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Big Defense Program Tonight

Welcome Awaits Club Women Here Friday, Saturday

Annual Confab Members Third District New Mexico Federation

Address at Public Meeting Friday Evening by Dr. Alfred Crofts, EN-MC, at High School to Highlight Convention.

PLAN SOCIAL EVENTS

Banquet, Breakfast and Luncheon Entertainment Calendar.

Artesia will entertain dozens of New Mexico women Friday and Saturday, when the twenty-second annual convention of the third district of the New Mexico Federation of Women's Clubs will be held here.

Indications are that nearly 100 delegates and visitors will be here, both from the district, which is in Southeast New Mexico, and from the state at large.

Mrs. P. M. Bailey of Portales, district president, will preside at the business sessions, which will be held at the Artesia Woman's Club building at Fourth and Dallas Streets. Sessions will be held there Friday afternoon and Saturday morning.

Leading the host organizations are Mrs. Jeff Hightower, president of the Artesia Woman's Club, and Mrs. Ralph G. Roberson, Jr., president of the Artesia Junior Woman's Club.

Highlighting the convention will be a public meeting in the Artesia High School auditorium at 8 o'clock Friday evening, when Dr. Alfred Crofts, professor of social science at Eastern New Mexico College, Portales, will deliver an address, "The Lights Are Going Out."

Dr. Crofts, who has spoken in Artesia before, is a deep thinker and always has a message above the average. Members of the host clubs feel there is no one better suited to appear at a public meeting at this time than he, for he is a student of the Far East and is a capable analyst of that theatre of war.

When he spoke at the annual banquet of the Artesia Alfalfa Growers Association here a few months ago, Dr. Crofts painted a vivid word picture of the Japanese, whom he knows by first-hand experience, for he lived in the Orient a number of years with his parents.

Dooley Shallow Oil Well Is the Only Producer in Eddy

Nash, Windfohr & Brown Stake New Location During the Last Week

William Dooley brought in the only producing well of the week in shallow pay and Nash, Windfohr & Brown reported the only new location.

Dooley's Ramapo No. 4 in SE SW 36-17-27 pumped forty barrels of oil per day from a total depth of 541 feet, after treating with 2,000 gallons of acid.

The Nash, Windfohr & Brown location is the Jackson 5-B, in NE NW 1-17-30.

Drilling Reports
Barney Cockburn, Etz 1-X, SE SE 26-16-30.
Drilling at 2,963 feet.

Barney Cockburn, Etz 13-X, SE NE 35-16-30.
Drilling at 2,520 feet.

Max Coll and Carper Drilling Co., State 1, SW NE 36-16-30.
Drilling at 2,440 feet.

Continental, State 3, NW NW 36-16-30.
Total depth 3,025 feet; running

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KARTRIDGES IN KEY COLLECTION
The Advocate's "Key Collection Campaign" has been extended to include besides keys "kartridges," which are made of brass, the idea coming from A. P. Mahone, who has hunted up two handful.

He suggested that all hunters be asked to save as many of their used cartridges and shells as possible and donate them, along with useless keys.

Mahone also tossed in his hat for brass—not the one he sometimes wears, or the one he recently lost, but an ashy in the form of a sombrero.

Boxes for the collection of keys, cartridges and other small brass objects are in all the drug stores, the First National Bank and The Advocate office.

T. H. Flint, the Most Valuable Artesia Citizen, Dies Wednesday

Death Comes to Chairman of First National Bank Board in El Paso—Funeral Services at 10 O'clock Friday From Chapel.

T. H. Flint, chairman of the board of the First National Bank, popularly acclaimed Artesia's most valuable citizen, died in El Paso at 12:15 o'clock Wednesday morning after an illness of about six months. During that period he had been a patient in Carlsbad, Rochester, Minn., and El Paso. He was 69 years old.

Funeral services will be from McClay Chapel at 10 o'clock Friday morning by the Rev. Joseph H. Harvey, vicar of Saint Paul's Episcopal Mission here and of Saint Andrew's Church in Roswell. Burial will be in Woodbine Cemetery.

Named as honorary pallbearers are Judge G. U. McCrary, Dave Runyan, Loren C. Neeley, C. E. Mann, Rex Wheatley, E. N. Bigler, Ray Bartlett, Emery Carper, M. E. Baish, Sam Sanders, S. S. Ward, Joe Nunn, Col. A. T. Woods and J. S. Ward.

Active pallbearers will be Hollis G. Watson, Fred Cole, R. A. Shugart, C. J. Dexter, Charles Rogers and John Runyan.

There survive Mr. Flint his widow and six children, who are: W. E. Flint, Lovington; Ted Flint, Artesia; Leah, Mrs. F. E. Waltrip, Shreveport, La.; Neva Sue, Mrs. Frank Dent, Dallas; Kitty Gayle, Mrs. Robert McConnell, Dallas, and Miss Betty Flint, a student at Colorado Women's College, Denver, all of whom will be here for the funeral.

Also surviving are two brothers, Ed Flint, Harwood, Mo., and Roy Flint, Kansas City, Mo.; a sister, Mrs. Hortense Shaw, Schell City, Mo., and four grandchildren.

Theodore H. Flint, popularly known as "Tim" Flint, a son of Mr. and Mrs. John T. Flint, was born at Louisville, Ky., July 19, 1873. He married Miss Anna M. Clayberg forty-three years ago in Kansas City and to them were born the six children mentioned.

For twenty-eight years Mr. Flint was in the lumber business, the latter part of that time at San Antonio, from where the family moved to the Artesia locality in 1930.

At that time he purchased the CAP Ranch southeast of town, where the family continued to live until about two years, when Mr.

A. D. (Big) Hill Of Cottonwood Dies on Monday

Arch D. (Big) Hill, 69, a pioneer of the Pecos Valley and the Cottonwood community, died at Las Vegas at 9:50 o'clock Friday evening. He had been in ill health the last few years and his death was not unexpected.

Funeral services were from the Talmadge Mortuary in Roswell at 3:30 o'clock Monday afternoon by the Rev. Dr. T. W. Brabham of the First Methodist Church of Roswell. Burial was in South Park Cemetery there.

There survive Mr. Hill his widow; a daughter, Mrs. E. M. Shafer, Lake Arthur; two sons, S. W. Hill, Lake Arthur, and A. D. Hill, Jr., Richmond, Calif.; a brother, Feland Hill, Oklahoma; five grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Mr. Hill was born at Fort Smith, Ark., Feb. 15, 1873. He came with his family to the Pecos Valley thirty-nine years ago from Haskell County, Texas. The first five years in the valley Mr. Hill was manager of the Calumet ranch.

He then purchased a farm on the Cottonwood and continually lived there the last twenty-seven years.

Mr. Hill was a member of the Elks Lodge and Methodist Church.

Baby Perishes As Home Burns Monday Noon

Mrs. H. C. Murtishaw Unable to Reach 3-Month-Old Infant, As House Is Consumed by Flames Beyond Water Main.

Claude Barry, 3-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Murtishaw, perished at noon Monday, as the three-room Murtishaw residence just beyond the south city limits was destroyed by fire.

Efforts of the baby's mother, neighbors and firemen to reach the child were futile, so hot was the fire, and its body was not recovered until after the flaming house had been pulled off of the foundation by means of a large rope and the embers had been extinguished.

Firemen were handicapped in fighting the flames because the nearest fireplug is about a quarter of a mile from the scene and only the auxiliary tanks with small fire hose could be used. Volunteers, lifting buckets of water from a dug well two doors to the west and carrying it in tubs to one of the trucks, kept it in operation. But they could not keep both tanks full and one of the trucks made several runs to the nearest plug to refill.

Mrs. Murtishaw had gone to the well at the second house for a bucket of water, leaving the baby in bed, and had stopped at the first house for a moment, when she saw the flames sweeping from her kitchen through the house.

The mother screamed for help and tried to reach her child, but was prevented by the flames and smoke. In breaking out a window adjacent to the bed, she cut her hand badly.

The two neighbors, Burl Jones and Jack Jones, brothers, likewise tried, but could accomplish nothing. Burl Jones groped through the window for the baby, who was screaming, but could not locate him. He was burned badly. Jack Jones tried to enter through the kitchen, and had to be pulled out of that room by his brother.

In removing the blazing house from over the baby, about fifty men stretched the rope along the west side holding it near the ends, while several others remained near the center of the rope to toss it up on the side of the house while the others ran to the east and pulled. The house at that time was about to collapse and already a portion of the roof immediately above the baby was hanging down.

Flint sold the place to Jim Berry and moved to Artesia.

At the time of the bank moratorium in 1932, Mr. Flint went into the banking business here, purchasing stock in the First National Bank and becoming its president and chairman of the board of directors.

About two years ago he retired from activity in the bank and was succeeded as president by Hollis G. Watson. However, he continued as chairman of the board until his death.

Mr. Flint was appointed to the Eddy County draft board at the time Selective Service went into effect and was quite active in its functions until his failing health prevented. He was interested in everything of a civic or community nature and supported wholeheartedly every project which he considered worthy.

He was a member of the Methodist Church and of the Masonic Lodge at Seymour, Tex., about thirty-two years.

The First National Bank will remain closed all day Friday out of respect for the chairman of the board and former president.

LT. COL. KAISER IS IN COAST HOSPITAL

Lt. Col. B. F. Kaiser, Jr., son of B. F. Kaiser of the Artesia community, is in the Naval Hospital at San Diego, Calif., where he arrived recently from the Samoa Islands.

Program by the RAFS Band Here 7 O'clock Tonight

The program at the Ocotillo Theatre at 7 o'clock this evening by the band of the Roswell Army Flying School will open with "Roswell Army Flying School March," by Sgt. Joseph Skubitz of the RAFS, dedicated to Col. A. C. Kincaid, commanding officer.

The remainder of the program: "Student Prince," Sigmund Romberg; "One Alone," from "The Desert Song," Sigmund Romberg; "Ave Maria," sung by Joseph Crawford; "Oh Lady Be Good," from "Lady Be Good," George Gershwin.

"Song of the Vagabond," from "The Vagabond King," Hooker and Freinil, sung by band; "A Hot Time in the Old Town Tonight," in march time; "Boogie Woogie Band," David Bennett; "German Band," played by the "Hungry Five," including "An Old Fashioned Polka," "Chicago Polka," "Hal-lie, Hal-lo" and "Lindenau Polka."

"March of the Mighty," Al Hayes, featuring Joe Sekardi, accordion, Jarvis Hauger, base fiddle, and Sgt. Joseph Crawford, singer; "Hall of Fame," (concert march), Joseph Olivadoti; "Army Air Corps Song."

Bonds and Band at the Ocotillo, Demonstration at Morris Field

REGISTER FOR GAS ON NOV. 9

Registration for gasoline rationing throughout the nation, except in the states where it already is in force, will begin Monday, Nov. 9.

It will be handled through the schools, as was done for sugar rationing. Blanks to be filled will be available at service stations about Oct. 27, to be taken to designated schools starting Nov. 9.

Every car owner must swear he has no more than five tires and he must agree to periodic inspection, before being issued a gasoline rationing book.

The basic rationing will give the average motorist sufficient gasoline to drive 2,880 miles a year—slightly less than four gallons a week.

Theatre Performance With Concert Will Start at 7 O'clock, "It Can Happen Here" in the Park at 9 O'clock.

ARMY WILL BENEFIT

From Roswell Band's Show and Dance—Air Raid Performance Free.

The stage is all set—two stages are all set—for the biggest patriotic rally ever put on in Artesia, to begin promptly at 7 o'clock this evening.

The first stage is that of the Ocotillo Theatre, where the band from the Roswell Army Flying School will start a concert at 7 o'clock, in connection with a War Savings Bond sale and auction.

The second stage is the playing field of Morris Field, where at 9 o'clock on the dot the original civilian defense performance, "It Can Happen Here," will be presented, also with the band from Roswell taking part.

For the first part of the evening's entertainment, a charge of 40 cents a person is being made, the entire proceeds to go into the Army Emergency Relief fund. Ray Bartlett, manager of the theatre, has donated its use and is underwriting all expenses, except for the employees, who are donating their services.

The second "act" of the evening at Morris Field will be free and the public is invited to attend, not only to learn more about civilian defense, but to see the show, undoubtedly the most spectacular in the history of Artesia.

The "double-feature" for this evening could not have been staged had it not been for the complete cooperation of the Roswell Army Flying School, through Col. A. C. Kincaid, commanding officer. He has permitted the use of the band for both sections of the entertainment, as well as a flight of bombers, which will simulate a raid over Morris Field at 9:30 o'clock, as part of the action.

In order to stimulate the sale of War Savings Bonds at the Ocotillo, a number of prizes will be auctioned off, most of them furnished by Artesia merchants, in a manner similar to the rally here last month.

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Artesia's \$750,000 Airport Is To Be About Four Miles West

Lt. Stout Wins His Silver Wings



LaVerle K. Stout, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. Kelly Stout of Artesia, received the "Ready for combat duty" stamp of approval placed on fledgling flyers at Brooks Field, Tex., Friday, on which day pilots at seven advanced schools in the Gulf Coast Training Center won their silver wings of the Army Air Forces.

Commissioned a lieutenant, young Stout is one of a constantly growing list of single-engine fighter pilots. Without fanfare, Lt. Stout and other members of the class received their silver wings, saluted smartly and turned to begin their active flying duty.

Lt. Stout learned the "ABC's" of flying at Ballinger Field, Tex., from where he was transferred to Randolph Field, the "West Point of the Air," for the second phase of training as a fighting pilot. He entered Brooks Field training on Aug. 6.

He is a former student in Texas Tech, Lubbock, where he was a member of the American Society of Civil Engineers and Alpha Phi Omega.

TICKETS ON SALE FOR LEGION BARBECUE, DANCE

Tickets for the American Legion's annual Armistice Day barbecue and dance went on sale this week, with Major Loren C. Neeley in charge.

It is planned to serve son-of-a-gun at noon and have the barbecue in the evening, at the time of the dance.

Site Definitely Located Tuesday by Army and CAA Representatives, Here for Conference With Local Citizens.

The site of the proposed \$750,000 CAA airport for Artesia was definitely located about four miles west of the center of the city and north of the Hope highway at a meeting here Tuesday with Army and CAA officials.

Although the exact site was not selected, it was settled that it will be somewhere within four sections approved by representatives of both the Army and CAA.

The airport will embrace approximately 1,000 acres and the original plans call for three runways of 5,800 feet. A fourth runway may be added later. It is planned that they have at least 7 inches of caliche base, with two inches of asphalt top, the same as runways at the Roswell Army Flying School.

Representing the Army were Col. John C. Horton, director of training at the Roswell Army Flying School, and Maj. W. W. Dreyfoos, officer in charge of glider approach project, West Coast Training Center.

J. D. Church of El Paso, district airport engineer of the Civil Aeronautics Administration, who has been here several times in the past in connection with an airport, headed the CAA representatives.

Also here from the CAA were C. R. Horan, chief engineering unit, who will design and supervise the building of the proposed airport, and Don Lee, airport paving engineer.

At an open meeting with the government representatives for Artesia citizens, various sites were discussed and Mayor Emery Carper, representing the city, and Fred Brainard, chairman of the airport committee, pointed out the wishes of the citizens.

The Army and CAA men then visited the various sites and then, at the city hall, an agreement was signed, showing mutual agreement for the four sections designated. CAA engineers will survey the four sections within the next few days and will designate the specific acreage to be used.

The convenience to the selected site was pointed out. It is adjacent to the highway and power and REA lines are not far distant. On the other hand, a site north of the city and east of the Roswell highway, which had been considered, is (continued on last page, column 3)

'V-Home' Stickers Distributed Here By Raid Wardens

Householders Must Fulfill Pledge To Show Compliance With War Effort

Distribution of "V-Home" stickers in Artesia started this week, as the campaign to enlist every household in New Mexico in the war effort was speeded up.

Originally intended to have started last month, the campaign in the state was postponed because of the importance of concentrating all efforts on the statewide scrap drive.

In Artesia the distribution is being made by the air raid wardens and others under the direction of Floyd Springer, chief air raid warden, who has asked his workers to make an effort to place one of the stickers in every home. However, householders must have complied with certain regulations and to have met the terms of the pledge, before a "V-Home" sticker is issued.

The pledge: "I—This home follows the instructions of its air raid wardens, (continued on last page, column 4)

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TELEPHONE 7

WELCOME MEMBERS OF WOMEN'S CLUBS

Usually when a convention comes to town the local editor sits behind his typewriter and expostulates at great length, by way of welcoming the visitors and pointing out the great accomplishments of the organization holding the meeting.

But we believe we can say just as much when we tell the visiting members of the New Mexico Federation of Women's Clubs the city is theirs, that we are pleased they have chosen our little city for their sessions and that we wish them Godspeed in their convention and the constructive program which they will formulate while in Artesia Friday and Saturday.

BONDS AND BOMBS—FLARES AND SCARES

From the way plans are being made for this evening, Artesia probably will appear to be Wartesia.

WE WOULDN'T BE HINTING, OF COURSE

Although we had eaten venison a number of times before coming to New Mexico, since going native here we have tasted other varieties of big game, both elk and moose.

Gosh, if we only had some antelope.

WE BELIEVE IT WOULD BE PROPER

Maybe we are a little premature, but what do you think about seeing it that the name, Bataan, is used in some way in connection with the new CAA airport for Artesia? Remember, we had more than fifty boys there!

One suggestion is Artesia Bataan Airport. Another is just plain Bataan Airport. The name of the city need not be included, for it would be referred to elsewhere as Bataan Airport at Artesia.

Let's have a little comment on these suggestions, as well as suggestions from other quarters.

GIVE THEM A CHANCE TO WORK FOR YOU

Perhaps the fact the fire alarm Monday was at exactly noon, the regular time for the test siren blast, had something to do with motorists failing to clear the streets, but surely the sirens on the trucks could be heard.

Every time there is a fire alarm it is the same way, drivers will not pull over to the curb until after the fire trucks and firemen in private cars have passed.

Besides that there always are many who race to the scene of the fire, some of them ahead of the second truck—just as it was Monday.

It seems that if some of the citizens of Artesia are willing to risk their necks and clothes and give of their time in order to practice and to help protect your property, the least the others could do would be to cooperate.

THE BOYS THINK IT'S OKEY

Pvt. Aaron D. Cunningham, son of W. D. Cunningham, who is on foreign duty somewhere, clipped the Advocate's "Keep 'Em Happy Club" blank from a recent issue and sent it in, answering a response for the names, addresses, ranks and birth dates of all boys from North Eddy County.

Only fifty-eight other blanks had come in prior to that from Pvt. Cunningham, all turned in by people at home.

If Pvt. Cunningham—far, far from home—thinks enough of the plan for us to publish birthdays in advance, so the boys can receive deluges of cards and letters, it seems that more parents and other relatives and friends of the boys would fall into line at home.

Incidentally, his birthday is March 31 and his address is: A. S. N. 38013445 Bty. 93 CA(AA), A. P. O. 953, care Postmaster, San Francisco, Calif. However, we'll remind you of that along about the first of March.

MORE ABOUT THAT LOST HAT

We learned with somewhat of a jar to our ego, what parts of the paper most people read.

When we lost our good hat several weeks ago, we mentioned it in this department, as well as in the classified column.

Hardly had the ink on that week's issue dried than people began to ask us about the loss and to speculate on just where we might have been to lose a hat.

But the dual publicity turned it up—in a barber shop.

Now the thing that gets us is that this column is not read as much as is the classified column, for after we told the world editorially we had regained possession of the hat, very few people seemed to know about it, for the kidding continued, with the oft-asked question: "Now just where were you to lose a hat?"

After all, our clients pay to advertise, whereas we fill up this column every week, just because it is the custom!

The Town Gloom says he knows it's campaign year because he's getting letters now with "Hon" in front of his name.—Horton (Kan.) Headlight.

A radical is a person who can outtalk you on any subject.—Macoupon County (Ill.) Enquirer.

Nothing is more exasperating than a friend who is always reminding you of your faults for your own good.—Chicago Daily News.

THINK FOR SAFETY

A splendid thought for all of us is contained in a letter to all employees of the Santa Fe System, copies of which were received by

the local force and were signed by W. K. Etter, vice president. Application of the letter can be made to any of us, so we pass the letter on to you:

Our armed forces, everywhere, are fighting for our safety! Safety for everyone—making the supreme sacrifice to dispel the danger that threatens our security—our homes—our way of life. That they may not fight and die in vain, let us preserve that safety by exercising caution, by keeping fit, by being alert, by using those few additional seconds that may separate safety from disaster—by avoiding those many accidents caused by acts of convenience.

Your work is "Vital to Victory." So vital that it is the patriotic duty of each individual employee to avoid loss-of-time accidents. The accumulated loss of manhour effort due to injury, both on and off the job, is impeding production—hindering the war effort. Trains moving essential war materials to factories and finished implements of warfare en route to the battle fronts have been delayed for lack of a crew that might have been available except for injury or illness. Many serious traffic interruptions have been caused by train service accidents, which have been far too numerous.

Every available working hour of every employee, regardless of craft or capacity in which engaged, is needed to keep our railroad functioning at peak efficiency to speed on their way the materials and equipment our fighting forces so sorely need. We have never before been called on to perform so great a task.

Those whom our government has charged with responsibility for war production, recognizing that employee casualties are curtailing output to a serious extent, have requested all industry to renew its efforts toward accident and injury prevention. The importance of our complete cooperation in that campaign can not be too strongly stressed. Your country is depending on you in her greatest emergency. I have full confidence in your whole-hearted response.

The first rule in the book, "Safety is of the first importance in the discharge of duty," has for us today a renewed significance. Strict compliance with that rule will go a long way toward eliminating train service accidents with their attendant serious traffic detention, damage to and destruction of precious equipment, which it is so essential we avoid, as well as personal injury. We must heed the rules now as never before.

CHURCHES

SHERMAN MEMORIAL CHURCH (Oilfield Community)

Sunday school at 10 o'clock.
Prayer meeting and choir practice, 7 o'clock Wednesday evening.
Mrs. G. W. Walker, Superintendent

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.

ST. ANTHONY CATHOLIC CHURCH

504 South Ninth Street

Franciscan Fathers in charge.
Mass Sundays, 8 a. m.
Mass weekdays, at Artesia Memorial Hospital, 6:30 a. m.
Our Lady of Grace Church, Spanish: Mass Sundays, 9:30 a. m.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH

Corner Fourth and Chisholm

Sunday Services
Bible school, 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship, 11 a. m.
Evening worship, 7 p. m.
Weekly Services
Wednesday prayer meeting, 7 p. m.

ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

307 South Seventh Street

Evening prayer and sermon, every Sunday, (except the first), at 7:30 o'clock. Confirmation instruction, every Sunday (except the first), at 5 o'clock. Holy Communion at 8 o'clock on the Monday morning after the second Sunday in each month. Public cordially invited to worship with the congregation.
Rev. Joseph H. Harvey, Vicar.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Seventh and Grand

Sunday Services
Bible study, 10 a. m.
Preaching, 11 a. m.
Young folks' meeting, 7 p. m.
Regular services, 8 p. m.
Mid-Week Services
Wednesday, 8 p. m.
Ladies' Bible class, Thursday, 3 p. m.
Men's training class, Thursday, 8 p. m.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

Fifth and Quay

Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
Church services, 11 a. m.
N.Y.P.S., 7 p. m.
Mid-week prayer meeting, Wednesday, 8 p. m.
Cottage prayer meeting, Friday, 8 p. m.
Worship with us.
Lonnie Voorhies, Pastor

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Sunday, October 18

Bible school, 9:45 a. m.
Communion service and sermon, 10:50 a. m., theme, "Christ Our Advocate."
Christian Endeavor, 6:30 p. m.
Evening worship, 7:30 p. m., praise, prayer and sermon, theme, "Divine Leadership in Human Life."
Dr. Orahoad will close his ministry with the Church with the evening service.
Oren Orahoad D. D., Minister.

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 7:30 o'clock.
Visitors and friends of the church are always welcome. New-comers are invited to visit our

SHERMAN MEMORIAL CHURCH

Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship, 11 a. m., sermon: "Callous Christianity," text: Heb. 2:1-2.
Evening worship, 7:30 p. m., sermon: "Unconditional Election," text: Rev. 3:20.
Christian Endeavor, 6:30 p. m.
Mid-week prayer meeting, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.
J. Basil Ramsey, Pastor.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sixth and Quay

Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship, 11 a. m., sermon: "Callous Christianity," text: Heb. 2:1-2.
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Evening worship, 7:30 p. m., praise, prayer and sermon, theme, "Divine Leadership in Human Life."
Dr. Orahoad will close his ministry with the Church with the evening service.
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WARRANTY DEED—

Dale Thomas et ux to Glenn Booker et ux, lots 13 and 15, block 13, Forest Hill Addition, Artesia, \$10, &c.

H. F. White et ux to Leslie Martin, lot 8, block 48, Artesia Improvement Co. Addition, \$650, &c.

Nina Graves et vir to Henry White et ux, lot 8, block 48, Artesia Improvement Company Addition, \$500, &c.

QUIT CLAIM DEED—
Hector McArthur to Leda McArthur, lots 6, 8, 10, 12, 14 and 16, block 13, Forest Hill Addition, Artesia, \$1, &c.

DISTRICT COURT—
No. 7954 In the matter of the guardianship of Lonnie Mae Cooper, a minor.

No. 7955 Barney McCollum et al vs. Skousen Bros., et al, claim for compensation.

No. 7956 Henry Ellis vs. Stephen Lambert & Siler et al, claim for compensation.

No. 7957 In the matter of the application of Stella L. Hickman et al, to change their names.

No. 7958 E. R. Willis vs. E. S. McKittrick Co., Inc., et al, claim for compensation.

No. 7959 Alta N. Perry vs. E. S. McKittrick Co., Inc., et al, claim for compensation.

No. 7960 A. M. Kevill vs. International Minerals & Chemical Corp., et al, claim for compensation.

MEAT CONSERVATION QUOTAS BEING SET

In order to conserve sufficient meat for the armed forces and lend-lease, the OPA has issued an order specifying quotas of beef, pork, veal, mutton and lamb that may be distributed for civilian use.

Deliveries to civilians during the period from Oct. 1 to Dec. 31 by those who slaughter more than 500,000 pounds of meat in a quarter have been limited to the following percentages of such deliveries in the same period of 1941: beef, 80 per cent; pork, 75; lamb and mutton, 95, and veal, 100.

In another meat action, the OPA has limited the top prices which beef slaughterers and wholesalers with slaughter individual ceilings may charge for the dressed product. Packers whose ceilings under the original beef regulation are less than the new top maximums can not raise their present ceiling prices. That move is expected to check the rapidly rising cost of live cattle.

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Sands of Time

FIFTEEN YEARS AGO
(From The Advocate Files for Oct. 13, 1927)

A drive is to be made shortly to replenish the Community Chest fund. Representatives from each church and civic organization have been made.

Walter Graham entertained his class of young people of the Christian Sunday School at a picnic at Penasco Monday evening.

J. S. Ward is serving on the jury in Carlsbad this week. E. B. Bullock and Howard Grissler reported Monday for jury duty, but were excused.

Eddy County will produce approximately 200,000 pounds of honey this year. It is estimated there are about 4,000 colonies located in the valley. At 12½ cents a pound, the expected yield will bring \$25,000.

This section experienced the first freezing weather Tuesday night, although the freeze was light.

Dr. Ed Stone of Artesia was re-elected deputy master of the New Mexico Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows at the annual convention in Albuquerque Tuesday.

Tomorrow is election day here, when the proposition of granting V. S. Welch a franchise to pipe natural gas into Artesia will be submitted to the voters.

Mrs. G. R. Brainard of Artesia was elected auditor of the New Mexico Federation of Women's Clubs at the annual convention in Las Vegas last week.

It is foolish, however, to tell your wife when you first get married that you are unworthy of her. It's better just to wait and let it be a surprise to her.

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The Men Behind

The Men Who Fly 'Em

By 1st Lt. Ralph H. Ayers, Public Relations Officer, Roswell Army Flying School

Things were pretty dull back at Plover, Iowa, (pop. 250) in the autumn of the year 1941. The sleepy little town, as yet untouched by the war, lived through a succession of monotonous days that stretched into weeks and then into months.

That was the year that Allen Hubbell decided to enlist in the Army of the United States. Hubbell is not a hero or a glamour boy; he is one of those men behind the scenes who keep 'em flying. Finding himself too old to enlist as a flying cadet in the Air Corps, Hubbell figured he would fit in best as an airplane mechanic. So, with that in mind, he enlisted last October at Fort Des Moines, Iowa.

Just to keep the records straight, Hubbell had tried to enlist twice before, but because of a slight physical defect, couldn't quite make the grade. On the third attempt, however, he hit the jackpot.

His correct title is corporal now, and he is stationed at the Roswell Army Flying School. His promising career in the Army, though not particularly unusual, is typical of the rapid advancement that comes in the Air Forces nowadays to men with a mechanical turn of mind.

After enlistment, Cpl. Hubbell was sent to Sheppard Field, Tex., then to Albuquerque, and then to Roswell. His days are completely

filled as he works hard at his task of keeping 'em flying.

As a mechanic, Hubbell's daily schedule runs something like this: Out of bed at 4:30 o'clock in the morning. Then to breakfast (Army men call it "chow"). After chow he reports to the line, ready to warm up his huge, twin-engine training plane. Hubbell is an assistant crew-chief, therefore the plane is "his" as much as it is the pilot's or that of any other flier.

When the plane roars off on a training mission, Cpl. Hubbell is as proud a mechanic as there is on the entire field. It is a far cry from the farm machinery he used to keep in repair back on the farm at Plover. After Hubbell's plane has taken off he can turn his attention to other duties, little details that may not seem important to the layman, but which are a matter of utmost concern to both mechanics and pilots—details like figuring the total time of the engines, planning an inspection, or checking up on forms telling him the status of his plane.

Hubbell gets a great kick out of his job as a mechanic. He gets good pay with the possibility of receiving more as his ability increases. More than that, he figures, he is learning something that will stand him in good stead when he gets back into civilian life.

Pickers, Ginners Can Help Produce Clean War Cotton

Dry, Dirt-Free Linters for Powder of High Quality Will Aid In Winning

Cotton pickers can hit a wartime blow for their country this year by trying extra hard to pick their cotton clean and dry, says Wallace Johnson of the New Mexico Extension Service. Ginners can also put a patriotic punch into their operations by using extra care to remove trash and dirt. Here's the reason:

Cotton linters—the residue of fibers removed from cottonseed after ginning—are the source of the best quality of cellulose used in the manufacturing of smokeless powder, with which the big guns of the Army and Navy are charged, and to make windows for bombers and fighting planes. Linters must be as free as possible of dirt and trash for the safest production of the best quality powder and only the most perfect character of linters is suitable plastic for bomber windows.

In wartime, Johnson points out, time and chemicals must be conserved—and both time and chemicals are required to remove foreign matter from linters. If the foreign matter is not removed, the resulting powder will have a lower propellant power. Moreover, instances are on record in which foreign matter in linters has caused explosions in powder factories with loss of life, material, and time.

Here are some points for cotton pickers to remember: Pick cotton clean and dry. Dirt and trash and water in seed cotton lower the grade and value of the bale, increase the cost of transportation, lower the value of the seed, and reduce the quantity and quality of the food products and munitions made from the seed.

Ginners: Dirt and trash in cottonseed cannot always be removed at the oil mills, and when not removed, they get into the linters. Dirt and trash in linters used in making smokeless powder cannot always be removed during the purification process and, if not removed, some forms of such foreign matter may become a dangerous hazard and reduce the effectiveness of the powder produced. Gin carefully, make the best possible grade of cotton, and do not "skin the seed" for "higher outturn." Linters in cotton are a waste at the spinning mills, but linters from the seed mean powder for our fighting forces and windows for our bombers and fighter planes.

New Books on Shelves of the Artesia Library

Twenty new volumes have been placed on the Artesia Public Library shelves, it was reported by Mrs. Nellie Hartell, besides the complete set of Bobbsey Twins books by Laura Lee Hope. They are:

- Victory Through Air Power, Major A. P. De Sersversky; Cup and the Sword, Hobert; American Unity and Asia, Pearl Buck; War and Peace, Leo Tolstoy; Just and the Unjust; Stormy Present, Hopfield; Plume Rouge, Terril.
- Small Town South, Byrd; The Secret Front, Paul Gallico; Signed With Their Honour, Aldridge; Dr. Kildare Trial, Brand; Five Women in Three Novels, Faith Baldwin; The Days of Ophelia, Adameant; The High Window, Chandler.
- Our India, Monroe Masani; Let Me Die Tuesday, Helen Topping Miller; Sharan, Helen Topping Miller; Blue Marigolds, Helen Topping Miller; Case of the Curious Bride, Gardner; Mrs. Minever, Jan Struther.

Mrs. W. E. Yates of Rankin, Tex., is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Crandall.

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CHARLES MAC KNOEDLER IS A FLYING CADET

Charles Mac Knoedler, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Knoedler, who has been stationed at the Spartan School of Aeronautics at Tulsa, Okla., has been transferred to the Aviation Cadet Center at Kelly Field, San Antonio, Tex., where he will receive training as a flying cadet.

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Society

Twenty-Second Annual Convention Third District State Federation Women's Clubs Here Oct. 16-17



MRS. RALPH G. ROBERSON, Jr.

Carrie Hannah President Theta Rho Club Here

Carrie Margaret Hannah was installed president of the Artesia chapter, Sieles, of the Theta Rho Club No. 6 last Thursday evening at the I.O.O.F. Hall, when about eighteen members from the Carlsbad chapter No. 5 came to initiate and install officers.

The chapter, which was organized by Miss Ina Cole, advisor, has twenty-eight charter members. Mrs. John Lanning, state president of the New Mexico Rebekah Assemblies, instituted the chapter. Mrs. Effie Wingfield and Mrs. Lanning are assistant advisors to Miss Cole.

Others installed at this time were: Vice president, Joann Livingston; warden, Martha Wallingford; conductor, Dorothy Linell; marshal, Hattie Ruth Cole; chaplain, Patsy Robinson; inside guardian, Shirley Shira; outside guardian, Joan Hardeman; right supporter to the president, Ruby Henry; left supporter to the president, Christine Anderson; right supporter to the vice president, Mary Lou Cunningham; left supporter to the vice president, La Donna Ferguson; musician, Doris Exum, and heralds, Joy Fern Ferguson, Rosary Martin, Helen Hebert, Marcia Lee Wright, Dorothy Gill and Joan Francisco.

Committees appointed at this time were: Social, Velma Springer and June Roberts; finance, Winona McGonagill, Danella Bynum and Gloria Pulliam, and visiting, Carol Hensley and Betty McDonald.

Members of the Rebekah Lodge served refreshments to about 100 from Carlsbad and Artesia, and the members' mothers who were guests.

Mildred Rhodes, who recently moved to Artesia and is a member of the Farmington Theta Rho chapter, was also a guest.

The B&PW Club Meets On Monday Evening

Artesia Business and Professional Women met Monday evening at the home of Mrs. C. R. Blocker.

Mrs. Keith Quail, president, appointed chairmen of the various committees. They were: Education, Miss Beth King; finance, Mrs. R. C. Horner; health, Miss Mary McCaw; international relations, Mrs. Opal Hool; legislation, Mrs. C. O. Fulton; program coordination, Miss Aleene Wright; membership, Miss Juanita Denton; publications, Mrs. Owen Hensley; publicity, Mrs. C. R. Blocker, and public affairs, Mrs. Lockett Trigg.

Mrs. Horner was appointed to represent the club on the Civic Community Chest committee and Mrs. Blocker to represent the club on the service club committee.

Several members expect to take the Red Cross instructors' course in rolling bandages and others plan to assist. Members who have not offered their services are asked to contact the president, Mrs. Keith Quail.

SEVERAL ARE GUESTS AT BILLINGSLEA HOME

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Billingslea entertained several guests at a dinner Sunday.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Carter, Miss Corrine Carter and Miss Mary Thompson of Carlsbad and Sgt. Cox, Alfred Wright, Capt. Payteon and Capt. Bishop of Roswell.

APPLES BEING HARVESTED

Winter apples are being harvested at my farm. Call and take your choice at reasonable prices or mail card for delivery to Artesia. Also leave orders at Artesia Alfalfa Assn., Artesia. Plenty of cider on tap. Bryant Williams, Hope, N. Mex.

The Legion Auxiliary On Monday Afternoon

Members of the Artesia American Legion Auxiliary Monday afternoon at the hut for the October meeting voted to give the money in the quilt fund to Artesia Memorial Hospital for the purchase of a baby incubator. The fund, amounting to \$79, was raised by the sale of a quilt made and donated last year by Mrs. Anna May Watson.

Plans also were made for the organization to serve coffee and pie on election day at the former Richard's Electric Shop location. Mrs. Frank Smith, chairman of the membership committee, reported sixty-nine paid members to date.

Mrs. Oscar Samelson was leader of the program. As October is unit activity month, Mrs. Samelson told of different activities in the community in which members could take part.

Mrs. Oren C. Roberts, president, appointed Mrs. C. R. Baldwin, Mrs. Zane Smith and Mrs. P. V. Morris to represent the Auxiliary on the service club committee, which is being organized for boys who will be at the pre-glider school.

The hostesses, Mrs. Samelson, Mrs. S. A. Lanning, Mrs. Dale Walters and Mrs. J. B. Muncy, served refreshments.

Miss Margaret Bishop of El Paso returned home last Thursday after visiting her sister, Mrs. Lillian McNeil, ten days.

Social Calendar

Telephone 7 or 99

THURSDAY (TODAY)

Presbyterian Woman's Association: Group No. 1, Mrs. James Allen, hostess, Mrs. Troy Bourland, co-hostess, 2:30 p. m.; Group No. 2, Mrs. R. G. Knoedler, hostess, 2:30 p. m.

Christian Woman's Council of the First Christian Church, at the church, 2:30 p. m.

Methodist Society of Christian Service: Laura Bullock Circle, Mrs. Jim Berry, hostess, 2:30 p. m.; Gladys Dixon Circle, Mrs. E. B. Bullock, hostess, 2:30 p. m.

MONDAY

Past President's Parley, Mrs. Earl Darst, hostess, Mrs. C. R. Vandagriff, co-hostess, luncheon, 3:15 Quay, 1 p. m.

AWWS, regular meeting, city hall, 7:30 p. m.

Garden Club, city hall, 2:30 p. m.

TUESDAY

First Afternoon and Abnormis Sapiens Bridge Clubs, joint meeting, Mrs. J. W. Berry, hostess, covered dish luncheon, 1 p. m.

WEDNESDAY

Kongenial Kard Klub, Mrs. L. A. DeLouche, hostess, 2:30 p. m.

THURSDAY [NEXT WEEK]

Young Woman's Guild of the First Christian Church, Mrs. Britton Coll, hostess, sewing for hospital, 1 p. m.

Convention Calendar

FRIDAY

New Mexico Federation of Women's Clubs, third district convention.

Opening session, Woman's Club, 1:30 p. m.

Tea, Stanley Carper home, 4 p. m.

Banquet, Carper Terrace, 6:30 p. m.

Open meeting, address, Dr. Alfred Crofts; music, H. T. Decker, baritone; public invited, Artesia Junior-Senior High School auditorium, 8 p. m.

SATURDAY

Junior breakfast, Carper Terrace, 7:30 a. m.

Session, Woman's Club, 9 a. m. Luncheon, Carper Terrace, 12:15 p. m.

The twenty-second annual convention of the New Mexico Federation of Women's Clubs, third district, will be held in Artesia Friday and Saturday, Oct. 16-17.

Registration will begin at 9 o'clock Friday morning at the Artesia Hotel, with the following meetings and conferences to be held at the hotel Friday morning: Executive board meeting at 10, president's conference, 10:30 and a conference of club chairmen and meeting of the resolutions committee at 11 o'clock.

A convention theme, "United We Stand," with excellent speakers, has been announced by Mrs. P. M. Bailey, president and presiding officer.

Guest speakers will include Dr. Alfred Crofts, professor of social science, Eastern New Mexico College, Portales; Mrs. C. E. Mason, Roswell; Mrs. Walker C. Hubbard, Children's Home, Portales; Mrs. Kern Smith, state president, Junior clubs, Carlsbad, and Mrs. P. M. Bailey, district president, Portales.

Musical numbers will include, vocal selections by H. T. Decker, chairman of School of Music, Eastern New Mexico College, Portales; Elizabeth Hoague Newman, Washington, D. C.; Miss Sarah Lucille White, Roswell, and an appearance of the Artesia Junior High School Glee Club and violin numbers by Ted R. Best and Everett Dean O'Bannon, Artesia.

Mrs. Fred Cole is song leader for the convention and Mrs. Glenn Caskey, pianist.

A forum, "Woman's Contribution to the War," will be conducted Friday afternoon by Mrs. C. E. Mason. Contributions through the home, church, school and war activities will be discussed by Mrs. F. L. Melhop, Dexter; Mrs. R. M. Thorne, Carlsbad; Mrs. B. B. Wilson, Roswell, and Mrs. W. P. Clarke, Hobbs. A second forum will be conducted by Mrs. L. L. Parker, Dexter, Saturday morning.

The convention will open at 1:30 Friday afternoon at the Artesia Woman's Club. This is the first time the district convention has been held in Artesia in twelve years. Both junior and senior members are expected from Farwell, Portales, Clovis, Elda, Roswell, Dexter, Hagerman, Hobbs, Carlsbad and Artesia.

Every junior and senior club member is invited to attend all sessions. The public is invited to attend the Friday evening lecture by Dr. Crofts, Portales. Dr. Crofts, who was reared in China, will have a message which will interest everyone who is interested in world affairs today. Citizens of Artesia

and the Artesia communities are invited as guests of the district, to hear Dr. Crofts at 8 o'clock Friday evening at the Junior-Senior High School auditorium.

An informal tea will be held at the home of Mrs. Stanley Carper, with Mrs. Glenn Booker, co-hostess, immediately after the afternoon session at 4 o'clock Friday. Club members will go direct from the club house.

A formal banquet will be held at the Carper Terrace at 6:30 o'clock Friday evening, courtesy of the Artesia Clubs, Mrs. Fred Cole and Mrs. Fletcher Collins, chairmen of arrangements.



MRS. P. M. BAILEY

The junior breakfast will be held at the Carper Terrace at 7:30 o'clock Saturday morning for juniors only, with the exception of special invitations.

The convention will close Saturday with a luncheon at the Carper Terrace at 12:15 o'clock. Mrs. Oren Roberts and Mrs. Wallace Gates, chairmen of arrangements.

Artesia Club women are especially grateful to the Artesia Chamber of Commerce, Artesia civic clubs and Artesia business men and women who have extended a welcome to club women of the Pecos Valley who will be our guests this week and the convention finance committee is appreciative of the splendid manner in which the above mentioned aided them in underserving funds for entertaining this convention.

If you have a room for overnight convention guests, phone Mrs. H. R. Paton, or Mrs. Andy Corbin, chairmen of housing. Club women are also urged to

cooperate with the transportation committee, in order that guests may reach all sessions and places of entertainment while in our city. Do not leave a place of meeting without filling your car, if there are those who are without transportation. Mrs. Stanley Blocker and Mrs. Oscar Samelson are chairmen of this division.

Every club woman is expected to attend all possible sessions of the convention and to join visiting guests at the tea, banquet and luncheon. Tickets, which are moderately priced, will be on sale at headquarters at the Artesia Hotel Friday morning and again at the clubhouse up to 2 o'clock, when all reservations must be in for the banquet. Luncheon tickets may be purchased up to 9 o'clock Saturday morning.

Two Grand Officers Visit Artesia O.E. S.

Mrs. Seth J. Howell of Encino, associate grand matron, and Dr. W. T. Neeley of Roswell, associate grand patron, of the Order of the Eastern Star of New Mexico, were visitors of the Artesia chapter at the regular meeting Tuesday evening.

After the regular business the Past Matron's Club was in charge of a special memorial service.

Other out-of-town guests were Mrs. W. T. Neeley of Roswell and Mrs. Frank Crockett and Mrs. Charlie Cole of Hope.

Light refreshments were served after the meeting.

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MISS ROGERS HOSTESS TO EXECUTIVE BOARD

Miss Cora Rogers was hostess to members and guests of the executive board of the Christian Woman's Council of the First Christian Church at a breakfast last Thursday morning.

Guests on this occasion were the Rev. and Mrs. J. Vernon Wheeler of Monte Vista, Colo., who were visiting friends. Members present were Mrs. Earl Darst, Mrs. Nevil Muncy, Mrs. C. E. Lannom, Mrs. Albert Richards, Mrs. Frank Thomas, Mrs. Harold Crozier, and Mrs. Stanley Blocker.

After the breakfast Mrs. Darst, president, presided at a short business meeting.

TO VISIT THEIR SONS IN SERVICE IN TEXAS

Mrs. William B. Pistole and Mrs. Jim Cobble left Wednesday for San Antonio, Tex., in the Pistole car, Mrs. Pistole to visit her grandson, Bob, a flying cadet at Randolph Field and Mrs. Cobble to visit her son, Sgt. Lynn Cobble, in training at an Army station there.

We're in it—let's win it!

MRS. SPRINGER HOSTESS AT BIRTHDAY DINNER

Mrs. Floyd Springer was hostess at a birthday dinner last Thursday evening complimenting Mr. Springer on his birthday.

The dining room was lighted by blue and red tapers and the table centered with crystal.

Covers were laid for Mr. Springer's mother and sister, Mrs. S. L. Springer and Leona, of Cross City, Okla., who were here visiting; Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Van Winkle and two children and Mrs. Springer and two daughters, Misses Velma and Wanda.

Laurent Gordon, who has been working in Los Angeles, came home Sunday to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gordon, before joining the Navy.

Mrs. Nevil Muncy, who has been ill since returning from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Larry Stockton, and Ensign Stockton at Kingsville, Tex., about two weeks ago is able to be up. Her younger daughter, Billie Jean, who was also ill for several days, is back in school.

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MRS. STROMBERG HONORED AT FAREWELL PARTY

About fourteen members of the P. E. O. sisterhood honored Mrs. T. C. Stromberg with a farewell party at the home of Mrs. R. L. Paris Friday afternoon.

The house was decorated with many lovely fall flowers. Refreshments were served later in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Stromberg left Sunday for Oklahoma, where they will visit before he reports for induction in the Navy Oct. 20, and will receive training in Rhode Island.

FORMER ARTESIA GIRL GOES TO PEARL HARBOR

Mrs. R. L. Harrison, Jr., of Long Beach, Calif., the former Dorothy Crandall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Crandall of Artesia, who is here visiting her parents, expects to join her husband who is now on the West Coast, when he returns to Pearl Harbor within the near future.

Mrs. Harrison, who was a member of the Artesia High School graduating class of 1940, has an appointment for a civil service job in Hawaii.

RUSSELL FLOORE NOW EMPLOYED AT MALCO

Russell Floore who has been an assistant cashier at the First National Bank for the last four and a half years, started work Thursday, Oct. 1 in the office of Malco Refiners, Inc.

REV. AND MRS. RAMSEY HONORED AT RECEPTION

Members of the Presbyterian Church honored the Rev. and Mrs. J. Basil Ramsey at an informal reception and fellowship at the church undercroft Monday evening.

R. L. Paris, representative of session, gave the welcome and various department chairmen also gave short addresses.

Refreshments were served by the ladies.

REV. SPECK TO PREACH AT CHURCH OF CHRIST

The Rev. Carlos D. Speck of Austin, Tex., will preach at the Church of Christ at 7:30 o'clock Friday evening.

MR. AND MRS. YATES TO METHODIST CONFERENCE

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Yates, Jr., left Tuesday for El Paso, to attend the annual district conference of the Methodist Church.

Mr. Yates is lay representative of the local church at the conference.

ATTEND PRESBYTERIAN MEET IN ALBUQUERQUE

The Rev. J. Basil Ramsey, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Gilbert and Mr. and Mrs. William Linell left Tuesday for Albuquerque to attend the annual Synod and Synodical.

Mrs. S. L. Springer and daughter, Leona, of Cross City, Okla., left Sunday after a ten-day visit with their son and brother, Floyd Springer, and family. They visited other members of the family in California before coming here.

Church Activities

Susannah Wesley Class

The Susannah Wesley Sunday School Class of the Methodist Church met last Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Nancy Eipper, with Mrs. L. W. Feemester co-hosts.

Mrs. Feemester also presided at the meeting. Devotions were led by Mrs. Mary Macdonald. Members answered roll call with Bible verses.

Refreshments were served after the meeting to those mentioned above and Mrs. George Frisch, Mrs. O. S. Mateson, Mrs. Roy Buck, Mrs. S. S. Ward, Mrs. E. B. Bullock, Mrs. Carrie Hinrichsen, Mrs. Alice Coulter, Mrs. Florence Hastings, Mrs. Ella Stanley, Mrs. G. C. Kinder and Mrs. H. A. Stroup.

Young Woman's Guild

The Young Woman's Guild of the First Christian Church met last Thursday at the home of Mrs. John Collins for a all-day meeting and covered dish luncheon.

Mrs. Georp Beadle was leader of the program, "Books of the New Testament." During the business, at which Mr. Collins presided, members discussed sewing for the hospital.

Those present were Mrs. J. Vernon Wheeler and Dr. Oren Oranhood, guests, at Mrs. Beadle, Mrs. Clarence Conn, Mrs. Jay Thomas, Mrs. Boone Jarnett, Mrs. Homer Borland, Mrs. Sam Stewart, Mrs. Britton Coll, Ms. Walter Hefner, Mrs. Cile Kidd, Mrs. Finley Gunter and Mrs. Ady Corbin, members.

The next meeting will be at 1 o'clock Thursday Oct. 22, at the home of Mrs. Briton Coll. Members will sew for the hospital.

MOUNTAIN APPLES

FOR SALE—By bushel or truck load. Phone 239, "Bean" Bailey. 40-6tp-45

Red Cross

The local Red Cross organization needs workers and needs them badly. This is an appeal to women in Artesia and surrounding communities. You are needed and needed now.

Mrs. Fay Hardeman, chairman of surgical dressings, is calling for help to roll bandages. Rooms for the work are open Monday through Friday each week, working hours from 10 to 12 o'clock in the morning and from 1:30 to 4:30 o'clock in the afternoons. If the work is not rushed forward, perhaps it will be necessary to open the rooms in the evenings.

There are requirements, which must be strictly heeded. Wear a wash dress, fresh and clean, and bring a covering for your hair and remove all nail polish. These requirements are necessary for the rolling of sanitary bandages, which are to be used on every front of the injured boys of the allied nations. Do not place yourself in an embarrassing position by appearing in anything except a wash dress and do not expect to roll these bandages with nail polish on your hands.

The surgical dressing room is badly in need of chairs, so if you have a chair which is not in use, call Red Cross headquarters or take it to the surgical dressing room in Ward Building.

Mrs. Sally Lanning, chairman of sewing, needs a number more women and girls to work on the quota of girls' blouses. Call Mrs. Lanning at 763-W for garments cut and ready to sew with instructions.

Still more workers are needed for the kit project. Call headquarters if you can help.

The Red Cross office is badly in need of a steel filing cabinet. If anyone has one which he might donate for the present, notify headquarters.

Those who are eligible for uniforms and would like to have one ready made, call Mrs. L. P. Evans, phone 195, for information and prices.

Mrs. Dixon Honored On Birthday Monday

Mrs. R. E. Dixon was complimented on her birthday Monday afternoon, when Mrs. Floyd Springer entertained in her honor.

Guests on this occasion were Mrs. H. E. Crozier, Mrs. Tom Weimer, Mrs. Ted Carter and Mrs. W. B. Gelwick.

The afternoon was spent in playing rummy. Mrs. Dixon was presented a lovely assortment of pottery dishes.

The hostess served refreshments later in the afternoon. Mrs. Crozier held high score and Mrs. Weimer, low.

Two Are Elected To State Offices In Rebekah Assembly

Mrs. Effie Wingfield of Artesia was elected state secretary of the New Mexico Rebekah Assembly at the state assembly meeting in Hobbs Sunday through Tuesday. Miss Ina Cole of Artesia was elected Conductor.

Other state officers are: President, Miss Cleo Jackson, Tucumcari; vice president, Miss Mayreec Dillinger, Clovis; warden, Mrs. Bessie Miller, Albuquerque; marshal, Mrs. Bernice Jewell, Tucumcari; treasurer, Mrs. Sarah Brown, Springer, and past state president and state instructor, Mrs. John Lanning, Artesia.

Members from the Artesia chapter seated the assembly Monday morning. Outstanding address of the meeting was given by D. D. Monroe of Clayton Monday evening at the banquet.

The assembly is to be in Carlsbad next year.

Abnormis Bridge Club Story Home Tuesday

Mrs. J. M. Story entertained the Abnormis Sapiens Bridge Club Tuesday afternoon.

Substituting guests were Mrs. Troy Bourland, Miss Katherine Walterschied, Mrs. M. W. Evans and Mrs. W. J. Cluney. Members present were Mrs. J. W. Berry, Mrs. Dave Bunting, Mrs. J. J. Clarke, Sr., Mrs. Jeff Hightower, Mrs. B. E. Kennedy, Mrs. James Nellis and Mrs. Beecher Rowan. At the close of the rounds of bridge Mrs. Kennedy held high score.

MRS. ATKESON HOSTESS TO H2O BRIDGE CLUB

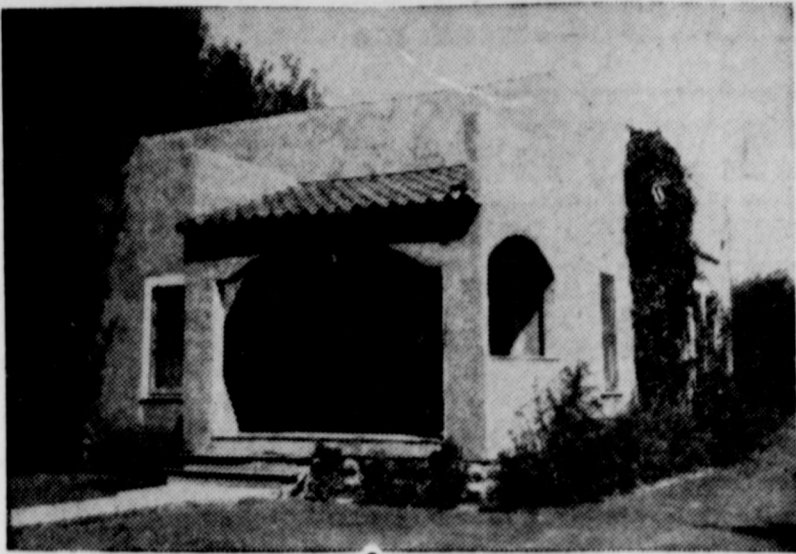
Mrs. J. B. Atkeson was hostess to the H2O Bridge Club Friday afternoon.

Substituting guests were Mrs. Jeff Hightower, Mrs. F. P. Turner and Mrs. Arba Green. Others present were Mrs. Earl Darst, Mrs. S. O. Higgins, Mrs. Nevil Muncy and Mrs. M. W. Evans.

Mrs. Higgins held high score of the afternoon.

Mrs. Lockety Trigg and granddaughter who recently returned to their former home in Amarillo, Tex., have returned here. Mrs. Trigg has accepted a position as secretary of Neil B. Watson, attorney.

Home of the Artesia Woman's Club



Where the twenty-second annual convention of the New Mexico Federation of Women's Clubs, third district, will be held Friday and Saturday, Oct. 16-17, in Artesia.

Red Cross General Meeting Wednesday

A general meeting of the American Red Cross was held Wednesday afternoon at the American Legion hut for the October meeting.

The room is now open in the Ward Building for rolling surgical bandages. Anyone having extra chairs and wishing to donate them for the duration may call Red Cross headquarters, phone 328-W.

It was reported forty-seven have now completed the instructors' course in rolling surgical bandages. Another class is to start at night next week, with Mrs. Fay Hardeman instructor. Workers are badly needed, as 9,000 four-inch sponges and 14,400 sponges 4x8 inches are to be finished in two months.

Red Cross headquarters is now open and operated by the staff assistance corps at the Artesia Hotel. Any business pertaining to Red Cross work may be called in at headquarters.

JUNIOR CLUB HAS CALL MEETING ON WEDNESDAY

Members of the Artesia Junior Woman's Club met Wednesday afternoon at the clubhouse for a call meeting. Mrs. Ralph G. Roberson, Jr., presided.

Reports of committees were given and a discussion held on finance projects.

Final plans were made for the junior's part in the New Mexico Federation of Women's Clubs third district convention here Friday and Saturday.

MRS. COMPANY HOSTESS KONGENIAL KARD KLUB

Mrs. Andy Company was hostess to the Kongenial Kard Klub Wednesday evening.

Those present were Mrs. W. T. Albert, Mrs. F. E. Pennell and a Mrs. Sharp, substituting guests, and Mrs. Earl McDorman, Mrs. R. C. Parker, Mrs. G. Kelly Stout and Mrs. W. J. Cluney, members.

Pie and coffee was served after the rounds of bridge. Mrs. Parker received high score award, Mrs. Albert, second, and Mrs. McDorman, low.

Margaret Ann, 6-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Langston, who was operated on for appendicitis Monday of last week in a Carlsbad hospital, was brought home Monday of this week, doing fine.

Eight More Donations To Artesia Hospital Acknowledged Today

Eight more donations for the purchase of badly needed supplies were acknowledged this morning by the Sisters-Adorer of the Most Precious Blood at Artesia Memorial Hospital.

They were: Mrs. S. M. Morgan \$1; Carl Folkner \$20, Rebekah Lodge \$8, Mrs. J. D. Thorpe \$2.50, Mrs. Ben Bowers \$10, Col. A. T. Woods \$10, Fern Davenport 50 cents, Dan Sullivan \$10.

A number of previous donations, both of cash and items, were acknowledged and, with the current list, the response to the appeal is coming along nicely. However, there still remain a number of items needed by the hospital and all donations will be gratefully received.

AUXILIARY MEMBERSHIP IS APPROACHING GOAL

Mrs. Frank Smith, state and unit membership chairman of the American Legion Auxiliary, reported this morning the local unit had gained in 1943 memberships from fifty-nine a week ago to ninety-two, only thirteen short of the quota goal of 105.

It is hoped to obtain the goal on or before Oct. 27, on which day there will be a telegraphic report of all units in the state to the department president, Mrs. Josephine Haller of Gallup.

O. R. Hannit of Needles, Calif., and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jones and daughter, Jacqueline, of Clovis left last Thursday after visiting since the day prior, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph G. Roberson, Jr. Mr. Hannit and Mrs. Jones are a brother and sister of Mrs. Roberson.

Charles Grayson, who was located at Buckley Field near Denver in the Air Corps, has been transferred to the new base at Carlsbad. He was at home over the week end.

APPLES BEING HARVESTED

Winter apples are being harvested at my farm. Call and take your choice at reasonable prices or mail card for delivery to Artesia. Also leave orders at Artesia Alfalfa Assn., Artesia. Plenty of cider on tap. Bryant Williams, Hope, N. Mex. 36-tfc

Father of Jimmie Wallace Dies Last Week in Carlsbad

James W. Wallace of Carlsbad, 75, father of James B. (Jimmie) Wallace of Artesia, died at 5 o'clock Wednesday afternoon of last week after an illness of only a few hours.

Funeral services were at 3 o'clock Friday afternoon from West Chapel in Carlsbad by Rev. Dr. William S. Dando, pastor of the Carlsbad Presbyterian Church. The Masons were in charge of rites at the grave in Carlsbad Cemetery.

Mr. Wallace is survived by his widow, the son and five grandsons. He and Mrs. Wallace moved to Carlsbad from Colorado in 1908, since when he was active as a building contractor there. He was active in the Woodmen of the World and Masonic Lodges.

M. G. Schulze Named Chairman Community Chest Here Friday

Officers of the Community Chest were elected at a call meeting Friday evening, when M. G. Schulze was elected chairman to succeed Howard Whitson.

Mrs. Mark A. Corbin was named secretary and Hollis G. Watson was re-elected treasurer.

It was decided to make no drive for the present, as there still remain some funds from the last drive, nearly two years ago.

SON, JIMMIE, BORN TO SGT. AND MRS. LEONARD

A son was born in Denver Saturday morning to Master Sgt. and Mrs. Paul Leonard, the former the brother of Mrs. C. O. (Cap) Fulton of Artesia.

The father, who flew on the Tokyo raid in April in the plane of Brig. Gen. Jimmie Doolittle, is on duty somewhere at this time, and the baby, of course, was named Jimmie.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown and little daughter, Gay Nelle, who had been in Carlsbad on defense work, visited Mr. Brown's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carrol Brown, here on their way to Gallup, where Mr. Brown will be employed on another defense project.

Mrs. Fred Kennedy and daughter, Jane, of Gallup arrived Friday for an indefinite visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Jackson. Mr. Kennedy, who was recently inducted into the Army as an airplane mechanic, is temporarily stationed at Fort Bliss.

Mrs. Jarvis is a medical patient at the present time.

Mrs. D. M. Chapin, who has been a surgical patient for the last week, is much improved and will be able to go home in a few days.

George Fox, who is a medical patient, is much improved and will be able to return to his home within a few days.

Mrs. S. M. Morgan, who had undergone surgery, was returned to her home Monday and is doing nicely.

Lick War Stamps and lick the Axis!

Hospital News

Frank Marshall, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Marshall of Loco Hills, was treated Tuesday for a broken arm.

Mrs. M. W. Erving of Dayton was treated Tuesday for a broken wrist.

Mr. and Mrs. Dionisia Gonzales are the parents of a girl, born at 2:44 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, weighing 5 pounds 8 ounces. Her name is Esmeralda.

Richard Lee Thomas, son of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Thomas, was a medical patient Monday and Tuesday and has returned to his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Miller of Loco Hills are the parents of a daughter born at 10:30 o'clock Thursday morning, weighing 7 pounds 7 1/2 ounces. They have named her Martha Kay.

A. A. Branch was a medical patient Friday and has returned to his home.

Mrs. Joe Deanda was a medical patient Saturday and has returned to her home.

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AMERICANISM OR COMMUNISM?

IF YOU BELIEVE in winning this war in the shortest possible time;

IF YOU BELIEVE the lives of our boys are needlessly sacrificed when they are sent into battle inadequately armed and equipped;

IF YOU BELIEVE all strikes in war industries should be stopped and strike agitators and leaders should be dealt with as traitors and saboteurs;

IF YOU BELIEVE the New Deal concession of selling so-called "work permits" to American citizens and taxpayers before they are allowed to work on war jobs should be abolished;

IF YOU BELIEVE profiteering should be stopped, whether in enormous profits to contractors or \$25 to \$50 a day to workmen holding New Deal permits;

IF YOU BELIEVE our officials should tell Americans the truth about the war—good or bad—withholding only what might be of value to the enemy;

IF YOU BELIEVE the Chicago Wop, altho he holds no government position, should be in the penitentiary, instead of being invested with the power to bar from the radio the U. S. Army, Navy, Marine or other bands not meeting his approval;

IF YOU BELIEVE in blocking the efforts of New Dealers to set up a Dictatorship in America, under cover of war;

IF YOU BELIEVE this nation must return to Constitutional Government if we are to preserve our freedom and liberties;

Then Vote the Republican Ticket From Top to Botton for Americanism

P. S. You can vote as you please in the General Election, regardless of whether you voted Democratic or Republican in the primary. Republican Speakers on KOB, Albuquerque, Every Thursday Evening at 7.

Eddy County Republican Central Committee

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And Latest News

Range 26 E., Acres 10
to 10 acres of land described as follows:
Subdivision SW 1/4 NW 1/4 SE 1/4,
Section 21, Township 17 S.,
Range 26 E., Acres 10.
This application is merely for
the purpose of correcting an error
of land descriptions contained in
a former application and does not
involve any application for additional
water.

Any person, firm, association,
corporation, the State of New Mexico
or the United States of America,
deeming that the granting of above
application will be truly detrimental
to their rights in the waters of said
underground source, may protest in
writing the State Engineer's granting
of approval of said application. The
protest shall set forth all protestant's
reasons why the application should not
be approved and shall be accompanied
by supporting affidavits and by proof
that a copy of the protest has been
served upon the applicant. Said protest
and proof of service must be filed with
the State Engineer within ten (10) days
after the date of the last publication
of this notice. Unless protested, the
application will be given final
consideration for approval by the
State Engineer on the 16th day of
November, 1942.

THOMAS M. McCLURE,
State Engineer,
42-3t-44
IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF
EDDY COUNTY, STATE OF
NEW MEXICO.

Barney W. Nobles, Plaintiff,
— VS —
Augusta Nobles, Defendant.
No. 7943

NOTICE OF SUIT

THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO
TO: Augusta Nobles, Defendant,
GREETINGS:
You are hereby notified that there is a
suit pending against you in the
District Court of Eddy County,
New Mexico, being No. 7943 on the
Civil Docket thereof, wherein
Barney W. Nobles of Artesia,
New Mexico, is the Plaintiff and
you, Augusta Nobles, are the
Defendant, the general object of which
suit is to obtain an absolute divorce
from you.

You are further notified that unless
you answer or plead to the
Complaint filed herein on or before
the 27th day of November, 1942,
judgment will be rendered
against you as prayed for in said
Complaint.

You are further notified that
Plaintiff's Attorney is J. B. Atke-
son, whose Post Office Address is
Artesia, New Mexico.

WITNESS my hand and seal of the
District Court of Eddy County,
New Mexico, this 30th day of Sep-
tember, A. D., 1942.

(SEAL) Ethel M. Highsmith,
41-4t-44 Clerk of the District Court.

NOTICE

STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE
Number of Application RA-1258.

Santa Fe, N. M., September 21,
1942.

Notice is hereby given that on the
21st day of September, 1942, in
accordance with Chapter 131 of the
Session Laws of 1931, O. V. Moore
of Artesia, County of Eddy, State
of New Mexico, made application to
the State Engineer of New Mexico
for a permit to change location of
shallow ground water well from
Well RA-1258, located in the NW 1/4
NW 1/4 SE 1/4 of Section 32, Town-
ship 16 South, Range 26 East, N. M. P. M.,
to a location in the NW 1/4 SW 1/4 NE 1/4
of said Section 32,

ARTESIA BUSINESS DIRECTORY

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| Artesia Auto Co., Wrecker Service | Ph. 52 |
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where it is proposed to drill a shallow
groundwater well 12 1/2 inches
in diameter and 170 feet in depth
for the purpose of continuing the
exercise of rights already acquired
under File RA-1258. This applica-
tion is not for any new appropriation
of underground water.

Any person, firm, association,
corporation, the State of New Mexico
or the United States of America,
deeming that the granting of the
above application will be truly
detrimental to their rights in the
waters of said underground source,
may protest in writing the State
Engineer's granting of approval of
said application. The protest shall
set forth all protestant's reasons
why the application should not be
approved and shall be accompanied
by supporting affidavits and by
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been served upon the applicant. Said
protest and proof of service must be
filed with the State Engineer within
ten (10) days after the date of the
last publication of this notice. Unless
protested, the application will be
given final consideration for approval
by the State

Engineer on the 31st day of Octo-
ber, 1942.
THOMAS M. McCLURE,
State Engineer,
40-3t-42

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE ES-
TATE
OF
JOHN DOUGLAS CRIMM, DE-
CEASED. No. 1053

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,
that the undersigned has been an-
nointed and has qualified as ad-
ministrator of the estate of John
Douglas Crimm deceased. All per-
sons having claims against said
decedent are notified to present
the same within six months from
the 1st day of October, 1942, the
first publication of this notice, or
the same will be barred.

JOHN ABLES,
Administrator.
40-4t-43

Pix Rhapsody

An assortment of Hollywood's
sturdiest, most rugged males com-
prises the "Flying Tigers" in Re-
public's drama of that title, sched-
uled to go into the Ocotillo
Theatre for a 3-day run starting
Sunday, October 25.

John Wayne, tall and command-
ing, hails from Iowa, but spent his
childhood on a ranch near Lancast-
er, Calif. After starring for more
than ten years in westerns, he finally
got Hollywood to wake up to his
talents as a dramatic actor of grade
"A" calibre, and the result is such
outstanding films as "The Dark
Command," "Stagecoach," "Lady
From Louisiana," "Lady For A
Night," "The Long Voyage
Home," "Shepherd of the Hills,"
"Reap the Wild Wind" and "In Old
California."

John Carroll, Wayne's running
mate for lead honors, has led a color-
ful life which has moved him
from picturesque New Orleans, his
birthplace, to the four corners of
the globe. He has been taxi driver,
deep sea diver, steeplejack, singer,
sailor, ship's cook and street-
wise. Like Wayne, he specializes in roles
of large scope.

Paul Kelly, an Irishman from
Brooklyn, started out on the stage
with David Warfield, and Gordon
Jones, whose father was a chaplain
overseas in the last war, and whose
brother is at present with General
Stillwell's forces in China, portrays
his Flying Tiger role with confidence.

What You Buy With WAR BONDS

These huge 60-ton heavy tanks
cost \$120,000, and America's auto-
motive and locomotive plants are
turning them out on a never-ending
assembly line. Our army uses light
tanks, weighing 14 tons, and me-
dium tanks of 28 tons also, but we
favor the medium tank over the
other two.



These heavy tanks are needed for
certain phases of modern warfare,
and with their thick armor and
heavy-gauge guns they are almost
unstoppable. They are considered
superior in gun power, in maneuver-
ability and in the power of their
huge tractor motors to Axis tanks.
Americans everywhere are helping
to pay for these monsters of war
through their purchase of War
Bonds. Invest at least ten percent
of your income in War Bonds every
pay day.
U. S. Treasury Department

Allotments to Collaterals Are To Be Optional

Men in service may make de-
pendency allotments to collateral
dependents, Brig. Gen. R. C. Charl-
ton, state director of Selective Ser-
vice, has announced.

Dependency allotments for de-
pendent wives and children are re-
quired by the government, but it is
optional whether the service man
makes an allotment for collateral
dependents, he explained.

For a divorced wife for whom
the court has set alimony, the sol-
dier is required to pay \$22 a month
and the government pays \$20 addi-
tional, but under no circumstances
is the total to exceed the alimony
set by court order.

Under provisions of Class B al-
lotments, a service man may allot
\$22 to a dependent parent and the
government will pay \$15, for a total
of \$37. For two parents, the sol-
dier allots \$22 and the government
adds \$25 for a total of \$47. For a
dependent grandchild a soldier
may pay \$22 and the government
will add \$5. For one parent and
one brother, the government al-
lowance is \$20 in addition to the
soldier's \$22, and for each addi-
tional dependent grandchild, brother
or sister, the government will pay
an additional \$5 up to a total max-
imum of \$50.

Eddy County Sends Six Men to Marine Corps Since Dec. 7

Since the United States went to
war nine months ago, Eddy County
has supplied the U. S. Marine
Corps with six men, Eleventh Na-
val District officials announced.

During the nine-months period,
229 New Mexico youths joined the
Marine Corps for combat duty, said
Maj. Frank L. Shannon, Marine
Corps recruiting officer for New
Mexico and Arizona.

Major Shannon, whose head-
quarters are at Phoenix, Ariz., also
revealed that this station enlisted
365 men from Arizona, and 130
more from twenty-seven other
states. Marine Corps recruiting
stations in New Mexico are situ-
ated at Santa Fe and Albuquerque.

Leading all New Mexico Counties
was Bernalillo County with seventy-
nine in the Marine Corps during
the nine months.

Those enlisting from Eddy County
were: Jack Kay Welch of Ar-
tesia; Sam Dansby Jr., Henry
Rudolph Eller, George Sohn and
George Frank Vanek of Carlsbad
and Will Ballard Banta of Hope.

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"Fight with the tools with which
you work" is the advice of Sgt.
Dale Woosley, Army recruiter at
Roswell, in pointing out the need
for men with special knowledge of
trades, as pictured above by the
chap, who in civilian life was a
lineman and who is following the
same general line of work while
serving in Uncle Sam's Army.

These wires, strung high over-
head, may be humming with a mes-
sage from a headquarters that will
send a wave of U. S. Army tanks
rolling to the attack. The Signal
Corps man, working on the tele-
phone connection box, knows only
one rule: "Get the message
through." Twenty-four hours a
day, by telephone, telegraph, radio
and messenger, the Signal Corps
binds together the far-flung
branches of the United States
Army. The Signal Corps needs
specialists—cable splicers, repair-
men, installers, radio and telegraph
operators, linemen, and wire chiefs,
besides many others.

Sgt. Woosley said it is not neces-
sary for a man to be skilled, but
that if he has mechanical ability he
will be trained for special duty.

The age limits have been extend-
ed from 18 to 50 years and the phy-
sical requirements have been dras-
tically reduced.

Anyone interested may contact
Sgt. Woosley at the recruiting of-
fice in Roswell.

And when the war was over Sher-
man took off his old Union suit
that he had worn for four long
years.

Italy and Germany rank first
and second as countries of birth of
foreign-born U. S. residents.

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WHAT'S WHAT in NEW MEXICO

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

Cimarron, in Northern New Mexico, which already has given 15 per cent of its male population to the armed services, recently gained national attention when it offered up its only railroad to put more punch behind America's clenched fist in the Pacific war zone. Meeting instantly the unsparring demands of modern total war, Cimarron demonstrated to the nation that the pioneering spirit of self-sacrifice is not dead in the Old West. In an effort to match the patriotism of her men who fought and died on Bataan, Cimarron offered up thirty-nine miles of railroad track of a vital and historic little branch line to put more punch behind America's clenched fist in the Pacific war zone. The War Production Board issued an order requisitioning the Rocky Mountain and Santa Fe Railway for war uses. The railway links Koehler Junction and Ute Pass by way of colorful Cimarron.

Toby Younis of Taos is the new president of the New Mexico Young Democrats, elected by the executive committee to succeed Paul Case of Socorro, who resigned. Miss El Rey Lewis of Portales was elected vice chairman and L. W. Dennis of Roswell, secretary.

State Selective Service officials are accepting additional applications for consideration of volunteer officer candidates. It was announced that New Mexico quota of VOC's had been raised for October.

Student publications of New Mexico Highlands University have been consolidated into a single monthly magazine—The Southwest Wind—with Robert Maros of Las Vegas, as business manager. The university board of publications said the first of the magazine would be issued about Nov. 1 and would contain student fiction, non-fiction and poetry, together with photographs of campus activities.

An Albuquerque food poisoning case in which fifty-four persons became sick but recovered was traced by the district and city sanitarians to plum cream pie contaminated by open wounds on a cafe employee's hand. In a joint statement, W. D. Lewis, district sanitarian, and Charles Dubois, city sanitary inspector, said the pie had become contaminated with staphylococci

germs and that a similar organism had been found in open cuts in the hands of the cafe employe. They explained that the germs multiply rapidly in cream filled pastries and that they produced a toxin, or poison, which caused violent illness in persons eating it. The staphylococci type of poisoning, it was explained, differs from botulism, another type of food poisoning, in that the staphylococci toxin is not destroyed by subsequent cooking. The employe was dismissed.

Employees of the New Mexico Highway Department are investing \$200 in war bonds for each of the eleven former highway employes who served with the 200th Coast Artillery in the Philippines. The 200th was made up largely of New Mexico National Guardsmen. It served on Bataan and Corregidor.

J. C. Mitchell, director of the U. S. Employment Service for New Mexico announced that migratory farm laborers would be able to buy sufficient gasoline under the forthcoming rationing program to take them from job to job and return to their homes. The only requirement, Mitchell said, was that a worker have a U. S. Employment Service referral card, which directs him to his next destination. The referral card must be presented to the gasoline station manager to obtain any quantity of gasoline above the regular rationing quota, whatever it may be.

Sales and use tax receipts continued upward during September, while liquor, beer, and wine tax revenue hit its second record high in two consecutive months, the State Revenue Bureau announced. State Liquor Control Chief S. T. Jernigan announcing his division's receipts of \$123,819.56, compared with \$106,967 in August and \$55,254.99 in September, 1941, attributed most of the gain to heavy buying by wholesalers in anticipation of curtailed transportation and the proposed new federal liquor tax. Sales tax receipts reached \$415,416.19, up \$16,023.18 from the September, 1941 figure and \$12,044.59 higher than August collections, while the use tax brought in \$57,272.42, an increase of 12.2 per cent from August and 63.5 per cent over September a year ago. Severance tax revenue totalled \$60,116.44, up 5.98 per cent from August, but down 20.12 per cent from September, 1941.

The State Health Board, to relieve the war-caused public health nurse shortage, set up an emergency classification of public health nurse "trainees," open to registered nurses, preferably with some public health training or experience. Accepted applicants will be given a brief course of instruction at \$100 a month before being put in the field at \$125, compared with the regular public nurse salary of from \$135 to \$165. Trainees,

however, will be sent only to areas where they will be under the supervision of a regular public health nurse.

The Santa Fe Chamber of Commerce has been advised that the American Pioneer Trails Association has cancelled its proposed commemorative motor caravan over the old Santa Fe Trail because of wartime conditions. The announcement came from James Riley, assistant secretary, who first learned the trip was called off when he wired the organization for details of the trek in order to make preparations for welcoming the group.

Prospects for the best grain and forage yields in New Mexico in the last several years were noted in the regular monthly crop report of the Santa Fe Railroad. Wheat land in Eastern New Mexico was reported in excellent condition, with sowing of the winter crop progressing rapidly. Part of the grain sorghum crop has been harvested

and alfalfa production in irrigated valleys was regarded as above average. The report said the cotton yield in the Mesilla Valley was above normal, but that labor shortages in that area were being felt.

Construction of a \$30,000 timber bridge across the Rio Grande near Hot Springs, to make accessible a fluorspar mine, has been approved by the Federal Bureau of Public Roads, Highway officials said the structure would be built entirely with federal funds.

Tucumcari business men at a mass meeting have unanimously adopted a resolution asking the Bureau of Reclamation to include the location of a bridge on Highway 104 north of town to Conchas Dam. The New Mexico Highway Commission has announced it would pay approximately half of the cost of a bridge across Pajarita Creek on the proposed highway. A 4,700-foot siphon on the canal is being

completed and bids were asked on a 7,000-foot tunnel and earth work on the dam. The tunnel is the last one that will be built. Bressi & Bevanda of Los Angeles have offered to build the tunnel for \$752,205.

The treasury reported that 29,119 New Mexicans filed tax returns for 1940 on a net income of \$71,018,000. The tax payments amounted to \$2,018,000 in that state.

The young deer which found refuge in an Albuquerque city hall jail cell a few hours last week died after it had been removed to a ranch near the city. Desk Sgt. Walter Coleman of the Police Department, who took care of the wounded animal when it was brought to the city hall after being downed by a pack of dogs, said he believed the faun suffered internal injuries in addition to leg wounds. He removed it to his mother's ranch. The deer was brought to the city hall by a motorist who saw

the dogs attacking it north of Isleta.

Married men who desire to enlist in the Army will no longer be required to sign waivers of dependency, Brig. Gen. R. C. Charlton, state director of Selective Service, announced. Previously married men and other applicants for enlistments with dependents had been required before acceptance to sign a statement that their dependents have sufficient means of support. Married men and others with dependents will be accepted without the waivers, and their dependents will be eligible for dependents' allowances, Brig. Gen. Charlton said.

H. C. Mitchell, rancher near Springer, told his foreman, Dan Sandoval, that he could have the money received for scrap metal found on the ranch. Sandoval earned \$58 on the first load.

For years Frank Kentnor of Taos stored away this and that. He

hoped to be able to use the old scraps some day in his hotel. George C. Bowlin, district organizer of the industrial scrap drive, came along. Kentnor dug up 7,000 pounds of first-rate steel scrap, most of it in machinery and parts.

Operators of state-owned automobiles were warned by Highway Engineer Burton Dwyre that they are risking dismissal if they violate the 35-mile war speed limit. Dwyre is custodian of state automobiles. Dwyre said that hereafter application for new tires or retreads must be accompanied by an affidavit declaring the vehicle involved had not been operated over 35 miles an hour since Oct. 1. He also notified state departments and institutions that after Nov. 15 state busses and trucks would operate only under a certificate of necessity obtained from the Albuquerque branch of the Office of Defense Transportation.

Prove you care—buy your share!

SAFEWAY Homemakers' Guide

NUMBER 65 ★ Cook for a crowd with the greatest of ease ★ Produce by the pound ★ Mary learns to make eating more fun



Cook for a crowd with the greatest of ease

For economy in entertaining, saving in transportation and genuine victory friendliness, neighborhood block parties or family get-togethers are really atune with the times. Pots of steaming coffee, bowls of crisp salad, and something solid for a main dish appeal to the whole gang.

ORGANIZATION—It's another thing, of course, if large quantity cookery is new to you; but don't despair. Get some organization into the affair, let everyone know what she is to do. A good idea is to divide the responsibilities into cooking, serving, and clean-up duties and schedule everyone's work.

EQUIPMENT—If it's going to take large kettles which none of you have, borrow some. Preserving kettles are ideal for cooking large quantities of food, and cookie sheets make fine covers. Wide shallow pans are usually better than deep ones, because foods cook more quickly in shallow containers and aren't crushed by their own weight.

SERVICE—Buffet service is probably easiest for serving the crowd, particularly if the party is in the small quarters of someone's home. The Homemakers' Bureau has planned this supper menu which is well adapted for buffet style or tray service, although it could be served otherwise.

**Tamale Pie
Mixed Vegetable Salad
Toasted Buttered French Bread
Gingerbread
with Whipped Cream
Coffee*

TAMALE PIE

1 1/2 lb. onions
1/2 cup shortening
2 No. 2 cans cream-style corn
2 No. 2 1/2 cans tomatoes
1 tbsp. salt
1/2 large green pepper or 1 small pepper
1/4 qt. corn meal
6 eggs
2 lbs. ground beef
1 1/2 cups tomato puree
Brown finely chopped onions in hot shortening in large shallow kettle. Add corn, tomatoes, salt, and finely chopped pepper. Bring to boiling point; add corn meal slowly, stirring until well combined; cool. Add slightly beaten eggs, meat, and tomato puree; mix well. Pour into 2 well greased drip pans (9x12 1/2x2). Bake in moderate oven (350° F.) 1 hour, or until done. To serve, cut in squares. Serves 25, approximately 3/4 cup per serving; 14 servings per pan.

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Julia Lee Wright's article on quantity cookery in this week's Family Circle gives four completely planned menus—with recipes—for groups of 25 or 60

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JULIA LEE WRIGHT, Director

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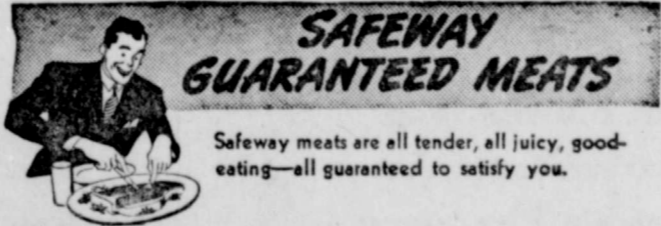
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- Highway Tomato 14 Oz. Bottle CATSUP, 3 for . . 25c
- NUCOA Oleomargarine, lb. 25c
- LIBBY'S 3-SIEVE NO. 2 TIN PEAS, 2 for 31c

- WILSON'S EGGS, doz. 42c
- GARDENSIDE CUT NO. 2 TIN GREEN BEANS . . 11c
- LINDSEY PITTED RIPE OLIVES, 16 oz. tin 25c
- GRANULATED SOAP RINSO, 69 oz. pkg. 65c
- PORTALES NO. 2 TIN Sweet POTATOES 8c



- FULL CREAM CHEESE, lb. 23c
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LISTEN, DEAR, I KNOW IT'S IMPORTANT THESE DAYS THAT OUR MEALS BE MORE NUTRITIOUS. BUT, GOSH, I'M SICK AND TIRED OF THESE DULL, UNINTERESTING THINGS TO EAT.

I WISH I KNEW WHAT TO DO. THERE MUST BE SOME WAY OF MAKING NUTRITIOUS FOOD MORE APPEALING.

THERE IS, MARY. HAVE YOU EVER HEARD OF SAFEWAY'S KITCHEN COURSE IN NUTRITION? ONE OF THE TEN LESSONS IS ABOUT JUST THAT.

I'M CERTAINLY GLAD I WROTE FOR THIS COURSE. IT DOESN'T LEAVE A THING UNSAID AND IT TELLS YOU HOW TO PREPARE DELICIOUS AS WELL AS NUTRITIOUS MEALS. HMMM—THIS SOUNDS GOOD.

GEE, WE'VE CERTAINLY HAD SOME SWELL DINNER'S LATELY. YOURS, MURDERER, DEAR, DO YOU KNOW IT?

THANK YOU, DEAR. I TRY TO MAKE ALL OUR MEALS PLAIN AS WELL AS NUTRITIOUS.

and thanks to Julia Lee Wright and her Kitchen Course in Nutrition, we're eating better!

All about the course Mary took
To help you plan meals that are attractive as well as nutritious, the Safeway Homemakers' Bureau has prepared the "Kitchen Course in Nutrition," 10 complete lessons by mail—25¢ for entire course. Just write to Julia Lee Wright, P. O. Box 669-C, Oakland, California.

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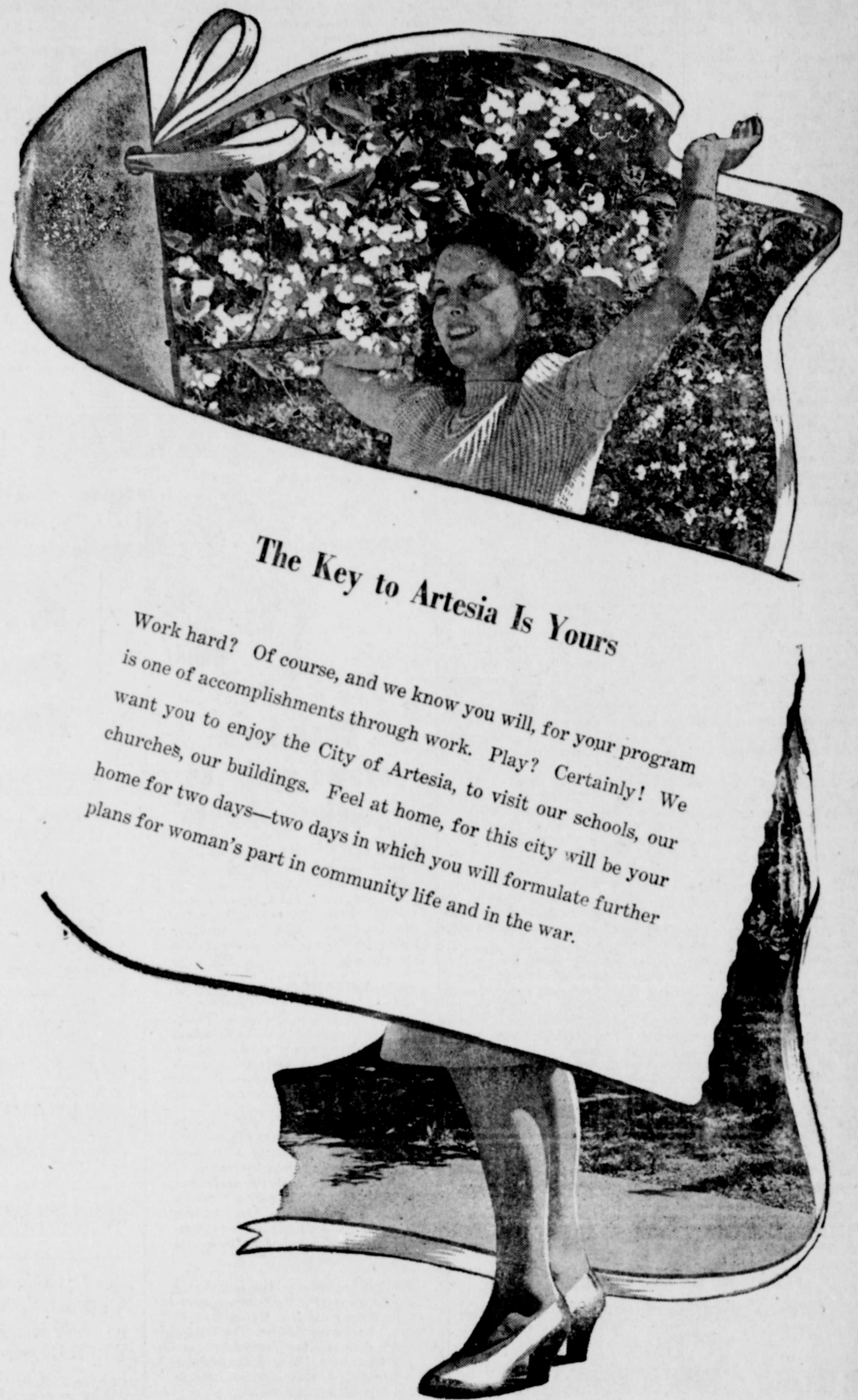
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Applications for Deferment Men Made at Once

Brig. Gen. R. C. Charlton has urged that applications for deferment for men in critical occupations in essential industries be made immediately.

"Employers engaged in essential activities should obtain Form 42-A for any registrant whom they consider indispensable," he said. "If a registrant is his own employer, he may return the form on himself."

The forms are available at local board offices.

Gen. Charlton warned that employers should not wait until an employee has been ordered for induction before seeking deferment.

"The local board needs this form while considering the registrant's classification or re-classification," he said, "so it may attack the problem with the entire picture of the case as a guide."

Boards will consider deferments up to six months.

"We of Selective Service know that many shortages, nationwide, exist in skilled trades and professions," Gen. Charlton said. "Consequently local boards of New Mexico have been instructed not to induct any registrant if his induction would materially hamper the operation of any activity considered essential. On the other hand, they have been instructed to give object lessons to employers who fail or refuse to make adequate effort to train or secure a replacement."

WESTERN INDIANS RETURN TO HORSE TRANSPORTATION

Indians on reservations in New Mexico, Colorado, Idaho, Montana and South Dakota are returning to the horse as a means of transport.

Although Indians love their automobiles, they are sacrificing the convenience of modern motor transport in the interest of conserving tires, John Rollier, United States commissioner of Indian affairs, reports.

TWO WILL ATTEND GRAND LODGE IN ALBUQUERQUE

Dr. D. M. Schneberg and Ralph G. Roberson, Jr., expect to attend Grand Lodge of the New Mexico A. F. & A. M. in Albuquerque Monday and Tuesday.

They will be accompanied by Mrs. Schneberg and Mrs. Roberson.

Locals

Bunyan D. Bell of El Paso spent Saturday and Sunday visiting his sister, Mrs. Vena Newman, and family.

Mrs. Dave Bunting, operator of the Artesia Beauty Shop, is able to be at her place of business after several days of illness.

Owen Campbell, father of Mrs. W. T. Haldeman, arrived Saturday from Eastland, Tex. Mrs. Campbell, who has been ill, was unable to accompany him. Mr. Campbell, who also has been ill, expects to go to El Paso this week for medical attention.

"My people fought under terrible handicaps—fighting for Uncle Sam should be a picnic!" That's what Jack Malamas, 43-year-old Greek confectionery store proprietor at Dubois, Pa., for seventeen years, said when he left to be drafted. And Malamas—confident he's coming back and reluctant to sell his business—made this deal with his landlord: he'll pay half of his Army salary as rent for the store. If he doesn't survive the war, the owner of the building gets the business.

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DO YOU RECOGNIZE THESE EMBLEMS?—Patches worn on the left shoulder sleeve of the soldier's service coat or overcoat indicate the Division to which he belongs. Insignia designs are made in a wide variety of colors but are reproduced above in silhouette to facilitate recognition. The absence of certain divisional numbers indicates that such divisions are without personnel or not yet organized.

KNOW YOUR NEIGHBOR VENEZUELA

In the extreme northwest corner of the Republic of Venezuela, where the Columbian peninsula of Guajira and the Venezuelan peninsula of Paraguana thrust out into the Caribbean to form the Gulf of Maracaibo, inland and connecting with the Gulf is the famed Lake Maracaibo. Along the coast and to the north and south of the lake are thousands of square miles of swampy lowland.

These tropical swamps were scene of the earliest exploration of the South American mainland. Columbus, in 1498, had sailed around Trinidad, touching at present day Puerto Colon and skirting the northern coast as far as the Isle of Margarita, to which he gave its name, only to return to his base at Santo Domingo. A year later came a former companion of Columbus, Alonso de Ojeda, with a company of explorers. One of the company was Amerigo Vespucci whose name the continent was one day to bear.

Putting into Lake Maracaibo, the explorers found native villagers living in shelters set on piles along the swampy shores. Struck with a resemblance, they gave to their discovery the name of "Venezuela,"—"Little Venice." It was not for them to know, nor in their wildest imaginings of treasure to be come upon in this wilderness could they have dreamed that beneath the waters of the lake and under their feet, as they picked their way through jungle swamp, was a treasure-vault of "black gold" petroleum—a mineral so precious in an age of science and invention centuries away that wars would be fought for its possession.

Gold there was in Venezuela, and precious stones, chief lures in Spanish quest. They are still there. But in the economy of the twentieth century they take a place subordinate to the petroleum deposits of the lowlands. Today Venezuela is producing more oil than are all of the other Latin American nations combined and is outpaced only by the United States and Russia. And there are large regions unexplored, notably the wild country of the upper Orinoco, "River of Mystery."

Geographically, Venezuela is an agriculture country. And if oil has drawn interest and workers from the farms, a progressive and wide-awake Government is seeing to it that this latter source of wealth and widespread prosperity is in no way neglected. In the mountainous regions of the Andean and Coastal Ranges the climate is temperate and the soil good. This is the most populous section of the country. From here comes the bulk and the best Venezuelan coffee, once economic backbone of the country and still its major agricultural export. Cocoa, sugar, corn, cotton, fruits and vegetables, with the cattle, meats and hides from

the central plains and the lumber and cabinet woods from the Guayana Highlands in the south, are other important items in Venezuelan export trade.

As the Orinoco and its tributaries drain almost the entire territory of the nation, so are modern highways reaching out as aid to commerce or to open rich but undeveloped regions. Thirty years ago Venezuelan highways were practically non-existent. Today a 6,000-mile network spreads fanlike over the half of the country north of the Orinoco and Opure Rivers. Trunk lines run west and south from Caracas, the Capital. Chief among them is the Simon Bolivar highway. Paved or surfaced over most of its distance, this road connects most of the principal cities

of the nation and forms the Venezuelan sector of the Pan American Highway. Completed, the system will link the capitals of Venezuela, Columbia and Ecuador, the three countries which composed the early republic of Greater Columbia, of which Bolivar was president.

Linked in the patriotism of the Venezuelan are two facts of his country's history. One is that the republic flowered from the first Spanish colony of the New World to proclaim its independence through an elected Congress. The other is that it was the great Bolivar, himself a Venezuelan, who led the army of patriots in 1823 when the last Spanish force was driven from the country.

STATE OFFICIALS ACT TO CUT AUTO SPEEDS

Steps are being taken in all the Rocky Mountain states to enforce the wartime speed limit of 35 miles an hour ordered by the Office of Defense Transportation in a further move to conserve the nation's rubber stockpile for war, Asa J. Merrill, regional ODT manager, announced.

The order became effective Oct. 1.

Cpl. Bob Williams, who is stationed at Buckley Field, Denver, Colo., was here Saturday visiting. Cpl. Williams was former assistant manager of the Kemp Lumber Company.

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Dere Folks:

Oct. 6, 1942.

Dear Folks:

This is the first chance I've had to write since I wrote you last, and a lot has happened since then. Last Saturday morning they told a bunch of us to fall out for instructions, that we were moving. They wouldn't tell us where we were going, and wouldn't let us send any message or make phone calls or write any letters until we got to our destination, which was Camp Kearns, Utah, near Salt Lake City.

We were three days and nights on the train. I still don't know what it's all about, as we just got here this evening. This seems to be an air base like those at Roswell, etc. Haven't even finished it yet and everything is dusty as can be.

We have a coal stove, instead of gas. Don't know why I'm here, or how long I'll stay. Never asked for a transfer or anything, but before we left Fort Bliss, we all took an I. Q. test to see what we were best

fitted for, also a mechanical test. As most of the mechanical questions were easy for me, believe I made a good grade, and that's probably why I'm here.

There are only two other boys from Artesia here with me, John Carter Izard, who worked at Malco, and Bill Trembley, who came by for me the morning we left. I was pretty sick one day before we left Fort Bliss but OK next day. Don't feel so good today, but believe it is on account of the trip. Write soon as you can and all friends who care to, as I'm lonesome.

Pvt. Melvin E. Warren, 1032 Technical School Squadron, Flight 47, Barracks 2624 U. S. Army, Camp Kearns, Utah.

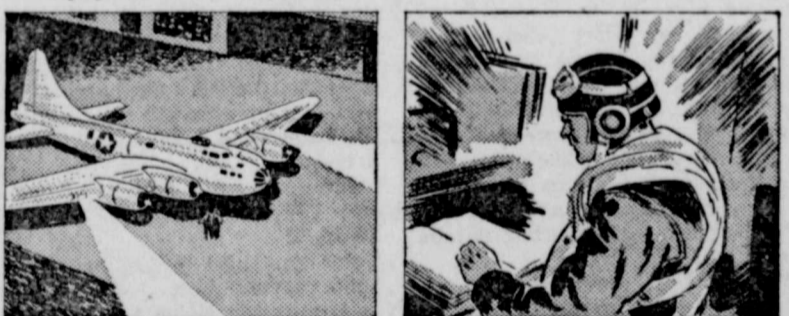
Eating habits in Switzerland are veering away from the luxurious toward the frugal due to shortages of certain foodstuffs, the department of commerce reports.

Never explain. Your friends don't require it, and your enemies won't believe you anyway.

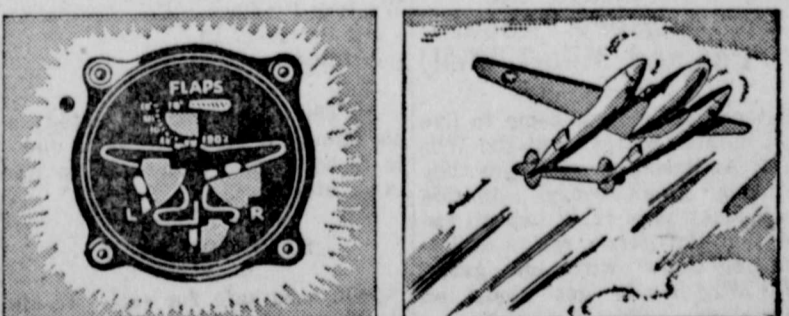
A warning is like rain to a farmer—no good unless it soaks in.

Wings of Victory

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While you decide gingerly to "let her in" after starting up cold... while the speedometer still is motionless... you risk grinding metal particles out of your engine. Or you can take steps against that by having your engine OIL-PLATED now, with your correct Conoco Nth motor oil for Winter.

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or clocked out at night—your Conoco Nth motor oil will already have your engine OIL-PLATED. Let any oil down in the crankcase below try getting up on the job that fast! Talk about "Safety First"... OIL-PLATING means safety ahead of time! Change now to Winter OIL-PLATING. Your Mileage Merchant's Conoco station knows your seasonal grade of Conoco Nth. Continental Oil Co.

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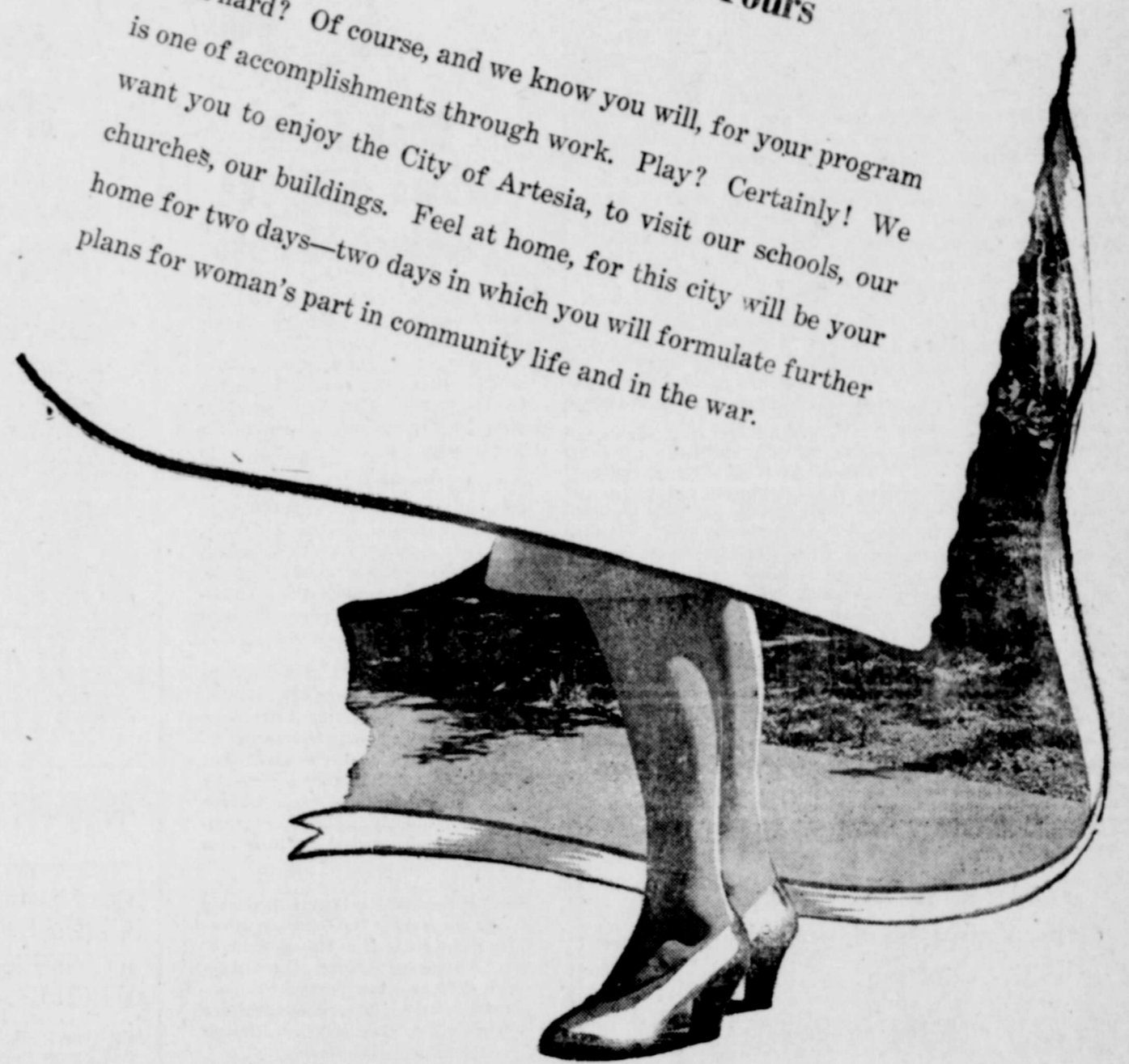
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Work hard? Of course, and we know you will, for your program is one of accomplishments through work. Play? Certainly! We want you to enjoy the City of Artesia, to visit our schools, our churches, our buildings. Feel at home, for this city will be your home for two days—two days in which you will formulate further plans for woman's part in community life and in the war.



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Applications for Deferment Men Made at Once

Brig. Gen. R. C. Charlton has urged that applications for deferment for men in critical occupations in essential industries be made immediately.

"Employers engaged in essential activities should obtain Form 42-A for any registrant whom they consider indispensable," he said. "If a registrant is his own employer, he may return the form on himself."

The forms are available at local board offices.

Gen. Charlton warned that employers should not wait until an employee has been ordered for induction before seeking deferment.

"The local board needs this form while considering the registrant's classification or re-classification," he said, "so it may attack the problem with the entire picture of the case as a guide."

Boards will consider deferments up to six months.

"We of Selective Service know that many shortages, nationwide, exist in skilled trades and professions," Gen. Charlton said. "Consequently local boards of New Mexico have been instructed not to induct any registrant if his induction would materially hamper the operation of any activity considered essential. On the other hand, they have been instructed to give object lessons to employers who fail or refuse to make adequate effort to train or secure a replacement."

WESTERN INDIANS RETURN TO HORSE TRANSPORTATION

Indians on reservations in New Mexico, Colorado, Idaho, Montana and South Dakota are returning to the horse as a means of transport.

Although Indians love their automobiles, they are sacrificing the convenience of modern motor transport in the interest of conserving tires, John Rollier, United States commissioner of Indian affairs, reports.

TWO WILL ATTEND GRAND LODGE IN ALBUQUERQUE

Dr. D. M. Schneberg and Ralph G. Roberson, Jr., expect to attend Grand Lodge of the New Mexico A. F. & A. M. in Albuquerque Monday and Tuesday.

They will be accompanied by Mrs. Schneberg and Mrs. Roberson.

Locals

Bunyan D. Bell of El Paso spent Saturday and Sunday visiting his sister, Mrs. Vena Newman, and family.

Mrs. Dave Bunting, operator of the Artesia Beauty Shop, is able to be at her place of business after several days of illness.

Owen Campbell, father of Mrs. W. T. Haldeman, arrived Saturday from Eastland, Tex. Mrs. Campbell, who has been ill, was unable to accompany him. Mr. Campbell, who also has been ill, expects to go to El Paso this week for medical attention.

"My people fought under terrible handicaps—fighting for Uncle Sam should be a picnic!" That's what Jack Malamas, 43-year-old Greek confectionery store proprietor at Dubois, Pa., for seventeen years, said when he left to be drafted. And Malamas—confident he's coming back and reluctant to sell his business—made this deal with his landlord: he'll pay half of his Army salary as rent for the store. If he doesn't survive the war, the owner of the building gets the business.

Do your Christmas shopping early. Buy War Bonds.

GOOD FOOD

Contributes Much to the Pleasure of Your Trip

Many folks would prefer to sleep in a lumpy bed rather than miss a truly excellent dinner—but when in a Hilton Hotel, you can have good food, good beds, good service and genuine friendliness, you need look no further!

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DO YOU RECOGNIZE THESE EMBLEMS?—Patches worn on the left shoulder sleeves of the soldier's service coat or overcoat indicate the Division to which he belongs. Insignia designs are made in a wide variety of colors but are reproduced above in silhouette to facilitate recognition. The absence of certain divisional numbers indicates that such divisions are without personnel or not yet organized.

KNOW YOUR NEIGHBOR VENEZUELA

In the extreme northwest corner of the Republic of Venezuela, where the Colombian peninsula of Guajira and the Venezuelan peninsula of Paraguana thrust out into the Caribbean to form the Gulf of Maracaibo, inland and connecting with the Gulf is the famed Lake Maracaibo. Along the coast and to the north and south of the lake are thousands of square miles of swampy lowland.

These tropical swamps were scene of the earliest exploration of the South American mainland. Columbus, in 1498, had sailed around Trinidad, touching at present day Puerto Colon and skirting the northern coast as far as the Isle of Margarita, to which he gave its name, only to return to his base at Santo Domingo. A year later came a former companion of Columbus, Alonso de Ojeda, with a company of explorers. One of the company was Amerigo Vespucci whose name the continent was one day to bear.

Putting into Lake Maracaibo, the explorers found native villagers living in shelters set on piles along the swampy shores. Struck with a resemblance, they gave to their discovery the name of "Venezuela,"—"Little Venice." It was not for them to know, nor in their wildest imaginings of treasure to be come upon in this wilderness could they have dreamed that beneath the waters of the lake and under their feet, as they picked their way through jungle swamp, was a treasure-vault of "black gold" petroleum—a mineral so precious in an age of science and invention centuries away that wars would be fought for its possession.

Gold there was in Venezuela, and precious stones, chief lures in Spanish quest. They are still there. But in the economy of the twentieth century they take a place subordinate to the petroleum deposits of the lowlands. Today Venezuela is producing more oil than are all of the other Latin American nations combined and is outpaced only by the United States and Russia. And there are large regions unexplored, notably the wild country of the upper Orinoco, "River of Mystery."

Geographically, Venezuela is an agriculture country. And if oil has drawn interest and workers from the farms, a progressive and wide-awake Government is seeing to it that this latter source of wealth and widespread prosperity is in no way neglected. In the mountainous regions of the Andean and Coastal Ranges the climate is temperate and the soil good. This is the most populous section of the country. From here comes the bulk and the best Venezuelan coffee, once economic backbone of the country and still its major agricultural export. Cocoa, sugar, corn, cotton, fruits and vegetables, with the cattle, meats and hides from

the central plains and the lumber and cabinet woods from the Guayana Highlands in the south, are other important items in Venezuelan export trade.

As the Orinoco and its tributaries drain almost the entire territory of the nation, so are modern highways reaching out as aid to commerce or to open rich but undeveloped regions. Thirty years ago Venezuelan highways were practically non-existent. Today a 6,000-mile network spreads fanlike over the half of the country north of the Orinoco and Opure Rivers. Trunk lines run west and south from Caracas, the Capital. Chief among them is the Simon Bolivar highway. Paved or surfaced over most of its distance, this road connects most of the principal cities

of the nation and forms the Venezuelan sector of the Pan American Highway. Completed, the system will link the capitals of Venezuela, Columbia and Ecuador, the three countries which composed the early republic of Greater Columbia, of which Bolivar was president.

Linked in the patriotism of the Venezuelan are two facts of his country's history. One is that the republic flowered from the first Spanish colony of the New World to proclaim its independence through an elected Congress. The other is that it was the great Bolivar, himself a Venezuelan, who led the army of patriots in 1823 when the last Spanish force was driven from the country.

STATE OFFICIALS ACT TO CUT AUTO SPEEDS

Steps are being taken in all the Rocky Mountain states to enforce the wartime speed limit of 35 miles an hour ordered by the Office of Defense Transportation in a further move to conserve the nation's rubber stockpile for war, Assa J. Merrill, regional ODT manager, announced.

The order became effective Oct. 1.

Cpl. Bob Williams, who is stationed at Buckley Field, Denver, Colo., was here Saturday visiting. Cpl. Williams was former assistant manager of the Kemp Lumber Company.

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Dere Folks:

Oct. 6, 1942.

Dear Folks: This is the first chance I've had to write since I wrote you last, and a lot has happened since then. Last Saturday morning they told a bunch of us to fall out for instructions, that we were moving. They wouldn't tell us where we were going, and wouldn't let us send any message or make phone calls or write any letters until we got to our destination, which was Camp Kearns, Utah, near Salt Lake City. We were three days and nights on the train. I still don't know what it's all about, as we just got here this evening. This seems to be an air base like those at Roswell, etc. Haven't even finished it yet and everything is dusty as can be. We have a coal stove, instead of gas. Don't know why I'm here, or how long I'll stay. Never asked for a transfer or anything, but before we left Fort Bliss, we all took an I. Q. test to see what we were best

fitted for, also a mechanical test. As most of the mechanical questions were easy for me, believe I made a good grade, and that's probably why I'm here. There are only two other boys from Artesia here with me, John Carter Izard, who worked at Malco, and Bill Tremby, who came by for me the morning we left. I was pretty sick one day before we left Fort Bliss but OK next day. Don't feel so good today, but believe it is on account of the trip. Write soon as you can and all friends who care to, as I'm lonesome. Pvt. Melvin E. Warren, 1032 Technical School Squadron, Flight 47, Barracks 2624 U. S. Army, Camp Kearns, Utah. Eating habits in Switzerland are veering away from the luxurious toward the frugal due to shortages of certain foodstuffs, the department of commerce reports. Never explain. Your friends don't require it, and your enemies won't believe you anyway. A warning is like rain to a farmer—no good unless it soaks in.

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FOR SALE

FOR SALE—WAR BONDS. \$18.75 bond increases to \$25; \$37.50 to \$50.

FOR SALE—New fruit jars, pints, quarts and half gallons.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Seventy acre improved farm two miles west Artesia.

FOR SALE—English Springer Spaniel, A. K. C. Registered Female, 18 months old.

DON'T THROW YOUR \$\$\$\$ AWAY—Good dwelling, 4 rooms and bath.

FOR SALE—7-room house, entrance to bath from 3-bed room through hall.

FOR SALE—Mastodon everbearing strawberry plants now ready.

FOR SALE—1941, six and a half foot Kelvinator, in perfect condition.

FOR SALE—1930 Chevrolet truck. Cotton frame, \$125.

FOR SALE—1941 Dodge Coupe, fluid drive. Telephone 458.

FOR SALE—Oil burner heater, \$25. Mrs. J. B. Pirtle, 809 W. Main Street.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Three-room furnished house. Mrs. Fay Miller, phone 013-F11.

FOR RENT—Apartment with nice yard for small children. Mrs. R. O. Cowan.

FOR RENT—Small house, shower bath, utilities paid. Mrs. O. R. Gable, 902 Washington.

FOR RENT—Bedrooms at 510 Richardson. Call for Mother Eaker.

FOR RENT—Three-room apartment, furnished. Water heater, gas refrigerator, good beds, close to school.

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment, three rooms and bath. 903 Roselawn. Miss Grace Shearman.

FOR RENT—Bedroom for one or two men. Mrs. B. Rowan, 501 Roselawn.

FOR RENT—Furnished two rooms and bath, close in. Phone 351, Mrs. C. R. Vandagriff.

FOR RENT—Apartment and bedroom. Call after 4 p. m. and Saturday at 1001 Richardson.

Bulldogs Drop Fourth Straight Fracas Friday

The Artesia Bulldogs still have a perfect scoreless record for the 1942 grid season.

Six of the seven touchdowns made by the Cavemen were on passes, two of them intercepted from the Bulldogs.

The longest and most dazzling of the Carlsbad touchdowns was in the final quarter.

Copper for 4,187 rounds of .50-calibre cartridges is contained in the typical household bronze door hinge.

Winter apples are being harvested at my farm. Call and take your choice at reasonable prices.

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WANTED

WANTED HELP—Woman or girl for general housework, or a high school girl for about three afternoons per week after school.

WANTED—Stenographer. Apply in person at Neil B. Watson law office.

WANTED—Old-fashioned washstand pitcher, by a pitcher collector. See Rufus Newman.

WANTED—If you have any household furnishings for sale. See Donnell, 518 West Main.

WANTED—An experienced yard man for yard work next week.

WANTED—One or two-room house that can be moved, in or near Artesia.

WANTED—Reliable hustler to supply consumers with 200 household necessities.

WANTED—Good second-hand gasoline plant, like ones used in the oil field.

WANTED—Young lady, 18 to 25 years of age, high school graduate, typing ability.

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REWARD—\$1 for keys and black leather holder, if found.

MISCELLANEOUS

NOTICE TO ANTELOPE HUNTERS

Those of you who want me to mount your antelope heads, take them to the Artesia Ice Plant.

Will appreciate your business and give you in return the best and most natural mounting at reasonable prices.

Yours for a successful hunt, W. A. JONES, Taxidermist, 1425 W. 2nd St., Roswell, N. M.

Transparent Holders for Sugar Ration Books.—The Advocate.

Reynolds Becomes Officer and Father Almost Same Time

A son, Ronald William, was born Sept. 28 to Lt. and Mrs. L. R. Reynolds of Radrurn, N. J.

Lt. Reynolds was commissioned recently and left two days after the birth of his new son for a six-week officer training course at Miami Beach, Fla.

The family, Mrs. Reynolds and the two older boys, Jerry and Michael, and Mrs. Reynolds' mother, Mrs. Allie Eaker, who went from Missouri to be with her daughter, expects to join Lt. Reynolds in Florida at the end of his training.

While Planning Kid Rodeo, Goat Ropers Play Too

While members of the Artesia Goat Ropers Club are busy on plans for the "Kids' Rodeo" at the arena Sunday, Oct. 25, they are not letting up on current business.

Miller Ammons, who is in charge of the "Kids' Rodeo," said the entries are coming in so fast he can hardly keep track of them.

"V" Stickers

In order to protect itself against attack by air.

"II—This home conserves food, clothing, transportation, and health, in order to hasten an unceasing flow of war materials to our men at the front.

"III—This home salvages essential materials, in order that they may be converted to immediate war uses.

"IV—This home refuses to spread rumors designed to divide our nation.

"V—This home buys War Savings Stamps and Bonds regularly."

Edward H. Oakley, state OCD director, this week said, "Now that most towns have held scrap drives, attention will again be focused on the 'V-Home' campaign."

Oakley said the plan to contact every home and to award the "V" stickers to all who can qualify.

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Bonds and Band

Although it is hoped to equal or surpass the amount of bonds sold in the previous rally, \$53,775 worth, no one should feel he should fail to attend if he cannot buy a bond at that time.

A third phase of the evening's entertainment will be a dance at the American Legion hut after the presentation of "It Can Happen Here," when a fourteen-piece orchestra from the thirty-five-piece band will play.

Gov. John E. Miles, Brig. Gen. Russell C. Charlton and other officials at Santa Fe and Albuquerque, Colo. Kincaid and Lewis, commanding officers respectively of the Army bases at Roswell and Carlsbad, and other prominent figures have been invited to attend the "double-feature."

Hugh Kiddy and A. L. Bert, originators of "It Can Happen Here," and N. M. Baird, civilian defense coordinator for Artesia, are the authors. Bert will carry the principal part of the narration over a public address system.

Scrap Drive by Rural Schools Is Doing Well Also

R. N. Thomas, Eddy County superintendent of schools reports that the scrap metal drive in the rural schools, which has been under way two weeks, is having hearty cooperation, especially by the pupils.

Parents of rural school children have been hauling in scrap since the first of last winter, hence many tons have already gone to the heaps. However, Loving, Otis and Malaga will each have good tonnage.

Some of the best collections are truly in rural districts, where so many discarded plows, wagons, pipes and old tractors are being sent in, as well as old hay balers, rakes and the like.

In the Oilfield School district is a very fertile field, Thomas said. The tonnage is nearly unlimited and schools could not be expected to handle such a drive alone.

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Some Kill 'Em, Another Fined For Just Tryin'

While a number of Artesia families were enjoying antelope killed during the three-day season Friday through Sunday, another Artesia man, Curtis Haskins, on Tuesday was assessed a \$25 fine in the court of Pat O'Neill, Roswell justice of the peace.

The warden, L. W. Simmons, came upon Haskins shooting at the animals and hailed him before the judge on a charge of shooting at and attempting to kill antelope contrary to state law.

Among the fortunate hunters were: Boone Barnett, Walter P. Luck, Bill Gelwick, Oscar Loyd, Clifton Loyd, Sam Sanders, Dr. Glenn Stone, R. E. Wade, Dr. C. Cornett, Kyle Taylor, E. P. Bach, J. T. Caudie, A. R. Matthews.

James Allen, Roy Yarrburg, Harold (Dude) Dunn, Roger Durand, Roy Ingram, Preston Dunn, J. L. Prude, John Dunn, "Hoot" Gibson and C. R. Vandagriff.

Local Ginnings

A total of 2,122 bales of cotton had been ginned up to this morning by the Artesia Farmers Gin Company and the Artesia Alfalfa Growers Association.

Ginnings as of this date two years ago totaled 4,076 bales and in 1939 they were 3,919 bales and Comparative figures today:

Table with 2 columns: Year, Bales. 1940 1941 1942 Assn., Artesia 1066 95 567 Assn., Espuela 1034 70 388 Assn., Atoka 1080 141 566 Farmers 896 87 601

Charles Forrister, In Service With the Army in Alaska, Dies

Charles Hughes Forrister, with the U. S. forces in Alaska, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Forrister of Hope, died at Fort Richardson, Alaska, Sunday.

Burial was at the Post cemetery at Fort Richardson. The message said that death came as the result of a cerebral hemorrhage en route to a hospital. No further details were given.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrister have two other sons in service, Theodore, stationed with the Army in Denver, Colo., and a third son in Puerto Rico.

Have You Heard the Latest Story About Pat and Mike? Well!

Pat and Mike have come to live for a number of weeks at the Wilson & Anderson store, where they are being given every attention which lucky pigs could expect.

Quite skinny and small for their ages, Pat weighed in at fifty-two pounds and Mike at fifty-seven, but, according to theory, Pat should pass up his brother as soon as the special fare begins to take effect.

And he had better, or the owners and experimenters will be disappointed. But they are quite certain Pat will not disappoint them, for they have tried the same experiment in former years and it works every time.

Dr. Crofts Is Convention Speaker



Dr. Alfred Crofts, professor of social science at Eastern New Mexico College, Portales, who will speak at 8 o'clock Friday evening on "The Lights Are Going Out."

C. E. Clark, 85, Dies on Monday Afternoon Here

Charles Edgar Clark, 85, who made his home here with his sisters, the Misses Emma and Eleanor Clark, died Monday afternoon at the age of 85 years.

Funeral services were at McClay Chapel at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon by the Rev. J. Basil Ramsey, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, assisted by the Rev. Lonnie Voorhies, pastor of the Church of the Nazarene.

Besides his sisters here, Mr. Clark is survived by a brother, W. H. Clark of Pacasset, Okla., who was here for the services.

He was born Dec. 2, 1856, near Pittsburgh, Pa., and went to Iowa at the age of 9 years with his parents.

Mr. Clark farmed the greater part of his life in Iowa and Oklahoma and after retiring from active work about a year ago, came to Artesia to spend the remainder of his days with his sisters.

Oil Activity

tubing; flowed 55 barrels of oil per day, natural. Continental Oil Co., State 4, NW NW 36-16-30. Drilling at 2,075 feet.

McDannald & Williams, Grier 2, NW SW 30-16-31. Total depth 3,141 feet; running tubing.

Premier, Stablein 1, NW NE 15-16-30. Drilling at 2,190 feet. Sanders Bros., Evans 10, SE NE 33-16-30.

Total depth 2,961 feet; swabbed 60 barrels in 16 hours while cleaning out. Sanders Bros., Evans 11, NE NE 33-16-30.

Total depth 2,960 feet; cleaning out after shot. Sanders Bros., Leonard 8-E, SE NW 4-17-30. Drilling at 2,235 feet.

Texas Trading Co., Grier 1, SW SW 29-16-31. Total depth 3,298 feet; cleaning out after shot. George Turner, Wills 2, NE SW 13-20-28.

Total depth 540 feet; 8-inch casing cemented. Yates & Stroup, State 1, SW NW 16-19-30.

Total depth 1,890 feet; bailed dry, then bailed four barrels oil with little water. S. P. Yates et al, Evans 3, NW NE 5-17-30. Drilling at 3,035 feet.

Harry Tellyer, State 2, SW SW 86-16-30. Total depth 3,134 feet; running tubing after shot. Nay Hightower, Grier 4-X, SE NW 31-16-31.

Drilling at 1,050 feet. Western Production Co., Burch 4-C, NW SE 23-17-29. Drilling at 480 feet. Western Production Co., Keely 4-C, SE SE 24-17-29. Drilling at 2,000 feet.

An Ohio man has invented a partitioned dishpan to enable dishes to be washed and rinsed in the same utensil. SAFE FOR SALE \$400 used safe for sale. Inside measurement, 16x21 inches. The Advocate. 15-tfx

CARD OF THANKS

In this way we wish to thank our many friends and neighbors for the help and comfort given us at the death of our beloved baby boy. Also for the many floral offerings. May God bless each and every one of you. Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Murtishaw, Jr., and family. 42-1tp

More Members Of Service Club Sponsor Group

Further appointments were made during the last week by organization heads in Artesia of members to represent them on a committee to take under consideration arrangements for a service club here for the pre-glider school cadets.

Last week Mayor Emery Carper asked for the several clubs and other groups in Artesia to name representatives for the committee, which will meet in the near future, or as soon as all members have been named.

Mrs. Oren C. Roberts, president of the American Legion Auxiliary, on Tuesday afternoon appointed Mrs. C. R. Baldwin, Mrs. Zane Smith and Mrs. P. V. Morris to represent the group.

For Rotary, A. P. Mahone, president, at the Tuesday luncheon named Howard Whitson, Bert Muncy, Jr., and Chuck Aston.

The Business and Professional Woman's Club representative is Mrs. C. R. Blocker, named Monday by Mrs. Keith Quail, president.

Annual Confab

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Social functions planned for the visitors and members of the Artesia senior and junior groups include the annual convention banquet, which will be held at the Carper Terrace at 6:30 o'clock Friday evening.

The Terrace also will be the scene of a Junior Club breakfast at 7:30 o'clock Saturday morning, while guests and hosts will have a luncheon on the Carper Terrace at noon Saturday.

The third district is composed of the Portales, Elida, Roswell, Dexter, Hagerman, Carlsbad, Hobbs, Texaco-Farwell and Artesia clubs. Members from Clovis, which formerly was in this district, also are expected.

Tons Scrap

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their places, it was surprising how much had been overlooked heretofore, as the young workers covered all parts of the city.

This part of the county now is being well covered for the recovery of useable and available scrap, as the firemen are taking care of the farming communities and the Artesia Lions Club members are working in the oil fields every Friday.

When the Lions had completed their weekly foray into the oil fields last week and sold their old iron at the Artesia Alfalfa Growers Association yard, the found they had brought in 104 tons since they began their drive.

W. E. Kerr, superintendent of Artesia schools, said this morning it was undecided what further steps the students and schools will take in the gathering of scrap, but he said they will do their utmost to bring in the ultimate pound.

Pupils of the first four grades at Central School and of the fifth and sixth grades at the high school building had their own scrap collection campaign, terminating Wednesday. Miss Fannie Woodruff and C. D. Marshall, principals respectively of the elementary and high schools, said the two groups were enthusiastic in their task and that most had brought as much as they could carry.

The principals were suspicious that some of the articles might still have had usefulness, but that the youngsters gathered them up in their enthusiasm.

PIE AND COFFEE ELECTION DAY

The American Legion Auxiliary will sell homemade pie and coffee beginning at 2 o'clock election day at the former Richards Electric shop location. 42-3tc-44

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