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City Dads Don't Know Whether Airport Picture Rosy Or Drab

Army May Want to Use It As Auxiliary for Carlsbad Field, Just as Flying School Is Being Assured.

GROUND CIVILIANS

Proposition Would Mean Restriction of Air to Armed Forces.

Ramifications of the airport situation in Artesia have the city dads, the airport committee and others undecided whether the present news is good or bad, for about the time it began to look as though a civilian pilot training school was to be established soon, the Army indicated it might wish the use of the municipal port to the exclusion of other flying.

Work has been going ahead for the improvement of the municipal airport by Glenn Booker, with the cooperation of the city, getting it in shape for designation as a landing area by the Civil Aeronautics Administration.

And then Wednesday Lt. Col. F. P. Sturdivant, representing Col. W. C. Lewis, commanding officer at the new Carlsbad Army field, presented the Army's proposition that it be granted use of the Artesia field for an auxiliary base, from which student pilots could practice landings and taking off.

The Army, Col. Sturdivant said, proposed to oil the two main runways, and possibly some taxi strips, and use the port. Further improvements would be negligible and resident personnel be few, if any.

Perry Is Named Head of State ODT Committee

E. M. Perry of Artesia has been appointed chairman of the New Mexico petroleum transport advisory committee to the Office of Defense Transportation, as well as a member of a regional committee embracing New Mexico, Colorado, Wyoming and Montana, and H. E. Anselmy of Artesia has been named a member of the state body, according to an announcement Monday by E. Robert Baker, Denver field manager for ODT.

The new Mexico committee is one of forty-eight set up by ODT to assist in the efficient wartime movement of petroleum products and particularly to facilitate the movement of oil to the East Coast.

The principal function of the committees, Baker said, is to assist the diversion of petroleum and petroleum products from railroad tank cars to tank trucks for hauls of 100 miles or less, in accordance with an order issued May 5.

G. O. Owen of Silver City also was named a member of the regional committee and will serve under Perry as vice chairman of the state committee.

Boy Scouts Plan District Water Meet on Aug. 21

Plans are being made here for the first annual district water meet for Boy Scouts of this district, to be held at the municipal pool Friday evening, Aug. 21, a week prior to the meet of the Eastern New Mexico area council at Roswell Saturday, Aug. 29.

Taking part in the district meet will be Boy Scouts of Artesia, Lake Arthur, Lakewood, Hope, Mayhill and Weed.

Events will include a free style race, breast stroke race, racing back, water treading, feet-first swim, spoon race, medley relay and general relay.

All of the events will be held in two divisions, junior for Scouts 12 to 14 years old inclusive and senior for Scouts 15 to 17 years old inclusive. Boy Scouts 18 years old or older will be eliminated.

The younger boys, those of the junior ages, may step up to the senior division, but if they do so they will be considered as seniors for all events.

Winners at the district meet will be eligible to enter the council meet at Roswell.

Mrs. Stockton Dies at Temple; Is Buried Here

Mrs. Sam W. Stockton of ten miles southeast of Artesia died at 7:30 o'clock Wednesday evening of last week in Scott-White Hospital, Temple, Tex., after an illness of four years of cancer. She was taken to Bishop, Tex., last February for treatment and was moved May 21 to Temple, where she remained until her death.

The body arrived in Artesia Friday and funeral services were held from the First Baptist Church here at 4:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon by the Rev. S. M. Morgan, pastor. Burial was in Woodbine Cemetery.

Pallbearers were C. L. Hefley, Roy Hefley, H. G. Watson, John Rowland, Widd Boyce, Jr., I. R. Exum, F. E. Brown and Ed West. Mrs. Stockton is survived by her husband, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Irwin, Grand Junction, Colo., and six sisters and four brothers, who are:

Cannie, Mrs. A. F. Jackson, Georgetown, Tex.; Mrs. Mary Day and Elsie, Mrs. W. C. Allen, Grand Junction; Miss Daisy D. Irwin; Effie, Mrs. Ray Patton; Arrow, Mrs. Berton Burkholder, and Jack Irwin, Clifton, Colo.; A. G. Irwin, Buckeye, N. Mex.; William Irwin, Jr., Clifton; and John Irwin, Denver.

Mrs. Taylor, Who Died on Coast, Is Buried Here

The body of Mrs. Harold Taylor of Brawley, Calif., formerly of Artesia, who died in Brawley at 2:45 o'clock Tuesday afternoon of last week, arrived in Artesia Saturday morning over the Santa Fe for funeral services and burial here.

She became ill shortly after moving to the West Coast last April and was seriously ill the last two months. Death was from a cancer, resulting from a black mole.

The services were from the First Baptist Church by the Rev. S. M. Morgan, pastor, at 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon. Burial was in Woodbine Cemetery.

Pallbearers were Ray Lewis, Clyde Dunn, John Simons, Davis Simons, Vic Haldeman, Ralph Gurely, Jack Parker and Walter Ray Whitaker.

Mrs. Taylor, who was Wanda Morris, was born in Roosevelt County, New Mexico, Feb. 11, 1923, a daughter of Mrs. Donnie Morris and the late Jim Morris, who died in April, 1941. With them she moved to Artesia as an infant.

She and Harold Taylor were married at Roswell, Sept. 15, 1940, and to them was born a daughter, Julia Ann, who will be 5 months old next Tuesday.

Besides her husband, daughter and mother, Mrs. Taylor is survived by eight half-brothers and half-sisters: Truman Morris, Hobbs; Monteen, Mrs. Roy Massey, Big (continued on last page, column 5)

Four Completions In Fields of Eddy County This Week

Dominion Stakes Four Locations—Progress Made by Many Rigs

Four new wells were added to the Eddy County production list during the last week, while six new locations were staked, four of them by Dominion Oil Company.

The completions: Barney Cockburn, Etz 7, NE NE 35-16-30; total depth 3,105 feet; flowed 150 barrels of oil per day after shot.

Barney Cockburn, State 3, NE NW 2-17-30; total depth 3,060 feet; flowed 85 barrels of oil in 3 1/2 hours after shot.

Sanders Bros., Evans 5, NE SW 33-16-30; total depth 2,929 feet; flowed 102 barrels of oil per day after shot.

Nay Hightower, Grier 5, SW NE 31-16-31; total depth 3,238 feet; flowed 175 barrels of oil per day, natural.

New locations: Dominion Oil Co., Johnson 1-B, NW NW 33-16-31; Dominion, Johnson 2-B, SE SW 33-16-31; Dominion, Johnson (continued on last page, column 6)

REGISTRATION DAY IS TO BE AUG. 10

A registration day for voters in precinct No. 6, greater Artesia, will be held Monday, Aug. 10, Mrs. R. A. Wilcox, Eddy County clerk, has announced through Mr. Wilcox, candidate for the office.

Registrars will be on hand at all of the four boxes in Artesia and voters should go to the box in their home districts.

Persons who have registered heretofore and have not moved need not apply, but those who have moved here from out of the county or who have changed voting places should appear.

Voters also may change their party affiliations at that time, or declare party affiliations if that has not been done previously. In the latter case a voter may vote only if he makes a declaration.

The deadline for registering change of precinct in order to vote in either party primary Sept. 12 is Tuesday, Aug. 11.

Clarke Club Is Formed In His Old Hometown

Fred Brainard Is Head of Group Determined to Send Artesia's Own Candidate to United States Senate

A representative crowd of about fifty Artesia men lined up behind Dr. J. J. Clarke, Sr., of Artesia, candidate for United States senator, last Thursday evening, when a Clarke-for-Senator Club was formed at a meeting at the Carper Terrace.

Thomas G. Summers of Roswell, publisher of The Roswell Daily Record and The Hobbs News-Sun, addressed the Artesia group briefly, telling what the people of Lea County think of the candidate, who has a dental office in Hobbs.

Summers, who formerly lived in Hobbs, said that Dr. Clarke "is the one man in politics in Lea County who has no bitter enemies."

Fred Brainard, who opened the meeting as temporary chairman, was unanimously elected chairman of the Artesia Clarke-for-Senator (continued on last page, column 3)

J. B. Lunsford Candidate for Commissioner

J. B. Lunsford announces his candidacy for Eddy County commissioner of district No. 1. He was born in Gilliam, Ark., but when he was only an infant his parents moved to Chickasha, Okla., where they lived until they moved to Carlsbad.

It was largely because of the poor health of his father, Robert Newton Lunsford, that they came to Eddy County. During the first three years that they were here J. B., as the candidate is known, rented a farm and for the last sixteen years he has had his own farm in East Orchard Lane, LaHuerta, where he is quite popular.

J. B. raises cotton and alfalfa on his land and has just enough cows and hens to supply his own table. He and Mrs. Lunsford have eight boys and one girl. His brother, E. M. Lunsford, a blacksmith, lives at Otis. His mother has a small farm close to his own. His father died eight years ago.

This is J. B.'s first fling at running for any office. He is an oddity because he wishes Si Gibson, the only opponent in sight so far for commissioner of district No. 1, all the luck in the world. They are neighbors in LaHuerta. He is depending on his friends to nominate him. He says he is no politician and never intends to become one. If he loses he declares that he will take defeat in good grace and go around and congratulate the winner.

J. B. Lunsford is a strong, healthy, determined-looking man and it is his intention to make a good, clean fight in the primary on Sept. 12 for the office of commissioner of district No. 1.

Lions Plan For Army Dance and Entertainment

Most of the time at the weekly luncheon meeting of the Artesia Lions Club Wednesday noon was taken up with plans and discussions pertaining to the Army emergency relief dance to be given at the Carper Terrace Saturday evening and the regatta to be given on Lake McMillan Sunday, Aug. 16, which the club is co-sponsoring with the Pecos Valley Boat Club.

The thirteen-piece dance orchestra from Fort Bliss, which played for a Lions-sponsored dance here a few weeks ago, will play for the dance Saturday evening, all proceeds from which will go to Army emergency relief.

The Lions do not profit by the dance, except in the satisfaction of handling the Artesia end for the Fort Bliss group, which comes with the sanction of the Army.

Members of the club pointed out that the last dance, which was a great success, provided the best such affair and probably the finest orchestra ever heard here, worth many times the admission price. And they are looking forward to an even more successful affair Saturday.

Plans for the regatta are going ahead nicely, it was brought out at the meeting. There will be thirteen heats, some of which will be for hydroplanes and racing runabouts, bound to provide many thrills.

First Lt. John J. Clarke, Jr., past president of the club, who is to leave this evening and report Friday at Albuquerque for duty in the Army Dental Corps, spoke briefly, telling of his pleasure in having been a member of the club and in serving as president.

Horace Smith of Perryton, Tex., a former member of the local club, was a guest.

Oil Men Are to Seek Moderate Price Increase

Independent oil operators of Eddy and Lea Counties are preparing company figures to present at a hearing in the near future of the Senate public lands committee on problems confronting them, headed by Senator Carl Hatch of New Mexico.

A number of the local operators met last Thursday evening with Neville G. Penrose of Fort Worth, making plans to meet with the Senate committee, when it comes to the Southwest, which is expected within the next few days.

The operators will attempt to convince them a moderate raise in the price of crude is imperative in order for the oil business to survive.

In order to maintain or build up their reserve, they pointed out, a certain amount of drilling must be done and they must have a profit above current operations sufficient to take care of depletions.

The operators will endeavor to show that with increased cost of labor and material and the drastic cut in the well allowable the net revenue for the last twelve months compares very unfavorably with the previous twelve months.

Dick Westaway Candidate for Eddy Assessor

R. H. (Dick) Westaway, efficient assessor of Eddy County, has authorized The Advocate to announce him as a candidate for that office, subject to the will of the Democratic voters at the primary Sept. 12.

He seeks re-election on the same basis as would any competent employee in private business, that of knowledge of the job, experience and efficiency.

"If nominated and elected, I pledge the same efficient, courteous treatment it always has been my aim to give every citizen of Eddy County while assessor and during my years as deputy assessor," Westaway said. "If the voters of Eddy County feel that I have performed the duties of assessor in a manner which has been fair and just both to the taxpayers and the county, I shall appreciate their support at the polls Sept. 12 and later at the general election."

Westaway is thoroughly familiar with every piece of property in the county, and his friends, on the strength of his efficiency, knowledge and fairness, are happy again to support him for the office, which he has served so faithfully in the past. They feel the assessor's office is the focal point between the (continued on last page, column 2)

Hal Hamill, Soldier of Both World Wars, Dies Sunday Morning at Camp Lee, Va., From Burns

Captain Shows Guardsmen How To Shoot Rifle

Four members of Company 8, 2nd Battalion, New Mexico State Guard, of Artesia, including Capt. Oren C. Roberts, qualified as expert riflemen, twenty as sharpshooters and ten as marksmen Saturday and Sunday, when the company members fired for record course on the new range northeast of the Pecos River bridge. At the same time five members of the Headquarters Company qualified as sharpshooters.

The average for Company 8 was 74 per cent, the score sheets showed.

Besides Capt. Roberts, others who qualified as expert riflemen were First Sgt. Marshall Rowley, Sgt. M. T. Carder and Cpl. Frank E. Smith.

Sharpshooters: 1st Lt. Oscar Samelson, 2nd Lt. Howard Stroup, Sgt. Boone Barnett, Cpl. Stanley E. Wasson, Cpl. Marvin H. Sanders and Pvt. J. J. Terry, Wallace Gates, W. G. Lewis, J. H. Holcomb, C. O. Fulton, Harry Gilmore, Donald Butts, J. B. Wallace, Gene Roberts, L. E. Evans, R. F. Miller, D. M. Chapin, Phillip Kranz, Cliff Thomas and J. R. Chester.

Marksmen: Mess Sgt. H. D. Daughtry, Cpl. Owen Haynes, Cpl. Dave Saikin and Pvt. Paul Chipman, Wesley L. Cummins, J. T. Caudle, Clyde Newbert, S. H. Hollis, Kirk Yeager, and Frank Herbold.

Formal Opening Pharmacy to Be Here Saturday

Ralph Petty, owner of the Artesia Pharmacy, announced today the store will have its formal re-opening Saturday, after having been through a repair period caused by a fire June 21.

Although the store has been doing some business more than a week while final touches were added and the last of the stock was placed on display counters and shelves, the formal opening was postponed.

Petty announced there will be a fire sale in connection with the opening, offering many items somewhat damaged by fire, smoke or water.

After the fire, the entire wooden floor was torn up and replaced by a concrete floor, over which asphalt linoleum squares were laid. New display cases, a new ceiling and other improvements and decorations make the store more attractive than before the fire.

Former Sheriff Lee Again Seeks County Office

Dwight Lee, sheriff of Eddy County for two terms in 1935-38, this week announced his intention again to seek the office, and authorized The Advocate to list his candidacy, subject to the Democratic primary Saturday, Sept. 12. The candidate is one of the outstanding Democrats of the county and is well and favorably known.

Lee was born in Montrose, Colo., in 1898 and came with his parents to New Mexico in 1914. They settled at Lakewood, where the candidate lived until 1921, since when he lived in Artesia, Loving and Carlsbad.

He enlisted in the United States Army May 10, 1917, and was honorably discharged May 3, 1919, after serving overseas nine months.

During his previous term as sheriff of Eddy County, Lee discharged the duties of his office efficiently and with fairness at all times. He was known as a fearless officer of the law.

Since completing his term as sheriff, Lee has been agent at Carlsbad for Malco products.

If nominated and elected, the candidate pledges himself to again give Eddy County a fair and efficient administration and to enforce the laws to the best of his ability.

In asking the voters of Eddy County for their votes, Lee points out that because of war conditions and the rubber situation it will be impossible for him to see all citizens. He wishes that they consider his formal announcement as a personal request for support Sept. 12 and in November.

DANDY NAVY YARN HAS GONE ASTRAY

Artesia likes publicity and for her boys to be in the war news, if it is good news.

But this community cannot take credit for Glenn Arthur Swisher, 26, machinist's mate, member of a party of seventeen Navy officers and men, who scudded their ship when Corregidor fell and made a perilous, 2,000-mile trip to Australia.

It happens that Machinist's Mate Swisher hails from Artesia, Los Angeles, Calif., a subdivision of the City of the Angels.

The Associated Press the last few days has carried a number of stories about the trip the men made and credited this city with having a member in the group.

Although it was a good yarn, Artesia, N. Mex., passes the bow on to Artesia, Calif.

War Bond, Stamp Sales Must Step Up, Feather Says

AWVS to Sell At Postoffice and Bank Saturdays—Quota \$54,000

L. B. Feather, chairman of the North Eddy County war savings staff, announced this morning that this area is falling behind in its quota and that increased efforts will have to be made during August in order to meet the quota of \$54,000.

In order to advance the sales of War Savings Bonds and Stamps, members of the American Women's Voluntary Services are to be on duty each Saturday at the First National Bank and the Artesia postoffice, offering the stamps and bonds for sale.

Up to Wednesday evening, only \$2,500 of the monthly quota had been spent for War Bonds and Stamps in North Eddy County, about \$50 a day, whereas the daily average for August must be nearly \$2,000, Feather said.

He stressed that the government needs the money badly and needs it now. In this light, he said that anyone who can afford to invest \$1,000 in war savings should do so at this time, rather than investing only in a \$25 or \$50 War Bond, saving the remainder for future months.

Feather also pointed out that anyone having purchased his quota of \$500 in Series E bonds may purchase bonds of Series F and G.

Echoing the plea of Feather, J. E. Robertson of Carlsbad, chairman for the southern part of the county, said that area also has (continued on last page, column 4)

Grid Schedule Is Curtailed, Leaving Only Seven Games

State Association Recommends Limiting Contests to Places Near Home

A ruling this week in regard to curtailment of high school athletic events in New Mexico will have some effect on the Artesia High School grid schedule, but it appears the Bulldogs will be able to play at least seven games, four of them at home, this fall, according to C. D. Marshall, principal and athletic director.

The board of control of the New Mexico High School Athletic Association cleared the way by ordering all contests cancelled, but added a recommendation that schools negotiate new, limited schedules providing for intracity contests and events between teams of neighboring towns.

Marshall said Artesia High School has cancelled a game with Tucumcari, scheduled to have been played there Oct. 23, and that Portales called off the game here Oct. 6. (continued on last page, column 4)

Has Fatal Accident on Saturday—Death Comes As Mrs. Hamill Is On Way to His Bedside by Airplane.

ARRIVE IN MORNING

Military Funeral to Be at McClay Chapel at 3 O'clock Friday.

Tech. Sgt. Harold A. (Hal) Hamill of Artesia, 44, a veteran of World War I and an Army volunteer in the present world conflict, died at 8:55 o'clock Sunday morning at Camp Lee, Va., from burns sustained Saturday morning.

At the time of his death, Mrs. Hamill was on the way to Camp Lee, where she flew, having left Saturday upon receipt of a telegram from Sgt. Hamill's commanding officer.

She is on the way to Artesia at present with his body, which is to arrive over the Santa Fe at 7:30 o'clock Friday morning. Until Mrs. Hamill returns here, details of the accident will not be known.

Funeral services will be held from McClay Chapel at 3 o'clock Friday afternoon, with full military rites at the grave in Woodbine Cemetery by the American Legion, assisted by the State Guard.

Besides Mrs. Hamill, Sgt. Hamill is survived by three children: Hal Hamill, Jr., U. S. Navy, who is training for electrician's mate at San Diego, Calif.; Miss Peggy Hamill, a student at Highlands University, Las Vegas, and Fid Hamill, at home. All are here now. (continued on last page, column 4)

He's Lieutenant, But Wonders If Army or Navy

Dr. L. F. Hamilton knows he is a lieutenant, but he doesn't know yet whether he is to have web feet, wings or tired feet and he finds himself in somewhat the same fix as Charlie McCarthy was last year.

It will be remembered that Charlie was given honorary ranks or ratings in the Army and Marine Corps, which caused lots of fun when the fact caught up with him.

As announced last week, the Army notified Dr. Hamilton he has been issued a commission as a first lieutenant in the Army Medical Corps.

But he had applied to the Navy as a medical officer and still had hopes that commission would come through. So he delayed being sworn in as an Army officer.

And sure enough, he received a wire Monday from the Navy that he was to be commissioned a lieutenant, senior grade.

Now Hamilton, lieutenant or lieutenant, senior grade, is hoping confirmation of his Navy appointment arrives before some Army officer pops in and has him hold up his right hand.

"Doc" says he knows just how Charlie McCarthy felt about that other affair, especially without Edgar Bergen to guide him, but he is certain that he will rate a salute soon.

Wayne Truett One of the Top Rifle Marksmen

Wayne Truett, son of Postmaster and Mrs. Jesse L. Truett of Artesia, can now take his place with the finest rifle marksmen in the country, it was disclosed in Washington by the Junior Division of the National Rifle Association. The 18-year-old Artesia boy has just been awarded the "Expert Rifleman Medal."

So far this year Truett is one of only 457 junior riflemen to gain this award, although the competition for the NRA medal series attracts thousands monthly. The majority of those shooters win awards for the thirteen progressively harder qualification tests which must be passed before a shooter even becomes eligible to compete for the expert medal. Up to now, medal awards in these lower classifications have numbered (continued on last page, column 2)

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TEAMWORK WILL WIN THE GAME

Except that the elements of sportsmanship are lacking and it is being played for keeps, this war—or any war—has many aspects of a sporting event.

A war has its innings, its quarters, its chuckers, its goals, its finish line!

One can keep score from inning to inning, or quarter to quarter. Deceptive plays are planned and attempted; substitutions are made; changes of pace are resorted to.

One side may have many reverses and still come from behind to win.

A team or a nation at war may become overconfident and be bettered by an inferior opponent.

But neither a game nor a war is won until the final gun is fired, or until the winner crosses the finish line or until the full time of the contest has been exhausted.

And when that time comes the team or the nation wins which fights desperately every inch of the way, never letting reverses dishearten it, never losing sight of the strength of the opponent, never failing in its teamwork.

Our team is made up of the man in arms and the man on the street, of capital and labor, of men and women, of you and us.

We wonder if every member of the team is doing his best!

And you may interpret that as you wish, as pointing to any one of the team members, except the first—the man in arms.

MAY HIS TRIBE INCREASE

We were impressed by a number of things at a meeting last week for the formation of a Clarke-for-Senator Club in Artesia, but the greatest was that the group of men who gathered were not confined to a single political party, a single church, or a single race.

All were there with enthusiasm in their hearts, with sincerity in their speech and with determination in their actions—for the unanimous support of a "hometown boy."

No party politics was talked. The matter of qualifications was hardly mentioned; that was a foregone conclusion.

The main thing was that "Doc" Clarke over the thirty-five years he has lived in our midst probably has done more for Artesia and has given a greater percentage of his time to the community than any other citizen—far too many accomplishments to recite in this limited space—and that if nominated and elected would continue to be one of the fellows, but a fellow who always would be for the better things for Artesia, for Eddy County, for Southeast New Mexico, for all of New Mexico, for the nation.

If he were not qualified for the office, we are certain there would not have been so many representative men present. So we can eliminate that factor.

All we must consider is that Dr. J. J. Clarke has given us the best in him for nearly two score years, during which he has asked nothing in return.

Now he seeks an important office during an important period in the nation's history, an office he is qualified to hold.

The least we can do is to see that he gets it and that when the vote is counted the nights of Sept. 12 and Nov. 3, his name, like that of Abou Ben Adhem, leads all the rest.

IF YOU HAVEN'T THOUGHT ABOUT IT YET

Sometimes we see a number of soldiers from the Roswell Army Flying School on the streets of Artesia, evidently on leave and getting away from Roswell, just to see how other places in the Pecos Valley tick.

Usually they are standing on some corner with a far-away look. Perhaps it is nostalgia—homesickness to you.

Have you ever been away from home and friends in some strange place, without a soul to whom you can turn? Well, just stop to think about it and perhaps you can get the slant.

How about picking one or two of the boys once in a while, thinking out the coffee and pulling up an extra chair or two?

It's the least anyone can do.

But here's a warning: When you do have a soldier or sailor at your table as a guest, don't talk about the war, never mind about his home and family, refrain from asking him too much about his work; just make him feel at home and let him pick the subjects. Then you join in to help him forget his nostalgia for an hour.

AND GUESS WHO WON!

Somewhere we picked up a good yarn, about Hitler, Goebbles, Himmler and Goering having a game of bridge.

Goebbles opened the bidding with two spades. Himmler was next with three diamonds and Goering upped it to six no trumps.

Hitler studied his hand a minute and then, "One heart," he said.

"Pass," said Goebbles.

"Pass," said Himmler.

"Pass," said Goering.

LOOK AROUND, IF YOU DON'T BELIEVE US

We've seen so many editorial squibs about women's slacks that we've racked our puny mind time and time again, hoping to think of something to say.

And up to now the best we could do would be to delete the "s."

George E. Currier, local member of the rationing board, says there should be no apprehension about the religious status of the valley, judging from the number of ministers applying for tires and tubes.

Serious shortage of hemp is reported. Gosh, we hope they don't run out of rope before we can take care of Hitler, Mussolini and Hirohito.—Childress (Tex.) County News.

CHURCHES

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH Sixth and Quay

Bible school, 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship, 11 a. m., sermon by Sam Stewart, subject, "Being Sure of God."
Christian Endeavor, 7 p. m.
Union services at Methodist Church, 7 p. m., with Mr. Stewart filling the pulpit for the Christian Church pastor.
Mid-week service, Wednesday, 8 p. m.
Oren Orahoad, D. D., pastor.

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

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 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. Newcomers are invited to visit our services and to make our church their church home while in the city.

I. L. Morgan, Th. D., Pastor

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH Fourth at Grand

Church school, 9:45 a. m.
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.

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

CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER-DAY SAINTS

Woman's Club
Sunday evening preaching service, 8 o'clock. Everyone welcome. No collections.

Radio program each Sunday morning over station KGFL, Roswell.

Elder Guy L. Combs, presiding

SAINT PAUL'S MISSION EPISCOPAL

Sunday services at 11 a. m. through August, in charge of lay readers.

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"Spirit" is the subject of the lesson-sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, Aug. 9.

The Golden Text is: "Where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is liberty." (II Cor. 3:17.)

Among the citations which comprise the lesson-sermon is the following from the Bible: "Where there is no vision, the people perish: but he that keepeth the law, happy is he." (Prov. 29:18.)

The lesson-sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook: "The

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more material the belief, the more obvious its error, until divine Spirit, supreme in its domain, dominates all matter, and man is found in the likeness of Spirit, his original being."

Wilton Tarbet, owner of the Tarbet Studio, is spending a two-week vacation at San Antonio and Corpus Christi, Tex.

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The Santa Fe System carloadings for the week ending Aug. 1, were 23,955, compared with 22,682 for the same week in 1941. Cars received from connections totaled 12,062, compared with 8,341 for the same week in 1941. The total cars moved were 36,017, compared with 31,023 for the same week in 1941. The Santa Fe handled a total of 35,741 cars in the preceding week of this year.

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WHAT'S WHAT —in— NEW MEXICO

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

The Office of Price Administration has designated twenty-six new communities as defense rental areas, including Alamogordo in Otero county. Landlords in the areas were given sixty days in which to reduce rents to levels prevailing last March 1.

New Mexico bank deposits totaled \$18,386,000 last June 30, an increase of approximately \$250,000 over the Dec. 31 call report. State Bank Examiner Woodlan P. Saunders announced. Loans, he said, showed only a "negligible" gain during the six months, but investments in government securities increased almost \$1,000,000, indicating, he added, that "the banks are striving to do their part in the war effort."

Distribution of major defense contracts and allocations in New Mexico from June, 1940, through April, 1942, has reached a total figure of \$86,824,000, according to a report just issued by the United States Information Service, Office of Government Reports. The expenditures are broken down as follows: Army, Navy, and Maritime Commission, \$80,742,000; Department of Commerce, Civil Aeronautics Authority, \$1,692,000; Federal Works Agency, grants \$84,000; Works Projects Administration, \$2,998,000; National Housing Agency, \$300,000; Federal Security Agency, Office of Education, \$652,000; National Youth Administration, \$293,000; Reconstruction Finance Corporation, \$63,900.

It's a sour as well as an unsweetened world for Joseph Montoya, of Albuquerque. His wife sent him to buy the family's sugar supply. He forgot. When he remembered later, he found that he had lost the sugar rationing books.

Jobs in war industries have been taken by a substantial number of New Mexicans 18 to 20 years of age. Selective Service registration cards showed. Brig. Gen. R. C. Charlton said local boards had received 1,072 registration cards from youths outside the state.

Add results of the war: Tony Marvot was fined \$5 for parking his bicycle on the sidewalk in Albuquerque.

A phenomenon, which puzzled residents of Ruidoso, was set down as a meteorite. Residents told of a strange flash of light—at first believed lightning—which streaked across the sky on the afternoon of July 22 without any afterglow of thunder. This was accompanied, they said, by "a swishing or whistling sound, such as a bullet makes as it travels through the air." Mrs. Harold Graham, Los Angeles visitor, and her mother, Mrs. A. S. DeFord, heard the noise and what sounded like some object striking a tree on the other side of their cabin. While searching, they found a few fresh branches on the ground. Then Mrs. Graham noticed a black rock near her car which had not been there when the car was parked. Picking it up, she found it still hot, she said. Mrs. Graham, who dabbles in geology, described the find as a meteorite. It weighed eleven ounces.

The defense transportation director's request for elimination of duplication in bus and rail services was met by the New Mexico Corporation Commission with the statement that any further curtailment in this state would cause "serious local dislocations and inconveniences." Commission Chairman Don Casados wrote Transportation Director Joseph B. Eastman that the state's present passenger service, "both rail and bus," should not be disturbed. He said a thorough study of paralleling services in New Mexico had shown that "in such instances duplicate services are required and may not be curtailed without seriously affecting the passenger service now rendered."

A fund collection campaign for building an Episcopal Church in Ruidoso is under way. M. C. Martin of Fort Stanton has been named head of the building committee, and Mrs. R. L. Boyce of Ruidoso, treasurer.

The possibility that some unknown person had met death in a remote Southwest New Mexico cave eleven years ago was exploded when State Police Chief Tom Summers announced that examinations proved a recently-discovered skeleton was that of an animal. The bones were found in a cave in the Ladrone Mountains. Part of a 1931 hunting license was found at the same place.

In a move to supply San Felipe and Santa Ana Indians with additional food resources, almost 3,000 fingerling large-mouth bass, sun-

fish and catfish have been planted in drains and borrow pits on the reservations. The fish were obtained from the federal hatchery at Dexter and requests by the governors of both pueblos, a one-year ban on fishing has been imposed to permit the fingerlings to attain legal size. The closed area includes the Rio Grande north of Alameda.

The management of the Portales

Cannery announced that approximately 75,000 pounds of beans have been canned at the plant to date this season. Canning of the beans, which were described as of very good quality, will continue until Sept. 10, when the tomato canning season will begin. Seventy women and twenty men are employed at the cannery.

Attendance at the White Sands

Monument for the month ending July 20 was 7,232, according to figures released by Custodian John Will Faria. This compared with 11,686 for the same period of last year, or a drop of 38.2 per cent. The July, 1942, group came in 1,593 cars as against 2,719 cars last year, which is a drop of 41.5 per cent in number of cars. The soldier visitors were 3,558, compared with 3-

368 soldiers visiting the area a year ago.

A twenty-foot "V-for-Victory" electric sign is blazing on Goat Hill near Raton, at a spot where the Christmas Star has shed its rays during the annual holiday season. This sign, which was erected by the Raton Public Service Company, at the suggestion of the Raton Kiwanis Club, will be

lighted nightly until the United States wins the war. Thus is Raton symbolizing its patriotic efforts.

An enlisted man reported to the Fort Bliss post hospital for frost bite treatment, although the thermometer reading was more than 100 degrees. In an effort to get cool, he explained to the regimental surgeon he had been holding a

piece of dry ice in his hand.

The Pintada community is having trouble with its horses in the wake of rubber restrictions. Nero Romero, 65, a Democratic party leader in that section was thrown from a water wagon when the team became frightened. It was the third accident within two weeks there involving unruly horses.

SAFeway Homemakers' Guide

NUMBER 55 ★ How to have more fun during vacation ★ A list of fine foods, low-priced every day ★ What one girl learned about easy shopping



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How to keep cooking from spoiling your vacation

Like most of us, you are probably staying close to home for your vacation this year—which means that household duties may go on as usual, vacation or no vacation. But with a little clever planning, you'll be amazed at how much more time there is for leisure. And you'll find vacations at home can really be lots of fun.

Below, the Safeway Homemakers' Bureau has suggested several time-saving ideas. See if you don't think they're good ones.

Plan menus ahead of time. Allow plenty of variety, including a few foods you don't often buy; but choose things that cook quickly, or may be partially prepared in advance. Don't undertake elaborate, time-consuming cookery—unless that's your idea of fun!

Plan shopping lists with menus. Streamline your shopping trips to a minimum. There's no point in spending your vacation traveling back and forth to the store. Buy the major part of your groceries early in the week. Then, in between times, you'll only need to buy the most perishable foods.

Be leisurely. Shop early in the day when stores are less crowded—you are less rushed—and the selection is better.

Be forehanded. Plan foods that can be prepared in advance. Meat loaves, casseroles, molded salads, puddings and cookies are good examples.

Be cool. Do your heavy cooking in the cool of the morning, or even the night before if possible.

Be smart. Purposely plan meat leftovers every so often for easy second-day cooking. Roasts, fried chicken, baked ham, for instance.

And here's a menu that shows you what we mean by advance preparation and tasty eating.

VACATION MENU

Baked Ham Loaf—Served Hot or Cold
(Mix and mold meat in advance; keep in refrigerator until ready to bake.)

Scalloped Noodles
(Cook noodles; combine with hot cream sauce; keep in refrigerator until time to bake; dot with buttered crumbs and brown in oven.)

Buttered Freshly-Cooked Peas
(Shell and cook just before serving)

Sliced Tomato, Grapefruit Section, and Avocado Ring Salad with French Dressing

(Keep scalded tomatoes in refrigerator ready to peel; prepare salad at the last)

Heated Rolls Butter Fresh Peaches and Cream
(Slice fruit just before serving)

Oatmeal Cookies
(Baked in an ambitious moment)

Coffee, Milk, or Iced Tea

More about vacation fun

Read the article, "V is for Vacations, Too," in this week's Family Circle. It's about morale, vacations, and more fun at home with cooking worries eliminated. Out every Thursday, free at Safeway.

Safeway Homemakers' Bureau JULIA LEE WRIGHT, Director

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COCOAMALT 8 oz. 23c
AIRWAY
COFFEE 1 lb. pkg. 21c
INSTANT
POSTUM 8 oz. tin 45c
KRAFT—MALTED MILK
CHOCOLATE 1 lb. 26c
WELCH'S
GRAPE JUICE qt. 44c

★ SALAD DRESSINGS ★

CASCADE qt. 33c
MIRACLE WHIP
SALAD DRESSING . qt. 42c
DUCHESS
SALAD DRESSING . qt. 36c
LUNCH BOX
Sandwich Spread . 16 oz. 26c
HOMELIKE
Sandwich Spread . . qt. 32c
NUMAIDE
MAYONNAISE . 16 oz. 29c
DUCHESS
SALAD DRESSING . pt. 24c
MIRACLE WHIP
SALAD DRESSING . pt. 27c
CASCADE
SALAD DRESSING . pt. 20c
NUMAIDE
MAYONNAISE . . 8 oz. 16c

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SPINACH, No. 2 tin 9c
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SWEET POTATOES . . 10c
CRAWFORD NO. 2 TIN
MUSTARD GREENS . . 9c
HIGHWAY ALL GREEN NO. 2 TIN
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LIBBY'S NO. 2 TIN
KRAUT JUICE 10c
SUNNY DAWN NO. 2 TIN
TOMATO JUICE . 2 for 19c
LIBBY'S SMALL WHOLE
BEETS, No. 2 tin 16c



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HAMBURGER, fresh ground, lb. . . 17c
BEEF ROAST, center cut, lb. 24c
PORK CHOPS, center cuts, lb. 34c
CHEESE, part cream, lb. 18c
ROASTS—STEAKS—LUNCH MEATS

GUARANTEED-FRESH PRODUCE

ORANGES, Sunkist, lb. 7c
GRAPEFRUIT, lb. 6c
BANANAS, lb. 7c
TOMATOES, lb. 8c
CORN, two ears 5c
CARROTS, lb. 6c
POTATOES, Cobblers, lb. 2½c
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ROYAL, each 7c
SUNSWET MEDIUM
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LIBBY'S IN SYRUP, NO. 1 TIN
BLACKBERRIES 18c
HARPER HOUSE
PEARS, No. 1 tin 15c
CHERRY LAND
CHERRIES, No. 2 tin 17c

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CAKE FLOUR 25c
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FLOUR, 48 lb. \$1.83
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SHORTENING, 3 lb. tin . 69c
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BORAX, large box 15c
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SOAP CHIPS, 2½ lb. box 21c
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BROOMS 29c
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SOAP, Giant Bar 10c
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Society

Artesia Junior Woman's Club Has A Membership Tea on Wednesday

Members of the Artesia Junior Woman's Club were hostesses at a lovely membership tea from 3:30 to 5:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Olen Featherstone. About fifty called, including members of the club, state officers and prospective members. Out-of-town guests included Mrs. Kern Smith, state chairman of Junior Clubs, and Mrs. Rauche president, Carlsbad Junior Club.

In the receiving line greeting the guests were Mrs. Andy Corbin, second vice president and membership chairman; Mrs. Ralph G. Roberson, Jr., president; Mrs. Hugh Farry and Mrs. Wallace Gates, past presidents, and Mrs. Jeff Hightower, president of the Senior Woman's Club.

The table, covered with an Irish linen cutwork cloth, was centered with a bouquet of scarlet and white water lilies floating in a clear blue, boat-shaped bowl. At each end of the table were tall, white tapers in crystal holders, tied with red, white and blue and blue red, white and blue streamers. Miniature crystal eagles were at either side.

Mrs. Glenn Booker and Mrs. Mark Corbin, sponsors of the club, poured. Mrs. J. T. Caudie and Mrs. Phillip Kranz assisted in the serving. Dainty cookies, nuts and mints, which also carried out the patriotic colors, were served.

Mrs. Wallace Gates, state war service chairman, was in charge of selling War Stamp corsages, which were made by members of the AWVS, and sold for that organization. Twenty corsages were sold.

Presiding at the membership table during the first hour was Mrs. Lynn Buford and the second hour Mrs. Gene Roberts.

Phyllis Vosburg and Ralph Gurley Are Married in Carlsbad

Miss Phyllis Vosburg, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Vosburg, and Ralph Gurley, son of Mrs. R. L. Gurley, both of Artesia, were married Wednesday evening of last week in Carlsbad by Walter L. McDonald, justice of the peace.

The bride wore a white street-length dress with matching accessories and a shoulder corsage of carnations. Witnessing the ceremony were Mrs. Leonard Robinson, a sister of the bridegroom, and Mr. Robinson, of Galesville, Wis.

Both the bride and bridegroom attended the Artesia schools.

Mr. Gurley graduated with the class of '41 and is now employed as a substitute clerk-carrier at the postoffice.

The newlyweds plan to take a wedding trip later in the summer.

Paul Coffin of Hope Marries Texas Girl

Paul Coffin, son of Mrs. Anna Coffin of Hope, and Miss Mary Catherine Powers of Eagle Lake, Tex., were married Saturday, July 11, at the First Methodist Church in Austin, Tex., it was learned here this week.

The bridegroom is attending Officer's Training School at Fort Hood, Tex., and at the completion of the course will be commissioned a second lieutenant. Before entering the school Mr. Coffin was a member of Company A, 804th TD Bn.

Miss Lynde Honored At Surprise Party On Sunday Evening

Mrs. Oscar Samselson entertained Sunday evening complimenting her sister, Miss Mary Irene Lynde, who left Tuesday morning for Seattle, Wash., with a surprise party.

After a buffet supper was served, the guests enjoyed badminton and several card games.

Those present on this occasion were operators of the Mountain States Telephone Company office, where Miss Lynde has been an employee. They were Misses Flora Coggin, Mary McCaw, Ethel Cave, Cecelia Rehberg, Inez Standard, Letha Green, Dorothy Mahan and Ruth Lewis and Mrs. Helen Eaton and Mrs. Hazel Tolbert.

ENTERTAIN FORESOME FROM ROSWELL FIELD

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Billingslea entertained at a dinner Sunday Sgt. Paul Cox and Sgt. Roy Payton of the enlisted personnel and Joe Campanella and Charles Wright, civilian employees at the Roswell Army Flying School.

Social Calendar

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THURSDAY [TODAY]

Methodist Society of Christian Service, devotional service, at the church, 2 p. m.

Presbyterian Woman's Association, Mrs. Rex Wheatley, hostess, 2:30 p. m.

Christian Woman's Council of the First Christian Church, all day meeting, workday, at the church, 10 a. m.

Baptist Woman's Missionary Society, business meeting and royal service program, at the church, 2:30 p. m.

Garden Club, members and their families, picnic, Morris Field, 7 p. m.

FRIDAY

H2O Bridge Club, Mrs. Ralph Hayes, hostess, 2 p. m.

MONDAY

American Legion Auxiliary, regular meeting, at the hut, 2:30 p. m.

TUESDAY

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

THURSDAY [NEXT WEEK]

Christian Woman's Council of the First Christian Church, executive board breakfast, Mrs. Albert Richards, hostess, 8:30 a. m.

Young Woman's Guild of the First Christian Church, Mrs. Homer Borland, hostess, 2:30 p. m.

Atoka Woman's Club Enjoys Lawn Party

Members of the Atoka Woman's Club and their families and guests were entertained at a fried chicken lawn supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hornbaker Tuesday evening. Mrs. Paul Zeleny was co-hostess.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Hogsett and son. Mr. and Mrs. Buri Phillips and daughters; Mr. and Mrs. Herman Green and children; Mr. and Mrs. Nevil Muncy and daughter; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Vogel and children; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bradshaw, Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Higgins, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Bradshaw and daughters; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Terry and children; Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Haldeman and son; Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Bradshaw and daughters; Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Garner, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Lowery and daughter; Mrs. E. M. Tidwell and Paul Zeleny and children.

Guests present were Miss June Brookshier of Roswell, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Muncy, Mr. and Mrs. G. U. McCrary and grandson; Mrs. O. J. Carson, Mrs. W. C. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Garner, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Terry, Mrs. Clay Rook and George Dungan.

Mrs. Hayes to Give Book Review Monday

Mrs. Ralph Hayes will be guest speaker at the regular meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon at the Legion hut.

Mrs. Hayes, who has given a number of splendid book reviews at different clubs, will review "The Moon is Down," by Steinbeck.

Anyone who is interested and wishes to hear Mrs. Hayes is invited to attend.

Lt. and Mrs. Clarke Honored at Supper

Mrs. C. D. Marshall and Mrs. Leslie Martin were hostesses Tuesday evening at a picnic supper at the Martin home complimenting 1st Lt. and Mrs. J. J. Clarke, Jr., who are to leave this evening for Albuquerque, where Lt. Clarke will report for service with the Army Dental Corps.

The guest list included Mr. and Mrs. William Linell, Mr. and Mrs. Mark A. Corbin, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cole, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Kerr, Mrs. J. J. Clarke, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Andy Corbin, Dr. Catherine Clarke, Mrs. Hiley Johnson, Mrs. Leona Gott, C. D. Marshall and Leslie Martin.

Mrs. W. H. Ballard, accompanied by two sisters, Mrs. Nelle Alberts and Mrs. Clark Storm of Roswell, left Monday morning for Barksdale, Tex., where the three sisters will visit a fourth sister, Mrs. Lige Powers, and also their step-mother, Mrs. J. E. Carper, at Uvalde. This is their first visit in Uvalde in the last six years.

Home Nursing Is Considered Of Much Value

In order to clear up some misunderstandings in regard to the purposes for which home nursing is being taught by the Red Cross, Mrs. Phillip Kranz, new local chairman of home nursing, this week released information from national Red Cross headquarters by way of clearing up the mistaken ideas.

Mrs. Kranz recently was made home nursing chairman, replacing Mrs. John J. Clarke, Jr., whose husband has been commissioned a first lieutenant in the Army Dental Corps.

Briefly, Mrs. Kranz said, the purpose of the course in home nursing is to strengthen the resourcefulness of the individual in dealing with minor illness or emergencies in the home and develop in the individual a health consciousness that will permit better care of the home and family under normal conditions as well as in illness or emergency. This course has never been considered by the Red Cross adequate for volunteers in community health service.

During an emergency of any kind, it is taken for granted that any woman would use her intelligence and the knowledge gained through this course to help her neighbors or the community, Mrs. Kranz said. This is in accord with the spirit of neighborliness, which has always been fostered by the Red Cross.

The Red Cross home nursing course does not provide adequate preparation for rendering auxiliary nursing care in hospitals, clinics, or first aid stations. Any woman who wishes to volunteer for such service may consult Mrs. Kranz, the local Red Cross chapter, or the local Defense Council regarding the necessary preparation.

Mrs. Hart Entertains The Miercoles Club

Mrs. F. C. Hart entertained the Miercoles Bridge Club Friday afternoon. Substituting guests were Mrs. W. M. Patton of Carlsbad, Mrs. Glenn Booker, Mrs. Albert Richards and Mrs. C. R. Baldwin.

Members present were Mrs. Raymond Bartlett, Mrs. T. E. Johnson, Mrs. P. V. Morris, Mrs. R. C. Parker, Mrs. D. M. Schneberg, Mrs. Lewis Story, Mrs. G. Kelly Stout and Mrs. Elzie Swift. Refreshments were served after the rounds of contract.

Fortnightly Club at Martin Home Tuesday

Mrs. Charles R. Martin was hostess to members and guests of the Fortnightly Bridge Club, when she entertained with a 1 o'clock luncheon Tuesday. A salad plate was served.

Those present were Mrs. P. V. Morris, Mrs. Harold Dunn and Mrs. Paul Hanger, substituting guests, and Mrs. Glenn Booker, Mrs. Leslie Story, Mrs. Grady Booker, Mrs. William Linell, Mrs. John Lanning, Mrs. C. R. Blocker, Mrs. C. R. Baldwin and Mrs. Landis Feather, members.

After the games, watermelon was served on the lawn. Mrs. Baldwin held high score.

Mrs. J. B. Atkeson, the founder of the club, was granted a one-year leave of absence.

Mrs. Myers Hostess To Abnormis Club

Mrs. J. Hise Myers was hostess to the Abnormis Sapiens Bridge Club Tuesday afternoon.

Substituting guests were Mrs. A. G. Glasser, Mrs. M. W. Evans, Mrs. W. J. Cluney and Mrs. Maude Ployhar. Members present were Mrs. J. W. Berry, Mrs. J. J. Clarke, Sr., Mrs. L. A. DeLouche, Mrs. Jeff Hightower, Mrs. James Nellis, Mrs. Henry Paton and Mrs. J. M. Story.

After the rounds of bridge the hostess served an iced drink. Mrs. Glasser held high score of the afternoon.

TWO ARE INITIATED IN REBEKAH LODGE

Two were initiated in the Rebekah Lodge at a regular meeting Monday evening at the lodge hall. Candidates for initiation were Mrs. C. T. Medders and Mrs. Leslie C. Smith.

Preceding the meeting, a birthday supper was served. Mrs. C. Bert Smith and Mrs. Effie Wingfield were birthday guests.

About thirty members were present.

Methodist All-Family Church Supper Will Be Friday Evening

A Methodist all-family church supper will be held on the church lawn at 7:15 o'clock Friday evening, Aug. 7.

Members and friends of the church are invited to attend and bring the entire families, said Dr. I. L. Morgan, pastor.

Each family is asked to bring a picnic basket of food and service for the individuals. The dessert and drink will be furnished by the Men's Club, which is sponsoring the affair.

The pastor pointed out that this is an opportunity for church people to visit and know each other better and asks that Friday evening be reserved for the occasion.

FORMER ARTESIA DAUGHTER TO BE WEDDED IN GEORGIA

Friends of Mrs. C. W. Williams, a former resident of Artesia, who lives in California, have been informed of the approaching marriage of her granddaughter, Miss Ruth Gambel, daughter of Mrs. Lora Gambel, also of the state of California.

Miss Gambel, accompanied by her mother, left Los Angeles Sunday for Fort Benning, Ga., where she is to be married sometime this week to Lt. Haskins, who is stationed there. Miss Gambel and Mr. Haskins are graduates of the University of California and were members of the 1942 graduating class.

WARDENS WILL MEET ON SECOND WEDNESDAYS

Air raid wardens met Friday evening at the high school for a regular business meeting.

Floyd Springer, chief warden, presided at the meeting. The second Wednesday evening of each month was decided on for the regular meeting date.

All wardens and their wives were invited to attend a wiener roast and party which is to be Wednesday evening, Aug. 12, at the Howard Whitson home, 919 S. Rose-lawn.

Twelve members were present.

Coffee Is Favorite Beverage of Men in The Armed Forces

There is a reason why coffee is sent up on every flight with the Army flyers, when they are on a long flight. It is a natural stimulant—a beverage that has the power to chase out fatigue poisons from the muscles, leaving the body relaxed. And besides, it is the favorite beverage of men in our armed forces.

There is not a woman who will not be glad to learn that service men are being supplied with coffee—all they desire. This explains in part the reason why there is not quite so much coffee available for civilian use. However, when it is realized that the coffee needs of service men are taken care of by the government it can be readily understood that their quota of coffee, the amount they would normally have consumed as civilians, is not being used, and so augments the amount of coffee available for home consumption.

Nothing is more unpatriotic than to hoard anything in war time. And it is not only unpatriotic, but wasteful, to hoard coffee, for it only becomes stale and loses its refreshing flavor. And if one hoards, he plugs up the normal flow of coffee to the many households of the country; for only a certain amount, sufficient for everyone's needs, is being released each week. If Mrs. X buys more than she needs and starts to hoard, then Mrs. Y will not have her share.

Following one simple rule will overcome this difficulty, and here it is: Buy coffee once or twice a week, according to need, just as one would purchase butter or any perishable commodity. Then everybody will have enough.

Keep 'em firing—with junk!

Special Surprise For Boys, Girls Aug. 27 At Playday Session

Mrs. Hugh Perry, project chairman for the Junior Woman's Club, said this morning that there is a big surprise in store for the boys and girls at the final playday session Thursday morning, Aug. 27, but she would give no inkling as to what they might expect.

However, she urged that all boys and girls up to 12 years old remember the date and be sure to be on hand.

In the meantime, Mrs. Perry said, the children can have lots of fun each Thursday morning at the municipal swimming pool and high school, where the playing sessions are held from 9 to 11 o'clock.

At the session last Thursday, when there were eighty-five youngsters present, they sang, "Thank You 20-30 Club" in appreciation for the treats.

Hope Baptist Church Plans Vacation Bible School and Revival

The Rev. Roy Irwin, pastor of the Hope Baptist Church, has announced a revival meeting and vacation Bible school, to start Sunday and continue through Sunday, Aug. 23.

The Rev. Earl Landtroop of Hagerman will preach and Elmer McGuffin of Artesia will lead the singing.

The Bible school sessions will start at 3 o'clock in the afternoon and the revival meeting at 8:30 o'clock in the evening. Everyone is invited to attend.

TWO FROM ARTESIA ARE ON COLLEGE HONOR ROLL

Two students from Artesia, Miss Clara Harlan and Mrs. Myrna Yeager Fox, were listed on the honor roll for the summer term at State Teachers College, Silver City.

Miss Harlan, who has been on a year's leave of absence from the Artesia city school faculty, received her B. S. degree at the close of the summer term, and will return to her position here this fall. Mrs. Fox was one of seven to make a straight "A" record for the term.

Church Activities

GIRLS' AUXILIARY

The Junior Girls' Auxiliary of the First Baptist Church and their sponsor, Mrs. Charles Ransberger, met Monday afternoon at the church for the monthly business meeting.

Virginia Thorp, president, presided. After the business, Lila Ruth Williams and Gwendolyn Hegwer were in charge of the games.

Watermelon was served at the close of the meeting to eighteen members.

THE DORCAS CLASS

Members of the Dorcas Class of the Baptist Church met Tuesday afternoon at the church for a Bible study.

Mrs. J. D. Josey, teacher of the class, was in charge. Twelve members were present.

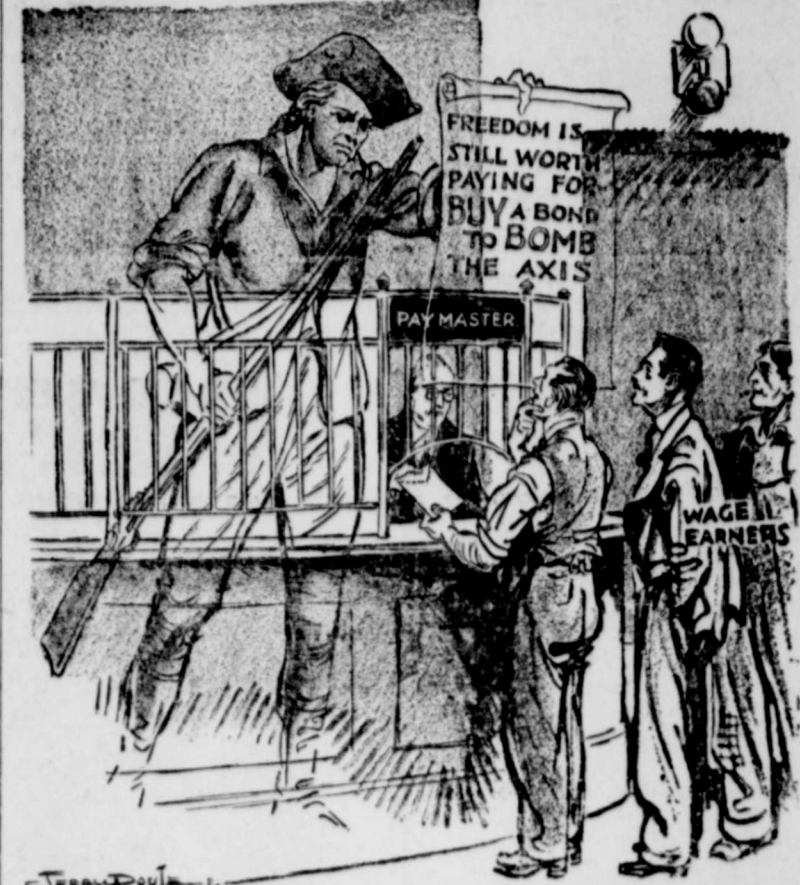
On Tuesday evening members of the class and their husbands enjoyed a watermelon feed on the church lawn.

Jack Fauntleroy has been transferred from Sheppard Field, Wichita Falls, Tex., to Sioux City, S. D., where he is attending an Army radio school, according to a message to his parents-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Byers. Mrs. Fauntleroy, who is visiting at present at Duncan and Tucson, Ariz., plans to join him there the latter part of the month.

Blain Bedford Haines, son of Mrs. Grover Sharp, has just been made a corporal at Fort Lewis, Wash., where he has been stationed the last three months. He has been in the service eight months and was transferred to Fort Lewis from San Diego, Calif.

Keep 'em firing—with junk!

DO IT EVERY PAY DAY!



LOCALS

Bird Jones and Don Mayes, who are employed in defense work at Glendale, Calif., came home Saturday to visit a week.

Miss Jean Bloodworth of Graham, Tex., niece of C. E. Mann, was an overnight visitor of her uncle and family Tuesday.

Miss Mary Ellen Kesselring of Tulsa, Okla., arrived Friday for a visit with her aunt, Mrs. Frank Smith, and Mr. Smith.

Phil Perry, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Perry, left last week by bus for Vinton, La., to visit his aunt, Mrs. R. C. Broussard.

Mrs. W. B. Stanford of Waco, Tex., an aunt of E. B. Bullock, was expected Wednesday for a visit of several days with Mr. and Mrs. Bullock.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Webb have received a notice from the War Department that their son, 1st Lt. James M. Webb, is seeing service overseas.

Dr. and Mrs. C. C. Cornett and Lee Cornett drove to Ruidoso, Alamogordo and the White Sands Sunday and returned by way of Cloudcroft.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Langford,

who have spent the last five months in Gainesville, Tex., with his mother, have returned to Artesia and are back at the Langford Trading Post.

Dr. and Mrs. E. A. Metzger left Monday for the northern part of the state on a vacation trip, before Dr. Metzger leaves for the Army. He has been commissioned a captain in the Medical Corps.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Webb had as their house guests last week Mrs. Webb's father and mother, the Rev. and Mrs. G. G. Mitchell, and Mr. and Mrs. Bishop Mitchell and son, J. B., of Fort Stanton, Tex.

Mrs. E. M. Perry and son, Paul, left Saturday for Austin, Tex., to visit her sister, Mrs. L. L. Doan, until the latter part of August. They went with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Millman, who were going on a two-week vacation trip to Taylor, Tex.

Mrs. C. C. Dannenbaum and daughter, Carlyn, who moved recently from Artesia to El Paso, were through here Wednesday afternoon on their way to Clovis to visit their mother and grandmother, Mrs. A. E. Hunton.

Alma Irene and Roy Scott Langston, daughter and son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Langston, are spending the summer in Arkansas with his mother. They have been ill of whooping cough, but are getting along nicely.

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PERTINENT PARAGRAPHS

Peanuts are being borrowed from the bleachers to make synthetic fabric for suits, but nearest tailor-made of the season is a sandwich—peanut butter on whole wheat bread with thin ripe banana slices on top.

Peel off all the clothes you can for summer's hottest days but keep peel on potatoes and other vegetables to conserve most vitamins when cooking.

British press got its Americanese madly mixed when it reported on diet of U. S. troops in Ireland, saying "Bacon and Eggs, known as flap-jacks" have been scarce but they will now be a regular feature on the morning diet! Flipped any flap-jacks lately? Dark karo groups 'em sweetly. Spreading em with vitaminized margarine saves butter, ups vitamin intake, tastes good.

Lettuce, believed 14th Century hosts, should be eaten after supper to "keepeth away drunkenness which cometh by wine." Moderns serve it shredded with real mayonnaise to satisfy yens for the perfect salad.

It's a merger meant to be when creamed vegetables crown twin halves of biscuit puffed up proud with all-phosphate baking powder. Good for lunch.

Take rigor out of rationing and make cookies without sugar. Just use that grand gingerbread mix which was good enough for Washington (George) when he was a boy, since it is based on his mama's own recipe and is good enough for Washington (DC) because you don't need sugar to make it—just add water. For cookies, use the package recipe for mixing with semi-sweet chocolate pieces, dropping out baking—mmmm!

Among those present in cooling off circles this summer will be canned grapefruit juice, ready to be drunk right out of the can or put into the best 'ades you ever sipped for Florida is sending us top-crop juice right now to insure plenty of vitamin C.

Catch 'em quick, those mid-season berries are happy in a home of that good bran cereal (takes less sugar thus)—and who's to blame them for such behavior?

Smooth, shallow-eyed and sound should be your 'aters when you tote them home from market. Boil new ones quick, serve with a sauce of onion rings browned in vitaminized margarine with flour and cooked to smoothness with a cup of milk.

STOP AIR RAIDS ON VITAMIN C

Be an air raid warden—when it comes to Vitamin "C", for air is the greatest enemy to this precious vitamin's preservation. Guard your Florida grapefruit juice—cheapest source of Vitamin "C"—from "air raids", for it loses some of its generous "C" quota when left exposed. Fresh or canned, whisk those Florida fruit juices into the refrigerator and keep them covered unless you plan to serve right away.

BANANA BOATS NOW SERVE UNCLE SAM

"We can't have all we want, if our soldiers and sailors are to have all they need!" is the statement that explains why bananas must be classed as a war casualty. Our Latin American neighbors are still growing the delicious fruit that used to be so cheap and plentiful in our markets, but the big, fast refrigerated ships that brought bananas from Central America are now serving Uncle Sam by carrying food, under convoy, to our boys abroad. Smaller "banana boats" are ferrying sugar from Cuba or bringing bauxite for aluminum.

Some bananas continue to arrive in local markets but prices naturally are higher and even hospitals may at times have trouble getting all of this nourishing fruit they want. Mothers may find it hard to get the bananas for baby's diet that child specialists recommend and we may have to wait until after the war to see the familiar sight of plenty of bananas.

BRAN CHEESE CHIPS TOP SUMMER SOUP

1/2 cup bran cereal
1 1/2 cups flour
1/2 teasp. salt
1/4 teasp. paprika
Few grains cayenne
1/2 cup shortening
3/4 cup graded American cheese
3-5 tbsps. cold water
Milk
Caraway, celery or poppy seeds
Roll bran cereal until fine; combine with flour, salt, paprika and cayenne. Cut in shortening; add cheese. Add water a little at a time until dough is moist enough to hold together. Form into roll 1 1/2" in diameter. Wrap in waxed paper. Chill overnight (or longer) in refrigerator. Slice in 1/4" slices; place on well greased baking sheet.

Eddy Farmers Hope to Solve Labor Shortage

In an effort to solve the acute shortage of farm labor in Eddy County, pledges of ten cents an acre are being petitioned throughout the valley as the outcome of a meeting of USDA victory councilmen acting as representatives of all farmers in the county, in Carlsbad last week.

C. F. Beeman, chairman of the Eddy County USDA war board, presided at the meeting, with the victory councilmen, C. P. Pardue, Loving; H. L. Green and R. L. Paris, Artesia; James Craft, Malaga; Mrs. T. Marquess, Carlsbad, and Noah Buck, Lake McArthur, representing their respective communities.

"It is believed," Beeman said, "that with cooperation, the farmers of Eddy County can import labor from neighboring states since our harvesting period is usually later than those of bordering states."

"If all farmers, those who will benefit directly or indirectly, will cooperate in this venture, we should be able to solve this problem."

"There is an already serious labor shortage in Eddy County, and farmers are anticipating an exceptional cotton yield this fall, and it is hoped that the pledge system will solve this problem."

Band Work Is to Be Free This Year at Central School Here

Beginners' band, junior band, sight-reading class lessons and rehearsals at Central School during the coming school year will be free, E. L. Harp, director, announced. Music also will be furnished free at class lessons and rehearsals, he said.

He suggested that beginners and juniors try to get band instruments from relatives or friends, if they do not have them.

Harp will be at his residence, 321 Dallas street, from 1 to 3:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon, Aug. 8 and 15, where he may be seen in regard to the bands and program for the year.

The two bands will need some trombones, baritones, French horns, mellophones and basses, he said, but a few of these will be available.

GARLAND STUART LEAVES ADVOCATE FOR JAL JOB

Garland Stuart, a printer for The Advocate, started work at Jal Monday as a field man for the El Paso Natural Gas Company. He and Mrs. Stuart and their little daughter, Garleen, moved to Jal over the week end.

Starting as "printer's devil" in The Advocate shop after graduating from Artesia High School, Stuart learned the printing trade here and was a member of the force about seven years.

Hospital News

Sister Gertrude arrived from Wichita, Kan., last Friday to relieve Sister Julitta, who had been in temporary charge of Artesia Memorial since July 1, when the hospital was taken over by the Sisters-Adorers of the Most Precious Blood of Wichita. Sister Gertrude will be remembered by many who knew her when she was at St. Francis Hospital in Carlsbad seven years ago. When interviewed this morning, Sister Gertrude was particularly pleased with the hospital here and especially with the wonderful equipment which she said was up-to-date in every manner. Sister Julitta who is known to so many in this community has returned to Wichita.

A son, Clifford Wayne, was born to Mr. and Mrs. John William Collins at 12:11 o'clock Monday afternoon. He weighed eight pounds. Mr. Collins is a clerk at the post-office.

A daughter, Maxine, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wesley Marshall of Loco Hills at 8:17 o'clock Tuesday morning. Maxine weighed 7 pounds 9 ounces. Mrs. Clint Cole of Lovington, formerly of Artesia, underwent major surgery Wednesday. Mrs. Cole was reported to have rested as well as could be expected last night.

Mrs. Ann Kinder, school nurse in Artesia schools, who was stricken from a heart attack while at Ruidoso Friday, was rushed to the hospital that same day and was a patient there until Monday. She is reported to be very much improved.

Mrs. J. B. Runyan of the Runyan ranch near Hope, who has been a medical patient since Saturday, is improving.

Elmer Flowers, a medical patient, who entered the hospital Sunday, is improving.

James W. Amstutz, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Amstutz, had his tonsils removed Wednesday.

A colored baby, Frank Marcellus, was born to Mrs. Frank Dickey, at 8:30 o'clock Friday evening. Frank and his mother were dismissed the next day.

Juan Madrid, a medical patient was brought to the hospital Wednesday.

Miss Julia Loflin left Wednesday for the J. A. Cooper ranch at Kenna, where she will be indefinitely.

Brush tops with milk; sprinkle with seeds. Bake in hot oven (450° F.) about 12-15 minutes. Yield: 35-40 chips.

BE A "SALVAGETTE!"
If kitchen conservator seems a trite and toilsome task, join the "salvagettes", make breadsticks out of that stale loaf that's been hanging on in the bread box: Cut length-wise into sticks. Brush one side with melted vitaminized margarine, the thrifty spread that keeps down butter bills; lay sticks on cookie sheet; turn and brush other side; pop into moderately hot oven (375° F.), bake 20 minutes, serve at once.

Private Palooka Says:

IF YOU CAN'T JOIN UP WITH ME, THE NEXT BEST THING TO HELP US LICK THEM MAD DOGS IS TO BUY ALL THE UNITED STATES SAVINGS BONDS AND STAMPS YOU CAN!!



WORKING ON SPANISH METHODIST CHURCH

Work at the Spanish Methodist Church, which was neglected when the building was constructed, is going ahead now, the Rev. Constantino Gonzales announced this week, but said some assistance will be necessary from friends. Lumber alone will cost about \$30 and labor will amount to \$40, he said. The work includes strengthening of the bell tower, plastering, and building a platform and prayer rail.

A telegram received here Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Gray

from their son, Pfc. Paul N. Gray of the Army Engineering Corps, originally stationed at Camp Claiborne, La., said he had arrived safely and well at his Canadian destination.

Miss Jo Ransbarger of Indio, Calif., a niece of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ransbarger, and who has been here visiting them, is spending this week in Carlsbad visiting relatives there. She visited the Carlsbad Caverns Wednesday and was to return here today for a longer visit before returning to her home.

Woodrow (Woody) Butts, form-

JACK KENNEDY IS SOMEWHAT IMPROVED

J. W. (Jack) Kennedy, former state commander of the United Spanish War Veterans, is somewhat improved at Fort Bayard, N. Mex., Mrs. Kennedy said after returning home Tuesday from a visit with him. With her on the trip were her daughter, Mrs. Claud Matthews, and Mr. Matthews.

Mr. and Mrs. Kennedy's son, Raymond Kennedy, who is employed by the Douglas Aircraft Corporation at Long Beach, Calif., came last week on a ten-day leave, called because of his father's illness. He was accompanied by Kenneth Williams.

WILL RESUME AIR RAID PRECAUTION MEETINGS

The series of air raid precaution meetings, sponsored by the AWVS, which was temporarily halted several weeks ago, will be resumed at 7:30 o'clock this evening.

The general public is invited to the meeting, which will be in the council room at the city hall.

DAILY OIL ALLOWABLE HIGHEST SINCE MARCH

New Mexico's oil production allowable has been set at 97,300 barrels a day for August, an increase over the July figure of 89,500 barrels and the highest since March, when it was 100,200 barrels, it was announced by John Kelly, state geologist.

The new allowable conforms with the recommendations of Coordinator Ickes and has been approved by the New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission.

I. C. KELLER IS WITH BROWN MERCANTILE

I. C. Keller, who formerly was associated with Joyce Pruitt Company, now Brown Mercantile Company, has been employed as bookkeeper for the firm.

er clerk for Mann Drug Company, left Monday for Deming, from where he is to report at Randolph Field, Tex., for forty-five days of schooling as a civilian mechanic. He contemplates that after the training he will be returned to Deming to work at the airport.

Locals

Mr. and Mrs. John Lanning and two children, Miss Bettyne and John Bert, and Curtis Bolton spent last week in Ruidoso at the Parks Pine Cabin. While there Mr. and Mrs. R. M. McDonald and Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Martin spent two days with them.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Muncy returned from Los Angeles, Calif., where they visited their daughter, Mrs. Bill Lundquist, and family and their son, Roy Muncy and family, and another daughter, Mrs. John Beckett, and Mr. Beckett at Wilmington. They were accompanied home by their granddaughter, Miss Georgie Lee Williams, who had been visiting there for two weeks.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank you for the expression of your sincere thanks and appreciation for the wonderful deeds of kindness and help bestowed upon us by our many good friends and neighbors in the death of our two beloved boys, Ovid Hoyle and J. E. Montgomery.

May God in His mercy and kindness look down upon you and bless each and every one of you for your sympathy for us in our great loss and sorrow now weighing so heavily upon our hearts.

Sincerely and thankfully yours,
J. E. Montgomery, Sr., and wife,
eight sons, one daughter and their families. 32-1tp

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends and neighbors for their deeds and words of kindness and for the lovely floral offerings for our wife, daughter and sister.

Sam Stockton,
Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Irwin
and family. 32-1tp

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the people of Artesia for the kindness and sympathy extended during the illness and death of our wife and daughter, Wanda Morris Taylor.

Harold Taylor,
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By Mary Jane

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In the proud belief that this ideal has been achieved, Columbia Pictures is presenting "The Invaders" at the Ocotillo Theatre on Aug. 23-25, a photoplay as timely as today's headlines, as pertinent as today's editorials, as dynamic as today's news dispatches.

The straight, adventurous plot-line of "The Invaders" concerns the raid of a Nazi submarine in the Gulf of St. Lawrence and Hudson Bay. After destroying Canadian shipping and murdering the crews, the sub itself is sunk by the Royal Canadian Air Force. But a portion of the crew is ashore at the time and embarks on a simultaneous program of flight and destruction.

At each turn of the plot, the Nazi fugitives are betrayed by their own ideology. Their "New Order" leads them into stupid and fatal blunders.

to deepen said well to approximately 300 feet, and use 14 inch diameter casing, all for the purpose of effecting a change in place of use of shallow groundwater as described hereinafter.

Applicant also desires permit to change place of use of 75 acre-foot of water authorized under Permit RA-1343, from 25 acres of land described as follows:

Subdivision N $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ Section 14, Township 19S., Range 26E., 20 Acres; Subdivision South 82 feet of N $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 14, Township 19S., Range 26E., 5 Acres; Total 25 Acres.

To 25 acres of land described as west 25 acres of NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 9, Township 18 South, Range 26 East, N. M. P. M.

This application does not involve any new appropriation of water as applicant has already acquired all rights under File RA-1343.

Any person, association or corporation

poration 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 3rd day of September, 1942.

THOMAS M. McCLURE,
State Engineer.
31-31-33

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF C. E. EVARTS, DECEASED.

No. 1044
NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned was on the 18th day of July, A. D., 1942, duly appointed Administrator of the Estate of C. E. Evarts, Deceased, by the Probate Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, and that he 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 Neil B. Watson, Carper Building, Artesia, New Mexico, otherwise such claims will be barred.

(Sgd.) J. E. EVARTS,
Administrator of the Estate of C. E. Evarts, Deceased.
30-41-33

NOTICE

STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE
Santa Fe, N. M., July 9, 1942.
Number of Application RA-1903.

Notice is hereby given that on the 17th day of June 1942, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, Fred C. Hill of Artesia, Eddy County, State of New Mexico, made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a Permit to Change location of shallow groundwater well No. RA-1903, from NW Corner NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 5, Township 17 South, Range 26 East, N. M. P. M., to a location in the NW Corner NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of said Section 5, for the purpose of correcting an error made in giving original location of said well.

Applicant also applies for a permit to change place of use of shallow groundwater from 10 acres of land having rights under File RA-1498A, and described as Part of E $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 13, Township 17 South, Range 26 East, N. M. P. M., to 10 acres of land described as the North 10 acres of NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 5, Township 17 South, Range 26 East, N. M. P. M.

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

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THOMAS M. McCLURE,
State Engineer.
30-31-32

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

M. J. SULLIVAN and AVIS DOW SULLIVAN, his wife, Plaintiffs, Vs.

W. W. DUCKWORTH, of Corpus Christi, Texas, and LUCILE E. McCRARY, of Eddy County, New Mexico; the only known heirs at law of FELIX M. DUCKWORTH and LOUISA DUCKWORTH, Deceased, D. D. SULLIVAN, of Eddy County, New Mexico; MARION D. WOODS, of Des Moines, Iowa; and the unknown heirs of the said FELIX M. DUCKWORTH and LOUISA DUCKWORTH, and all of the unknown claimants claiming any right, title or interest in and to the real estate hereinafter described, adverse to Plaintiffs, Defendants.

No. 7892

NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF SUIT

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

You and each of you are hereby notified that a suit has been filed and is now pending in the District Court of the Fifth Judicial District of the State of New Mexico, within and for the County of Eddy, same being Cause No. 7892, on the Civil Docket of said Court, entitled M. J. Sullivan and Avis Dow Sullivan, his wife, Plaintiffs, Vs. W. W. Duckworth, et als, Defendants.

That the general objects of this action are to quiet title and set at rest title of Plaintiffs in and to the following described real estate, situate, lying and being in the County of Eddy and State of New Mexico, to-wit:

The W $\frac{1}{2}$ of the NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 33, Township 17-S., Range 26-E., N. M. P. M., and to decab and estop you and each of you from having or claiming any right, title, interest, lien or other interest in and to or upon said real estate and premises adverse to plaintiffs.

You and each of you are further notified that you and any of you failing to appear or answer in the above entitled and numbered cause on or before the 5th day of September, 1942, a decree of default will be rendered against you and each of you, and if any of you fail to appear and answer as aforesaid in said cause, the allegations in said Plaintiff's Complaint filed in said cause will be taken as confessed by you and the relief prayed for in Plaintiff's Complaint will be granted by the Court.

G. U. McCrary, of Artesia, New

Mexico, is attorney for Plaintiffs in the above entitled and numbered cause.

WITNESS my hand and seal of said Court, at Carlsbad, New Mexico, this 21st day of July, 1942.

ETHEL M. HIGHSMITH,
Clerk of the District Court.
(SEAL)

30-41-33
NOTICE

STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE
Santa Fe, N. M., July 17, 1942.
Number of Application RA-2046.

Notice is hereby given that on the 9th day of July, 1942, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, B. E. Spencer of Artesia, Eddy County, New Mexico, made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a Permit to Change Location of Shallow Groundwater Well RA-1545 and RA-2013 Consolidated, from present location in NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 17, Township 18 South, Range 26 East, to a location in the E $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 17, Township 18 South, Range 26 East, N. M. P. M., where it is proposed to drill a shallow groundwater well 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches in diameter and 200 feet in depth.

Applicant also desires to Change Location of Shallow groundwater Well RA-1545 and RA-1462 Consolidated from present location in NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 9, Township 18 South, Range 26 East, N. M. P. M., to the same described well as proposed in the E $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 17, Township 18 South, Range 26 East, N. M. P. M., all for the purpose of effecting changes in place of use as follows:

Applicant also desires permit to Change Place of Use of Shallow groundwater rights under RA-1545 and RA-1462 Consolidated from 15 acres of land described as part of NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 9, Township 18 South, Range 26 East, to 15 acres of land described as part of E $\frac{1}{2}$ North of Penasco River, Section 17, Township 18 South, Range 26 East. Applicant also desires permit to Change Place of Use of Shallow Groundwater rights under RA-1545 and RA-2013 Consolidated from 95 acres of land described as follows:

Subdivision Pt. NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ Section 9, Township 18-S., Range 26-E. of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ Section 9, Township E., 15.00 Acres; Subdivision Part 18-S., Range 26-E., 30.00 Acres; Subdivision SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ West of R. R. Section 9, Township 18-S., Range 26-E., 25.00 Acres; Subdivision Part of NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ Section 9, Township 18-S., Range 26-E., 10.00 Acres; Subdivision Part of E $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ Section 8, Township 18-S., Range 26-E., 7.50 Acres; Subdivision Part of N $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ Section 17, Township

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
- 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. 74

18-S., Range 26-E., 20.00 Acres; Subdivision Part of NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ Section 17, Township 18-S., Range 26-E., 2.50 Acres. Total 110.00 Acres.

To 95 acres of land described as follows:

Subdivision Part of N $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ Section 17, Township 18-S., Range 26-E., 10.00 Acres; Subdivision Part NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ Section 17, Township 18-S., Range 26-E., 5.00 Acres; Subdivision Part of E $\frac{1}{2}$ North of Penasco River Section 17, Township 18-S., Range 26-E., 95.00 Acres. Total 110.00 Acres.

This is not an application for any new appropriation of water, as all rights involved herein have already been acquired.

THOMAS M. McCLURE,
State Engineer
30-31-32

REPAIR—DON'T DISCARD

Sage advice to those who consider the cost of machinery and frequently the uselessness of replacement.

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EXTENSIONS

METALS, such as pipe, as well as rubber and other materials, are vital to the war effort. In view of this condition, the Government has set up regulations whereby we must obtain special permission from the War Production Board before we may lay lines to the property of new customers. Ordinarily it takes at least thirty days to obtain approval for these new extensions from the WPB.

Your Gas Company, like all other Americans, is anxious to cooperate with the Government in its all-out effort to win the war and at the same time to continue to render top-notch service to its customers. Therefore, if you are anticipating the need for a gas-line extension to your premises, may we suggest that you contact our Local Office far enough in advance for us to apply for approval by the WPB and to assure you of Gas Service by the time you need it if at all possible.

New Mexico Eastern Gas Company
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WAR COMES FIRST

The weight of war on the telephone lines grows heavier every day. We can't build new lines and switchboards to carry the load because copper, aluminum, rubber and other materials needed for telephone equipment are vital war materials as well. What facilities we have must serve as fully as possible.

Telephone subscribers themselves hold a great part of the answer. Here are some ways in which you can cooperate:

- 1 Limit long distance usage to necessary calls and be as brief as possible. The longer lines, particularly those to the Pacific Coast states and east of the Mississippi River, are especially busy, and calls to these areas should not be made unless they are very important or relate to the war effort.
- 2 If your call is delayed please do not ask the operator for reports unless necessary. Such requests tie up switchboards.
- 3 Please do not call "Information" until you have referred to the telephone directory. Other calls such as for "time of day" should be avoided unless they are necessary.
- 4 We cannot always give you the type of equipment you desire. In some cases we can furnish no new local service, and in general only party-line service. Considerate use of party-line service is neighborly and particularly helpful at this time.
- 5 Long telephone conversations not only tie up the two lines that are connected but also the central office equipment that is common to many lines. Please use the service moderately. A long unnecessary conversation may delay a call essential to the war effort.

We are confident of your continuing cooperation in this emergency.

THE MOUNTAIN STATES TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY

BE IT REMEMBERED That the Eddy County Board of Registration, heretofore appointed by the Board of County Commissioners, met on the 3rd day of August for the purpose of appointing registration clerks in the different precincts and election districts:

Present and Presiding:
R. S. Compton, Chairman
Anton Snyder, Member
R. A. Wilcox, Deputy Clerk.

Whereas, in accordance with

Chapter 152 of the 1939 Session Laws and Chapter 142 of the 1941 Session Laws of the State of New Mexico, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED BY THE BOARD that the following named persons be and they hereby are appointed to serve as registration clerks on August 10th, 1942, beginning at 9 o'clock A. M. and closing at 6 o'clock P. M. on the above date at the following officially designated places of registration:

PRECINCT NAME AND NO.	PLACES OF REGISTRATION
Malaga, Precinct 2-A	School House
Mrs. J. A. Prewitt, Clerk Mrs. Clifford West, Alt. Alvin Harroun, Clerk J. L. Williams, Alt.	
Malaga, Precinct 2-B	White City
Cyril Pipkin, Clerk Mrs. Harley Ballard, Alt. C. L. White, Clerk R. H. Judkins, Alt.	
Hope, Precinct No. 3	School House
Mrs. Nora L. Johnson, Clerk Mrs. John Teel, Alt. Mrs. Lawrence Blakeney, Clerk Wm. V. Glasscock, Alt.	
Lakewood, Precinct No. 4	School House
Mrs. R. L. House, Clerk Mrs. R. T. Schenck, Alt. Edna Millman, Clerk Phil Porter, Alt.	
Loving, Precinct No. 5	Boy Scout Hut
Ellen Jean Narramore, Clerk Mrs. Mary E. McDonald, Clerk Mrs. T. M. Wynan, Alt.	
Artesia, Precinct No. 6-A	Legion Hut
C. R. Vandagriff, Clerk D. H. Lankford, Alt. Florence Dooley, Clerk Mrs. E. N. Bigler, Alt.	
Artesia, Precinct No. 6-B	City Hall
J. H. Jones, Clerk Bennie Juarez, Alt. Mrs. A. B. Coll, Clerk Harold Crozier, Alt.	
Artesia, Precinct No. 6-C	Central School
George W. Johnson, Clerk Mrs. Frank Thomas, Alt. Mrs. E. M. Wingfield, Clerk Mrs. P. V. Morris, Alt.	
Artesia, Precinct No. 6-D	Christian Church on Quad St.
Mrs. I. C. Keller, Clerk Bryan Savoie, Alt. Mrs. Baxter Pollard, Clerk Mrs. Albert Richards, Alt.	
Dayton, Precinct No. 7	Atoka School
Mrs. Irving Martin, Clerk Mrs. Paul Terry, Alt. Mrs. E. D. Kissingner, Clerk Edward Kissingner, Alt.	
Queen, Precinct No. 8	El Paso Gap School House
Will D. Meiers, Clerk Sam A. Hughes, Alt. Mrs. Lee Magby, Clerk Lee Magby, Alt.	
Cottonwood, Precinct No. 10	School House (Gymnasium)
Mrs. Jess I. Funk, Clerk C. C. Powell, Alt. Mrs. Carl Manda, Clerk Mrs. Addie M. Shultz, Alt.	
Oilfield, Precinct No. 11-A	School House
Mrs. Alex McGonagill, Clerk Mrs. J. W. Jackson, Alt. Mrs. J. S. Solt, Clerk Mrs. Nat Camp, Alt.	
Oilfield, Precinct No. 11-B	Grayburg Oil Co. Office
Mrs. J. L. Briscoe, Clerk Mrs. J. C. Lambley, Alt. Mrs. Henry Etz, Clerk Mrs. Keith Miller, Alt.	

Under the new registration law, all persons in the Carlsbad and Otis Precincts must register at the County Clerk's office, therefore, no clerks are appointed for these two precincts.

There being no further business, the Board adjourned subject to call.

R. S. COMPTON, Chairman
ATTEST:
MRS. R. A. WILCOX, Clerk. 32-1t

Mrs. Nell Welch Brown of Midland, Tex., came Monday for her daughter, Marjorie Nell, who has been visiting her grandfather at the Welch Vagabond House in the Sacramento Mountains.

The recommended state allowance for August has been set at 97,300 barrels daily, compared with July's 89,500.

Bomb the Japs with junk!

How to Address Correspondence To American Prisoners of War

WORLD NEWS
—in—
BRIEF FORM

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

At Wilkes-Barre, Pa., two patrolmen crept on hands and knees to a warehouse in an attempt to surprise a pair of boys ransacking the place. One kicked in the door and shouted, "You're under arrest." The boys kept right on working. Themselves stunned, the cops recovered and grabbed the pair. One twisted free and wrote on a pad: "What's up?" "You're under arrest," the law repeated—in writing. It took a sergeant forty-five minutes of heavy pencil work to book two deaf mute brothers on charges of burglary.

C. H. Calhoun, high school vocational teacher, of Hanunata, Ga., replaced his automobile with a horse which he named "Ration." Making his round of the neighborhood, he pulled up at one during a heavy rain storm and stopped by the garage. A low-hanging light bulb caught the horse's fancy and he bit into it. He was electrocuted.

Seattle—The enemy can't bomb Seattle. Ordinance No. 59867, adopted by a far-sighted city council years ago, provides that: "No explosive shall be transported over any part of the city in any aeroplane or other aircraft."

At San Francisco three stevedores, unloading a cargo of nuts from Ecuador, sampled them generously—and went promptly to an emergency hospital. The health department investigated and found the nuts were a substitute for castor oil beans.

Near Portland, Ore., a woman passenger told the bus driver the stork was about to arrive. The bus driver hailed a passing motorist. "Put her in here," the motorist obliged. "I'm on my way to the maternity hospital with another passenger right now." Both babies were born later in the day.

Fort Benning, Ga., an airmail letter that was flown across two oceans and twice across the United States finally reached its destination at Fort Benning, Ga., 109 days after it was mailed at Lewistown, Pa. Addressed to Lt. John J. Y. Lyons, who recently was assigned to the post, the letter was sent first to Australia. Returned by the postal authorities there, it was then delivered to a soldier of the same name in Ireland. It was re-routed and deposited correctly in Lyon's mailbox.

A Negro seaman hadn't seen his folks on Ocracoke Island for twenty years and his homecoming was purely accidental. His ship was torpedoed in the Atlantic and his lifeboat chanced ashore on Ocracoke, N. C.

Wulf and Jack Rudarmel, of Portland, Ore., stepped up to an amusement center punching bag that registered the force of a blow. Wulf doffed his coat, leveled a haymaker, and—missed the bag, cutting his hand on a wall. Rudarmel took his turn. He hit the bag, but—dislocated his shoulder.

A variation of the familiar father and son theme in Los Angeles: Mrs. Zelma Hanson, an officer candidate in the Women's Army Auxiliary Corps, and Richard W. Hilmes, her 18-year-old son by a previous marriage, took the Army

New, simplified address forms for correspondence to American prisoners of war and civilians interned in the Far East have been announced by Eleventh Naval District officials.

The required form of address when the name of the prison camp is known: "Lieutenant John Doe, United States Navy, Zentsuji Prison Camp, Island of Shikoka, Japan."

Mail to prisoners or internees in a known locality, where the name of the camp is not known, should be addressed: "Lieutenant John Doe, United States Marine Corps, (Formerly of Wake Island), Shanghai, China, c/o Japanese Red Cross, Tokyo, Japan."

In order to clear such correspondence through the Army censorship office the notation, "Prisoners of War Correspondence," should be written in the upper left hand corner of the envelope, and at the bottom under the address, "Via Chicago, Ill.," should be written. In the upper right hand corner should be written the word, "FREE."

To facilitate censorship, all correspondence should be written in a clear and brief manner and should be typed whenever possible.

Clearance of cable messages to prisoners and internees are to be made through the American Red Cross. Forms for twenty-five word messages have been distributed to chapters throughout the country. Cost for these messages is approximately \$13.50.

Simplification of the mail routing to the Orient was effected by joint action of the Prisoners of War Board of the Navy Department, officers of the International Red Cross and the Universal Postal Union in Switzerland.

Camp Wheeler, Ga.—"Got any identification?" Master Sgt. Emmett Crawford asked a civilian, who seemed in a hurry to get started on a tour of inspection of Camp Wheeler, Ga. "What kind of identification?" asked the visitor. "The kind that will show you are here."

Edmund J. Williams, of El Reno, Okla., liked his first name but not "Junior," and so his sons are: Raymond Edmund 22; Franklin Edmund 13; Benjamin Edmund, 8 and Edmund Chester, 5. Reasoned Edmund the elder: "If I became famous, three of our boys would have cause to envy 'Junior': Then again, suppose I were hanged for stealing horses. 'Junior' would curse the fate that gave him the name."

A flock of New Mexico ranch and farm boys will be turned loose into a corral full of young calves in a unique "catch and keep" contest at the New Mexico State Fair next September, Leon Harms, secretary-manager, reported. The lady will be equipped with a ten foot length of rope and halter and the first to catch a calf and drag, lead or carry the animal to the judges' stand will be permitted to keep it.

New Mexico's quota of new passenger automobile sales during August has been set at fifty-three and eight reserves by the Office of Price Administration. Sales of new cars in sixteen states and the District of Columbia have been so slow it was unnecessary to assign ration quotas for the month, OPA officials said.

After futile efforts to get an iron lung there in time to save the life of a stricken youth, the Santa Fe post No. 1 of the American Legion is raising funds to place two iron lungs in St. Vincent's Hospital for emergency use in Santa Fe and in surrounding towns. The Montoya Y Montoya post contributed its own check for \$100 to start off the collection campaign.

"Meteor City, Population 1" says the sign beside U. S. Highway 66. The figure checks exactly with the fact. Jack Newsom is the population. He always had a desire he declared, to live in a city, so started his own. It's a dessert service station and trading post between Flagstaff and Winslow on the transcontinental route across Northern Arizona. The State Highway Department made it official by putting up the sign.

Burglars entered a dry goods store in Denver and lugged off twenty-eight cartons bearing the label of one of the most expensive brand of silk hose. The boxes were empty, though.

In Kansas City, R. Daniels, inspired by patriotism and springtime, planted a victory garden recently. He picked an appropriate ear of corn. Its kernels were bright red, white and blue.

Another parking ticket came back to the Kansas City police traffic division with no cash, just a note: "I think this one will have to be on the house. I'm in the Army now."

Police Judge George Stanley of Arkansas City, Kan., who used to toss weights at track meets, swung a hammer to smash a confiscated slot machine. The machine fell apart. So did the hammer. The machine, however, yielded enough to pay for the broken hammer.

Only one error was charged against Mt. Penn, Pa., a town of 3,000, in a statewide, half-hour blackout. A gas station operator went home when the sirens screamed and forgot to disconnect his pinball machine. The "tilt" light showed.

The Quaker City needs a wooden leg—for a statue. A granite figure on city hall lost the limb during a storm, and the bureau of city property decided on a pine replacement. The operating room is a ledge six floors up.

It wasn't enough that thieves stole three tires, two wheels and the battery from Francis Murphy's car and drained the gasoline tank dry in Newark, N. J. He also found a police summons for overtime parking attached to the windshield.

At Glendale, Calif., the Southern Pacific had to spend \$10,000 re-grading and paving approaches to its station—because women's open-toed shoes still are in style. Too many wives complained about what happened to their stockings when they rushed up to greet the head man.

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Loco Hills Items
(Mrs. Emmitt Goodrich)

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Corbin spent the week end in Ruidoso.

Mr. and Mrs. Emery Champion went to El Paso Tuesday.

Bert Aston of Roswell was a visitor at the Franklin camp Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Miller made a business trip to Roswell Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Mathews and son left Friday to make their home in Illinois.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Gallaway and daughter, Elinore, have moved to Artesia.

George Brigner and sister, Miss Elizabeth Brigner, moved to Carlsbad Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Charlesworth and son, Jimmie, moved to Kermit, Tex., Saturday.

The Rev. W. C. Garrett was a dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Golden Sunday.

Kate Thargard of Artesia was a week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Marshall.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Evans and son, Tommy, of Carlsbad have moved back to Loco Hills.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Walker and Miss Brenice Rogers were visitors in Carlsbad Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Miller visited Mr. and Mrs. K. G. Miller and son, Glen David, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Stewart had as their guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Patton of Artesia.

Mrs. Emmitt Goodrich and son, J. E., were luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Huck Monday.

Chuck Aston spent Sunday and Monday in Roswell with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Aston.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Cranford and Mrs. Marshall Rowley of Artesia made a business trip to Roswell Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Jackson had as their guests for the week end Mr. and Mrs. George Aikens of Carlsbad.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Walker had as their Sunday dinner guests, the Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds of Carlsbad.

Mrs. Charles Phelps has returned home from Carlsbad, where she was under the care of a doctor in a hospital.

Tom O'Donnell and Emmitt Goodrich went to Santa Rosa Sunday. They returned home Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. K. G. Miller, Chuck Aston and E. C. Abston were dinner guests Friday of Mr. and Mrs. Tom O'Donnell.

Laverne Rogers and Mary Elizabeth Dougherty were guests of Jean Johnson in Artesia Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Taylor have returned home from Mosquero, N. Mex., where he was working for the Carper Drilling Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dougherty and children, Mary Elizabeth, Pat and Phil, left Saturday for a two-week vacation in Tulsa, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Pennell returned home Saturday from Mosquero, N. Mex., where Mr. Pennell had been working several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Loree Evans and children, Vera and Jimmie, and Bobby Heard are on a vacation visit in the northern part of the state.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Cranford and children, Jan, Jerry and John; Dickie O'Donnell and Louise Brown returned home from Ruidoso Friday.

Mrs. K. G. Miller and son, Glen David, and Jo Louise O'Donnell were the guests of Miss LaDora Lucas of Roswell in Ruidoso Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Rogers and family had as their guests for an ice cream supper Sunday, the Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds of Carlsbad and Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Mathews and children, Betty, Lola and Billy, went to Albuquerque Saturday to visit her father, Jack Kenedy, who is ill. They returned home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Mulcock and children, Georgia Gale and Buddy, left Friday to visit Mrs. Mulcock's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Williams, and to attend a ranchers' assembly at Nogales Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Briscoe and James attended a ranchers' assembly at Nogales, N. Mex., Satur-

War Cuts Caverns Visitors In July Below Same Month of Last Year

Leaf Worm Makes Threat to Cotton Crop This Season

Fifty Million Pounds Calcium Arsenate Made Available to Farmers

Reports recently received from the U. S. Department of Agriculture indicate that there may be another leaf worm infestation this year in cotton fields.

Control measures for the cotton leaf worm usually are not necessary until later in the season, from the latter part of July until in September, according to Wallace Johnson of the New Mexico Extension Service. Fortunately, the leaf worm is easier to control than other important cotton pests. Calcium arsenate, or any of the arsenicals dusted or sprayed on the plants will control these insects. These insecticides will also control the boll worm.

Approximately fifty million pounds of calcium arsenate will be available for the cotton states during the present season. This is about the same amount as was available last year. This insecticide will be delivered to the cotton farmers as fast as produced. Ordinarily, this quantity of calcium arsenate would suffice to control cotton insect infestation. Recent reports from certain areas indicate, however, that infestation is heavy, thus causing a large demand for arsenicals.

Johnson points out that while it is essential to protect all cotton from insect damage, it is particularly important in the case of long staple cotton this year, since it is needed for numerous military purposes.

It is used in fabric for control surfaces of combat planes. Training planes, balloon fabrics, flotation gear, machine gun belts, and parachutes all require long staple cotton. Military needs also absorb large quantities of sewing thread made from this type of cotton.

If the stink bugs, lygus, and other sucking bugs are present on the crop, apply a mixture of one part of calcium arsenate and two parts of sulfur. There should be no shortage of sulfur this year.

Selective Service to Take Illiterates at Rate of 10 Per Cent

Brig. Gen. R. C. Charlton, state director of Selective Service, announced that Selective Service registrants classified as illiterates will be taken into the armed forces at a rate not to exceed 10 per cent of any induction day.

Any registrant who is able to understand simple orders in English and who possesses sufficient intelligence to absorb military training rapidly is eligible for induction under the new regulations.

The lower literacy standards apply only to individuals processed by Selective Service, and not to voluntary enlistments in the Army, he said. Such registrants must be otherwise physically qualified for military service.

Filing Date Returns Of Capital Stock Tax Extended to Sept. 29

S. P. Vidal, collector of internal revenue, Albuquerque, has announced that the period during which the returns of capital stock tax may be filed and the tax paid by all corporations is extended to Sept. 29. Collectors of Internal Revenue are authorized to accept returns without assertion of penalties for delinquencies or of interest, if the returns are filed and the tax paid on or before the extended date. Capital stock tax returns will be mailed at a later date to all corporations which have filed for last year.

day and Sunday. They spent Monday and Tuesday resting and fishing in the mountains.

The Rev. Mr. Reynolds of Carlsbad was in charge of the church services Sunday morning and evening at the Sherman Memorial Sunday school, with an attendance of sixty-four. Mrs. O. H. Stewart was in charge of the Wednesday prayer meeting service.

Mrs. J. L. Briscoe and Mrs. Fred Hardy gave a party Friday in honor of the birthdays of James Briscoe, Tony Strand and Orby Dee Melton. The evening was spent in roasting wieners, eating birthday cake and playing games. Helping to celebrate the occasion were Florence Huck, Bobby Down Till, Don Melton, Bonnie Wise, Billy Chase, Tommie Wilcox, Ronald Rogers, J. E. Goodrich, Leroy Melton, Frankie Marshall, Tommie Marshall, Jerry O'Donnell, Sammy Golden, Tommie King, Phil Pulliam, Carolyn Huck and Sharon Pulliam. Jackie Strand, Christine Wise and Gloria Pulliam helped entertain the children.

The war and the rubber shortage again cut deeply into the attendance at Carlsbad Caverns during July, when only 16,339 persons registered, less than a third of the 51,587 in July, 1941, and the lowest since 1933.

However, every state except New Hampshire was represented, as well as Alaska, Hawaii, the District of Columbia and twelve foreign countries.

Visitors from Texas, totaling 6,659, led the parade to the Eddy County wonderland, with 2,062 New Mexicans next.

Geographical distribution by states and territories:

Arkansas 159, Alabama 80, Alaska 1, Arizona 334, California 1,336, Colorado 456, Connecticut 35, Delaware 1, District of Columbia 23, Florida 63, Georgia 60, Hawaii 13, Idaho 12, Illinois 605, Indiana 136, Iowa 132, Kansas 482.

Kentucky 39, Louisiana 357, Maine 3, Maryland 6, Massachusetts 51, Michigan 177, Minnesota 123, Mississippi 110, Missouri 300, Montana 70, Nebraska 94, Nevada 11, New Jersey 59, New Mexico 2,062, New York 172, North Carolina 26, North Dakota 20.

Ohio 202, Oklahoma 1,039, Oregon 72, Pennsylvania 140, Rhode Island 3, South Carolina 24, South Dakota 39, Tennessee 82, Texas 6,659, Utah 72, Vermont 8, Virginia 36, Washington 107, West Virginia 21, Wisconsin 132, Wyoming 37.

Foreign visitors: Bolivia 2, Brazil 1, Canada 9, Canal Zone 2, Chile 1, China 1, D. E. Indies 1, El Salvador 3, England 1, Mexico 42, Sweden 1, Venezuela 3.

Signal Corps Is Asking Radio Men To Train at Pay

Amateur operators and men with radio experience will have an opportunity to work as civilians with the U. S. Signal Corps at New Mexico Army air bases and are to be offered six months of training at pay, says an announcement today from the State Department for Vocational Education.

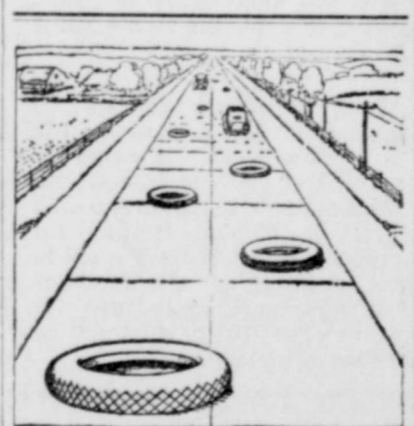
They will be trained in New Mexico and will receive \$120 a month through U. S. Civil Service while in training.

Upon completion of the training course, to be given at a New Mexico institution not yet officially designated, they will have the chance to qualify as civilian employees of the Signal Corps at beginning pay of \$1,620 a year.

No written examination is required, said the State Vocational Department announcement. Applicants should go to the nearest first-class or second-class postoffice and study Civil Service application blank 13-93 to see whether they qualify for the training.

If they do not qualify for this training, they can take examination 13-94 for mechanic learner, radio, and go into three months of training at \$85 per month if they pass the examination, the announcement said. Upon completion of this learner's training, they may qualify as Signal Corps civilian employees in New Mexico at from \$1,500 a year up.

A warm current from the Atlantic, supposedly a "finger" of the Gulf Stream, keeps Murmansk an ice-free port.



DON'T leave your tires on the pavement!

When wheels are out-of-line — your tires suffer. Wheels that wobble and shimmy grind away rubber. These and other misaligned conditions eat the tread away. Thus every mile you drive, small particles of rubber are left behind on the pavement. You can save your tires — get more mileage and save money by having your wheel alignment inspected at our shop on genuine Bear Wheel Alignment Equipment. This service not only saves you money but offers greater comfort, easy steering and safety, too. Drive in today.

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NO. 2 CANS **Tomatoes 27c** 3 For Limit

K. B. **Salad Dressing, pt. 23c**

Uncle Williams **Pure Concord Grape Juice 27c** Full Quart

DEL MONTE **JUICE 25c** 3 For

EXTRACT — 8-OZ. BOTTLE **Vanilla 9c**

K. B. Assorted **Preserves 33c** 1 1/2 lb. Jar

No. 2 Cans **Blackberries 25c** 2 For

K. B. TABLE **Syrup 39c** FULL QUART

Old Time **PEACHES 17c** In Syrup No. 2 1/2 Cans

APPLE **BUTTER 25c** Full Quart

Meat Values

Bologna, 2 lbs. 35c

STEAK 29c Family Style lb.

BACON SQUARES 20c lb.

Hamburger, 2 lbs. 35c

PORK SAUSAGE 43c Fresh Ground 2 lbs.

CHEESE 28c Kraft Elkhorn lb.

ARMOUR'S **CORNER BEEF 33c** 12-OZ. CAN

EXPLODED **RICE, per pkg. ... 10c**

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ASSORTED FLAVORS **KOOL-AID 19c** 5 For



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KIX ... 13c

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It Whips **Rich Whip MILK 7c** Tall

The All-Purpose Canned Meat **ARMOUR'S TREET 33c**

CRYSTAL **WHITE Laundry Soap 19c** 5 Bars ..

Empson Champion No 2 **Peas, 2 for 25c**

Penant **WAFFLE SYRUP 29c** 1 Pint

SUNRAY **Crackers 19c** 2 lb. Box

Bright and Early **COFFEE 29c** 1 lb. Jar

REGULAR 5c **Mac. or Spag. 10c** 3 FOR

EGG—8--OZ. **Noodles ... 9c**

RED CHEST **Green Beans 11c** No. 2 Cans

Heart Delight **SPINACH 25c** No. 2 Can 2 For

Uncle Williams **Whole Kernel CORN 25c** 2 For

UNCLE WILLIAM'S **PORK & BEANS ... 8c** 1 LB. CAN

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DEL MONTE **PEAS, No. 2 can ... 19c**

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Little Known Facts and Sidelights on Oil Industry

Tune-Up Time—

"Tune the car and trim the consumption" is becoming a popular slogan as American motorists seek to save gasoline to serve defense. However, the motorist himself has to be attuned to the idea of using a little less gasoline during the war.

Pumping the tires every week to the recommended pressure, adjusting the brakes to eliminate dragging, tuning the motor to greatest efficiency, and greasing every moving part every 1,000 miles are obvious means to the mechanical end of defense saving. Less obvious, but equally helpful, is holding the car on the open road to critical speed of 40 miles per hour, or less. Up to 40 every car is reasonable economical on gasoline, but at speeds of more than 40 fuel economy is one of the many things which get the go-by. Driving at an even rate of speed, whatever it may be up to 40 per. operating as much as possible in high gear, moving slowly into red traffic lights instead of racing up and breaking down, and turning off the motor when parking—all contribute to fuel economy.

Automotive Economics—

Actually saving 10 per cent on gasoline consumption puts no particular hardship upon the average motorist. Normally, he uses 653 gallons of fuel a year. At 15 miles to the gallon he travels 9,795 miles. A 10 per cent cut means saving 65.3 gallons, consuming 587, and travelling only 8,565 miles, or 1,229 miles less per year. That figures out to curtailing travel by about 100 miles a month, 25 miles a week, or three and a half miles a day.

If the motorist shortens just one week end trip by 100 miles, he has saved his full 10 per cent, plus whatever he may save by better adjustment of working parts and better driving judgment on his own part.

Saving Thrifty Days—

Some of America's wax used for waterproofing, making waxed paper, coating electrical insulation, and manufacturing polishes has been coming from oil produced from wells near the city of Palembang, Sumatra. It has required 30 days for transportation of the raw material by ship, but the wax was better and cheaper than any domestic product.

War in the Far East, with interruption of service, made it difficult to get wax and started petroleum researchers working. In fact, they started on the problem about eight years ago, but the war accelerated celebration, and recently they emerged from their laboratories with the solution of the problem.

An American plant built by an American oil company shortly will start production of a water-white, high-melting-point petroleum of higher sealing strength and better quality than the Sumatran product, and with 30 days faster delivery. That plant will be one good reason why American food products will continue to be wrapped, safe and clean, in waxed paper.

Busy Drivers—

Recent surveys of motor vehicle usage have revealed that the biggest average annual mileage is rolled up by travelling salesmen, 18,971 miles a year. This is just about double the pre-war mileage of the average passenger-car driver.

Physicians are next in line, rolling the roads for an annual average of 12,932 miles.

Farmers drive only about 5,750 miles a year, an average only 12.5 miles per trip, yet they do 17 per cent of the country's driving and use their cars more than two-thirds of the time for business purposes.

As might be expected, new cars travel most, 9,147 miles a year. The oldest cars average 5,479 miles. The "in-betweens" average 7,577 miles.

Six out of seven family cars are

used for shopping. Ferrying the kids to and from school is another function.

Battle Against Winter—

Lines of freight cars marked "salt" parked on railroad sidings near sizeable towns and cities of the Northeast and northern Mid-Western states each fall indicate preparedness for winter weather. Rock salt is a simple and efficient material for ice removal and an aid to safety on streets in winter. The salt acts both as an abrasive and a chemical—the tough crystals serving to prevent skidding; the dissolved salt or brine melting the ice and freeing the pavement. The brine runs off into sewers or drains, leaving no untidy residue. Streets are cleared within a few hours after a winter storm, one application of rock salt with a spreader attached to highway department trucks being sufficient.

"Style All the While"—

Feminine windshield wipers and hose-wipers at service stations have a style all of their own, motorists are discovering, and it isn't confined to dress.

A lot of it comes from charm, poise and academic degrees. The first girl to man pumps in Philadelphia holds a bachelor of music degree. Her station crew wears tailored outfits—navy blue wool jackets for cool days and blue shantung culottes trimmed with powder blue and brown. Platinum hair do's are out, also high heels. The girls fill tanks, tires and radiators, wipe windshields for \$100 a month and a six and a half hour day.

CAVERNS BATS SPEED UP FLIGHT BY HOUR

The bats which wing from the Carlsbad Caverns in countless thousands each evening seem to be giving the experts "the bird."

Several weeks ago, they started making their appearance from the vast reaches of the underground fairlyland about an hour ahead of their regular time—sundown.

Col. Thomas Boles, superintendent of Carlsbad Caverns National Park, suggested that perhaps the bats had gone patriotic and were now "batting on war time."

Experts had contended no self-respecting bat would venture from its domicile before the sun slipped beyond the horizon.

Fire Bomb Fighting Technique Changed, Safford Announces

New procedure in combatting fire bombs has been released by the Office of Civilian Defense, Lt. Col. E. L. Stafford, state OCD director, has announced.

The major change in controlling fire bombs embodies the use of direct stream of water rather than a fine spray, he said. This will bring under control more quickly fires resulting from incendiary explosives.

"With the new method we will save more lives and more property," Lt. Col. Safford explained. Use of a jet of water directly on the bomb will put it out of action in less than a minute.

He said that a coarse spray of water should be used only where scattering of metal must be avoided, and sand should be used only if a bomb falls where it is not likely to start a fire or if water is not available.

Labor-management committees now are boosting production in more than 900 war plants.

STONE and STONE

OPTOMETRISTS

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New Cartoon Sells War Bonds



The above cartoon poster, especially drawn to promote the sale of War Bonds and Stamps, will soon be seen throughout the United States. It is one of four new posters stressing new themes in the War Bond campaign.

U. S. Treasury Dept.
WSS 491A

DEAD-STORAGE PRECAUTION FOR AUTOMOBILE DESCRIBED

Henrietta, the family jalopy, can be stored away for the duration with a better chance of being in good condition afterwards if the advice of the National Bureau of Standards is followed.

The bureau has issued a three-page circular telling in detail the various things which should be done to condition the surface of the car, the engine, the fuel system, the cooling system, the tires, battery and upholstery, for extended dead storage. The circular, LC684, may be obtained from the Automotive Power Plant Section of the bureau, Washington, D. C., without charge.

The Union Pacific has changed the name of its "Mikado type" of locomotives to "MacArthurs."

PRESTON DUNN TRAINING AS NAVAL FLYING CADET

Preston Dunn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Dunn, who was sworn in July 25 as a flying cadet in the Navy and reported to Los Angeles, has been sent to Albuquerque for training.

While a student at Eastern New Mexico College, Portales, young Dunn entered the civilian pilot training course, from which he graduated in the spring.

At Albuquerque Judge E. C. Gopher heard officers testify about the driver's speed, and fined the man \$100 for driving while intoxicated. Nobody, declared the judge, could be sober and drive at that speed—a consistent three miles per hour.

Bomb the Japs with junk!

RAFS Private Has Same Serial Number as in '18

A 48-year-old private, Lewis A. Goulden of Chicago, who is serving Uncle Sam for the second time in war, has the same serial number on his "dog tag" he had twenty-five years ago. Goulden, who is stationed out at the Roswell Army Flying School, was a volunteer both times.

With the engineers of the Second Division in World War I, Goulden served overseas 19 of the 23 months of his first enlistment. He was on fighting fronts most of the time from March, 1918, until the Armistice. The next three months were spent with the Army of Occupation in Germany.

Besides his serial number, which, incidentally, is probably the same numbered one on the post at Roswell, Pvt. Goulden has another souvenir of his previous service, a tattoo on his left arm of the Indian head and star insignia of the Second Division. In each war Goulden volunteered in Chicago and later turned up at a camp in Texas.

Physical condition and alertness of the 48-year-old veteran belie his age. Soldiers coming to Roswell with Goulden from Texas said he made long hikes, bivouacs and the obstacle course with the ease of a well-conditioned youngster.

Comparing Army conditions now with those of twenty-five years ago, Goulden finds the greatest difference in the comfort provided by good mattresses. In 1917-18 U. S. soldiers slept between blankets on a canvas cot. Their mattresses were straw-stuffed affairs that developed torturesome lumps.

Despite greater comforts provided soldiers of today, Goulden believes there were fewer complaints among the enlisted men of twenty-five years ago. "In the last war," said Goulden, "a soldier was a plain 'John' the first six months. He was regarded as a 'recruit' the second six months, and after serving a year he had the honor of gaining recognition as a full-fledged private."

The only point in the United States, common to four states, is at the intersection of the boundaries of Utah, Arizona, New Mexico and Colorado. It is marked by a monument.

The Mormon Tabernacle in Salt Lake City required forty years to construct.

FATHER BRENDAN IS MOVED TO WYOMING

The Rev. Fr. Brendan Weishaar, former assistant pastor of the Catholic churches in Artesia, who has been in Carlsbad the last few weeks, has been transferred to Douglas, Wyo., as has been the Rev. Fr. Roderick Orions of Carlsbad.

They left last Thursday for their new charge.

Mrs. Helen Henson, who is attending Woodbury's College, Los Angeles, Calif., arrived Saturday for a visit of a week with her son, Charles, and parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Mann, and other members of the family.

Get in the scrap!

Keep 'em firing—with junk!

Bomb the Japs with junk!

Locals

Marie Knight of Carlsbad is spending several days this week visiting Nida Dunnam.

Mrs. Cleve Rounseville and daughter, Marsha, of Carlsbad were here last week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Coll.

Mrs. Sig Iverson and children of Fort Worth are guests of her father, V. S. Welch, at Welch Vagabond House in the Sacramento Mountains.

Mrs. C. C. Ledford, owner of the Quality Cleaners, returned the latter part of last week from El Paso, where she had been several days with Mr. Ledford, who was there receiving medical treatment. Mr. Ledford is now employed in Carlsbad.

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MAN: Why, it's got only 30,000 miles... and look!... it's the same make, model and year as that gray job you've got tagged to sell for \$450.

DEALER: But that engine is OIL-PLATED and runs like new. Good for another 30,000 miles. Its owner took good care of it... greased it and drained the crankcase every thousand miles.

MAN: I always thought that was the bunk.

DEALER: Well, you've got a pile of junk there to prove you're wrong.

MAN: All right... all right... I'm wrong. Tell you what. I'll give you three hundred cash and my car for that one if you'll wise me to the motor oil that fellow used.

DEALER: It's a deal. He used Conoco Nth oil. That's oil with the synthetic that helps keep both the motor and the oil clean.

MAN: Oh, now I remember reading about that oil and the synthetics they use. Brother, I'll use nothing but Conoco Nth from now on!

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FOR SALE—Complete stock of musical instruments, including pianos, new and used. Mail orders accepted on all makes of records, sheet music, supplies and small instruments. Government terms available. Visit our store and studio. Ginsberg Music Co., Roswell, N. Mex. 29-4tc-32

FOR SALE—WAR BONDS. \$18.75 bond increases to \$25; \$37.50 to \$50. Money needed by successful concern, 166 years old, with 139,000,000 partners. Apply nearest postmaster. 30-tfx

FOR SALE—New fruit jars. Mayes & Company, 601 South Second. 31-tfc

FOR SALE OR TRADE—For hay, thirty-five aged ewes, two miles west of Artesia on Hope highway. W. Y. Grimlan. 31-2tp-32

FOR SALE—160-acre farm, 100 acres in cultivation, 40 acres in cotton, 35 in alfalfa, balance row crops, a very fine well and pump with plenty of water just a few miles south of Artesia and known as the Womack farm, priced to sell, easy terms, 6 per cent. See W. F. McIvain, Carlsbad, N. M. 32-2tc-33

FOR SALE—Trailer house; one Farmall tractor; one McCormick row binder; one two-row cultivator; one two-row planter; one two-row lister. E. W. Dimock, Gen. Del., Artesia. 32-1tp

FOR SALE—1 Westinghouse Electric stove, slightly used, good as new. See W. W. Dunn, at Mann Drug Co. 32-1tp

FOR SALE—Fat hens and friers. Mrs. H. G. Southworth. 32-1tc

FOR SALE—14-ft. Dixie Boat and trailer, 306 Dallas street. 32-tfx

FOR SALE—Used Dresser, Table, 2 chairs. 306 Dallas street. 32-tfx

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Two-room modern apartment, unfurnished. Inquire at Motor Port. Wesley Sperry. 30-tfc

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment for couple. Mrs. Harvey Yates, 508 South Second, phone 547. 30-tfc

FOR RENT—Two-room apartment, furnished, air-conditioned, utilities paid; no children or pets. Charles T. Gaskins, 104 Osborn Avenue, phone 130. 31-tfc

WANTED

HELP WANTED—Need part time collector for small monthly payment accounts. Prefer married lady or senior high school student. Must furnish property bond. Write R. L. Duffner, 217 Tabor Building, Denver, Colorado. 30-3tc-32

WANTED—Four-room house, unfurnished. Don Butts, phone 181. 32-1tp

WANTED—Woman for housework and care of children. Room, board and salary. Write Mrs. L. J. Trimble, 409 North Pennsylvania Avenue, Roswell, N. Mex., and mention experience and salary expected. 32-1tc

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LOST—White Spitz male, 7 months old. Strayed from 603 W. Main. Answers to "Chico." Jensen & Son, Jewelers. 32-ltc

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The following candidates submit their announcements, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary:

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Artesia

DWIGHT LEE
Carlsbad

For County Clerk:

R. A. (RUDE) WILCOX
Carlsbad

For County Assessor:

R. H. (Dick) WESTAWAY
Carlsbad

For County Superintendent:

MRS. R. N. THOMAS
Carlsbad

F. R. ZUMWALT
Cottonwood

G. R. SPENCER
Carlsbad

For County Commissioner, Dist 1:

J. S. (SI) GIBSON
Carlsbad

J. B. LUNSFORD
La Huerta

For County Commissioner, Dist 2:

J. J. (JUDAL) TERRY
Cottonwood

For County Commissioner, Dist 3:

J. L. (LES) JAMES
Carlsbad

For Justice of Peace, Precinct 6:

J. D. JOSEY
Artesia

Mrs. Stockton—

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As Sophronia Monarchy Irwin, Mrs. Stockton was born July 21, 1898, at Baird, Tex. She married Sam W. Stockton at Crosbyton, Tex., Feb. 3, 1924. They had no children. Mr. and Mrs. Stockton moved from Lorenzo, Tex., in January, 1941, to the farm southeast of Artesia.

With Mrs. Stockton at the time of her death were her husband, her mother and three of her sisters, Mrs. Jackson, Mrs. Day and Miss Irwin. They all accompanied the body to Artesia and were here for the funeral services.

Also here from a distance were three of the brothers, Jack, A. G. and John Irwin; Mrs. A. G. Irwin and children; Mrs. John Irwin and children and Mary Frances Day, daughter of Mrs. Mary Day.

The daughter, Miss Daisy D. Irwin, came here about nine months ago to be with her mother and accompanied her to Bishop and Temple.

Mrs. Stockton was a member of the Baptist Church.

Wayne Truett—

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34,274. But young Truett is not through, even though he has received the top medal under NRA rules. The "Distinguished Rifleman Gold," final stage of the course, is his next aim.

To earn the expert medal the junior series entrant had to prove his ability in the standing position, most difficult of all. Using standard NRA 50-foot gallery targets on which the bullseye is actually smaller than a .22-calibre bullet, Truett had to average 80 per cent accuracy for fifty shots.

He attends the New Mexico Military Institute at Roswell.

Westaway—

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taxpayer and the county government.

It is through the assessor's office, they pointed out, that values must be established which not only will provide sufficient funds for the operation of the county, but which must be fair to the taxpayers, so none will be required to pay an unjust share of the county's expense.

"Dick" Westaway, as before, will attempt to see as many of the voters as possible, but in his patriotic attempt to conserve rubber realizes he will not be able to travel as extensively as heretofore. In this light, he asks that his announcement be considered as a personal appeal to all voters, not only for their votes, but for their support.

RAF Flyer, Brother Of Mrs. K. L. Williams, Reported as Missing

Pilot Officer David Pryor Williams, 27-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack D. Williams of LaHuerta and brother of Mrs. K. L. Williams of Artesia, has been missing from Royal Air Force operations since July 15, his parents and sister learned Saturday.

A telegram from Group Capt. F. W. Trott, RAF delegation, relayed from the British Air Ministry to Washington officials, was received by the flyer's parents. It said young Williams was "posted as missing," having failed to return from operations on nights of July 14-15.

Williams, who enlisted in the RAF about two years ago, had been in England more than a year. His parents believe he was stationed at an air base in Egypt as his London address was RAF Headquarters, Middle East. The last word from him was received by his parents in June.

Airport—

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Members of the city council and interested businessmen, meeting with the flyer, expressed the city's desire to cooperate with the Army to the full extent, but wondered if there might not be some other available place farther from the city to establish the auxiliary base.

Col. Sturdivant said he would convey the desires of the local men to Col. Lewis. And that is the way the proposition stands at this time. It was pointed out to Col. Sturdivant that Booker has been improving the airport, preparatory to establishing a school, in hopes that a larger school might be established in the near future.

Designation of the post by the CAA requires certain improvements up to specifications, including a twenty-four-hour guard, living quarters, telephone and runways 200 feet wide, with one 300 feet wide, all of which have been planned by Booker.

The county has been cooperative in grading operations for the required runways and Ben Bowers has contributed the necessary surveying.

In order to establish the school, Booker and Stanley Carper have purchased a second plane and have moved house, lighting equipment and butane gas equipment to the port at their own expense.

They have been expecting to secure a training school contract from the government the next time contracts are let.

In the meantime, they have been lining up local men interested in learning to fly and have advised them to take the necessary physical examination from an authorized CAA medical examiner and to have two 2½x2½-inch pictures available, so Albert Meyer, CAA inspector, can make inspections while here to designate the post, which was expected next week. They now have more than a dozen men enrolled.

Prior to the visit here Wednesday of Col. Sturdivant, the flying range for civilian pilots and school purposes had been cut by the Army, designating all other territory as restricted. The open area was from the airport to Lake Arthur and to Dayton and eastward from those two towns, a strip about twenty miles wide.

Now, it is understood, if the Army takes over the airport as an auxiliary base, all but Army flying will be prohibited until such time as part of the sky again is designated and the CAA sees fit to construct an airport to replace the municipal port.

Clarke Club—

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Club and was authorized to appoint a committee to work with him.

He has named N. M. Baird, secretary; Mayor Emery Carper, Mark A. Corbin, C. J. Dexter, Charles Morgan and A. L. Bext. It was decided to meet at 7:30 o'clock each Thursday evening at the Carper Terrace and the group was urged to bring women to the meetings, in order to have as many local workers for the "hometown boy" as possible.

Brainard pointed out that Artesia has the best chance it ever has had to elect a man to an important office. "Dr. Clarke deserves the wholehearted support of his hometown and we are going to get in and help elect him," Brainard said.

The candidate's long record as a civic-minded resident of Artesia was pointed out at the meeting and the great support he has received over the state in his race to succeed Senator Carl Hatch was discussed.

More than 13,000 names had been signed to Dr. Clarke's petitions up to the time of the meeting, Brainard said. Many more have been added since in Artesia, as a number of workers took petitions from the meeting and have been working hard since. No concerted local effort had been made previously.

War production of the U. S., England and Russia now exceeds production by the Axis.

Army Drive at Roswell to End With Big Dance

The recruiting service of the Army is staging a "Victory Enlistment Drive" at Roswell this week for men from this area and all who enlist during the period will be honored at a big, free street dance there Saturday evening.

Pfc. Harry Hickox, who was in Artesia in regard to the drive, said a board of examiners will be on duty in Roswell all day today and Friday and until noon Saturday. Men who successfully pass will be sworn in at the public affair and will leave by chartered bus for Fort Bliss Sunday morning, instead of having to go to Santa Fe, as is the customary routine.

Hickox said the service is especially anxious to enlist men in 1-A, who are sure to be called within the next few weeks, and those in 3-A, who may be called soon. By this procedure, they will have an opportunity to choose their branches, if qualified.

Men appearing for examination during the drive were advised to have releases from their draft boards with them. Pvt. Hickox said men mechanically inclined absolutely can be sent where they wish.

At the free dance Saturday evening, Roswell merchants will give away a number of War Savings Bonds.

LLOYD EVANS IS TO REPORT FOR TRAINING

Lloyd Evans, who successfully passed all tests to become a flying cadet in the Army more than six months ago and who has had numerous extended furloughs while awaiting a call, at last has been notified to report for training. He is to be at Lubbock, Tex., for assignment Sunday.

He has been associated in the management of the L. P. Evans Store more than a year.

Hal Hamill—

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Hal Hamill was born at Denver March 22, 1898, a son of Harold and Margaret Hamill, with whom he moved as a boy to Santa Fe. There he grew to manhood and there his parents are buried.

He married Miss Mattie White, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hilary White, Sr., of Hope, June 7, 1922. The family moved to Artesia from Santa Fe about fourteen years ago and lived here since, although Mr. Hamill was engaged in the mercantile business at Hope about two years. He sold out last January and joined the Quartermaster's Corps. He received his basic training at Fort Bliss, from where he was transferred to Camp Lee about five months ago. He received the rate of technical sergeant about a month ago.

Sgt. Hamill was prominent in Democratic party politics for many years and served as precinct chairman. He was a former member of the Taylor grazing board.

For many years he was an active member of Clarence Kepple Post No. 41, American Legion, of Artesia and he belonged to the Elks at Roswell.

War Bonds—

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fallen far behind its quota, which makes the entire county below its quota in purchases. The Eddy County quota is \$154,000.

The AWVS members will discuss the Saturday sales of War Stamps and Bonds at a meeting at the city hall at 7:30 o'clock Friday evening. All are being urged to attend this important meeting, not only members of the AWVS, but other women interested in joining and helping in the war work.

The organization at that time also will discuss the "Food for Victory" program and will work on a project to register farm labor.

Football—

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The Albuquerque Indians have been negotiating for a game here Oct. 30, but it may be that will fall through because of the distance involved.

With the dates mentioned and those of Sept. 25 and Oct. 20 never having been filled, the remaining schedule, as it stands today, subject to further cancellations or alterations, is:

Sept. 11, Hobbs there; Sept. 18, Roswell here; Oct. 2, New Mexico Military Institute, Roswell, here; Oct. 9, Clovis here; Oct. 16, Jal there; Nov. 13, Carlsbad there; Nov. 26, Thanksgiving, Lovington here.

Marshall said the ruling against the use of school buses to haul teams and the regulation forbidding the scheduling of commercial buses for such purposes will make it necessary for the Bulldogs to depend on private passenger cars for the three games away from home.

The athletic director said that if the schedule has to be trimmed too much, intraschool athletic contests will be arranged. He stressed the value of retaining sports in some form at least.

R. E. Dixon's Brother, Frank, Dies Friday Morning At Phoenix

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Dixon left last Thursday for Phoenix, Ariz., called there because of the serious illness of Mr. Dixon's brother, Frank Dixon, who died Friday morning.

The body was taken to Wichita Falls, Tex., for funeral services and burial.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Dixon, who accompanied the body there, are not expected to return to Artesia for several days.

Former Secretary Of War Woodring in Artesia on Busines

Harry Woodring of Topeka, Kan., secretary of war during the first Roosevelt administration, one of the major stockholders of the New Mexico Eastern Lumber Company, came in last Thursday to inspect the new plant here and to confer as to operations, which will start in the near future.

He was accompanied here by Mrs. Woodring and their three children. The family went to Cloudcroft last week end to spend a few days in the mountains.

The former secretary had been in Artesia before in the interests of the new lumber mill, but his identity was not known.

Mrs. Taylor—

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Sands, Tex.; Mrs. Evelyn Cook, Los Angeles; Mrs. Essie Young, Tulare, Calif.; Furnan Lewter, Los Angeles; Homer Lewter, Salinas, Calif.; Everett W. Lewter, with the Marine Corps, San Francisco; and Mrs. Troy Olds, Nacogdoches, Tex. She also leaves a grandmother, Mrs. A. Millsap, Lawton, Okla.

Mrs. Taylor was a member of the Baptist Church and she belonged to the Junior Woman's Club here before the family moved to the West Coast.

The body of Mrs. Taylor was accompanied to Artesia from Brawley by Mr. Taylor and Miss Drotha Stuart of Artesia, a girlhood friend, who had been with her during her illness. Mrs. Taylor's mother, who accompanied them to the West Coast in April, came by bus. Also coming for the funeral was Mr. Taylor's brother, Cpl. N. B. Taylor, who is stationed at Camp Roberts, Calif. He left Wednesday.

Harold Taylor plans to remain in Artesia for the present.

Oil Activity—

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SW NW33-16-31; Dominion, Johnson 4-B, NE SW 28-16-31; Franklin Petroleum Co., Kanfield 3-A, NW SW 7-18-31; McDannald & Williams, Grier 2, NW SW 30-16-31.

An interesting wildcat was staked in Roosevelt County. It is the W. J. Peterman, State 1, SW SE 21-2-30.

Drilling Reports
Shown here are wells on which progress was reported, those inactive during the week being withheld until activities are resumed:

Barney Cockburn, Leonard-State 1, SE SE 32-16-30.
Total depth 2,885 feet; cleaning out.

Barney Cockburn, Leonard-State 2, NE SE 32-16-30.
Drilling at 2,330 feet.

Barney Cockburn, State 4, NW NW 2-17-30.
Total depth 2,774 feet; running casing.

Barney Cockburn, State 7, NW SE 36-16-30.
Drilling at 2,858 feet.

Barney Cockburn, State 8, SE SW 36-16-30.
Drilling at 2,475 feet.

Barney Cockburn, Etz 8, SE NW 35-16-30.
Drilling at 3,580 feet.

Barney Cockburn, Etz 11, NW SE 35-16-30.
Drilling at 3,050 feet.

Barney Cockburn, Etz 12, NE SE 35-16-30.
Drilling at 1,920 feet.

Barney Cockburn, Etz 13, SE NE 35-16-30.
Total depth 2,450 feet; pulling parted casing.

Barney Cockburn, Etz 14, NW NW 35-16-30.
Drilling at 2,660 feet.

Continental, State 1, SE NW 36-16-30.
Drilling at 2,970 feet.

Evarts Drilling Co., Grier 3, SW SE 30-16-31.
Drilling at 1,620 feet.

Evarts Drilling Co., Grier 5, NE NE 31-16-31.
Drilling at 2,525 feet.

Flynn, Welch & Yates, Grier 1, NE SW 31-16-31.
Drilling at 2,500 feet.

Kersey & Co., Kreek 2-X, SE NW 28-18-30.
Drilling at 2,720 feet.

Morton & Elder, Root 5, NW NE 7-17-30.
Total depth 2,980 feet; shut down for orders.

Sanders Bros., Etz 3-E, NW NE 34-16-30.
Total depth 2,800 feet; running casing.

Sanders Bros., Etz 4-E, NE NE 34-16-30.

Legion Dues Raised From \$3 to \$4 Year At Meeting Tuesday

Annual dues of Clarence Kepple Post No. 41, American Legion, were raised from \$3 to \$4 at the monthly meeting at the hut Tuesday evening.

The increase was voted after considerable discussion, in which it was pointed out that \$2.50 of the dues goes to national and state headquarters and that the 50-cent balance heretofore was not sufficient to cover expenses.

Commander Howard Whitson appointed C. R. Vandagriff, P. V. Morris and Edgar Williamson a committee to arrange for a guard of honor for the body of Hal Hamill, soldier of World Wars I and II, who died at Camp Lee, Va., Sunday. They were to be in charge of any arrangements requested by Mrs. Hamill upon her arrival here with the body of her husband.

Americans use about 11,000,000,000 pounds of fats and oils a year—67 per cent in the form of food, 20 per cent as soap, 8 per cent in paints and varnishes and the rest in varied products.

Drilling at 2,357 feet.
Sanders Bros., Evans 6, SE SW 33-16-30.

Drilling at 2,645 feet.
Sanders Bros., Evans 8, NW SW 33-16-30.

Total depth 2,712 feet; 5½ inch casing cemented.
Sanders Bros., Leonard 5-E, NE NW 4-17-30.

Drilling at 1,845 feet.
Sanders Bros., Leonard 8, NW NW 34-16-30.

Total depth 2,974 feet; 7-inch casing cemented.
Walter Solt, State 2-A, NE NE 5-18-28.

Total depth 1,535 feet; ruing casing.
Neil Wills, State 2, SE SW 17-20-30.

Drilling at 1,220 feet.
S. P. Yates et al, Evans 1, NE NE 5-17-30.

Drilling at 2,830 feet.
Yates & Nix, Matthews 1, NE SE 21-21-28.

Drilling at 1,610 feet.
Etz Oil Co., Etz 4-E, NE SE 25-16-30.

Drilling at 625 feet.
Sanders Bros., Leonard 6-E, NW NW 4-17-30.

Total depth 616 feet; 10-inch casing cemented.
S. P. Yates et al, Evans 3, NW NE 5-17-30.

Drilling at 180 feet.

WHAT IS ADVERTISING, ANYWAY?