffins, wrecked automobiles and "beware" signs were scattered on downtown streets. Monroe police announced traffic accidents had doubled during the week.

They're telling this one at Fort Jackson, S. C. A selectee showed up at the fort with a bicycle, a bedroom suite and a rowing machine. Officers decided the Army cots were adequate, that inasmuch as he was in the infantry he wouldn't need the bicycle and as for the rowing machine, well, they don't need oarsmen in the Army.

At New Haven, Conn., while Attendant James Collins was filling the motor with oil the driver poked a gun in his ribs, commanded, "Stick 'em up." Collins waited until the oil dripped out, then threw the can at the gunman. The would-be robber jumped into the car and fled.

Non-resident bees may have to pay for the privilege of tapping Utah's honey ranges. A bill introduced by Rep. Earl L. Albrecht would grant the out-of-state bees thirty-day visitors' permits, but they would be subject to a tax if they stayed over. Albrecht estimated more than 10,000 hives are brought into Utah each summer to sting the state for their honey.

The Harry H. Cohen family of Kansas City broke even on conscription. A son, Lester, 32, was deferred for business reasons. His brother, Jack, was called into the Army as his substitute.

This is a bedtime story about what the Charles Robertsons did when their farmhouse caught fire near Delphi, Ind. The couple and their two small children were upstairs in bed at the time. They tore one of the beds apart, threw the mattress to the ground and one by one, jumped on it, landing unhurt. The house burned. Damage was estimated at \$4,500.

Eugene V. Riley of Seattle, testified his wife left him and returned to Kansas "because she didn't like the weather here and wanted to be with her mother." "She preferred the climate of Kansas to that of Puget Sound?" asked the judge. "Yes sir," replied Riley. He was granted an interlocutory divorce.

Denver Police Chief August Hanebuth asked the city council, as a safety measure, to prohibit motorists from getting out of the drivers' side of parked automobiles. Gallant swains and their ladies fair protested vehemently. Some of the girls exhibited bruised knees to show that the idea of boys clambering past them is not practical. One city councilman whose wife spared no words in voicing her sentiments, speculated ruefully: "Maybe it's better to be a dead or injured gentleman than a live and healthy boor."

Boston police believe in being not only efficient—but original. In raiding a dice game, one of the policemen lit his pipe, blew smoke into the keyhole of the gambling room. One of the players cried "Fire!" All of them rushed out the door into the arms of the raiders. Two weeks prior, one of the raiding officers gained entrance into a gambling game by "meowing" outside the door like a cat.

One of two youths arrested for breaking an automobile window during a snowball fight in New

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WARRANTY DEED—

Jack D. Williams et ux, to Board of County Commissioners, 1/2 int. blk. 14, Spencer Addn. to Carlsbad, \$950.
Milton R. Smith et ux, to Barney T. Burns, Tr., lots 2 and 3, SE 1/4 NW 1/4, NE 1/4 EW 1/4 Sec. 18-22-27, \$10, etc.
J. K. Wallingford et ux, to R. M. McDonald, lot 8, blk. 28, Artesia Imp. Co.'s Adn. to Artesia.
Pecos Irrigation Company to

ENMC Is Presented Colors From Senate Chamber, Washington

Gift to Eastern New Mexico College of an enormous historic flag—the identical one which hung in the United States Senate when the Lease-Lend Bill was passed—was announced this week in Portales. The presentation was made by Mrs. W. D. Sawyer, of Crossroads, N. M., who in turn received it from Sen. Dennis Chavez of New Mexico.

Turning the flag, which is 15 x 12 feet, over to the college, Mrs. Sawyer said that Sen. Dennis Chavez had sent it to her asking that she present it to an institution which she thought deserved it, and that she had decided on ENMC. The flag is stored in the college vault pending its placement on a wall of the museum on ENMC's campus.

Modernizing the world's most popular book, Father John LaFarge, eminent Jesuit author, tells why the Catholic New Testament was brought up-to-date, and how the Saviour's words have been made clear. Read of this scholarly achievement and how many ancient Greek, Latin and Aramaic terms have been converted into more precise present-day expressions—as told in *The American Weekly*, the magazine distributed with next week's Los Angeles Examiner. 26-1tx

Dr. and Mrs. L. F. Hamilton and children left Monday on a vacation trip through New Mexico, with no particular destination in mind.

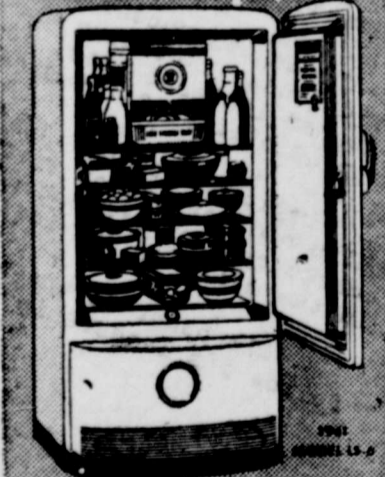
Mrs. John McKinney of Oklahoma City visited her sister, Mrs. C. M. Calmes, and family here over the week end.

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York received a suspended sentence when he told the judge he was being inducted into the Army. "That's one thing the draft did for me," said Bill Daly.

Pilots on an American airliner between Burbank, Calif., and Dallas won't be confused by this change in stewardesses—or will they? Betty McLaughlin of Hollywood married and resigned. Betty McLaughlin of Bloomfield, Ind., replaced her.

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Pecos Irrigation Company to Mrs. Alberta Shearil, lots 1, 3 and 5, blk. S, 2nd Addn. to Subdiv., So. San Jose, \$10, etc.

Beatrice R. Jones et vir, to John A. Connell, lots 1 and 3, blk. 98, Stevens Second Addn. to Carlsbad, \$10, etc.

Pecos Irrigation Co. to Josie Amos, lots 34 and 36, blk. P, First Addn. to So. San Jose, \$10, etc.

Pecos Irrigation Co. to Wash Blake, lots 2 and 4, blk. 1, Subdiv. So. Carlsbad, \$10, etc.

Pecos Irrigation Co. to Sam Aniego, No. 50 ft. lot 15, blk. 4, So. Carlsbad Subdiv., \$10, etc.

P. L. Crandell et ux, to Black Sivalls & Bryson, lots 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11, blk. 2, Lanning Addn., Artesia.

Robert E. Tarleton et ux, to Otto A. McKinney, tract SE corner Sec. 18-22-27.

L. A. Swigart et ux, to J. R. House, lot 11, blk. B, First Addn. to Happy Valley Farms, \$10, etc.

Albert C. Hemler et ux, to Otis Terry Basham, lot 8, blk. 163, Woodard Addn. to Carlsbad, \$600.

Pecos Irrigation Co. to Sarah Hoard, lot 11, blk. R, Second Addn. Subdiv., So. San Jose, \$10, etc.

Ray Bartlett et ux, to W. A. Jones, E. 70 acres, E 1/2 NW 1/4, Sec. 13-17-25, \$1,400.

Pecos Irrigation Co. to Sylvia Little, lot 13, blk. R, 2nd Addn. So. San Jose.

J. L. Sears et al, to C. A. Bradley, lot 13, blk. 173, Woodard Addn., Carlsbad.

Albin Mackey et ux, to Joe T. Bailey, part lots 1 and 3, blk. 7, Gibson Addn., Carlsbad.

R. W. Dunn et ux, to G. A. Autry, lot 12, blk. 7, Forest Hill Addn., Artesia, \$1,350.

H. A. Denton et ux, to George C. Denton, part lot 2, blk. 5, Rose-lawn Addn. to Artesia, \$10, etc.

Cavern Ranch, Inc., to J. R. Turnbull and H. M. Dow, various property, \$100.

Fermen Lopez to Jesus V. Lopez, lot 9, blk. 14, Original Carlsbad.

QUIT CLAIM DEED—
E. Barker et ux, to Tony Carter, N. 25 ft. S. 67 1/2; lots 23 and 24, blk. C, East San Jose, \$10, etc.

Jack D. Williams et ux, to Julian

Sanchez, lot 25, blk. G, East San Jose.

Ira S. Reser et ux, to Lake Arthur Drainage Dist., W 1/2 NE 1/4 Sec. 29-16-26.

Henry F. Christian et ux, to Pecos Irrigation Co., SE 1/4 SE 1/4 Sec. 7-22-27, \$10, etc.

E. Barker et ux, to Angelita Fierro, lot 18, blk. H, East San Jose, \$10.

J. H. Everest et ux, to H. J. Williams, int. well, SE 1/4 Sec. 20-16-26.

Barney T. Burns, Tr., to Natalio Leos, lot 14, blk. 13, New San Jose, \$1, etc.

Barney T. Burns, Tr., to Mauro Morales et al, lots 1 and 3, blk. 23, New San Jose.

Hiram M. Dow et ux, to J. R. Turnbull and H. M. Dow, SE 1/4 NE 1/4 Sec. 14-24-23, \$10, etc.

Barney T. Burns, Tr., to Felix

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Dorado, lots 9 and 11, blk. 22, New San Jose.

Barney T. Burns, Tr., to Natalio Leos, lot 14, blk. 14, New San Jose.

Barney T. Burns, Tr., to Mauro Morales et al, lots 1 and 3, blk. 23, New San Jose.

DISTRICT COURT—
No. 7552—Louis F. Hamilton vs. Toley Harbert, suit on account, \$152.

No. 7554—Sylvia Harvey vs. Bert Harvey, divorce.

TAX DEED—
State Tax Commission to Ira S. Reser, W 1/2 NE 1/4 Sec. 29-16-26, \$80.

State Tax Commission to Burch Spencer, lots 3, 5, 6, 7, blk. 28, Art. Imp. Co. Addn., \$40.

State Tax Commission to Burch Spencer, lots 7, 9, blk. 56, Art. Imp. Co. Addn., \$20.

State Tax Commission to Stephen A. Bolon, W. 8 A. S 1/2 SE 1/4 NE 1/4 Sec. 27-19-26, \$15.

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Little Known Facts and Sidelights on Oil Industry

Truck Magic—

Who remembers Miami in 1900, a little isolated trading post producing weeds, vine, pine and palmettos?

Citrus fruits and fresh vegetables then were something to read about in the papers. Today, Florida farmers are so busy loading oranges, grapefruit, strawberries, cantaloupe, lettuce, lima beans and other products into motor trucks for shipment to the dinner tables of the North, East and Middle West, they have time to read only weather and market reports.

A single wholesale market was set up at Sanford five years ago. Now there are thirty scattered throughout the state, from Florida City to Pensacola. Probably the largest terminal is at Pompano, on the East coast, where twenty carloads of produce are moved daily, more than one-half by motor truck. During the rush season, when perishable products must be turned over quickly, several round trips a week by motor truck are the routine between Pompano and New York City, 1,300 miles apart. Hours closer to metropolitan markets is Plant City, the great strawberry center, which relies on speedy low-cost motor transport to get its products to other states without excessive handling.

Due to their ability to carry less-than-carload lots, trucks have developed low cost distribution not only to distant metropolitan markets but to small communities. While it requires a town of 20,000 to handle a carload of citrus fruit, a motor truck can serve profitably the needs of much smaller places. Nearly 40 per cent of the country's 122,473 communities are not on a railroad at all, and must depend on the trucker for their commodities.

Florida markets are operated by local committees at each of the 30 centers. Farmers sell either direct to truckers or to brokers, and the markets are self-sustaining from small fees charged for their use. Since these markets were set up in Florida, similar ones have been organized in other states. The season for long distance hauling begins about the first of November and extends as late as the last of May, with trucks rolling into Florida from states as far away as Arkansas, Colorado, Kansas, Indiana, Ohio, Michigan, New York, New Jersey and Pennsylvania.

New Geochemical Method—

Six new oil fields have been located in Texas by a newly-developed geochemical method which utilizes both horizontal and vertical testing of soil samples. An area of several square miles is tested by taking samples at twelve feet and analyzing them for their gas contents. This determines whether or not oil is likely to be found below the surface and also the location at which to dig.

Soil samples are then taken at thirty feet. If oil is present, there is a rise in the amounts of the hydrocarbon gases in the samples with increases in depth.

Oil is not found directly above the spot showing the greatest concentration of the gases in the surface soil, but at a level of low concentration located between two areas showing high concentrations. So far, none knows why.

Progress—

Keeping up with the Joneses is easy compared with keeping abreast of progress in petroleum refining. Petroleum refineries, of which there are more than 500 in the United States, normally have to be rebuilt or replaced every five years, due to wear in equipment and improvements in design, but the situation is made the more difficult by scientific progress. What may be the last word in efficiency today may be just another technique tomorrow.

Latest development, at least as these words were being written, is a thermal cracking process em-

ploying a fluid catalyst. It is said to increase the yield of anti-knock motor fuel from one-third to one-half, which means there'll be plenty of gasoline for tomorrow, and more gasoline made from less crude oil.

The new process differs in that continuous processing in one chamber becomes possible, the catalyst being cleaned in a separate zone through which, being a liquid, it flows. Earlier cracking processes have employed solid catalysts, the efficiency of which became impaired by rapidly-accumulating surface deposits of carbon. It was necessary either to halt operations and polish the catalysts, or to have duplicate equipment so that one plant could operate while another shut down for housecleaning. Sometimes more time was spent in cleaning catalysts than in making gasoline.

As is customary in the petroleum industry, any refinery which wishes can use the new process under license. Installation costs are said to be comparable with those of other processes.

Modern Mountaineering—
In the St. Elias Range in Alaska where hundreds of unmapped peaks tempt the tougher trail breakers, explorers save time by flying to points near the base, and pick up equipment which has been shipped up the Yukon. Once the summit has been gained, climbers deflate their egos by repeating the trip from air, looking down on peaks which once had seemed inaccessible.

On a recent Alaskan expedition, territory which required two months of preliminary ground-work was checked later in six hours of flying. From altitudes of 22,000 feet, more than 3,000 photographs were taken at fifty-two millimeters a second for permanent records and maps. Welders' goggles were worn as protection against the intense Alaskan light.

Meditations

Of Your Country Cousin

When they're namin' their kids, it's a pretty good idea for parents to remember that a heap of times "given" names ain't ever "forgiveness."

When th' boss' wife can't open th' cash-drawer, it's no joke. It's a grim reality!

Often a feller doesn't learn th' value of shoes till he tries crossin' a cactus patch, barefoot!

Hennie says any army could get pointers on crossin' bridges from some of her neighbors—even th' buildin'. Often they're fully fabricated.

Ain't but one thing needed to make perfection—Improvement!

ORSON WELLES, WELLES!

The generally accepted belief that hordes of starfish descend—a la Orson Welles—on the oyster population of America's waters has been proved false by scientific tests conducted by the U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service. Starfish are—and always will be—predators of oysters, but they do not swoop down on their prey.

"The starfish populations are practically stationary," insist scientists of that portion of the Fish and Wildlife Service devoted to the study of fish. "Sudden increases are due to an accelerated rate of reproduction and survival, rather than to migrations."

So, if you are an oyster, fearful of a blitzkrieg by the starfish—have no fears.

The "Great Fire" in London in 1666 destroyed 13,200 homes and 88 churches.

Morningside News

(Mrs. Roy Tice)

Mrs. Charley Adams and children moved into their new home Tuesday.

Johnny Tice, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tice, has been very ill the last week.

Marshall Smith of Tahoka, Tex., visited Mrs. Nina Tice and Roy Tice Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Moore and family have moved to the oil field, where Mr. Moore has work.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Fines and Dike Vaughn were in El Paso Monday and Tuesday on business.

Vernon Echols and family and Jane and June Flynn spent the week end visiting relatives in Carlsbad.

Carl Christianson and family left Wednesday for Sublette, Kan., where they will work in the wheat harvest.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Luttrell and baby of Los Angeles, Calif., were visiting the Bob and Ray Luttrell families last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hicks are the parents of a ten-pound girl born Monday afternoon. No name has been decided upon as yet.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Swackhammer and family returned Monday from a visit of a week with relatives at Lawton, Okla.

Mrs. Ted Flynn, daughter of Mrs. Vernon Echols, returned to her home on the ranch Sunday with her husband and three children.

Mrs. Ivan Myers and daughter, Peggy Anne, of Roswell were week-end guests of her mother, Mrs. Nina Tice, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Weise and family of Alto, N. Mex., and Mrs. Charley Adams and children of Morningside spent the week end in Carlsbad visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Jorden of Cottonwood and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Vanzandt and children of Loco Hills were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tice Sunday.

Lila Grace and Everette Murphy entertained about thirty of their friends with a wiener and marshmallow roast last Thursday night. Games were played until late.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Walters and son, Odeal, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Stone north of town Sunday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Stone are old acquaintances of Mr. Walters from Oklahoma.

A family reunion is being planned for June 30 at the home of Mrs. Vernon Echols. Her sister, Mrs. Wallace Chase, and husband and niece, Mrs. Randy Valenwidder, and husband, all of Dubuque, Iowa, are expected to be here.

Mrs. Nina Tice received news Monday night that her daughter, Mrs. Juanita Price, was in a car wreck two weeks ago. Both arms were broken and a leg and the kneecap were fractured. She was returning from the funeral of a cousin, Jack Hampton, at Riverside, Calif., to her home in Central Valley, Calif., when the accident happened. The other three occupants escaped without injury. Two of them were her children.

Wedding Announcements, printed or engraved—The Advocate.

Loco Hills Items

(By Mrs. H. E. Brown)

Dorothy Moore is visiting in Artesia this week.

K. G. Miller was a business visitor in Artesia Monday.

Bert Aston of Oklahoma City is a Loco Hills business visitor this week.

Mrs. Bob Hudson and Mrs. Frank Miller were visitors in Loco Hills Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Floyd and daughter, Karen, moved to Hobbs this week.

Mrs. Robert Corbin has returned from a visit with relatives in Carlsbad, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Hyson and family were visitors last Thursday in Roswell.

William Keimburg, Jr., and Marshall Heap were visitors in Artesia Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Smalley and family have returned from a two-week vacation trip.

Mr. and Mrs. "Chuck" Aston and daughter, Sharon, are visiting in Oklahoma City this week.

Those on the sick list this week include Glen David Miller, Mrs. McCullough and I. W. Hobson.

Mrs. Buster Mulcock and children are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Williams, of Elk.

Mrs. Wilbern Davis and Mr. and Mrs. George Till were visitors in El Paso this week. Mr. Till received medical treatment there.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Shirey and family and Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Shirey and daughter, Maxine, were visitors in Roswell Saturday.

Mrs. K. G. Miller and son, Glen David, and Mrs. Gilbert Walkers were visitors in Carlsbad Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. Roy Holcomb returned this week from Alamogordo, where she had been visiting her mother, Mrs. Kersey.

Jimmie Serdivan of Artesia was a guest for lunch Tuesday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Dendy.

Mr. and Mrs. Len Patterson of Maljamar were guests Monday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. "Shine" Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Evans and son and Mr. and Mrs. Ennis Hobson were visitors of Roswell and at the Bottomless Lakes Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Norris and family of Lamesa, Tex., were visitors Sunday of Mrs. Norris' sister, Mrs. Loree Evans, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Kendrick Stewart and daughter, who have been visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Stewart, are returning to Roswell.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Shirey and

Lakewood Items

(Mrs. M. C. Lee)

Mrs. Oscar Slease of Seven Rivers was in Lakewood a short time Monday.

Mrs. Jim B. Moutray of Seven Rivers is in El Paso for medical treatment.

Edna Lee is improving and is able to be up and around most of the time.

"Uncle George" McGonagill has been poorly for several days, but is improving slowly.

Several boxcars were derailed on the track south of Lakewood Monday.

Luis Rodriguez came in from Fort Bliss Saturday and spent the night and Sunday with his parents.

Mrs. James Scarbrough spent a part of last week with her parents on Seven Rivers.

The Rev. Gordon Sterling and family spent last week with Mrs. Sterling's mother, Mrs. J. H. Burrow.

Mrs. Phil Porter writes from

daughter, Maxine, of Dewey, Okla., are visiting their son, Kenneth Shirey, and Mrs. Shirey and family of this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Moore and family of Artesia, parents of Mrs. McCullough and Mrs. Milton Schultz of this community, are new residents of Loco Hills this week.

Word has been received from Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Brown and family in Corpus Christi that they are enjoying their vacation through South Texas. They will return home the latter part of this week.

The Sherman Memorial Sunday school was well attended with fifty-two persons present Sunday. The exercises will now begin at 9:45 o'clock instead of 10 o'clock. Everyone is urged to attend next Sunday for the election of officers and teachers.

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Oklahoma City her father is still seriously ill and in a hospital there.

The Brotherhood of the Baptist Church had a fish fry near the church Friday evening, and services in the church after the fish fry.

Joe Ross, son of Taylor Ross, became ill suddenly Monday and was taken to a hospital at Carlsbad, where he was operated on for appendicitis.

A revival meeting was conducted last week by the Rev. Gordon Sterling and the Rev. W. C. Garret of Roswell. There were seven additions to the church. Baptismal services were held Sunday afternoon at Seven Rivers.

The A. L. Coyle family left Tuesday for Calico Rock, Ark., where they will make their future home. Mr. and Mrs. Coyle are the parents of Mrs. James Scarbrough.

An all-day service with lunch on the ground was given by the church Sunday. A number of people came down from Lake Arthur. Lots of good eats were provided by the ladies and all had a very enjoyable time.

CROCODILE LARGEST REPTILE

The crocodile is the largest of living reptiles, the most numerous in the species and the most widely distributed. The alligator, which is a member of the order crocodylia, family crocodylidae, is found even in China. The Chinese version is a small species, about six feet in length—and the nearest living relative of the Mississippi River alligator! Even scientists agree that this is more than strange.

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FOR SALE—Vogue Beauty Shop. 118 South Roselawn. Phone 100. 26-3tc-28

FOR SALE OR TRADE—House partly completed, lot and Singer sewing machine. See Bob Bruce, Barton's Camp. 26-1tp

FOR SALE—Fifty English white leghorns, laying. C. E. Terrell, phone 389-R4. 26-1tc

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Floor sander. Mays & Company, 601 South Second. 23-4tc-26

FOR RENT—Four-room furnished apartment, with bath. Mrs. C. R. Vandagriff. 23-tfc

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FOR RENT—Two rooms and bath, for couple only; no pets. 104 Osborn, phone 130. 25-tfc

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment, 523 1/2 West Main. W. E. Ragsdale. 25-tfc

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment three blocks from postoffice, or phone 42-J. 26-1tp

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LOST

LOST—Four-month-old Scottie. Answers to the name of "Tubby." Reward. Mrs. Jim Ferguson, phone 118. 26-2tc-27

LOST—1935 Artesia High School ring, "J. W. S." inside, at Oasis swimming pool. Remard. J. S. Shearman. 26-2tc-27

Community Is—

(Continued from page 1) lapping of efforts and to have a more efficient program. When the drive opens tomorrow workers in a "special gifts" committee will start, calling on those individuals and businesses whom it is believed will be happy and in position to contribute generously.

The general campaign will start Saturday, when one committee will make a house-to-house drive and another committee will have workers at the First National Bank and postoffice, so as to miss no one.

A clean-up committee will function early next week and the job will have been completed before July 4.

Another committee is urging all local organizations, whether represented in the central committee or not, to discuss the U.S.O. at meetings and to tell all members of the need for "The Army Behind the Army." And the committee is contacting all local pastors, asking them to explain the campaign at the services Sunday.

Although recognition badges for all contributors have not been provided, buttons are on the way from national headquarters to be given to those who contribute \$1 or more. And stickers for doors are expected for business houses which cooperate.

At an enthusiastic meeting Tuesday evening, Booker pointed out to the central committee members that the U.S.O. has the endorsement of President Roosevelt, the secretaries of war and Navy and the Federal Security Administration, all realizing that maintenance of the morale of the armed forces and defense industry workers is an important part of national defense and that only by the civilian participation in the work can this morale be kept at a high peak during the coming months.

Groups represented in the central committee and their delegates: Senior Woman's Club, Mrs. E. M. Perry; Junior Woman's Club, Mrs. C. C. Dannenbaum; Rotary, C. D. Marshall; Lions, Ed Shockley; 20-30, Charles Denton; Chamber of Commerce, C. J. Dexter; American Legion, Artie McNally; Legion Auxiliary, Mrs. A. L. Bert; Past President's Parley, Mrs. J. B. Muncy; Business and Professional Women's Club, Mrs. C. R. Blocker; city administration, Arba Green; Atoka Woman's Club, Mrs. Herman Green and Mrs. J. W. Bradshaw; Loco Hills, Buster Mulcock.

Besides Grady Booker, chairman, the officers include: Secretary, Mrs. C. C. Dannenbaum; treasurer, L. B. Feather; publicity director, A. L. Bert. Campaign headquarters have been established at the Carper Drilling Company office, where contributions may be left, in case anyone is overlooked by the workers. Someone will be on duty there at all times during the drive.

The North Eddy County committee is a permanent one and will continue to function during the national emergency.

Morgan Steps—

(Continued from page 1) mander of area "C," which embraces Southeast New Mexico. Under him as commanders respectively of districts 5 and 6 are O. H. Farus of Ruidoso and William O. Dunlap of Tatum.

O. B. Gilliland of Carlsbad, retiring commander of the sixth district, including Artesia, was stepped up two places and was elected one of the department vice commanders.

As national vice executive committeeman from New Mexico, Morgan will help shape the national policies of the Legion during one of the most important years in its history.

Because of the short distance to Ruidoso, the conventions of the Legion and the American Legion Auxiliary, which were held at the same time in Ruidoso last Thursday through Saturday, an unusually large number of members from Artesia attended besides the delegates and alternates.

Extensive— (Continued from page 1) recently finished a 200-barrel well of his own there at a total depth of 456 feet.

Hover and Thomas & Sons established permanent offices last week in the quarters formerly occupied by the late C. L. Tallmadge in the Hardwick building. The two are sharing the office.

Mrs. F. P. Turner returned last week from a vacation trip on the West Coast.

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Something for—

(Continued from page 1) ary, Ed Shockley; directors, Fred Cole, Bernard Johnson, E. J. Foster and Leland Price.

Cole, first president of the club, presided at the banquet, attended by about thirty-five persons.

In his talk Lanning discussed the defense from a number of angles and pointed out "what nifty people we were" when the United States, poorly equipped and only with obsolete machines of war, "told Italy to lay off." The majority of his listeners did not realize how pitifully weak this nation was only a few months ago, nor of the tremendous job which has been undertaken and which still lies ahead in order to meet the world threat.

Germany, he said, openly planned for seven years, and secretly prior to that, for the conflict, and had the whole nation regimented to the task.

Lanning spoke of the laxity of laws in America, through which Harry Bridges and Fritz Kuhn escaped conviction for many months, until in each case some means to convict had to be found. Even then, he said, Frances Perkins caused the conviction of Bridges to go amiss. Who, he asked, are responsible for such deplorable laws and actions? And he answered, "You and I." It also, Lanning stressed, is because of "you and I" that this, one of the largest nations, is one of the weakest.

Bringing the war situation up to date, Lanning said he believes Hitler invaded Russia because he is getting short on grain and oil, that he has been forced to continue the war longer than he planned, that it was a necessary move on his part.

And if Hitler overruns Russia, which he said he believes Hitler will do in short order, the United States will be in an even worse position than before, for Hitler will have much greater resources.

"We must realize what we are up against," Lanning said, "and must get behind the job and stay behind the job until it is done—not as it was done in '17 and '18, failing to strike the knockout blow because of idealism, but to see it through to the end."

A. L. Bert spoke briefly explaining the program of the U.S.O. and asked the cooperation of the Lions Club in its program and drive.

Young Men—

(Continued from page 1) registration is the same as before, except that there has been a considerable broadening of the requirements, so as to take care of those who are in school and approaching completion of their work, especially if this be in line with occupations that are to a real degree associated with national defense and sustenance.

The list of "necessary" occupations and persons has been extended to include some callings not before considered, which are now recognized as contributory to the national welfare. These will be outlined by the boards of registration upon application, so that if deferment is asked for that the application may take due course without delay.

Oil Activity—

(Continued from page 1) Maljamar area in Lea County: Helm & Martin, Stephens 1, NW NE 22-15-29.

Drilling at 3,650 feet. Alex McGonagill, Carper-State 1, NE NE 4-18-28.

Total depth 2,247 feet; waiting on test.

Jones & Yates, Pickrell 1, SW SW 5-19-26.

Total depth 1,050 feet; shut down for orders.

Frank Montgomery, Purcell 1-B, SW NW 13-11-26.

Total depth 2,200 feet; shut down for orders.

Whiting & Grant, Howell 1, NW SE 32-20-25.

Total depth 810 feet; fishing for bit.

Herbert Aid, Wentz 1, SW NE 24-17-28.

Total depth 2,840 feet; preparing to shoot.

Red Lake, Williams 2, SW NW 21-17-28.

Total depth 2,023 feet; rigging up pump.

V. L. Arnold, Arnold 2-B, NE NW 34-17-30.

Total depth 3,279 feet; testing.

R. B. Woolley, Woolley 4-D, SW NW 31-17-30.

Total depth 3,018 feet; flowed 35 barrels 16 hours after shot.

Sudderth et al, Willis 1, NW SE 14-20-28.

Total depth 817 feet; recementing 7-inch casing.

Repollo, Keel 5-A, SW SE 7-17-31.

Drilling at 3,000 feet.

R. W. Fair, Falkenberg 1, SW NW 24-18-26.

Drilling at 1,600 feet.

Etz Oil Co., State 6, NW SE 16-17-30.

Total depth 2,084 feet; flowed 260 barrels oil in 24 hours.

Nick Nanetas, Lane 1, SE NE 13-21-28.

Drilling at 2,400 feet.

Fullerton, State 1, NE SE 18-16-33.

Drilling at 4,300 feet.

Friess, Stampfli & Martin, Friess 1, NE SW 19-17-31.

Location.

Shumaker & Richey, Root 1, NW SE 1-17-29.

Total depth 2,702 feet; shut in.

Western Production Co., Keely 3-C, NE NW 13-17-29.

Drilling at 2,390 feet.

V. S. Gearner et al, Friess 1, SE NW 9-21-29.

Shut down for casing at 500 feet.

Nay Hightower, Grier 1, NW NW 31-16-31.

10-inch casing cemented at 495 feet.

W. D. Flynn, Evans 1, SW SE 18-17-25.

Drilling at 840 feet.

Ployhar & McNutt, State 1, NE NW 30-17-28.

Total depth 578 feet; shut down for orders.

R. J. Johnston, Harbold 2, SE NE 26-17-27.

Location.

Crosby, Arnold—

(Continued from page 1) He was all-around cowboy champion of both Cheyenne and Pendleton in 1925, and annexed the coveted world championship Roosevelt trophy three years in succession. This will be the third defense of his steer-roping title within a year.

Purse in the match at Roswell Sunday amounts to \$5,000. Because of the unusual interest in this particular match which brought seat reservations from as far away as New York three weeks in advance, the Roswell Lions Club, sponsoring the match, has doubled the seating capacity of the arena.

COLORED COUPLE WEDS

The Rev. M. Moreland, colored, reported the marriage of Charles Brown and Miss Louise Bair at the pastor's residence.

Sanders Bros. et al, Dee Temple 1, SW SW 27-19-31.

Drilling at 800 feet.

Republic Production Co., Yates-State 4, NW SE 33-17-28.

Drilling at 270 feet.

Otis Roberts, State 2, NW SW 19-17-28.

Drilling at 490 feet.

Danciger Oil & Refining Co., Turner 12-A, NE NE 19-17-31.

Drilling at 1,000 feet.

Danciger, Turner 3-B, NW NW 20-17-31.

Rigging up.

Cottonwood Items

(Ora Buck)

Charlie Buck was on the sick list a few days last week.

Tal Bartlett of here accompanied a truckload of alfalfa hay to Fort Bliss Tuesday for the Army camp.

A large truck from Texas was in the Cottonwood community Monday, loading with alfalfa hay for Fort Bliss.

Leaf worms are eating the cotton, but have not damaged it much yet. Farmers probably will have to dust or spray soon.

Mrs. Addie Shultz and daughter, Ethel, and Ralph Hersey of the Cottonwood and Mrs. Frankie Shultz of Artesia were transacting business in Roswell last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wardlow and children of Georgia are here for a visit of a month with Mrs. Wardlow's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Terry, and other relatives here and at Artesia.

Iva Payne and mother, Mrs. Ed Payne, left last Thursday for a visit of a few days at Alamogordo and Carrizozo before going to Hot Springs, after a two-week visit here and at Hope.

Bundy Avant of El Paso visited his sister, Mrs. Viola Buck, and family a few days last week. Miss Bobbie Gilbert of Santa Fe, who spent three weeks visiting her aunt, Mrs. Buck, returned to her home Sunday.

Building Permits

Jack Scudari, 20 x 47-foot addition to garage on north highway, \$400.

R. H. Pinson, house, 12 x 12 feet, Ninth and Adams, \$100.

Mrs. R. M. McDonald, move five-room house from 802 Quay to 808 Richardson.

Local Civic—

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The 20-30 Club, which changes administrations twice a year, will have its installation at a joint meeting with the Carlsbad 20-30 Club at Carlsbad next Tuesday.

A number of the local members attended a sub-district meeting in Roswell Sunday morning, for the sub-district, composed of the Artesia, Roswell, Carlsbad and Hobbs clubs. The meeting was called to discuss sub-district business prior to the annual district meeting, which will be held at Gallup in July.

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To the many friends of Mrs. Blake and myself who so kindly expressed their sympathy through word or deed at the time of her death, I wish to extend my profound thanks.—Albert Blake. 26-1tc

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