

# Artesia Advocate

REMEMBER PEARL HARBOR AND BATAAN

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ARMY EMERGENCY RELIEF  
NEEDS YOUR SUPPORT  
ALL OUT FRIDAY NIGHT

Remember Bataan  
Invest  
A Dime Out of  
Every Dollar in  
U.S. War Bonds

## Cadets Are at The Boy Scout Camp in Hills

### As Guests of American Legion, Majority Merit Members Leave Wednesday—Capt. Roberts, Lt. Samelson in Charge.

The majority of the sixty-nine members of the Artesia High School Cadet Corps, who received certificates of merit May 24 for their training and efficiency, are on a holiday at the Boy Scout camp in the Sacramento Mountains as guests of the American Legion post, sponsor of the corps project.

The program, as announced by Capt. Roberts, includes the customary military activities, with calisthenics, policing of quarters and camp, military drill and games, as well as tactical problems in the mountains surrounding the camp. The cadets are standing retreat and mounting guard at 6:30 o'clock each evening. And they are required to live up to regulations of "Special Order No. 1," issued by Capt. Roberts.

## Sugar Rationings For Canning Are Relaxed by OPA

Pound for Every Four Quarts of Finished Canned Fruit Allowed

George E. Currier, local member of the Eddy County rationing board, this morning called attention to the amended sugar rationings of the Office of Price Administration making more liberal the amount of sugar available for home canning.

Under the amendment, he said, the home canner now may obtain one pound of sugar for every four quarts of canned fruit and an additional one pound a year for each person in the family may be obtained for making jams, jellies, preserves and fruit butters.

The rationing of sugar for home canning of fruits will be made by local rationing boards and people in this section of Eddy County may call on Currier at his office, 101 South Fourth.

Rationing will be made largely on the amount of home canning an individual or family unit normally has done, the availability of fruits and other factors.

Applicants for home canning may obtain certificates for the purchase of sugar by filing OPA application form No. R-315.

Currier said the person applying for sugar must give the local board the following information:

Names of consumers on whose behalf the application is filed and the serial numbers of their war rationing books; the number of quarts of fruit canned by them last year; the number of quarts of home-canned fruit in possession of the individual or family unit making the application; the number of quarts of fruit to be canned during the period for which the application is made; whether sugar is to be used for preserving; the excess supply on hand at the time of registration for war rationing books.

Currier said there is no specified time when application for canning sugar must be made and he asked that there be no great rush immediately for certificates, but rather that requisition be made if and when a family is planning to can fruit.

## Entertainment, Dance by Bliss Boys on Friday

The dance and entertainment here on Friday evening staged for the benefit of families of men who were on Bataan and Corregidor and those lost elsewhere with the Army will be on the Roof Garden of the Artesia Hotel.

Music and entertainment will be furnished by men from Fort Bliss, who are coming with the sanction of the War Department.

Included will be a thirteen-piece band, built up from a smaller organization heard here last year, when the men, under Major Forrest J. Agee, recreation officer, visited Artesia.

During an intermission high-quality entertainment will be presented by enlisted men from Fort Bliss. Included will be Corp. Montgomery, baritone singer of ballads and popular songs; Billie Jarrell, blackface comedian, and others, several of whom have been seen and heard here before.

The entertainment alone will be worth far more than the price of admission, as will the dance, giving at least twice the worth of the ticket cost, as well as contributing to Army relief.

This city was picked as one of the places for the men to put on their special entertainment, when the splendid reception they had here on previous dates was recalled.

On those occasions the Artesia people were afforded unusual and superior entertainment and the boys were shown a good time.

Dance tickets, now in the hands of members of the Lions Club, will be \$1.50, without any tax being charged. The entire net will go to the Army relief fund.

## Barney Cockburn Is Opening Offices in Carper Building Here

Barney Cockburn of Lubbock, Tex., prominent and extensive oil operator in the Southeast New Mexico oil fields of Eddy and Lea Counties, has moved the offices of the businesses bearing his name and the name of the Cockburn Pipe Line Company to the Carper building in Artesia.

Cockburn himself will maintain his residence in Lubbock, but will divide his time between there and Artesia.

The new offices, opened last Thursday, will be managed by Grady Wright, whom he has brought to Artesia. Other new Artesia residents, all working in the Cockburn offices, include W. J. Callan, John E. Haynes and Mrs. Susie Hervey.

Jess Shildneck, who has been employed by the Texas-New Mexico Pipe Line Company, and who formerly was with Continental, now is connected with Cockburn and is in charge of the new pipeline from the fields to Roswell.

## Mrs. Thomas Is Candidate for Superintendent

Stating that she hoped it would be possible to keep politics out of the county school system during the period of the national emergency, Mrs. R. N. Thomas announced today that she would be a candidate for the office of county superintendent.

"I am convinced that the schools of our nation have a very real and



MRS. R. N. THOMAS  
important role to play during this time of national emergency," Mrs. Thomas said, "and I feel that it would be a tragic catastrophe if the program now established in the schools should be interrupted through any political disturbance." (continued on last page, column 3)

## Legion Endorses Lanning for Vice State Commander

Whitson Installed Head of Local Post at Meeting in Hut Tuesday Evening

Steve Lanning, commander of area "C," American Legion of New Mexico, was endorsed by his home post here at the regular monthly meeting Tuesday evening for department vice commander. He will be a candidate for that office at the state convention in Albuquerque June 25-27.

At the meeting Tuesday Howard Whitson was installed post commander for the coming year, succeeding Artie McAnally.

Lanning, representing the department, served as installing officer, at the conclusion of the business session.

Installed with Whitson were: First vice commander, Oren C. Roberts; second vice commander, C. R. Vandagriff; third vice commander, J. L. Briscoe; adjutant, W. A. (Bill) Dunnam; finance officer, S. O. Pottorff, re-elected; chaplain, E. M. Perry; historian, A. L. Bert, re-elected; sergeant-at-arms, J. B. Muncy; service officer, Frank Smith.

All of the new officers were elected at the previous meeting, except Dunnam and Smith, who were appointed by the incoming commander, Smith to succeed himself.

At the business session a resolution by Whitson was passed to instruct delegates to the department convention to vote for a resolution, expected to be presented at that time, calling for a change in the Legion's constitution and an act of Congress to open up the membership to men in the armed forces of the United States during the present conflict, as well as those who served in World War I.

Members of the post also passed a vote of thanks to Major Charles Morgan, Capt. Oren C. Roberts, 1st Lt. Oscar Samelson and 2nd Lt. Howard Stroup of the State Guard and Fred Brainard, the Legion's representative on the control board of the Artesia High School Cadet Corps, for their part in making the corps a success.

## Traffic Safety School Planned Here in July

Ground work has been laid in Artesia for a traffic safety school here and finals plans probably will be made within the next few days, when Ingram Pickett, state safety director, is expected to be here.

The original plans were laid before Mayor Emery Carper and Police Chief J. C. Floore, Sr., when Pickett was here the latter part of last week, and they in turn are seeking the cooperation of the several organizations in Artesia.

Pickett said the school would consist of four weekly sessions of two and a half hours each, probably to start in July, and that during the period three examinations would be given.

Pickett pointed out the value of the course, not only from a safety standpoint, but from a conservation angle as well, for, he said, during the sessions those taking the work will be shown how to conserve their cars and rubber to the best advantage in their driving.

Another phase of the course will be driving during blackouts and evacuation.

Mayor Carper and Chief Floore indicated they think the school will be of considerable value to citizens of the Artesia community and that they hope through the cooperation of local organizations Pickett will book Artesia for the school definitely upon his return here.

## Search Goes on for Barney Hopkins, Jr., Boy Scout Executive

Little progress has been made in the search for Barney Hopkins, Jr., of Carlsbad, Boy Scout field representative, who has been missing nearly three weeks, last seen in the mountain area.

Officers, who a week ago could not trace his movements after Friday, May 15, when he left a scouters' meeting at Mesalero, now believe he was seen in Carrizozo two days later. From there, however, the whereabouts of Hopkins are cloaked in mystery.

## WOULD ORGANIZE 200TH WOMENFOLK

A movement is taking form in Artesia for the formation of an organization of mothers, wives, sisters and daughters of the 200th Coast Artillery, Anti-Aircraft Regiment, men who were in the Philippines when the islands were over-come.

Mrs. J. D. Thorpe, whose husband, a lieutenant with the 200th, is interested in the formation of such an organization and invites women and girls eligible for membership to contact her at the office of Lt. Thorpe's father, Dr. B. B. Thorpe, or to drop her a card.

It is hoped in this method to contact a number of potential members and organize for meetings.

## Artesia Named Defense Rental Area by OPA

### Wire From Leon Henderson, Price Administrator, This Morning Halts Rising Living Costs.

The Artesia community was designated this morning as a defense rental area by Leon Henderson, price administrator, according to a telegram received by Mayor Emery Carper.

The extent of the area was not given, but Henderson informed the mayor in his wire that copies of the designation and recommendations describing it are being mailed.

The purpose of the message, the telegram said, was to advise Mayor Carper and the community that the action has been taken as an important part of the broad national effort to halt rising costs and to assure the maximum and most efficient production for war purposes.

The telegram pointed out that the designation of the area as a defense rental area by the Office of Price Administration was being made as a part of the war economic program.

It is understood by the message that rental prices in the Artesia community are frozen, but it did not state whether the order is effective today or is retroactive. Probably this point will be clarified when Mayor Carper receives the mailed recommendations and designation.

Comments and suggestions upon the recommendations to the OPA from the mayor will be welcomed, the wire said.

## Two Oil Wells Are Completed During The Week in Eddy

Kersey Makes Only Location in County Fields, Kreek No. 2

Two completions, both producers, and a single new location were reported from the Eddy County oil fields last week.

The completions: Sanders Bros., Etz 4, SW SE 34-16-30; total depth 2,984 feet; flowed 215 barrels of oil in 15 hours through choke on tubing, natural.

Barney Cockburn, Etz 5, SW SE 35-16-30; total depth 3,051 feet; flowed 125 barrels of oil per day after shot.

The only location staked was the Kreek 2 of Kersey & Co., SE SW 23-18-30.

Progress among wildcats and other wells of general interest in Eddy County and the adjacent Maljamar area in Lea County: Archer & Jones, State 1, SE SW 7-16-31.

Total depth 3,972 feet; show sulphur water 3,966-72 feet; testing.

Choate & Brown, Etz 2, NE SW 35-16-30.

Drilling at 2,310 feet.

Barney Cockburn, Tidewater 1, NW NW 36-16-30.

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## 'Whitey' Roberts Is to Head Lions Club Coming Year

Elected to Succeed Dr. Stone—Membership Discusses Army Relief Dance

Guy (Whitey) Roberts, first vice president of the Artesia Lions Club, was elected president at the annual election of officers Wednesday night, to succeed Dr. Glenn Stone.

He and the other new officers will be installed at a ladies' night banquet Wednesday evening, June 24, and will take office July 1.

Besides the election, the time at the weekly meeting was taken up with discussions about the dance and entertainment on the Artesia Hotel Roof Garden Friday evening, sponsored by the Lions, for the benefit of the Army emergency relief fund, at which time a thirteen-piece dance band and a number of entertainers from Fort Bliss will perform.

Dr. Stone stressed to the Lions the need for the funds being raised and the fact the entertainment and dance will be worth several times the cost of tickets. He urged the club members to push the ticket sales.

Besides Roberts, other officers elected Wednesday noon were: First vice president, G. E. Kaiser; second vice president, Ormand Lovings; third vice president, Wesley Sperry; "Tail Twister," Carl C. Dannenbaum; "Lion Tamer," Homer Borland; secretary-treasurer, Ray Cowan.

Dr. John J. Clarke, Jr., and Joe Foster were elected directors for two-year terms. The hold-over directors are Wesley Sperry and Fred Cole.

## Toggery Shop Moves One Door East, Into Former Malco Office

The Toggery Shop moved over the week end from 203 West Main to the building next door, at 201 West Main, formerly occupied by the Malco and Maljamar offices.

The new location gives the shop a corner store, with somewhat more space in which to display merchandise.

The Toggery Shop is advertising in this issue, telling of the move and of a one-week sale.

## Flying H School Commencement Is Held May 23

Graduation exercises and a program were presented Saturday, May 23, before a packed house by children of the Flying H School under the direction of their teacher, Miss Curtis Clonts. An eighth grade diploma was awarded to Buster Morrow and perfect attendance awards were made to Connie Jean Hendricks and Delma Joy. Tommy Joy also received honorable mention, having been absent only one day during the school year.

The program: "America" and flag salute, audience; welcome and introduction, Miss Clonts; "Buttercups and Daisies," Gail Hendricks; piano solo, "Dawn," Daniel Rowe, Connie Jean Hendricks; address to graduate, W. C. Garrett; salutatory, J. B. (Buster) Morrow; song, "Welcome, Sweet Spring," Rubinstein, Connie Jean Hendricks; presentation of eighth-grade diploma, Miss Clonts.

Play, "Miss Perkin's New Hat," Connie Jean Hendricks, Nancy Joy, Buster Morrow; play, "The Lost Bicycle," Delma Joy, Leland Hendricks, Tommy Joy, Buster Morrow, Nancy Joy; piano solo, "The Sparrow's Parade," Connie Jean Hendricks; readings, "Goblin Arithmetic," Tommy Joy, and "Afraid," Riley Smith; dialogue, "A False Accusation," Delma Joy, Connie Jean Hendricks; play, "Stepping Out," Delma Joy, Gail Hendricks, Lonnie Wharton and L. A. Curtis.

Harmonica band, school: "Big Bill," a cowboy, Riley Smith; piano—"Country Dance," "The Band Is Playing Dixie" and "A Rose in My Garden," Connie Jean Hendricks; playlet, "Out of the Past," Lonnie Wharton, Gail Hendricks, Nancy Joy; tap dance, "School Days," Connie Jean Hendricks; song, "Vacation Days," school.

Citizenship club and awards; President, "Purpose of the Club," Leland Hendricks; secretary, L. A. Curtis; club awards, Leland Hendricks; perfect attendance awards, Miss Clonts; "The Star Spangled Banner."

## Artesia Boy Is Graduated on Tuesday, NMMI

Leland Arthur Wittkopp, son of Mrs. F. L. Wilson of Artesia, was graduated from New Mexico Military Institute on Tuesday.

Wittkopp has been enrolled in the Junior College of New Mexico Military Institute for two years, and has been done well. He was admitted upon certificate from Artesia High School.

Young Wittkopp is a corporal and is completing the basic course in the Senior Cavalry Unit of the



ROTC. His athletic participation has been in intramural tennis.

Wittkopp is among the 142 graduates who received their diplomas from Gov. John E. Miles. Twenty-one states, Hawaii and Mexico are represented in the class of 1942. Twenty-eight young men from New Mexico are members of the graduating class.

Other cadets from Artesia and vicinity at NMMI are: Wayne S. Truett, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Truett; Edwin H. Ward, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Ward; Wendell C. Welch, son of Mrs. Marian Welch of Artesia and Robert J. Heard, Jr., son of Robert J. Heard of Smith.

Enrollment at New Mexico Military Institute, Roswell, is limited to 620 cadets. Of this number, 157 are from New Mexico.

## LT. W. C. TAGGERT, JR., RECIPIENT OF PRAISE

A publication from Hardin-Simmons University at Abilene, Tex., received by Fred Cole, discloses that Lt. W. C. Taggart, Jr., son of the Rev. W. C. Taggart, former Baptist pastor in Artesia, and Mrs. Taggart, was given special notice by the chief of chaplains in the Pacific war theater recently.

He was the only Army chaplain in Java, when that island was attacked by the Japs. Using an airplane to transport him to different parts of the island, he held services at widely separated places.

## 'Minute Men' in Eddy Appointed For Bond Sales

Faced with a mounting quota of War Bond and Stamp sales in New Mexico for June and July, S. P. Vidal, state administrator of the war savings staff, has announced the appointment of fourteen "Minute Men" in Eddy County upon whose shoulders will rest the job of cooperating with the county chairman in the promotion of War Bonds and Stamps. None was appointed immediately for North Eddy County.

"The quota for each county must be met each month if New Mexico is to do her part in fighting this war," Vidal said. "An average of 10 per cent of the income in each county must find its way into the purchase of bonds and stamps. In the selection of the 'Minute Men' in each county, I feel that these people will devote the necessary time and energy in the contacting of their friends and neighbors. By doing this, each county will be thoroughly canvassed each month, and by doing so will meet its quota."

Eddy County's quota for June is \$77,500, an increase of \$24,200 over the month of May.

Those appointed were A. C. Bindel, Joe Herzog, Harold Miller, A. M. Hoose, T. C. Horne, Haskell Bingham, James A. Jordan, Dean Wait and Ellis Hall, Carlsbad; James Craft, Malaga; C. L. White, White's City; C. P. Pardue, Loving; W. R. Shattuch, Queen; Mrs. D. P. Childress, Otis.

Official appointments have been mailed to each of those named.

## Summer Band Concerts Will Start Tonight

### Will Be Each Thursday For Nine Weeks—Junior Members to Play With Seniors and Alumni in Initial Program.

The first of the summer band concerts in Central Park will be at 8 o'clock this evening, under the direction of E. L. Harp, director of the school band. The concert, by the alumni band, will be held each Thursday evening for nine weeks, running through July 30.

In the initial program this evening, junior band members will play with the older boys and girls and the alumni. The concert will be sponsored by the band parents. Outline of the remaining eight concerts:

June 11—Program honoring Ann Crouch with high school and college band program numbers; exhibition baton twirling by Miss Crouch; program sponsored by Artesia Woman's Club.

June 18—Popular and semi-classic program numbers; baton twirling by Virginia Johnson; program sponsored by Artesia Lions Club.

June 25—Program of Navy and military marches and selections honoring Boy Scouts, Sea Scouts and Cub Scouts; baton twirling by Peggy Joe Bentley; program sponsored by Artesia 20-30 Club.

July 2—Patriotic program with Artesia High School majorettes featuring red, white and blue lighted batons, honoring State Guard and Artesia High School Cadet Corps; program sponsored by the American Legion.

July 9—Spanish program, music for Spanish-Americans, honoring Mrs. Martina Lopez, 110 years old, born in Chihuahua, Mexico; baton twirling by Artesia High School union twirlers; music financed by Artesia Rotary Club.

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## Local Speedsters Take First Four Places in Regatta

Commodore Gray Tops With 1,425—Brey, El Paso, Retains Trophy

Local members of the Pecos Valley Boat Club walked off with the first four places in the club's third annual regatta on Lake McMillan Sunday, under the point system of scoring, while Russell Brey of El Paso, tying with his partner, C. E. Norton, for fifth place, ran up enough points to maintain the lead in the Southwestern circuit for the season and retain possession of the Feder's grand champion trophy, which he first won at El Paso April 12.

Buford Gray, commodore of the club, took a first, a second and a third to top the scoring, garnering 1,425 points, while Jim Ferguson, past commodore, was second with 1,169.

But Jim Ferguson's son, Bob, was a close third to "the old man," for he had 1,138 points. R. N. Russell, with 919, was fourth and Norton and Brey tied with 800 each for fifth place.

The others were: J. D. Simms, Jal, 775; Ralph Barr, Artesia, 750; Bert Shipp, Artesia, 600; John Alberts, Roswell, 450; Bill Bogie, Dexter, 338; A. E. Sanders, Roswell, 325; Denny Moore, Dexter, 254.

Hundreds of persons lined the banks of Lake McMillan and the dam to witness the speedy boats whiz around a rectangular course, parallel with the main dam. Because of government regulations, State Guardsmen from Artesia augmented the regular guards in patrolling the dam.

A scheduled exhibition sailboat race between Ormand Lovings of Hagerman was called off because of a high wind and rough water, but J. D. (Red) McKay, Draper Brantley and F. F. (Foxy) White of Carlsbad thrilled the spectators as they water skied at the end of long ropes behind a common speeding runaway.

The best time in any heat for the full five-lap races, the distance for all except the ten-horsepower class, which was three laps, was made by Russell Brey, veteran (continued on last page, column 2)



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TELEPHONE 7

WITH COVERED HEADS!

The most disrespectful attitude for a community to display towards the American flag it ever has been our displeasure to witness was Saturday morning during the Memorial Day parade!

In the past—during peace times, when flag waving seemed to have been shelved—we noted during certain parades that a man here and a man there failed or refused to remove his hat or otherwise show it any respect when it passed. But never before have we seen such a flagrant display of unpatriotism and disrespect as was demonstrated Saturday.

We could not condone the attitude even were we at peace. But the offense is far worse inasmuch as we are at war—a war to the death, in which we need and must have every ounce of patriotism manifested from each of us in order to win this conflict.

Many were the praises for the Memorial Day message by State Adjutant W. A. Humphries of the American Legion. And they were well earned. And everyone who heard him was moved.

But it is too bad that he had the audience he did. Everyone in it already had patriotism in his heart, or he would not have been there to hear Humphries.

Yes, it is too bad that we who were there—for which we are happy—could not have stepped aside and given our seats to the dozens and dozens of men who gazed through the Stars and Stripes as they passed, who remained slumped down, who did not uncover. We believe that had they heard Humphries they would have taken a different slant on the war and patriotism in general.

We who heard Humphries did not need the lesson as badly as did those others.

We who heard Humphries—most of us, at least—know that this war thing is no small affair, that it will take the last ounce of effort on the part of everyone.

We who heard Humphries possessed a patriotic fervor and a grim determination not to leave respect to the flag and salutes to it to the boys in uniform.

We who heard Humphries already realized that a common thought, a common determination, a common patriotism are necessary. And so did many other citizens who did not hear Humphries. We do not condemn them, or anyone else, for not hearing his address.

But we do condemn those who showed disrespect to the flag of the United States—to the flag of our nation at war.

In one group, adjacent to the postoffice, we saw more than twenty men, who remained covered as the flag passed.

We were disgusted, to say the least. And so were the other veterans of World War I, as well as many other people, as witnessed by the number who asked us to write this editorial. But they did not have to bring it to our attention, for we began the first paragraph in our limited mind during the first few hundred yards of the parade.

Yes, it was the most disrespectful attitude we ever saw displayed. Remember, we do not have Nazism or Fascism here, which would force you to salute or give a "Heil," but we are fighting against something, which would have us do that.

Let's do it without being forced to it, so as better to bind us together and help insure us that our posterity will still have the privilege of saluting the American flag.

ONE WAY TO FILL SPACE, ANOTHER TO GAIN IT

In newspaper parlance the white space between lefthand and righthand pages is known as the "gutter," which seldom is used except in case of a "double-truck" advertisement.

But The Advocate some years ago adopted the use of the gutter, and a little of the outside margins, in order to squeeze in an extra column, the newspaper originating the practice. The Publishers' Auxiliary has mentioned this practice of The Advocate.

This is done from time to time, not as a stunt, but in order to crowd in twenty inches more of news matter. But there is no particular desire ever to do this, by either the editorial or mechanical department.

However, it does have a definite value on Thursday morning, when advertising or news matter has poured in in quantity unsuspected a few hours earlier and it is a great problem what to do with it all. Sometimes the extra column turns the trick.

So great are the activities of the Artesia locality of late that The Advocate, trying, as always, to give you full news coverage, has been crowded to the limit on our "last run," causing us to resort to the extra column more times than we wish to admit.

But that is not all. In this business, as in almost all businesses, "when it rains it pours," so frequently the extra column does not turn the trick. Then we must resort to a weeding process, killing out a paragraph here, a paragraph there, sometimes an entire story, one which can, with a little imagination, hold over to the next week.

If anyone ever could invent a method by which an editor could have exactly the right amount of copy to fill the holes, his fortune would be made!

And then there is the stenographer in the front office who can't decide whether it is more patriotic to erase and save paper, or to use a clean sheet and save the eraser!—Christian Science Monitor.

Foreigners listening to our radio must be astonished to hear such heart-stirring eloquence wasted on laxatives.—Gallup Independent.

Putting Pierre back in the French cabinet sounds like all is not on the Laval.—Albuquerque Journal.

Hardest thing in this war is to get off the government mailing list.—Gallup Independent.

A Harvard professor assures us that the human race will survive for at least 500,000 more years. That's going to be a long time to wait for the final peace conference.—Cleveland Plain-Dealer.

## CHURCHES

**SHERMAN MEMORIAL CHURCH**  
(Oilfield Community)  
Sunday school at 10 o'clock.  
Prayer meeting and choir practice, 7 o'clock Wednesday evening.  
Mrs. G. W. Walker, Superintendent

**CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE**  
"The Church with a Burning Message"  
Fifth and Quay Streets  
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.  
Morning worship, 11 a. m.  
Young people, 6:30 p. m.  
Evening preaching, 7:30 p. m.  
Wednesday prayer meeting, 7 p. m.  
Go to church Sunday. We welcome you.  
Lee P. Phillips, Pastor

**CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS (MORMON)**  
Woman's Club  
Sunday night preaching services, 8 o'clock.  
Everyone welcome. No collections.  
Elders Grant Williams and Howard Mullins

**ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH**  
Corner Fourth and Chisholm  
Sunday Services  
Bible school, 9:45 a. m.  
Morning worship, 11 a. m.  
Evening worship, 7 p. m.  
Weekly Services  
Wednesday prayer meeting, 7 p. m.  
C. A. program, Friday, 7 p. m., special music and songs.  
The public is invited to attend each service.  
Rev. Orel Boteler, Pastor

**OUR LADY OF GRACE CHURCH**  
North Roselawn  
Priest in charge, Rev. Fr. Brendan Weishaar.  
Mass, Sundays, 9:30 a. m.

**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

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
"Committed to the Ministry of the Word of God"  
Corner of Grand and Roselawn  
Sunday Services  
Bible school, 9:30 a. m.  
Morning worship, 10:50 a. m.  
Mission Sunday school, 2:30 p. m.  
Training Union, 7 p. m.  
Evening worship, 8 p. m.  
Weekly Services  
Wednesday: Prayer and Bible study, 7:30 p. m. Bring your Bibles and study not about but with the Bible.  
Thursday: W. M. S., first and third Thursdays; circles second and fourth Thursdays; brotherhood, third Thursday.  
S. M. Morgan, Pastor

**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, 7 o'clock.  
Evening worship, 8 o'clock.  
Visitors and friends of the church are always welcome. New-comers are invited to visit our services and to make out their church home while in the city.  
I. L. Morgan, Th.D., Pastor

## CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES

613 West Main  
Sunday school, 10 a. m.  
Sunday service, 11 a. m.  
Wednesday service, 7:30 p. m.  
"God the Only Cause and Creator" is the subject of the lesson-sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, June 7.  
The Golden Text is: "Lord, thou art God, which has made heaven, and earth, and the sea, and all that in them is." (Acts 4:24.)  
Among the citations which comprise the lesson-sermon is the following from the Bible: "But unto every one of us is given grace according to the measure of the gift of Christ."—(Eph. 4:7.)  
The lesson-sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook: "God's children already created will be cognized only as man finds the truth of being. Thus it is that the real, ideal man disappears in proportion as the false and material disappears."  
Visitors always welcome.

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Bible school, 9:45 a. m.; "Children's Day" program Sunday at 10 a. m.  
Morning worship, 11 a. m.; sermon, "The Inalienable Rights of Childhood."  
Christian Endeavor, 7 p. m.  
Evening service, 8 p. m., guest speaker, the Rev. W. R. Holder, Indianapolis, whose message will concern "The Church in a World at War." Every member of the church is urged to attend this service. Welcome to all.  
Oren Orahoad, D.D., Minister

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
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Communion service, at 11:45 a. m.  
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Preaching at 8 p. m.  
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Morning service, 11 a. m.  
Christian Endeavor, 6 p. m.  
Evening services, 7:30 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

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Sudderth were to leave today for El Paso, where Mrs. Sudderth is to take treatments from a specialist. Mr. Sudderth planned to go on from there to Arizona to look after his mining properties. They intended to be gone from Artesia about a month.

## Dere Folks:

### What the Boys Write Home Through The Advocate

A.P.O. 45,  
New York, N. Y.,  
May 15, 1942

To The Advocate:  
I now take time to try to drop a few lines to you and the people of Artesia, as I understand the American Legion is responsible for the paper I have been receiving since I have been in military service. I am the world's poorest letter writer and I know that no one hates it more. I have sure appreciated and absorbed the paper every week. Although it is a little on the aged side by the time I receive it, it is good news.

Trying to write while in the Army is a brain-racking piece of business and it is a little deep for one with no more gray matter than I have to keep from writing anything I shouldn't and still keep within the laws of the Army. One thing I can say though, I had fifteen or twenty friends on Bataan and the sooner I can get a chance to average them the better I will like it. From the way I laid them in the black the last time I did them I think I will be able to get my part unless one of the rats is awfully lucky. When I say lucky, I mean he will see me first. As is, I shoot better at rapid fire. One good thing, they say the Jap is nearsighted. That is sure pickings for the boys from New Mexico, who have always been used to the long stretches of clear view.

Thanking you again, I am adding my new address.  
Sincerely,  
Cpl. William R. Pemberton

Desert Training Center,  
Indio, Calif.  
May 28, 1942

To The Advocate:  
Reading The Advocate, I find several of the boys have written home about their experiences, transfers, etc., so decided it should be my turn.

I have been stationed in two camps since I enlisted Nov. 20, 1940. I was stationed at Fort Bliss fourteen months, and at this camp about two months.  
I want to thank you for the paper. It is a great help to one in the service. I have some trouble finding time to read it, but I never destroy it until I have read every word, even to the smallest advertisement.

I always look forward to the day when the home town paper arrives, as it is always interesting to know what the people back home are doing. I will close, telling all relatives and friends at home that I'm doing fine, and hoping to come home soon.  
Sincerely,  
Pfc. Basilio C. Aguilar

**MEXICAN CHURCH ADOBE**  
MAKER DIES LAST WEEK  
Isidoro Sanchez, Spanish-American, who made the adobes for the Mexican Methodist Church in Artesia, died last week at his home in Carlsbad.  
Funeral services were in Carlsbad Sunday by the Rev. Constantino Gonzalez, pastor of the local church and the one in Carlsbad.  
He leaves his widow and a large family, including a son, Manuel, who is in the Army. He had worked for Anglo ranchers in this section many years.

## Filed for Record

### WARRANTY DEEDS—

Oma Harper to W. M. Day et ux, lots 6 and 8, blk. 42, Artesia Improvement Company Addn., \$1,000 &c.  
J. B. Mulcock et ux to Sam Sanders, lot 7, blk. 20, Clayton & Stegman Addn., Artesia, \$10 &c.  
Margaret H. Sharey et vir, to R. M. Sallee, lots 6 and 8, blk. 42, Artesia Improvement Company Addn., Artesia, \$10 &c.

### DEEDS—

Howard Miles to Banner May Miles, lots 7 and 10, blk. 22, Morningside Addn., Artesia, \$1 &c.  
QUIT CLAIM DEEDS—  
Phillip Krauz et ux, to Joe A. Combs, lots 1, 3, blk. 11, Chisum Addn., Artesia.

### DISTRICT COURT—

No. 7835. Dennis Cutrois vs. Louis Panos. Suit on contract.  
No. 7836. Joe A. Combs vs. F. M. Houghtaling et al. Suit to quiet title.  
No. 7837. Willis G. Wilde vs. R. W. Lowry. Suit on note, \$600.  
No. 7838. J. A. Jordan Lumber Co. vs. Dock C. Coates. Foreclosure of lien.  
No. 7839. Juanita Moralez vs. Cosme Moralez. Divorce.  
No. 7840. Hazel Deen Alley vs. B. T. Alley. Divorce.

### Seventeen Women in Francisco First Aid Course Successful

Mrs. M. C. Francisco, Red Cross first aid lay instructor, has announced the names of seventeen women who successfully completed a standard course taught by her.

They were Miss Merrill Bradley, Mrs. Fannie Britton, Mrs. Gertrude Cobble, Miss Ina Cole, Mrs. G. B. Dungan, Mrs. Ruth Graham Fields, Mrs. Buford Gray, Miss Linna McCaw, Mrs. F. E. Pennell, Miss Cecelia Rehberg, Mrs. Lewis Story, Mrs. J. M. Story, Mrs. C. Bert Smith, Mrs. Frank Thomas, Mrs. B. B. Thorpe, Mrs. Effie Wingfield and Miss Mary McCaw.

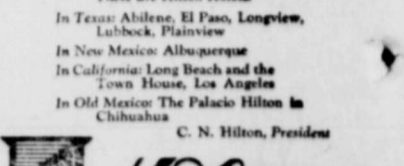
The members of her class presented Mrs. Francisco a first aid kit at the conclusion of the standard first aid course at Loco Hills on Monday, with classes each Monday and Wednesday.

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# FOOD NEWS

## These Two Recipes Were Favorites at The Cooking School

These two recipes were popular at The Advocate's "Vitamins for Victory" Happy Kitchen Cooking School.

A large number of people ate and enjoyed the gingerbread and Rice Krispie marshmallow squares made by Miss Jessie Hogue at the school. Here's how she did it:

**Gingerbread**  
Three-fourths cup Mrs. Tucker's Shortening; one cup sugar; three whole eggs; three and a half cups Kitchen Craft flour; one teaspoon K C Baking Powder; one-half teaspoon salt; one teaspoon cinnamon; one teaspoon nutmeg; one teaspoon allspice; one and a half teaspoons ginger; one cup buttermilk with one teaspoon soda; one cup dark corn syrup. Cream shortening, add sugar slowly. Add eggs. Sift flour, baking powder, spices and salt together. Add alternately with buttermilk and soda. Add syrup. In layers bake at 375 degrees F. thirty-five to forty minutes. If in loaf, 350 degrees for one hour. Cover with crushed Kellogg's Rice Krispies.

**Krispies Marshmallow Squares**  
One-third cup butter; one-half pound marshmallows (about 2 1/2 dozen); one-half teaspoon vanilla (if desired); 1 package Kellogg's Rice Krispies (5 1/2 oz.).  
Melt butter and marshmallows in double boiler. Add vanilla; beat thoroughly to blend. Put Rice Krispies in large buttered bowl and pour on marshmallow mixture, stirring briskly. Press into shallow pan. Cut into squares when cool. Yield: sixteen 2 1/4-inch squares (10x10-inch pan).  
Variations: Add nut meats and coconut. Or add two ounces unsweetened melted chocolate to marshmallow mixture just before pouring over Rice Krispies.

"Living High" no longer connotes lighting cigars with dollar bills or eating high-priced foods like caviar. That kind of thing is out for the duration and maybe forever. Living high right now, means eating good food that is so crammed full of vitamins and nutrients that it keeps your menus on a high level nutritionally.

Liver has always been one of the pets of physicians and nutritionists because it lives up to its name—live; liver (poor pun, good sense). Liver is rich in vitamin A, vitamin D, in the entire B group (B-1, B-2 and niacin—all three), and complete proteins (as are all meats), and is rich as Croesus in iron, copper and phosphorus. It's practically perfect!

But calves' liver (with bacon and/or onions, mmmh!) has become the pet of the populace too and that makes it scarcer, higher. Time then for you smarties to learn that beef liver and pork liver are just as nutritious, just as good for you, and can taste just as good if you take more care in their preparation.  
Here's the way Miss Jessie Hogue, instructor at The Advocate's Happy Kitchen Cooking School does it. Liver smothered with onions: One and a half pounds liver, remove skin; one large onion, (sliced to use large slices for garnish); rings of green pepper; one-half cup flour; one teaspoon salt; one-eighth teaspoon black pepper; one-half cup shortening; one-half teaspoon baking powder. Add salt and pepper to flour. Roll liver in this. Put into hot shortening and sear. After turning, add onions and green pepper. Cover and cook until tender and serve hot. Garnish with parsley. Suggestions: Serve with baked potatoes, carrots and Pepper Pot Ring.

**Prize Winning Cake**  
This recipe is the one used by

Mrs. Preston Camp which won her second place in the cake baking contest at The Advocate's "Vitamins for Victory" Happy Kitchen Cooking School.



Silver cake: Three cups flour; two teaspoons baking powder; one-half cup shortening; one and a half cups sugar; one cup milk; one teaspoon vanilla, and four egg whites. Cream shortening, add sugar gradually and cream together. Add baking powder and flour sifted together three times alternately with milk. Add vanilla, fold in egg whites. Bake at 350 degrees for about thirty minutes in nine-inch layers.

## Here's How You Can Fix Delicious Beans

Now that canned beans will no longer be obtainable, we have a grand and glorious opportunity to learn how to cook beans,—white Yankee beans, dried limas, red and white kidneys, black eyed beans, and those fascinating black beans so much used by our good-neighbor Latin American Republics.

In these days with tires and gasoline rationed so we cannot spend so much time outside, every patriotic American woman can step up to her kitchen range and with pride produce delicious money saving meals as her contribution to the defense effort. Beans cost little, are nutritious and can play a definite part. To save fuel, better plan to cook enough for several meals; for they will keep a week or more in a refrigerator. For a vegetable dinner, try well-seasoned, plain boiled beans, with a sauce made like this:

Latin-American sauce for beans of any kind:—Fry a medium sized chopped onion and a section of garlic in 2 tablespoons of bacon fat. Add 1 1/2 cups canned tomatoes and 1/2 teaspoon marjoram. Simmer a few minutes; add 1/2 cup of the liquid from the beans and thicken with 1/2 cup of softened bean pulp. If there is any doubt about the enthusiastic acceptance of beans by the men of your household, try this menu that is being used in the Army camps:

**An Army Supper**  
Baked beans, pickles, hot rolls and butter, cold cuts and cheese, doughnuts and coffee.  
The beans are delicious. Here's how they're fixed: After plain boiling, the beans are seasoned with molasses, catsup, mustard, onions and canned tomatoes, and baked slowly four hours. Doughnuts are chosen for dessert because they are old fashioned and so "go with beans,"—and of course, coffee is perfect with anything. In the Army it is served very hot in cups as large as those used by our grandfathers, and it is made by the drip method, twenty gallons at a time, and served with high-quality evaporated milk. Many of the men topped off this baked bean supper with two cups of coffee, the favorite beverage of the Army.

Mrs. Ruth V. Rowland and son, Jack, left Sunday for San Diego, Calif., where they will visit their son and brother, Willis, who is stationed at the Naval Training Station there. They were accompanied by Pat Casey. After a visit of two weeks there, they expect to return by Yellowstone National Park.

Typewriter Ribbons—The Advocate

## Lakewood Items

(Mrs. M. C. Lee)

Forrest Lee went to his ranch Saturday and returned Monday.

Mrs. Bob Bybee of Carlsbad visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Floyd, Saturday.

Raymond Pennington is building a new house northwest of the Ernest McGonagill home.

J. B. and Hugh Moutray have purchased an airplane and soon will be seen navigating the air.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Hughes and family attended the Memorial Day services in Artesia Saturday.

Walter Cook and Mrs. Charlotte McAleer spent a part of Sunday with their sister, Mrs. R. G. Adams, and Mr. Adams.

Mrs. R. L. House had a small tumor removed from her right breast last Thursday. She is doing as well as could be expected.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest McGonagill took Mrs. McGonagill's niece, Betty Brown, to Carlsbad, where she will work in a hospital during the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Terrell and daughter, Gladys May; Mrs. A. B. Scarbrough and Mrs. M. C. Lee were shopping in Artesia Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lee and baby son, Rex Lee, went to Carlsbad Monday afternoon to see a doctor, who reported Rex Lee very much improved.

The Rev. Gordon Sterling preached his farewell sermon Sunday. He has a regular appointment at Socorro and will move his family from Lake Arthur to his new home soon.

## Cottonwood Items

(Ora Buck)

Mrs. Emma Krantz has had a garage built at her teacherage home on Cottonwood.

Johnnie and Jimmie Montgomery, sons of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Montgomery of this place, have whooping cough.

Mrs. Emma Krantz and children, Mary Kathryn and Harold, of here expect to spend most of their summer vacation at Hope and Capitán.

Mrs. S. C. Smith and son, Etheridge, returned home Saturday from a two-week vacation and visiting relatives and friends in Tennessee.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Phillips and little daughter, Rita K., of Roswell visited a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Bradley of Cottonwood.

Misses Margaret and Alma Lane returned to their home in Lake Arthur at the close of Cottonwood School. They expect to spend most of their summer vacation there with their mother, Mrs. A. G. Lane.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Buck of Turley, Okla., and their daughter, Mrs. Fannie Equib, and her daughter and grandbaby of Tulsa, Okla., are expected to arrive this week for a visit of several days with relatives here and at Artesia.

Friends here have received an announcement of the marriage of Miss Virginia Kelley to Marvin Brown. The wedding took place in San Bernardino, Calif., the early part of May. Mr. Brown, formerly of here, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Brown, who for several years lived on the Basal-Bobo farm. The Brown family left here last summer to make their home in California.

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## Holder Will Be Guest Speaker at Christian Church

The Rev. W. R. Holder of Indianapolis will be guest speaker at the Christian Church at the evening service at 8 o'clock Sunday.

He is director of church maintenance and general supervisor of home missions of the Brotherhood of Disciples of Christ. Before taking up his present work, he was



for some years pastor of the First Christian Church, Orange, Calif., and before that he served twelve years as missionary in the Belgian Congo, Africa. He is a graduate of the College of the Bible, Lexington, Ky., and took post graduate work in the College of Missions, Indianapolis.

It is expected that the entire membership of the church will hear the Rev. Mr. Holder Sunday evening. The public is invited. He will bring an important message.

John Boans drove up to the Gene Boans truck farm above Sacramento to Friday, taking 30,000 cabbage plants to be set out and 1,500 pounds of seed potatoes. Up until about two months ago Gene, a former mechanic at the Artesia Auto Company, and family, resided in Artesia.

Mr. Arthur Green of Dallas, Tex., is here visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Carter.

## Farmers Using More Credit to Step Up Food

More short-term credit is being used this year than last, according to T. H. Boswell, Jr., secretary-treasurer of the Roswell Production Credit Association, who bases his statement on the fact that \$70,000 more was advanced by his association during the first three months of this year than during the same period last year.

This increase in loan volume comes as farmers and ranchers use their credit cooperative to help step up the food, fibre and oil output of their farms into one of America's strongest lines of defense—food.

G. R. Brainard of Artesia, a director of the association, predicts that the use of short-term credit by farmers in Eddy County and surrounding counties will continue to increase as the year progresses, for nearly every farmer is cooperating in the "Food for Freedom" campaign, he said.

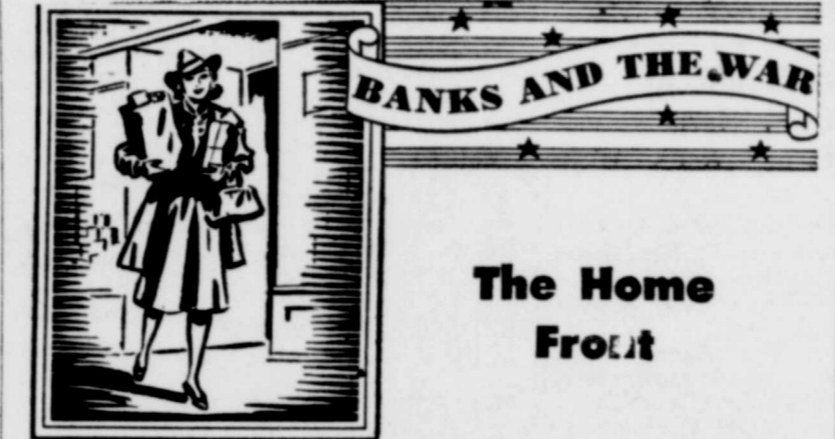
The effort of the association to make its services available to all farmers—large and small—is reflected by its volume of business. In 1941, 162 farmers and ranchers in this district used \$928,350 of cooperative credit, compared to \$621,000 in 1940, Boswell said.

He explained that any farmer with a sound basis of credit is eligible for this low-cost credit and membership in the Roswell Production Credit Association.

Charles Martin and R. M. McDonald spent Wednesday until Sunday at Hot Springs, where they took baths.

Miss Alice Ruth Williams, principal of the grade school at Gallup, arrived Friday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Williams at Hope before attending summer school at the University of New Mexico, Albuquerque.

Roy Gurley, who enlisted in the Navy about five months ago and has been taking radio training in Los Angeles since completing his basic training in San Diego, Calif., came home Sunday on a short furlough. He was accompanied by Laurent Gordon, who is working on the West Coast.



## The Home Front

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Capt. Gaines Moseley of the United States Marines raised the first American flag on the banks of the Rhine in Germany in 1918.

Mrs. Helen Threlkeld, who has held the position as accountant at the Central Valley Electric Coop., Inc., is at Cloudcroft getting her cabins in order for the summer season.

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**SHE:** All right, smarty... I have taken the responsibility. I joined the Once-a-Week Club today.

**HE:** Great Caesar's ghost! Another club! Didn't we just agree last night to cut out unnecessary expenses?

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**HE:** Atta girl! This war will make a business woman out of you yet!

**SHE:** Oh, yeah? Well, I may be a business woman, my dear, but I'm going to get a permanent this afternoon just to prove I'm still a female... and the price will be charged up to the extra life of our car and the savings we're going to have because of that Conoco Once-a-Week Club.

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# Society

## Mrs. Lanning Makes Official Visit



Mrs. John Lanning, president of the New Mexico Rebekah Assembly, made her official visit to the Artesia Lodge at the regular meeting Monday evening at the lodge hall.

Mrs. Lanning gave a splendid address on "Defense Work for Democracy." She reported all lodges in the state were doing some kind of defense work and that members were taking Red Cross first aid and home nursing classes, as well as doing other Red Cross work.

Preceding the meeting a covered dish birthday dinner was served to forty members. Mrs. Lee Glasscock was the birthday guest.

After the meeting Mrs. Lanning, honor guest, and Mrs. C. Bert Smith and Mrs. Effie Wingfield, past assembly presidents, and Miss Ina Cole, inside guardian of the New Mexico Rebekah Assembly, were introduced.

Mrs. Lanning received a presentation of gifts from members of the lodge and Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Wingfield, past presidents.

Mrs. M. W. Evans transferred her membership to the Artesia lodge at this meeting.

## Conner-Williams Marriage Friday

Announcement has been made here this week of the marriage of Miss Aleene Williams of Capitan to Roby Conner of Artesia. Marriage vows were exchanged Friday morning, May 29 at 11 o'clock at the Church of Christ in Roswell. The Rev. Allen Johnson officiating, read the ring ceremony.

Witnesses were Mr. and Mrs. Williams and Miss Williams, the parents and a sister of the bride, and two members of the Capitan school faculty and Clarence Conner of Artesia, brother of the bridegroom, and Mrs. Conner.

The bride chose for her wedding an ashes of roses summer suit of silk crepe with which she wore white accessories and a shoulder corsage of talisman roses.

Mrs. Conner is a member of a well known pioneer family of the Capitan Mountains and a member of the Capitan school faculty this last year. Mr. Conner, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Conner of Medford, Ore., until recently of Artesia, was reared here and has a host of friends in the community.

Immediately after the ceremony Mr. Conner and his bride left for Santa Fe and vicinity for a wedding trip of two weeks. They expect to return to Artesia where Mr. Conner is employed by the Grayburg Oil Company.

## Gerry Dunham Weds Ben Alexander in Carlsbad, May 22

Miss Gerry Dunham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Dunham of Artesia, and Ben Alexander of Eunice, were married Friday evening, May 22 in Carlsbad.

The ceremony was performed by M. E. Waldrum, minister of the Carlsbad Church of Christ, at his home.

Miss Dunham completed the Artesia schools with the graduating class last month.

The newlyweds will make their home in Eunice.

## Miss Gladys Angell And Howard Santo Marry in Yuma, Ariz.

Announcement was made here this week of the marriage of Miss Gladys Angell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Angell, and Howard Santo, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Santo, both of Artesia, in Yuma, Ariz., Monday, May 25.

Miss Angell was a member of the graduating class of Artesia High School last month.

Clarence Trimball, a cousin of the bridegroom, and Mrs. Trimball of Bellflower, Calif., were the only attendants.

Mr. Santo, who completed the Artesia schools, attended an aircraft school in Downey, Calif., and at the present time is owner of a machine shop at Bellflower, where he makes and repairs parts for aircraft.

Mr. and Mrs. Santo will make their home at Bellflower.

Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Finn of Fairfield, Ia., arrived Tuesday evening for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Hugh Parry, and Mr. Parry.

Charles Knoedler, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Knoedler, left Wednesday for Santa Fe, where he has enlisted in the United States Army Air Corps.

## Mrs. Keith Quail Is Installed as President B&PW

Mrs. Keith Quail was installed president of the Artesia Business and Professional Woman's Club for the ensuing year Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Dave Bunting.

Those installed to serve with Mrs. Quail were: First vice president, Miss Juanita Denton; second vice president, Mrs. C. O. Fulton; secretary, Miss Mary Corbin; treasurer, Miss Abbie Durand; and corresponding secretary, Miss Aleene Wright.

Mrs. Bunting was the installing officer. Miss Florence Dooley, vice president, presided at the business meeting preceding the installation.

Refreshments were served after the meeting. About eighteen members were present.

## Advanced Classes in Red Cross First Aid Are to Start Soon

Mrs. Ralph G. Roberson, Jr., Red Cross first aid chairman, announced this week that advanced classes in first aid would start in the near future. All those who wish to take the course may contact Mrs. Roberson, phone 420.

Certificates for members of the advanced class taught by Dr. H. A. Stroup composed of firemen and auxiliary firemen arrived this week.

Standard first aid classes started at 7:30 o'clock Wednesday evening at the Cottonwood School gymnasium, to be instructed by Wallace Hastings and Floyd Springer.

Mrs. Roberson said anyone else wishing to take the standard course should contact her for registration soon, as an instructor is available now for an afternoon and an evening class. This is to be the last standard class taught for a while.

## Mrs. Irish Honoree At Coffee Tuesday

Mrs. Leslie Martin was hostess at a coffee Tuesday morning for members of the Artesia chapter "J" of the P.E.O. sisterhood, honoring Mrs. William Irish of Glendale, Calif., a former member, who is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Gates.

The table was covered with a colorful cloth centered with a bouquet of flowers. The house was decorated with many lovely mixed bouquets of garden flowers.

Hot gingerbread was served with the coffee. About twelve members were present.

## MRS. PAINTER HOSTESS TO RUMMY CLUB FRIDAY

Mrs. F. E. Painter was hostess to the D.G.B. Rummy Club Friday afternoon. Substituting guests were Mrs. Florence McDorman and Mrs. P. V. Morris.

Others present were Mrs. A. M. Archer, Mrs. W. S. Hogsett, Mrs. J. W. Jones, Mrs. F. E. Pennell and Mrs. M. D. Sharp.

Refreshments were served after the games. Mrs. McDorman held high score for the guests and Mrs. Pennell high for the members.

## Twenty-one Persons Complete Standard Red Cross First Aid

Twenty-one members successfully completed the Red Cross first aid course last Thursday evening at the Artesia Woman's Club house which was instructed by Mrs. C. C. Dannenbaum.

Those to complete the course were Miss Ouida Jo Anderson, Mrs. Earl W. Allen, Mrs. Ralph Barr, Mrs. Irene Beadle, Miss Joan Hardeman, Mrs. Odis Holly, Mrs. R. C. Horner, Mrs. Irvin Martin, Miss Meredith Martin, Miss Joy Ann Owen, Mrs. Frank Palmer, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Roach, Mrs. Ed Shipley, Mrs. A. B. Sloan, Miss Evelyn Tandy, Mrs. Nola Tidwell, Mrs. J. B. Wallace, Mrs. D. R. Watson and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Watson.

Members of the class presented Mrs. Dannenbaum a make-up kit for her splendid work with them.

## TWO ATTEND ANNUAL CONVENTION IN RATON

Mrs. Fred Cole, first vice president of the state P.E.O. sisterhood, and Mrs. Ralph Shugart left Tuesday for Raton where they will represent the Artesia chapter "J" of the sisterhood at the thirteenth annual convention, which is being held there this week.

The sessions will be held Wednesday through Friday.

## CHATTERBOX CLUB AT ALLEN HOME ON FRIDAY

Mr. and Mrs. James Allen were hosts to the Chatterbox Bridge Club Friday evening.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Watson, guests of the club, Mr. and Mrs. John Mauer, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Harrah, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Saiken, Mr. and Mrs. J. Clark Bruce, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dougherty, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Chipman and the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Allen.

After several rounds of bridge, Mrs. Harrah received high score prize for the women and Mr. Bruce high for the ladies.

## ARTWOOD BRIDGE CLUB ON WEDNESDAY EVENING

The Artwood Pirates Bridge Club met Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Elmer Breckenridge. Substituting guest was Mrs. Frank Cogdell.

Others present were Mrs. S. A. Lanning, Mrs. J. O. Wood, Mrs. Bryan Shoemaker, Mrs. Lee Burns, Mrs. M. Murphy and Mrs. R. D. Collier.

After the rounds of contract sandwiches and a drink were served.

Mrs. Wood received high score prize, Mrs. Lanning, second high, and Mrs. Breckenridge, travel.

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## MRS. SWEET HOSTESS AT BRIDGE-LUNCHEON

Mrs. Cecil Sweet, who recently moved from Maljamar to Hobbs, entertained several ladies at a bridge-luncheon last Thursday at her home.

Those present were Mrs. Gilbert Walker, Mrs. Carl Robinson, Mrs. Bill Ellinger, Mrs. G. C. Whitefield, Mrs. A. C. Taylor and Mrs. Garel Westall, all of Maljamar, and Mrs. Dick Hicks of Hobbs.

After several rounds of bridge Mrs. Westall received high score prize.

## KONGENIAL KARD KLUB WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON

Members and guests of the Kongenial Kard Klub met Wednesday afternoon of last week at the home of Mrs. Foster Hurst.

Guests were Mrs. Walter Nugent and Mrs. Jack Clady. Members present were Mrs. H. C. Adams, Mrs. W. J. Cloney, Mrs. Andy Company, Mrs. L. A. DeLouche and Mrs. Earle McDorman.

Mrs. McDorman received high score award, Mrs. DeLouche, second high, and Mrs. Clady, low.

A salad course was served after the rounds of bridge.

## INSTRUCTORS MEET AT FRANCISCO HOME

Mrs. M. C. Francisco entertained the Red Cross first aid instructors at their monthly meeting Friday afternoon.

After a business and social meeting the hostess served refreshments to Mrs. C. C. Dannenbaum, Mrs. Oscar Samelson, Mrs. J. J. Clarke, Jr., Mrs. S. P. Yates, Mrs. Ralph G. Roberson, Jr., and Wallace Hastings.

## FIRST BRIDGE CLUB MEETS AT M'CRARY'S

The First Afternoon Bridge Club met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. G. U. McCrary. Substituting guests were Mrs. Henry Paton and Mrs. A. G. Glasser.

Others present were Mrs. J. W. Berry, Mrs. J. J. Clarke, Sr., Mrs. A. B. Coll, Mrs. M. W. Evans, Mrs. Arba Green, Mrs. Jeff Hightower, Mrs. J. Hise Myers, Mrs. James Nellis, Mrs. Maude Ployhar and Mrs. J. M. Story.

After several rounds of contract Mrs. Clarke held high score.

John Bessire, who was sent to California for a delicate operation on his eyes, which did not prove very beneficial, and who has been in the trade of piano tuning, expects to return home about the middle of the month for a visit with relatives.

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Here's a sugar saving tip from Canada: Up there families keep a "sugar bank" on the table (a glass jar or container.) Instead of using two lumps or teaspoons as they did formerly, they use half as much and put the rest into "the bank" to be saved and used as needed. There's an idea your whole family can enjoy using!

Corn syrup bids fair to be the great sugar replacer in recipes.

Mrs. R. G. Knoedler returned Monday from Fountain Green, Ill., where she was called a month ago because of the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. C. A. McConnell. Her condition is considered much improved.

## FORMER ARTESIA GIRL PRESENTED IN RECITAL

Miss Orlena Martin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Martin of Cottage Grove, Ore., formerly of Artesia, who just graduated from high school there with honors, was presented in a piano recital May 21 at the home of her teacher, Miss Helen Rice. A high school girls' trio also participated in the recital.

Miss Martin was one of fourteen seniors in the graduating class who were members of the National Honor Society. She took part in all musical activities in Cottage Grove High School and recently was awarded a piano scholarship to Linfield College, McMinnville, Ore., where she expects to enter next fall and major in music.

Before the family moved to Cottage Grove, Miss Martin attended school in Artesia and was a music student of Mrs. G. U. McCrary and the late Mrs. Mark A. Corbin.

## RENOULD NELSON NOW IS AT FLYING SCHOOL, ENID

Newly arrived at the Army Flying School, Enid, Okla., from Scott Field, Ill., is Pfc. Renold S. Nelson, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Nelson of Artesia.

Young Nelson, a tool dresser for a New Mexico drilling firm before he joined the Army Air Force, has been assigned to the 475th School Squadron. He recently completed radio school at Scott Field, from where he was transferred to Randolph Field, Tex.

## AIR BASE MEN ARE GUESTS AT DANCE

The Artesia 20-30 Club was host at the group's dance Saturday evening to five enlisted men from the Roswell Army Air Base.

They were Sgts. James Allen, Ernie Marshall, William Mattes, Robert Taylor and Lewis Albertson.

## FATHER BEDE PHELPS NEW RESIDENT PRIEST

The Rev. Fr. Bede Phelps, O.M.C., formerly of Carlsbad, has been made assistant pastor of St. Anthony Catholic Church and St. Lady of Grace Church in Artesia and will be a resident priest at the parochial home of the Franciscan Fathers at 1016 Quay Street.

He replaces the Rev. Fr. Brendan Weishaar, former assistant pastor here.

## MORGAN IS ATTENDING MEET IN INDIANAPOLIS

Charles Morgan of Artesia, national executive committee member of the New Mexico department of the American Legion, left Tuesday by airplane for national headquarters at Indianapolis to attend a national executive meeting.

## Church Activities

**Young Woman's Guild**  
The Young Woman's Guild of the First Christian Church met last Thursday afternoon at the church with Mrs. Sam Stewart hostess.

After a short business meeting at which Mrs. John Collins, president, presided, Mrs. C. C. Connor was in charge of the program. Dr. Oren Oranohod gave a very interesting talk on the Bible given in book-review form.

Refreshments were served after the meeting to Dr. and Mrs. Oranohod, Mrs. Bert Shipp, Mrs. Connor, Mrs. Collins, Mrs. Britton Coll, Mrs. Boone Barnett and Mrs. Andy Corbin.

## Young Matrons' Circle

The Young Matrons' Circle of the Methodist Society of Christian Service met last Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Owen Haynes with Mrs. J. Don Hudgens co-hostess.

Mrs. E. J. Foster, chairman, presided at the business meeting, at which time plans were made for a picnic honoring their husbands on the church lawn Friday evening, June 11.

Mrs. Forrest Carrol, program leader, displayed interesting posters of children's Methodist settlement houses and told of the work being done. She was assisted by Mrs. Jack McCaw, Mrs. Bert Muncy, Jr., and Mrs. Ray Cowan.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. C. T. Hopkins, Mrs. Herman Green, Mrs. J. B. Pirtle, Mrs. Carrol, Mrs. Glenn Stone, Mrs. Howard Stroup, Mrs. Don Butts, Mrs. Royal Butts, Mrs. McCaw, Mrs. Foster, Mrs. Cowan, Mrs. Muncy and Mrs. J. D. Roberts.

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Important Vegetable Preparation Practices

Is your family getting the good in food values and happy eating from every vegetable you serve? If you want to make sure, check on the following points, suggests Mrs. Dorothy Y. Hanny of the New Mexico Extension Service. Observe the list of important vegetable preparation practices.

When you serve vegetables raw, use them as soon as possible after you buy them or bring them in from the garden. Keep them as cool as possible until they are used.

Wash them just before you use them and never let them soak in water. Prepare chopped vegetable salads just before you serve them.

You can lose a lot of vitamin C if you chop up vegetables fine and then let them stand awhile before you eat them.

When you cook vegetables, leave them in nature's covering as long as you can. Sometimes you can cook the vegetable in its jacket, but if that isn't practicable, make the peelings as thin as possible.

Have water boiling when you put vegetables in to cook. Use as little water as possible. Cook rapidly. Serve the cooking water with the vegetable or use it in soups, sauces and gravies.

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Hospital News

Lloyd Eads of Portales, a truck driver, who was injured in an accident on the road and who was entered at the hospital on April 24, returned home Sunday. Mr. Eads was greatly improved.

Edward Coleman, colored, has been treated since Monday for a bruised and infected arm, caused by a car wreck.

R. Underwood of Pinon, 86 years old, a patient since last Thursday, is only slightly improved.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. William Bullock, Tuesday morning at 3:25 o'clock. She has been named Betty and weighed 6 pounds 1 ounce.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Hammons of Dexter are the parents of a son, born Monday. The infant, who has not yet been named, weighed 6 pounds 1 ounce.

Mrs. T. C. Stromberg and her infant daughter, Ann, were removed to their home Wednesday.

J. A. Lee, an uncle of Mrs. A. L. Richardson of rural Artesia, was admitted to the hospital Wednesday morning with a badly infected hand. He is considered greatly improved this morning.

Marcia Lee of Wichita Falls, Tex., who has been here for several months with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Smith, underwent a tonsilectomy this morning.

Mrs. Herbert Howell of Loco Hills was admitted to the hospital at 8 o'clock this morning.

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WHAT'S WHAT in NEW MEXICO

News Briefs of the "Sunshine State" Gleaned From Many Sources

Highway traffic entering New Mexico in April was 21 per cent less than that for the month last year, the State Tourist Bureau's regular check indicated.

A petition from 241 New Mexico penitentiary convicts has asked Governor Miles to give them an opportunity for service in the nation's armed forces.

Maj. Gen. Ralph P. Cousins announced that one of the four locations for the training of 3,000 men as glider pilots to participate in commando raids would be at Clovis.

Adj. Gen. R. C. Charlton, state draft director, announced a liberalized policy of granting two-week automatic furloughs to selectees immediately after their induction.

Young men of San Miguel County now serving with the armed forces in foreign countries are being accepted for membership in San Juan-Argonne Post 1547, Veterans of Foreign Wars, it was announced.

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WORLD NEWS

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

At Holly, S. C., a suspected gasoline shortage proved otherwise when riders in a stalled car attempted to inspect the tank by flashlight.

At Chinook, Mont., a strangely paired team is dipping into the milk supply. A lanky mongrel and a low-slung cocker spaniel raid the porches, the big dog upsetting the bottles, the little one nipping out the caps—and both lapping up the milk.

When his friend, Adolph Muench, 40, fell in to the Chicago River, William Arvidson, 52, didn't hesitate a moment but jumped in to rescue him.

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Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bartlett are expected home today from Nashville, Tenn., where their younger daughter, Miss Shirley Bartlett, graduated Monday evening from Ward-Belmont.

Mrs. Jack Harris and daughter, Mary Lois, of Hobbs are here visiting Mrs. M. C. Davis. Mrs. Davis and visitors motored to Albuquerque and Gallup this week, where they visited friends.

The Rev. Lee P. Phillips, who completed his pastorate of the Church of the Nazarene Sunday, left Tuesday for Waco, Tex., to join Mrs. Phillips and their children, who have been there about two months. Because of ill health, the Rev. Mr. Phillips does not plan to accept another pastorate for the next few months.

C. W. BESSIRE DIES AT AMARILLO ON MAY 23. Miss Bertha Bessire and her brother, Clarence, returned Friday from Amarillo, Tex., where they attended the funeral of an uncle, C. W. Bessire.

Mr. Bessire, who had visited in Artesia a number of times, died suddenly Saturday, May 23. The body was sent to Reydon, Okla., for burial in the family plot.

Miss Maxine Bunting and Miss Dorothy Bob Company left Monday to spend about a month vacation on the West Coast in California. Miss Bunting has just returned from State College, where she was enrolled in business administration this last year, and Miss Company, who is employed in the office of the Artesia Alfalfa Growers Association, is on her vacation.

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Also NEWS—CARTOON—"Fighting Fire Bombs"

### Pix Rhapsody

Kisses are more important than weddings—on the screen!

Darryl F. Zanuck, production chief for 20th Century-Fox, decided to scissor out an elaborate marriage that had been planned for Tyrone Power and Gene Tierney in "Son of Fury," the story of Benjamin Blake, because it was felt the dramatic impact of the kisses was more important to the film than the actual ceremony.

This is not the first time that Ty Power has experienced this change in "romantic tactics." The producers played the same trick on him when they "married" him to Betty Grable in "A Yank in the R.A.F." The romantic actor also "married" Linda Darnell in a church wedding that never appeared on the screen in "Blood and Sand."

"I thought I was the marrying type," joked Tyrone, who has been collecting the wedding scenes for his private film collection. "When I get another script with a wedding scene in it, I'm going to beat the producers to it and tear the pages out myself!"

### SANTA FE CARLOADINGS

The Santa Fe System carloadings for the week ending May 30 were 21,660, compared with 21,779 for the same week in 1941. Received from connections were 10,548, compared with 7,470 for the same week in 1941. The total cars moved were 32,208, compared with 29,248 for the same week in 1941. The Santa Fe handled a total of 32,761 cars during the preceding week of this year.

Office Equipment—The Advocate

### Meditations

Of Your Country Cousins

One of th' most important things a feller has to learn is to live with people — and another is — to live without 'em!

There's a 'specially trained mockin' bird in our neck of th' woods and this is what he keeps singin':

"War time! War time! War time! Hurry! Hurry! Hurry! You can make it; You can make it; You can make it! Now! Now! Now!"

Anybody can hear him if they'll listen.

Brilliant people possess knowledge; th' less brilliant, understanding.

No mother ever saw a baby as pretty as her own!

Bein' "froze on th' work" has a sort of engagin' sound in this kind of weather.

Any news reel makes news real!

Miss Lela Bess Mann, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Mann, who graduated Monday at Occidental College, Los Angeles, Calif., was expected home Wednesday.

### CONTINENTAL OFFICIALS MAKE INSPECTION HERE

Dan Morgan of Ponca City, Okla., and New York City, president of the Continental Oil Company, and a party of about ten other company officials were here from Wednesday to Thursday of last week on their annual inspection of the refinery, bulk plant and pipeline.

Morgan recalled when in Artesia his first trip here twenty-two years ago and mentioned the great strides the community has taken.

## Sands of Time

FIFTEEN YEARS AGO

(From The Advocate Files for June 2, 1927)

Crop conditions over the valley are fair to middling and practically all crops are standing up well under the weather conditions.

Miss Ethel Bullock, who taught at Hereford, Tex., the last winter, has been elected for primary work in Central School.

R. L. Paris shipped out a car of cattle yesterday to Wichita, Kan.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cole spent the week end at the Artesia Sacramento Camp.

Mr. and Mrs. D. I. Clowe returned home Sunday from Bowie, Tex., where they visited relatives.

J. C. Floore and family and Miss Ethel Bullock are visitors at the Carlisbad Caverns today.

Mrs. Jerry Schnoor and daughters, Misses La Verne and Neva, drove last week to Gallup, where they were joined by Miss Edna Schnoor for a trip to California.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Linell spent Sunday in Roswell.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Anderson visited Mrs. Anderson's parents in El Paso over the week end.

S. A. Lanning had on exhibition the first of the week at the First National Bank a nice bunch of wheat raised on his farm east of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Whitey McCutcheon and children of Rising Star, Tex., were here Saturday night greeting old friends. They drove over to spend the week end with his mother in Carlisbad.

### NOTICE OF SUIT

No. 7843

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF EDDY IN THE DISTRICT COURT

W. C. HOUSE and MAY HOUSE, plaintiffs, versus The Unknown Heirs of Sarah A. Hastie, Deceased, et al. Defendants, Impleaded with the following named defendants against whom substituted service is hereby sought to be obtained, to-wit: The Unknown Heirs of Sarah A. Hastie, Deceased, the Unknown Heirs of Omer O. Hastie, Deceased, and All Unknown Claimants of Interests in the Premises Hereinafter Described Adverse to the Plaintiffs, Defendants.

THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO: The above named Defendants:

You, and each of you, are hereby notified that the plaintiffs have filed their complaint against you in the above entitled and numbered cause in the Office of the Clerk of the District Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, wherein plaintiffs seek to quiet title against the claims of the defendants named and referred to in the above entitled and numbered cause, to the following described lands and real estate situated in Eddy County, New Mexico, to-wit: The North 264 feet of South Half Southwest Quarter (S 1/2 SW 1/4) and North 264 feet of Southwest Quarter Southeast quarter (SW 1/4 SE 1/4) Section Thirty-five (35), Township Seventeen (17) South, Range Twenty-six (26) East, N.M. P.M., Eddy County, New Mexico, 24 acres more or less, together with an undivided one-fifth (1/5) interest in and to

the Artesian well located on Southwest quarter Southwest Quarter (SW 1/4 SW 1/4) Section Thirty-five (35), Township Seventeen (17) South, Range Twenty-six (26) East, N.M.P.M., and water rights therein, and together with one-half (1/2) of all oil, gas and mineral rights on the above described lands; and plaintiffs pray that plaintiffs' estate in and to the above described premises be established against the adverse claims of the defendants and each of them and any and all persons claiming by, through and under them, and that the defendants and any and all persons claiming by, through and under them be barred and forever estopped from having or claiming any lien upon or any right, title or interest in or to the above described premises adverse to the plaintiffs; and that the plaintiffs' title thereto be forever quieted and set at rest.

You, and each of you, are hereby notified that unless you enter or cause to be entered your appearance in the above entitled and numbered cause on or before the 17th day of July, 1942, judgment will be rendered against you in said cause by default.

Plaintiffs' attorney is James F. Warden, whose office and Post Office address is Bujac Building, Carlisbad, New Mexico.

WITNESS, My hand and the seal of this Court this 2nd day of June, 1942.

ETHEL M. HIGHSMITH, Clerk 23-4tc-26

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF G. H. EATON, DECEASED. No. 1045

### NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned was on the 27 day of May, A. D., 1942, duly appointed Administratrix of the Estate of G. H. Eaton, Deceased, by the Probate Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, and that she has qualified as such; that all persons having claims against said estate must present the same in the form and manner required by law to the undersigned, at the office of Keith F. Quail, Carper Building, Artesia, New Mexico, otherwise such claims will be barred.

(Sgd) Helen Yeager Eaton Administratrix of the Estate of G. H. Eaton, Deceased. 23-4t-26

### NOTICE

STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE Number of Application RA-1465

Santa Fe, N. M., May 11, 1942. Notice is hereby given that on the 4th day of May, 1942, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, Monroe Howard of Artesia, Eddy County, State of New Mexico, made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a Permit to change place of use of shallow groundwater acquired under Permit RA-1465, from 70 acres of land described as Part of S 1/4 NE 1/4 of Section 24, Township 16 South, Range 25 East, N. M. P. M., to 70 acres of land described as Part of S 1/4 SE 1/4 of Section 13, Township 16 South, Range 25 East, N. M. P. M.

This application is only for purpose stated hereinabove and does not involve any new appropriation of underground water.

Any person, association or corporation deeming that the granting of the above application will be truly detrimental to their rights in the waters of said underground source may file a complete sworn statement of their objections substantiated by affidavits with the State Engineer and file proof of service of a copy thereof upon the applicant with the State Engineer within ten days after the date of the last publication of this notice. The date set for the State Engineer to take this application for final consideration unless protested is the 20th day of June, 1942.

THOMAS M. McCLURE, State Engineer 22-3t-24

### NOTICE OF SUIT

No. 7825

The State of New Mexico, To the above described defendants against whom substituted service is hereby sought to be obtained, Greeting:

You and each of you are hereby notified that a certain cause numbered 7825 on the civil docket of the above named court, wherein Rose F. Wilson is plaintiff and you and each of you are defendants, is now pending against you. That the general objects and purposes of the said suit is to quiet and establish plaintiffs title and leasehold interest and estate under oil and gas leases from the State of New Mexico, in and to the following described lands, to-wit:

SW 1/4 SE 1/4, Section 36, Twp. 17 South, Range 27 East; W 1/2 SE 1/4, Section 32, Twp. 16 South, Range 27 East; NE 1/4, W 1/2 NW 1/4, and S 1/2, Section 36, Twp. 20 South, Range 31 East; NE 1/4 NE 1/4, Section 36, Twp. 22 South, Range 29 East; SE 1/4 SE 1/4, Section 16, Twp. 22 South, Range 30 East; SW 1/4 SW 1/4, Section 36, Twp. 22 South, Range 27 East; N 1/2 SW 1/4, Section 36, Twp. 17 South, Range 31 East; NE 1/4 NE 1/4, SE 1/4 SE 1/4, Section 16, Twp. 22 South, Range 27 East; SW 1/4 SW 1/4, Section 2, Twp. 22 South, Range 27 East; SW 1/4 NE 1/4, Section 36, Twp. 21 South, Range 31 East; N 1/2 NW 1/4, W 1/2 NE 1/4, Section 16, Twp. 19 South, Range 25 East; SE 1/4 SW 1/4, Section 21, Twp. 20 South, Range 27 East; SE 1/4 SW 1/4, Section 16, Twp. 17 South, Range 27 East; NW 1/4 NW 1/4, Section 14, Twp. 18 South, Range 27 East; SW 1/4 NE 1/4, Section 2, Twp. 18 NW 1/4, Section 16, Twp. 18 South, Range 27 East; and SW 1/4 NW 1/4, Section 24, Twp. 18 South, Range 27 East; all situated in Eddy County, New Mexico, — against the adverse claims of you and each of you, and of anyone claiming by, through or under you or any of you, and to bar and estop you as defendants from having or claiming any lien upon or any right or title to or interest in the said lands or any of them, adverse to the plaintiff, and to quiet and forever set at rest plaintiffs said leasehold interest, title and estate in and to the said lands.

And you and each of you are further notified that unless you enter your appearance in said cause on or before the 25th day of June, 1942, judgment will be rendered against you and each of you by default.

Plaintiff's attorney is Charles B. Barker, and his post office address is Santa Fe, New Mexico.

Given under my hand and the seal of the district court this 11th day of May, 1942.

ETHEL M. HIGHSMITH, Clerk of the District Court, Eddy County, New Mexico. (SEAL) 20-4t-23

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# ARTESIA BUSINESS DIRECTORY

A Thumbnail Classification of EMERGENCY and IMPORTANT PHONE NUMBERS and ADDRESSES

## FIRE AND POLICE

Fire ----- Tell Central Police, Tell Central, or Call ----- Ph. 198

## INSURANCE

Pete L. Loving, General Insurance, 301 Wash. Ph. 518

## AUTOMOTIVE

Artesia Auto Co., Wrecker Service ----- Ph. 52

## ACCOUNTANTS, PUBLIC STENOGRAPHERS

Blanche McCoy, Stenographic, Report Serv. ----- Ph. 770

## ELECTRICAL REPAIRING

Doc Loucks, Rewinding All Kinds, 107 Quay ----- Ph. 65

## FEEDS

E. B. Bullock, Feed, Flour, Coal, Seeds ----- Ph. 86

## SHOE REPAIRING

Hefley's Shoe Shop, Expert Repairing 108 S. Roselawn

## COMMERCIAL PRINTING

Artesia Advocate, 316 W. Main—Call Us ----- Ph. 7

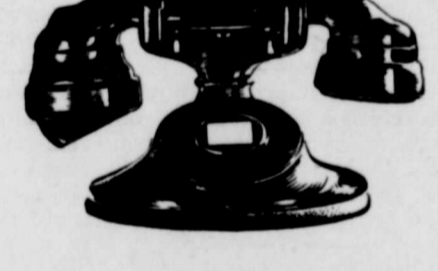
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# WAR RESTRICTIONS

# — OR — TELEPHONE SERVICE



The War Production Board recently issued an order further restricting the use by telephone companies of materials essential to the war effort.

The order generally forbids additions to our plant, except for service required in the war effort or for public health and safety. It directs that only a minimum of materials may be used in connecting new telephones with facilities now in place. It orders much wider use of party line service. Also restricted are new installations of residence extensions, and the order forbids the replacement of any equipment except when required for the efficient operation of the service.

The application of these restrictions will undoubtedly mean inconvenience for some people—part of the price of protecting our liberty—but we ask your fullest cooperation, for the restrictions will mean that more lead, iron, steel, zinc, copper and rubber used in telephone equipment will now go into arms.

We pledge our continuing effort to keep our service up to the highest possible standard.

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Buy Dog Chow in Bulk or in Economy-Size Packages at . . .

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Loco Hills Items (Mrs. E. C. Abston)

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Turner and daughter spent Saturday at Hobbs.

The Rev. Mr. Landroop of Hagerman was the guest Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Bartlett and girls, Sally and Lula Mae, have gone on a fishing trip to Loving.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Thorpe and daughter, Shirley, have gone on a vacation trip to Long Beach, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Heep of Eunice, Tex., visited at the Texas camp last week en route to Santa Fe.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Aston were dinner guests Sunday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Aston in Roswell.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorie Evans and children, Vera and Jimmy, and Laverne Rogers spent the week end in Lamesa, Tex.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stulting and daughter left Wednesday for Albuquerque and will visit other points in New Mexico.

Mrs. J. D. Cooper of Sundown, Tex., is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. G. Barton, and sister, Billy Jean Barton.

Phil Pulliam is recovering from a tonsil operation performed at Artesia Memorial Hospital in Artesia Tuesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sanders and children of Lubbock, Tex., and Cloyd Sanders of Ansonia, Tex., were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kelly.

Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Fannin, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Shanks, J. C. Lambley and Mr. Maddon opened the fishing season Monday evening and reported good luck.

About twenty-five persons attended the Red Cross "Game Party" given Friday evening at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Briscoe and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Huck. Light refreshments were served at the close of the games.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Rogers, Laverne Rogers and Vera Evans went to Abilene, Tex., Sunday to attend the graduation exercises of Brennis Rogers from Hardin-Simmons University. Brennis and Charles Roy Rogers returned home with them to spend the summer months.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Turner, Mr. and Mrs. John Stulting, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Lambley, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kelly, Mr. and Mrs. Conney Pruitt, Mrs. Barney Wilson and Mrs. Lora Seger enjoyed a picnic supper last Thursday evening near Maljamar.

The attendance at the Sherman Memorial Sunday school dropped to fifty-nine Sunday because of vacation time. The Rev. Mr. Landroop of Hagerman conducted the morning and evening services. The Rev. W. A. Garrett of Roswell began a revival meeting Monday evening. All persons in the community are urged to attend these services.

The Esther Circle met in the home of Mrs. Emmett Goodrich at the Franklin camp Tuesday afternoon of last week. The devotional and Bible study were led by Mrs. O. C. Rogers. It was voted to discontinue the meetings during the summer months. The hostess served light refreshments to Mrs. Erwin Jones, Mrs. H. C. Golden, Mrs. G. W. Walker, Mrs. R. E. Dendy, Mrs. O. C. Rogers and Mrs. E. C. Abston.

Mrs. E. C. Abston and Mrs. Emmett Goodrich entertained members of the Junior Girls' Sunday school class with a party Friday evening. Outdoor games and "Bingo" were enjoyed and prizes were won by Betty Jo Owens, J. E. Goodrich, Willie Bryant and Lois Jackson. Gifts were presented to Velma Lee Bryant and Betty Jo Owens in honor of their birthday anniversaries and refreshments of punch and cake were served. Members present were Gloria Pulliam, Dyckie O'Donnell, Velma Lee and Willie Bryant, Billy Jean Barton, Lois Jackson, Betty Jo Owens and J. E. Goodrich, a guest. Mrs. Abston and Mrs. Goodrich are teachers of the class.

Livestock Report

The livestock report on the Kansas City market:

Hogs: Salable and total 5,000; fairly active, steady to 5 lower than previous day's average; no shippers; top 14.00; good to choice 190 lbs. and up 13.90-14.00; 150-180 lbs. 13.50-85; sows weak to 10 lower, 13.40-65.

Cattle: Salable 3,700, total 3,750; calves: salable and total 450; fed steers, yearlings and heifers opening steady to strong; spots 10-15 higher; liberal waterfills tending to slow up the trade; cows strong to 15 higher; bulls steady to strong; vealers fully steady; stocker and feeder classes rather slow, mostly steady; early sales medium

STONE and STONE OPTOMETRISTS Phone 75-W

FBI Will Have Police Confabs In This Area

D. A. Bruce, special agent in charge of the Federal Bureau of Investigation at El Paso, will be in charge of eleven police conferences in New Mexico and West Texas during June, one each of which will be at Roswell and Carlsbad.

The conference at Roswell will be next Wednesday, June 10, and the one at Carlsbad will be Thursday, June 11. Both will run from 1:30 to 5:30 o'clock in the afternoon.

The conferences are under the direction of J. Edgar Hoover, director of the FBI, and in compliance with a proclamation of President Roosevelt, which designated the FBI as the coordinating agency in national defense investigations.

G. T. Watts, district attorney, will appear on the program at Roswell and Mayor Sam Horne of Carlsbad will be on the program there.

A spokesman of the FBI pointed out that these conferences are very beneficial to the community and the internal security of the nation. They are a tangible assurance to every citizen that adequate protection will be received from vigilant, specially trained law enforcement officers working in harmony with their respective departments and close liaison with the FBI during the national emergency.

Gas Rationing Is Designed to Conserve Tires

Leslie Martin, speaking at the weekly Rotary luncheon Tuesday of last week, pointed out the reasons behind rationing, especially of gasoline, as disclosed in several authoritative articles.

Gasoline rationing, he said, is being followed in order to conserve rubber, rather than the gasoline itself.

Sugar rationing is necessary for several reasons, chief of which is the fact sugar, when converted into alcohol, is used in producing smokeless powder, necessary in the war effort. The loss of sugar from the Philippines and the difficulty of shipping sugar from Cuba, the Hawaiian Islands and other places are also reasons, Martin said.

He quoted Leon Henderson as having declared there will be as many as fifteen items rationed before the year is over. Soon, Martin said, there will be shortages of coffee and bananas.

Dr. H. W. Gillette of Lovington, a guest, spoke briefly about the coming shortage of physicians for the civil population, as soon every able-bodied physician under 45 years will be in the service. He had just been with Dr. E. A. Metzger of Artesia to Albuquerque, where they were examined for entrance into the Army Medical Corps. Dr. John J. Clarke, Jr., and Dr. L. R. Clarke, dentists, were in Albuquerque Tuesday for similar examinations.

Thomas Booras won't be mad if rationing takes automobiles off the streets of Miami, Fla. He's in the hospital for the third time in four months from injuries received in traffic accidents—and he wasn't driving a car in any of the cases.

and good fed steers 11.25-13.00; strictly good to choice around 1,100 lb. weights 13.25; short load choice mixed yearlings 13.25; good to choice heifers 11.75-12.75; medium to good cows 9.25-10.25; cutter to common grade lots 7.50-9.00; good sausage bulls 10.50-75; good to choice vealers 12.00-14.00; fed 14.50; three loads around 950-1,025 lb. feeders 12.25-50; light feeders held above 13.00.

Sheep: Salable 7,000, total 7,300; slow, no sheep or spring lambs sold early; scattered opening sales clipped lambs around steady; early top 11.75; medium to good lots downward to 10.50.

Teen Age Men Must Register June 30 by Order of Roosevelt

President Roosevelt has set June 30 as the date for registration of young men 18 and 19 years of age in order to complete the nation's wartime canvass of manpower.

This was the fifth registration ordered by the chief executive, and will complete registration of all men from the ages of 18 to 65. The young men of 18 and 19 are not subject to military service under the present operation of the Selective Service Act. However, a movement is now underway in Congress which, if enacted, may make the youngest class available for total service.

Also ordered to register on June 30 are men who reached their twentieth birthday between Dec. 31, 1941, and June 30, 1942. These men would be subject to military service.

Approximately forty million men have registered in the four previous registrations. The registration next month is expected to add between two and three million persons to the lists.

Selectees From First to Third Registrations

The June quota of New Mexico men to be inducted into the armed service under Selective Service will include selectees from the first, second and third registrations.

Brig. Gen. R. C. Charlton, state director of Selective Service, said selection of registrants will be made on the basis of a direct proportion of class I-A and potential I-A men in group I, which includes men from the first two registrations, compared with class I-A and potential I-A men in group II, those registered Feb. 16.

Brig. Gen. Charlton said, however that if the first age group has been exhausted from I-A men, then current quotas will be filled entirely from the third registration group.

The direct proportion between groups I and II will be determined by classification of all occupational questionnaires from the third registration now in the hands of local boards, he said. From these figures estimates of the total number of I-A and potential I-A men from the third registration will be made.

Brig. Gen. Charlton pointed out that potential I-A registrants are those men who are subject to reclassification in any of the brackets from I-B down to class IV from all three registrations.

Merit System Exams of New Mexico Council

A new series of open competitive merit examinations has been announced by Cecil H. Fewell, supervisor of the New Mexico Merit System Council. These examinations are for positions in the New Mexico Department of Public Welfare.

The positions and the monthly salary ranges are:

Field representative, \$175-\$225; county director, Class I, \$175-\$225; Foster home consultant, \$195-\$245; district child welfare consultant, \$175-\$225; senior child welfare worker, \$150-\$175; junior child welfare worker, \$125-\$150; supervisor of crippled children's services, \$225-\$275; hospital social worker, \$175-\$225; orthopedic nursing consultant, \$175-\$225; supervisor, Division of Services to the Blind, \$200-\$250; medical society eye consultant, \$150-\$200; graduate nurse, \$110-\$135.

There are several vacancies to be filled in these professional classes. Residents of New Mexico will be certified and given consideration ahead of non-residents.

Announcements and application blanks may be obtained by writing the Merit System, Albuquerque.

ENGRAVING—THE ADVOCATE.

Hope Items (Mrs. C. B. Altman)

Fid Hammill of Artesia visited relatives here last week.

Miss Alice Ruth Williams, who has been teaching in the Gallup schools, returned home Friday.

Mrs. George Trimble of Bisbee, Ariz., was a guest last week of Mrs. A. B. Trimble and Mrs. C. B. Altman.

Joe Alexander, who is stationed with the Army in Texas, arrived Saturday for a visit with his family at Pinon.

Mrs. Mattie Griffin of Breckenridge, Tex., was a guest last week of Mrs. James Robertson and her mother, Mrs. John Teel.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Murray and daughter, Miss June, and Mrs. Sam Zunwalt of El Paso were guests last week end of Mrs. Hilary White.

Mrs. Mary Grace Johnson of Roswell, formerly of Artesia, accompanied Mrs. W. A. Young to Hamlin, Tex., for a short visit with relatives there.

Mrs. J. C. Buckner, accompanied by her two sons, Jesse and Hollis, motored to La Luz Saturday and spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. J. M. Green.

Mrs. Dave Bunting and daughter, Miss Maxine Bunting; Mrs. John Inman and Mrs. Mattie Goodman of Artesia visited friends in Hope Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Joe Mellard and son, Bobby, and nephew, Dickie Davis, of San Antonio, Tex., arrived Tuesday to spend the summer at the Mellard farm. They were met in Carlsbad by Mrs. Landreth and Mrs. Ballard.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Mellard and son, Filmore, and Miss Wilma Mellard and her guest, George Mair, of Van Nuys, Calif., arrived Sunday to spend a three-week vacation with Mr. Mellard's two sisters, Mrs. B. M. Ballard and Mrs. E. L. Landreth.

Mrs. W. A. Young returned Wednesday from Abilene, Tex., where she had been to get her niece, Miss Lucile Young, who has been attending Abilene Christian College. While away she visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Rowland, in Hamlin, Tex.

Under the shade of the big cottonwood trees just off the highway west of Hope members of the O.E.S. gathered for an outing and supper Friday evening. About sundown a delicious supper of steak, hot biscuits and potatoes was cooked over an open fire in Dutch ovens. Those who enjoyed the outing were Mr. and Mrs. Don Riddle, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Stinnett, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cole, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Altman, Mrs. Mary Louise Goddard, Mrs. Virgil Craig, Miss Madeline Prude and Mr. and Mrs. George O. Teel.

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Suspension of Work on Mining Claims Provided

The Land Office at Las Cruces this week called attention to an act of May 7 providing for the suspension of annual assessment work on mining claims held by location in the United States and Alaska, applying to mining claimants who will have filed or caused to be filed on or before noon July 1 their desire to hold the claims under the act.

Paul A. Roach, register, said the exemptions do not apply to more than six lode claims held by an individual, or to more than twelve lode claims held by a partnership, association or corporation.

The act of May 7 in regard to suspension of assessment work on mining claims:

"Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the provision of section 2324 of the Revised Statutes of the United States, which requires on each mining claim located, and until a patent has been issued therefor, not less than \$100 worth of labor to be performed on or improvements aggregating such amount to be made each year, be and the same is hereby, suspended as to all mining claims in the United States, including the Territory of Alaska, during the years beginning at 12 o'clock meridian July 1, 1941, and ending at 12 o'clock meridian July 1, 1943; provided, that every claimant of any such mining claim, in order to obtain the benefits of this act, shall file, or cause to be filed, in the office where the location notice or certificate is recorded, on or before 12 o'clock meridian July 1, 1942, and July 1, 1943, a notice of his desire to hold said mining claim under this act; provided further, that such suspension of assessment work shall not apply to more than six lode-mining claims held by the same person, nor to more than twelve lode-mining claims held by the same partnership, association, or corporation."

FIRST PAYMASTER

The first paymaster of the U.S. Marine Corps was 2nd Lt. James Thompson, appointed in 1799. The office now is held by a brigadier general.

Transparent Holders for Identification Cards, Air Raid Warden, Red Cross, Auxiliary Police, Firemen, etc.—The Advocate.

HOOVER BROTHERS ARE REPORTED SAFE

Mrs. J. A. Hoover has reported that her son, Paul Dean, who was left behind at Fort Bliss, when the 200th Regiment left there, now is at Fort Lewis, Wash. Paul Dean was in the hospital when his regiment checked out.

Jimmie, a graduate of the Artesia High School class of 1941, was last reported at Pearl Harbor about two months ago. Jimmie is in the Navy, but his mother feels that he is safe, as she has not heard anything to the contrary.

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**FOR SALE**—1940 Chevrolet sedan, good condition and good rubber; 21,400 miles. Inquire Advocate office. 8-tfx

**FOR SALE**—1940 Chevrolet special de luxe town sedan, with heater, defroster, seat covers and five good tires. About 7,500 miles. Not a "cheap" car but a good buy. Insurance paid. H.J.F., care The Advocate. 8-tfx

**FOR SALE**—Ten acres of land. Well improved. Plenty of water. Alvin Payne. 20-4tp-23

**FOR SALE**—Three houses. Different sizes. B. Swift, 109 South Ash, Carlsbad, N. Mex. 21-3tp-23

**FOR SALE**—Small but profitable business in Artesia, splendid location, reasonable rent. Have government job. P.O. Box 423, Artesia. 23-ltc

**FOR SALE**—Five-apartment building, private bath in each apartment, all new fixtures. Furniture included in four apartments. If sold by next Monday night, June 8, will take \$3,000. Jesse F. Cook, 1018 South First Street. 23-ltc

**FOR SALE**—Electric refrigerator. Call at 112 Chisholm. 23-1tp

**FOR SALE**—Beautiful bedroom suite. Will sell bed and vanity only. Refectory dining-library table. 301 Roselawn. 23-1tp

**FOR SALE**—Corrugated iron. See Mayes & Company, phone 102. 23-tfc

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**FOR RENT**

**FOR RENT**—Furnished apartment, private bath. No children. 1018 South First Street. Jesse F. Cook. 19-tfc

**FOR RENT**—118 North Osborn Street. Three-room apartment. Nicely furnished, refrigerator, hot water, private bath, utilities paid. \$40. No children or pets. 22-2tp-23

**FOR RENT**—Office rooms formerly occupied by Neil Watson and James Warden. Would consider renting for living apartments. Smith Bldg., phone 506-J. 21-3tp-23

**FOR RENT**—One three-room house and one two-room apartment, furnished. Light and water and garden spot free. \$18 and \$15 per month. Oasis Station, phone 388-J. 23-1tp

**FOR RENT**—Furnished upstairs apartment. Three rooms and bath. 321 Dallas, E. L. Harp. 23-ltc

**FOR RENT**—Two clean, cool apartments at 1001 Richardson. Mrs. L. O. French. 23-ltc

**FOR RENT**—Four-room furnished house. Water furnished. \$16 per month. 808 Washington Street. 23-1tp

**FOR RENT**—Three-room modern apartment, private bath, automatic water heater. Permanent couple preferred. Mrs. Lillian McNiel, 611 West Dallas. 23-1tp

**FOR RENT**—Furnished or unfurnished four rooms and bath. Mile south on main highway. W. R. Hornbaker. 23-2tc-24

**FOR RENT**—Furnished two rooms and bath. Newly decorated. Mrs. C. R. Vandagriff, phone 351. 23-1tp

**FOR RENT**—Bedroom. 308 Dallas. Phone 246. 23-tfx

**FOR RENT**—Two-room furnished or unfurnished house. Cave Brothers. 23-2tp-24

**Political Announcements**

**RATES**

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Senator and Representative	15.00
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Surveyor	15.00
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The following candidates submit their announcements, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary:

**For Sheriff:**  
FRED HILL  
Artesia

**For County Superintendent:**  
MRS. R. N. THOMAS  
Carlsbad

**Regatta**

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racer, in the twenty-two. He whizzed past the finish line in 5 minutes 40 seconds in the first heat, the only racer to cover the distance in less than six minutes. He made the second heat in 6:44, giving him an average of 5:52.2 for the race.

The water, which was somewhat choppy all afternoon, was smoother for the twenty-two and the second heat of the 16-18 than at any time during the racing period.

The wind became stronger while the second heat of the twenty-two was being run and by the time the fast boats in the thirty-three class were warming up, the water was so choppy that full throttle might have caused a spill.

In fact, Jim Ferguson nearly "came a cropper" at the start of the first heat of that race, just as he crossed the starting line and opened his throttle. At the same instant his bow was thrown high because of a wave and the strong wind "set the boat on its tail," from which position it seemed impossible for him to avoid turning over backwards. However, Ferguson threw his weight to the bow and bore the boat back down, went ahead and finished the heat fourth, then came back to take second place in the next heat and the race.

The only spill of the afternoon was shortly prior to that near mishap, when L. G. Sweatt of Roswell was jockeying his boat into position at the west end of the course and struck a wave as he swung east into the wind, which flipped the boat over.

First three places in races, with winners' average times for two heats, except the free-for-all, in which there was only one heat:

Class "A" (10 h.p.)—Bob Ferguson, Artesia, 5:38; Bert Shipp, Artesia; John Alberts, Roswell.

Class "B" (16-18 h.p.)—C. B. Norton, El Paso, 7:35.4; Buford Gray, Artesia; R. N. Russell, Artesia.

Class "C" (22 h.p.)—Russell Brey, El Paso, 5:52.2; Jim Ferguson, Artesia; R. N. Russell, Artesia.

Class "E" (33 h.p.)—Jim Ferguson, Artesia, 6:12.2; Ralph Barr, Artesia; Buford Gray, Artesia.

Free-for-all—Buford Gray, Artesia, 6:16.8; Ralph Barr, Artesia; Bill Bogle, Dexter.

Mr. and Mrs. William Linell returned Friday from Denver, Colo., where they attended the graduation of their daughter, Peggy, at Colorado Woman's College. On their return trip they visited interesting places in Colorado and New Mexico.

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**WANTED**

**WANTED**—Work by middle-aged lady, by hour, day or week. Prepared to do home laundry or will care for children. Can give references. 607 Chisholm St. 24-1tp

**WANTED**—To buy, rent or store (for use of) electric or gas refrigerator. If interested call 222-W or see Mrs. Lillian McNiel, 611 West Dallas. 23-1tp

**BOY WANTED**—For apprentice printer. Opportunity to learn a good trade. The Advocate. 23-tfx

**WANTED**—Radio repair work. Victor Haldeman. Call 388-R2. 23-3tc-25

**WANTED**—Lot cleaned off and trash hauled away. Phone 7, Mrs. Blocker. 21-tfx

**WANTED**—House. Four or five rooms. Modern, good location. Permanent, can give references. J. I. Exum. Phone 757-M. 21-tfx

**LOST**

**LOST**—Child's glasses. Brown case bearing name, Dr. Clay Guinn. Reward if returned to Mrs. Clarence Conner, 1011 Grand. Phone 281. 23-2tp-24

**Class of Eighteen Standard First Aid Women Pass Course**

Eighteen women successfully completed a Red Course standard first aid class last Thursday, taught by Mrs. A. L. Bert, lay instructor.

At the conclusion of the course, the members of the class presented Mrs. Bert a gift in appreciation of her efforts.

Certificates are to be issued to Mrs. J. E. Roberts, Mrs. Carl Wiese, Mrs. J. W. Jones, Mrs. Jonell Jones, Mrs. Francis Painter, Mrs. W. S. Hogsett, Mrs. A. M. Archer, Mrs. P. V. Morris, Mrs. M. D. Sharp, Mrs. Arthur Gormley, Mrs. Jess Shildneck, Mrs. Marvin Sanders, Mrs. Glenn Sharp, Mrs. Pat Gormley, Mrs. J. W. Thomas, Mrs. H. I. Gessler, Mrs. H. R. Paton and Mrs. Homer Borland.

**Mrs. Thomas**

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"Eddy County's schools have made remarkable progress during the past four years, as shown by established records in the state educational department. This has been done in spite of budget curtailments and a constantly growing population in the county. Since I have been associated with the office during most of this period, I feel thoroughly familiar with this program which has met with such pleasant cooperation from the state school budget officials and know that, with the continued assistance of Mr. Thomas, I could continue this program and the close cooperation with the state budget officials, which will become increasingly necessary as the emergency program becomes more acute."

During the last four years the standard in the Eddy County schools has been sharply raised. This has been brought about by a constant advancement in the qualifications of the teaching personnel and a long-term program of improvement and addition to school equipment.

In one field particularly, the Eddy County system has established an enviable position. During the present administration a program of improvement of library and reference books has been carried out which now has reached a place where pupils in the county school system have access to a library of supplementary and reference books, which is equalled by few city school systems in the



R. N. THOMAS

state. This consists of adequate libraries in each school, supplemented by a circulating library handled through the superintendent's office. This central library, while primarily established for the benefit of the county schools, has increased its usefulness as more and more students of the city schools of the county have learned of its scope and are making use of these books.

Mrs. Thomas is acutely conscious of her responsibility to the community in which she lives. Since coming to Carlsbad she has taken an active part in every enterprise which tended to improve the community or the county. For the last two years she has been vice president of the Carlsbad Woman's Club and now is president of the Carlsbad Business and Professional Women's Club. She also maintains active participation in the Methodist Church, the Child's Conservation League, the Altrusa Society and the American Legion Auxiliary.

From a professional standpoint, Mrs. Thomas is unusually well qualified for the position she seeks. She has been actively associated with school work for the last twenty years. She received professional training at Texas State Teachers College at Denton, and has had work at New Mexico State Normal, Las Vegas. Her early teaching experience was in Texas and later she taught in the Hagerman schools for a number of years. During most of her term, Mrs. Thomas has assisted R. N. Thomas, present county superintendent, in the office and is thoroughly familiar with both the office routine and the long-term program, which they have incorporated in the county school system.

"Should the voters of Eddy County place me in the office, they could be assured that, with the assistance of Mr. Thomas, I shall

**Oil Activity**

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Drilling at 2,760 feet. Barney Cockburn, Etz 4, SW NE 35-16-30.

Drilling at 3,190 feet. Barney Cockburn, Etz 6, SE SW 35-16-30.

Total depth 2,397 feet; 7-inch liner cemented.

Drilling at 1,815 feet. Barney Cockburn, Leonard-State 1, SE SE 32-16-30.

Drilling at 2,805 feet; oil sand 2,795-2,805 feet.

Danciger, Turner 15-A, SE NW 19-17-31.

Total depth 3,444 feet; shut down for orders.

Paul English, Hinkle 1, NE NE 22-19-31.

Drilling at 510 feet.

Etz Oil Co., Etz 2, SW SE 25-16-30.

Drilling at 1,890 feet.

Martin & Stidham, Stephens 1, NW NE 22-15-29.

Total depth 3,855 feet; plugging back.

Mizel & Randel, Friess 1, NW SE 19-17-31.

Total depth 3,521 feet; plugged back to 2,870 feet; drilling by lost tools.

Nay Hightower, Grier 3, NE NW 31-16-31.

Drilling at 1,510 feet.

R. A. Nipper, Yates 1, NW SW 8-20-29.

Total depth 1,200 feet; shut down for orders.

E. Orcutt et al, Newman 1, SE SW 16-21-26.

Total depth 753 feet; fishing for tools.

Sanders Bros., Etz 1-E, SW NE 34-16-30.

Drilling at 2,920 feet.

Sanders Bros., Etz 2-E, SE NE 34-16-30.

Drilling at 1,970 feet.

Sanders Bros., Leonard 4-E, SW SE 33-16-30.

Drilling at 2,690 feet.

Sanders Bros., Leonard 6, SW NW 34-16-30.

Total depth 2,970 feet; flowing estimated 80 barrels oil per day through casing; testing.

Sanders Bros., Leonard 7, NE NW 34-16-30.

Drilling at 2,370 feet.

Stroup & Yates, Koonze 1, SE NW 21-19-31.

Total depth 2,427 feet; plugged back to 2,419 feet; testing water shut-off.

Harry Tellyer, State 2, SW SW 36-16-30.

Total depth 3,134 feet; cleaning out after shot.

Forrest Warren, Grier 1, SE SW 30-16-31.

Total depth 3,000 feet; shut down for repairs.

Forrest Warren, Grier 2, NE SW 30-16-31.

Drilling at 3,030 feet.

Neil Willis, Keyes 5-C, SW NW 15-20-30.

Total depth 1,565 feet; 7-inch casing cemented.

George Williams, Brooks 2-B, SE NW 27-17-27.

Drilling at 2,027 feet.

J. O. Wood, Green 1, NE SW 7-7-29, rank wildcat in Chaves County.

Total depth 2,115 feet; shut down for orders.

V. S. Welch, State 2, NW NE 36-16-30.

Rigging up.

Walter Solt, State 2-A, NE NE 5-18-28.

Drilling at 400 feet.

maintain the present high standards of the county school system and the fine cooperation which we have received from the State Educational Department and the State School Budget Department," Mrs. Thomas said.

**Grissom, Probable Governor Candidate, In Artesia Tuesday**

R. H. Grissom, New Mexico school budget auditor, who said in Santa Fe Monday he is "in the race" for governor, was through Artesia Tuesday on his way to Hobbs, in regard to a new school building to replace the one destroyed by fire recently.

When in Artesia, Grissom would not comment on a news story under a Santa Fe dateline indicating that he will seek the Democratic nomination for governor, but, he said, he will make a definite statement within a few days.

He was accompanied by Mrs. Grissom and Mrs. Ilene Guthrie, former superintendent of Lea County schools, who has announced as a candidate for state superintendent of public instruction. At present Mrs. Guthrie is a member of the state school board.

**Presbyterian Young People's Conference Is to Start Monday**

The Rev. Henry S. Stout, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church here, has announced the annual meeting of the Presbyterian Young People's Conference will be in the Sandia Mountains for a week, starting next Monday, and that about a half dozen young people from Artesia are expected to attend.

He said that young people of high school age from any church may see him, if they wish to attend.

Members of the Pecos Valley Presbytery will leave by bus Monday morning. Besides those from Artesia, young people from Hobbs, Carlsbad, Roswell, Hagerman and Alamogordo will go in the bus.

The Rev. Glenn O. Canfield of Hobbs will be in charge of the conference.

**Charlton, Cook Stop In Artesia on Way To Manpower Meet**

Brig. Gen. Russell C. Charlton and Lt. Com. Roy L. Cook were in Artesia Wednesday afternoon on their way to Carlsbad, where they held a meeting last evening for the purpose of discussing the manpower situation in relation to the war industry.

The meeting was to be of vital interest to many persons, as the shift from normal life to war-related industries takes place, the general said. It was attended by a number of persons from Artesia.

The Carlsbad meeting was one of a series over the state, being held to round out information compiled in a statewide questionnaire, serving to allocate manpower and lend assurance that activities essential to the prosecution of the war will be properly developed and maintained.

At Ontario, Calif., unable to dodge an onrushing truck, 6-year-old Betty Bowser seized the front bumper and clung on for dear life. The truck rolled several hundred feet down the street, but before the driver could come to a halt, Betty lost her grip, and disappeared beneath the vehicle. Anxious spectators found the girl pinned to the pavement by one wheel which had come to rest on the hem of her dress. Her only injury was a slight burn on her elbow.

Typewriter Covers—The Advocate.

**Walker Is Listed in Navy Communication Wounded in Action**

The name of Staff Sgt. Uzelle D. Walker, who was reported about a month ago as wounded in action, was included Monday in an official Navy Department list as a casual.

The new communication, released through the press, gave no further information than that in a message May 6 addressed to Sgt. Walker's mother, Mrs. Clara B. Walker, formerly of Artesia and now of Carrizozo.

The message last month was addressed to Mrs. Walker, whereas the current news release was a compilation of the names of eleven Navy men from New Mexico listed as missing, and two, including Walker, as wounded. The period covered was April 16 to May 10.

Robert Amis Gregory, third class radioman, son of Mrs. Evelyn Florence Gregory of Dexter, was listed as missing.

**Leadership With Britain Solution After the War**

An article by Raymond Leslie Buel, in which he declared the United States must establish leadership with Great Britain after the war and establish a new basis for cooperation, was discussed Tuesday noon by J. Clark Bruce, Artesia High School history instructor, at the weekly Rotary luncheon.

Leadership with Great Britain is one of three courses suggested by Buel, the others of which are the taking over of the British Empire by the United States and formation of a new league of nations, in his discussion of the world after the war.

When the war is over, it will be up to the United States and Britain to work out a program and extend it to other nations.

The Axis must be disarmed and there must be a continuation of a unified command, as well as an "international legion" under the unified command to police the world, Bruce said Buel has written.

At the meeting W. E. Kerr was elected the club's delegate to the annual meeting of Rotary International at Toronto June 21-25.

The club voted to furnish refreshments two times during the summer for the Junior Woman's Club summer playground program.

Dr. Glenn Stone, president, and Ed Shockley, secretary of the Artesia Lions Club, were guests and they invited the Rotarians as individuals to meet with the Lions at any time.

**OASIS FARM SOLD**

A transaction recently took place in which Owen Campbell, owner of the Oasis farm, east of the city, sold his farm to Nick Aekma. Mr. Campbell has joined Mrs. Campbell in Eastland, Tex., where she is ill at the home of a sister. Mrs. Campbell has been in Texas for several months.

**Band Concert**

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July 16—Sacred band music program; sponsored by Artesia Ministerial Alliance.

July 23—Selections and overtures, also patriotic numbers; program sponsored by Artesia Chamber of Commerce.

July 30—Old-time favorites, honoring "Trail Blazers," who have lived in Artesia locality 50 years and more; "Pioneers," who have lived in the locality 40 to 50 years, and "Old-Timers," who have lived in the locality 30 to 40 years. Program sponsored by The Artesia Advocate.

The complete program this evening: "The Star Spangled Banner," Smith; march, "Main Event," Weeks; waltz, "Lorens," Schreeb; serenade, "At Dusk," Ennis; Indian intermezzo, "Chief Clear Sky," Richards.

Cornet duet, "Comrades—Polka," Stevens, played by Sonny Lawrence and Bertie Wyman; march, "United Nations," King; overture, "Grenada," McCaughey; "Torrey Pines," Conway; exhibition baton twirling by Stella Baker, pupil of Ann Crouch; "America the Beautiful," Ward; "America," Carey.

**Cadet Corps**

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querque June 25-27. The boys had been promised that at least a portion of them, selected in competition, would be taken to the convention. This later was changed to include all members who earned certificates of merit and then the outing at the Boy Scout camp was substituted for the trip to the Duke City.

Capt. Roberts said all Legionnaires, parents of the boys and others are invited to visit them in camp, to watch them at their activities.

The boys left the high school building here at 9 o'clock Wednesday morning in Jim Ferguson's bus and are to break camp and leave there for home at 9 o'clock Saturday morning.

**FOR SALE**

Transparent Holders for Sugar Ration Books.—The Advocate.

**CARD OF THANKS**

Words or printer's ink cannot express our sincere and heartfelt appreciation to all the good folks for the many floral offerings and expressions of sympathy. Also, the City of Artesia, which furnished the fire trucks, and the service stations, which furnished wreckers and other means of conveyance; and the hundreds of people on foot who joined in the search for our beloved son and brother, Paul Daniel Loucks, and those who through deed and word consoled and sympathized with us in our hour of grief after his death. May the blessings of God rest upon you all in our earnest prayer.—Mr. and Mrs. D. A. (Doc) Loucks and children. 23-ltc

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