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## Men Make Strong Protest Opposed Unitization Plan

### Worshippers of Southeast New Mexico Request That Hearing Held Before Made Effective

### Protest Meet Reaction Comes From Capital

Favorable reaction to the meetings of protest here last Thursday regarding the government's proposal to unitize oil operations was felt this week with the receipt of telegrams from two members of the congressional delegation from New Mexico to Fred Brainard, chairman of the resolutions committee.

Senator Carl Hatch wired: "Regarding your telegram, officials of the Interior Department advise they do not propose to force the unitization in any field without having approval of sufficient operators to make it effective. June 9 is the deadline for receiving comments on the proposed plan and I am advised there is on intention to make it effective that day. I am assured that all comments will be carefully analyzed and if the need seems justified, public hearings will be held and adequate notice given the industry. Please so advise the cosigners of your message to Secretary Chapman."

The telegram of Congressman Clinton P. Anderson to Brainard: "Regarding your telegram, the Geological Survey advises that no changes will be made without consent of owners in a field. They are merely bringing the matter to the attention of operators. A letter is being sent today by that office."

**Max Wiggins, Lake Arthur, Reported Missing in Action**

A telegram has been received from the War Department by Mrs. Will Wiggins of the Lake Arthur community, notifying her that her son, Max Wiggins, is missing in action.

No details were given, but the telegram did disclose that he was in the European theater of war.

A day prior to receipt of the War Department message Mrs. Wiggins had a letter from her son, telling her he was well.

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**Ralph Hayes Is President-Elect Of Lions Club**

Ralph Hayes was named president of the Artesia Rotary Club at the annual election Wednesday noon. He will succeed Guy (Whitney) Roberts, when the new 1943-44 officers are installed about the first of July.

Also elected were: First vice president, Wesley Sperry; second vice president, Tom Williams; third vice president, Otis Bigelow; secretary-treasurer, Jimmy Wallace; "Tail Twister," Delbert Swindle; "Lion Tamer," Vancel Lowery.

Directors: E. J. Foster and Leonard Price, two-year terms; Ulas Golden and Fred Cole, one-year terms.

Johnnie Campanella, Artesia High School graduate, who was awarded the Lions Club trophy for sportsmanship, was a guest and received the trophy. He was announced as the boy selected for the honor at the annual commencement exercises in the school auditorium May 14.

The Rev. C. A. Clark, pastor of the First Methodist Church, and the Rev. Dr. W. Bernardo O'Neill, pastor of the Latin-American Methodist Church, were guests.

O. L. Wood was a guest of Otis Bigelow, and Howard Miller was the guest of Emmet Merriman.

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**Tom Gentry Dies Today**

Jane Gentry, widow of Tom Gentry, one of the settlers of the Pinar in the Sacramento valley, died at her home at this morning at the age of 85.

Funeral services will be at Pinon at 2 o'clock this afternoon. The Rev. S. M. Morgan, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Pinon, will officiate. Mrs. Gentry was 50 years of age when she was married to Tom Gentry. She was the mother of five children. Her husband died at the age of 35.

Mrs. Gentry was born Oct. 20, 1857, in Anderson County, Texas. She was the last of forty-one children, when Mr. Gentry was a young man.

### Waste Trashed Wednesday

Waste trashed Wednesday in the alley between Third and Main and a threatened a numbering at 10:20 o'clock morning. However, no fire occurred.

A single trash fire, scattered to seven, in turn starting fires. Firemen extinguished them all by means of hose line.

### Boys For Induction

Boys of Eddy County boys for induction, but lists no longer are impossible to name with Eddy County.

In the group were Jimmie Cunningham, Perkins, Eugene "Dub" Shields.

## 'Go Ahead' Given Airport

J. D. Church of the El Paso office of the Civil Aeronautics Administration notified Mayor Emery Carper of Artesia by telephone Monday that arrangements for the construction of the proposed airport west of the city have been released and that the "go-ahead" has been given.

This confirmed a letter from United States Senator Carl A. Hatch to the mayor last week, informing him that the Army Air Forces had notified the CAA that there is a critical need for an airport here and that this had led

to a request to the War Production Board to revoke its earlier order of deferment of the Artesia project.

Church disclosed further that the Artesia airport will be an "auxiliary base," but he did not enlarge on the statement.

However, he said that instead of runways 5,700 feet long, as announced last Sept. 30, when the original appropriation of \$750,000 was made for the project, there are to be three of 6,800 feet each.

When Mayor Carper suggested that the city should immediately

obtain possession of six more forty-acre tracts, which will be needed, Church said that could come later, that the construction could start.

This led the mayor to suppose that actual work will start in the near future. Church assured him the contract will be let soon.

It is not known, but it is presumed that a larger appropriation will have to be made before the revived airport project is carried through, because of the increase in the length of the runways which are to be built.

## Legion State Commander on Official Visit Here Says Must Win 'Washington Front'

### Peterson Says Should Plan Ahead for World War II Vets' Welfare When They Come Home—Oren Roberts Is Elected Head of Clarence Kepple Post of Artesia

The battle on the "Washington front" must be won for the future benefit of the men now on the battlefronts when they return to civilian life, the Rev. Joseph W. Peterson of Belen, New Mexico department commander of the American Legion, said in an address on his official visit to Clarence Kepple Post No. 41 of the Legion Tuesday evening.

Prior to the address of the commander, Oren C. Roberts, first vice commander, was elected post commander for the coming year to succeed Howard Whitson. He and others elected to serve with him were installed at the conclusion of the meeting by Commander Peterson.

Reed Mulkey of Roswell, area commander, was a guest and spoke briefly, stressing that men now returning from service should be welcomed into the Legion.

The American Legion, the state commander said, is to him a sacred organization. To some members it is only outlet for social activities and fellowship, while through the Legion others are given a

helping hand, which also is extended to their widows and orphans, he said.

When the men now in the service return to their homes and civilian life, the Legion must be so strong that those things for which the Legion, without the aid of older men, fought so hard, will not be taken from the younger group, Peterson said.

He stressed that the Legion today has a new responsibility, that of serving the new veterans. "They must have every privilege, and more than did the veterans of World War I," he said. "They are protecting all which is dear to us and we must give the knowledge and benefits of our organization to those who return and to the loved ones of those who do not."

Elected to serve with the new commander, Oren C. Roberts, and installed with him, some by proxy, were: First vice commander, C. R. Vandagriff; second vice commander, J. L. Briscoe; third vice commander, P. V. Morris; chaplain, E. M. Perry, re-elected; finance officer, S. O. Pottoff, re-elected; sergeant-at-arms, H. W. Etz; historian, A. L. Bert, re-elected.

## 'Salvage Army' to Roll in Over Week End, 'Rarin' to Start Monday

The Fort Bliss Mobile Salvage Unit will roll into Artesia over the week end, probably Saturday or Sunday, its truckloads of soldiers "rarin' to go after the scrap" in North Eddy County. Capt. Ira L. Harper, officer in charge, said Wednesday, when in the city to make final arrangements for the detachment of 130 men and their twenty vehicles.

Held up nearly two weeks by the unexpected haul in the Carlsbad territory, the "Salvage Army" will waste no time in setting up its tents in the park north of the municipal swimming pool upon its arrival in Artesia, getting ready to start out Monday morning, Captain Harper said.

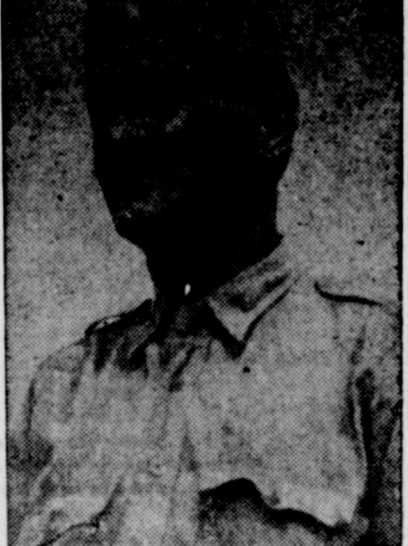
Early Monday morning, after 5:30 o'clock reveille and a hot breakfast, the salvage crews will take to the roads of North Eddy County with their trucks, tracking down the scrap. Working long hours, they will have a short "time out" at noon each day for box lunches issued them from the field kitchen, and will return to the camp here for evening "chow."

According to Captain Harper, curfew hour for the men will be 11 o'clock, because "soldiers can't stay out late and still do a good day's work."

With the scrap "take" in South Eddy County three times as large as had been expected, about 1 1/2 million pounds, Captain Harper is optimistic about the yield in and around Artesia. He has suggested several ways in which citizens can help the "Salvage Army."

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### Heads Scrappers



Here is Lieutenant Ira L. Harper—beg pardon, it's been Captain Harper since Tuesday—official in charge of the Fort Bliss "Salvage Army," which will arrive in Artesia over the week end, ready to go out after the scrap in North Eddy County Monday morning.

Captain Harper has been in the Army since 1912 and has come up the "hard" way. He enlisted at El Paso in 1912, spent three years in the Philippines, returned to this country in 1915 for duty on the Mexican border as one of General Pershing's scouts, went overseas with the 2nd Division when World War I broke out and came home three years later with three citations and a Fourragere for his services at Verdun, Soissons, Chateau-Thierry and the second battle of the Marne.

## Stout Becomes Chief; Floore Deputy Sheriff

G. Kelley Stout, former Texas deputy sheriff, took over the office of Artesia chief of police Tuesday, as of June 1, succeeding J. C. Floore, who resigned last month.

At the same time Floore became regular deputy sheriff for North Eddy County under Sheriff Fred Hill, filling the vacancy made by the murder of Deputy Sheriff C. T. (Tommy) Hopkins the night of April 3, for which Robert Counts, Negro, is charged.

At the time of the resignation of Floore as chief of police, it was announced by Mayor Emery Carper that Gene Smith, Chavez County deputy, had been appointed as his successor. Smith notified the mayor a few days ago he would decline the appointment.

Chief Stout was serving as a night officer here, replacing Ted Hodges, who resigned recently.

The new chief served as a deputy sheriff of Dallam and Hartley Counties, Texas, from 1930 to 1940, up to the time he moved to Artesia from Dalhart.

His brother, Dick Stout, is present sheriff at Dalhart, appointed on May 1 by the county commissioners.

## Be Sure to Save Empty 'A' Gas Coupon Books

The necessity for holders of "A" gasoline books to preserve their books even after they have used up all their coupons was stressed by the state Office of Price Administration.

Renewal of "A" books will be done by mail, beginning the latter part of this month, and in order to obtain a renewal, each holder of an "A" book must send in the signed back cover of his old "A" book. He must also send in his current tire inspection record showing that proper inspection has been made.

The same applies to motorcyclists who will soon renew "D" books, also through the mail.

## Reminder on New Ration Book Applications

Jesse L. Truett, Artesia postmaster, stressed again this week there are several things to remember in regard to applications for War Ration Book Three:

They are to be mailed between June 1 and 10; they must be signed; the person applying for a family group should detach and retain the identification stub at the top of the application; affix a 3-cent stamp.

"In short," said Truett, "read the instructions and follow them."

The postmaster disclosed that of the first 235 mailed at the Artesia postoffice—all of them before the June 1 date—only 182 were correct. Of the other fifty-three, many had not been signed and there were other errors, including failure to detach the identification stubs.

## Luis Rodriguez Dies Prisoner Of Japanese

### First North Eddy Spanish-American To Give His Life

Pvt. Luis Rodriguez, 19, a member of Battery F, 200th Coast Artillery, Anti-Aircraft, in the Philippine Islands at the time of the capitulation of Bataan, was reported last week to have died May 12, while a prisoner of war of the Japanese and interned in the Philippines.

His was the first known death among men from North Eddy County while prisoners of war and he was the first Spanish-American of this region known to have given his life for his country in World War II. He was the sixth man in the state reported to have died while a prisoner of the Japanese.

The death of Pvt. Rodriguez was reported by the War Department in a telegram to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cristobel Rodriguez, after notification through the International Red Cross to the department.

He had not been reported previously a prisoner of war, as had twenty-nine other members of the 200th, all presumed to be in reasonable health.

The thirty-first member of the regiment, about whom definite word has cleared, is Pvt. Arthur Vandagriff, whose father, Floyd Vandagriff, lives at Bartlesville, Okla. He has been reported to be a prisoner of war of the Japs in the Philippine Islands. Pvt. Vandagriff had lived in Artesia about two years, when he enlisted at Carlsbad. He is a cousin of C. R. Vandagriff of Artesia.

Pvt. Rodriguez was born June 20, 1923, at Lakewood. His father was born in Old Mexico and his mother, Francisca Rodriguez, was born at Fort Davis, Texas.

Besides his parents, he is survived by two brothers and two sisters, Frank, Joe, Eva and Rita, all of whom also were born at Lakewood.

## Mrs. Zada May Baker, Former Artesian, Dies at Phoenix

Mrs. Zada May Baker, formerly of Artesia, died at Phoenix, Ariz., Wednesday evening of last week, according to a telegram to Mrs. Beulah Jones. Funeral services and burial were at Phoenix.

Mrs. Baker, the former Zada May Milton, came from Kentucky to Artesia as a child with her parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. Jim (Dad) Milton, and lived here until about fifteen years ago.

She was the widow of "Buck" Baker, who died about a year ago.

## W. F. Daugherty Early Settler, Is Dead on Coast

William F. (Uncle Bill) Daugherty, one of the oldest living pioneers of the Pecos Valley, died last Thursday at Huntington Park, Calif., where he had been living with his daughter, Mrs. Leatha Daugherty Walter. He was 89 years old.

Funeral services and burial were at Huntington Park Saturday.

A son of Nicholas and Lavina Daugherty, William F. Daugherty was born in Bollinger County, Missouri, March 23, 1854. He married Mary T. Shields in Coryell County, Texas, Jan. 12, 1879, and to them were born eleven children, of whom ten survive:

Walter M. Daugherty, Phoenix, Ariz.; Charles N. Daugherty, Carlsbad; Ellen, Mrs. Rex Waling, Amarillo; Clara, Mrs. K. K. Bigelow, Amarillo; Col. Richard D. Daugherty, with the U. S. Army in India; Agnes, Mrs. Lewis Stiver, Bell, Calif.; Mary, Mrs. Hugh Smith, San Gabriel, Calif.; Mrs. Leatha Daugherty Walter, Huntington Park; R. F. and Raymond Daugherty, Los Angeles.

At the time of an interview with Mr. Daugherty in August, 1939, he had twenty-seven grandchildren and four great-grandchildren and two living sisters, Mrs. Lizzie Jarrell, Okmulgee, Okla., and Ellen, Colorado.

Mrs. Daugherty preceded Mr. Daugherty in death at Bell, Calif., April 3, 1936, and was buried in Rose Hills Memorial Park, Whittier, Calif. Since her death, the old settler spent most of his time visiting his children, although he returned here at intervals to look after his property at Dayton.

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## Ferguson Sends \$500 Challenge To Denver Racer

Jim Ferguson, former commodore of the Pecos Valley Boat Club and probably the most daring boat driver in the valley, has challenged Jack Bolton of Denver, one of the best in the West, to a special race, "catch as catch can," for a side bet of \$500 at the club's annual regatta on Lake McMillan Sunday afternoon, June 13, but as yet the Colorado sportsman has not accepted.

However, he has acknowledged receipt of Ferguson's telegram making the challenge, saying he is studying the offer and will reply later.

Ferguson, being the challenger, told Bolton he could "choose the weapons," deciding on any class race under National Outboard Association rules, or an outlaw race, in which any combination of boat and motor might be used.

Members of the Pecos Valley Boat Club, who believe Bolton will accept as soon as he has decided on what and how to race against Ferguson, pointed out that the race bids to be the sportiest ever staged west of the Missouri River. If it is run, it will be in addition to the six races already scheduled, and for which entries are coming in almost every day, according to Bert Shipp, club secretary.

Bolton, who indicated he will be here, whether he takes Ferguson's offer or not, probably will bring with him Johnny Forrester, who last year took second place in the nationals at Austin with his 460, and Jeff Blakeney, who has a wide reputation with his class "C" hydro.

## Trees Save House From Lightning

John Robinson reported that about 8 o'clock last Thursday evening, during one of the most severe electrical storms here in years, lightning struck twice near his home on the A. C. Kimbrough place two and a half miles south of town.

One bolt hit two cottonwood trees seventeen feet from the house scattering bark as far as fifty feet, he said, while the shock tore pipes loose in the house. Robinson said the trees undoubtedly saved the house—and perhaps Robinson! The other bolt struck a barn twenty-five steps from the house. It was not badly damaged.

## LOCAL BAPTISTS ATTEND CONVENTION AT PORTALES

The First Baptist Church of Artesia is represented by the Rev. S. M. Morgan and seven others at the annual convention of the Baptist Training Union at Portales this week. Sessions opened Tuesday and are to close today.

Representing the local church at all or some of the sessions have been the Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. Garland Stuart, J. I. Exum and daughter, Miss Doris Exum; Mrs. William Schum-pert and A. W. Boyce.

John Gates, who underwent eye surgery in Amarillo last week and who was en route to New Jersey for his "Seeing Eye Dog," at the time the operation became necessary, is now improving after slight complications, which have retarded his recovery. He and his mother, Mrs. V. L. Gates, who is with him, expect to return home the first of the week.

## M'MILLAN FISHING GOOD

Fishermen have reported the opening of the fishing at McMillan Lake good. The lake has been reported so low that some were doubtful about good fishing. It is also unofficially reported that fishermen may fish during the night on the east rip-rap.



# American Railroads Meet War Challenge Tremendous Increase in Ton-Miles

...ing roar of enemy to the shattering de- to the bark of belching, motives. When trans- tically, the answer form of figures ap- astronomical propor- motives on Ameri- were responsible for of 640,000,000,000 of freight in 1942—a record.

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...se records were 1,270,000 men, which short of the number s wanted and needed. ase in passenger traf- y understood because to move millions of n to training stations shift war workers to as, and transport gov- cials to and from cit- out the nation. The record was made with 27,756 cars (sleepers cars included) which 115 persons per car. nger cars had to move troops in groups dur-

...bear the burden of carrying more goods and more people. The rail- road burden was made more se- vere when mines disgorged larger quantities of ores and new mines were opened.

...The railroad industry, which in- cludes its suppliers, has made di- rect contributions to the war ef- fort. A large manufacturer of brake shoes, for example, devel- oped a new process for making shell forgings which saved enough steel in 1942 alone to build 800 medium tanks. A builder of weld- ed freight cars has been and still is constructing twelve ships at once by methods learned in build- ing the freight cars.

...Billions for Materials Naturally the railroads could not have performed the "impossi- ble" without the expenditure of vast sums of money. They pur- chased \$1,400,000,000 worth of materials, supplies, and fuel and had to pay higher prices for them than they did in 1941. One rail- road spent more than \$73,000,000 for materials alone in 1942.

...The American railroads pur- chased 1,260,000 tons of rail and 49,000,000 cross ties. They spent more than \$325,000,000 for new cars and locomotives, and were ready to spend more but could not get delivery of the needed rolling stock. It costs the railroads \$405,000,000 for fuels, which in- cluded 90,000,000 barrels of fuel oil.

...Biggest single expense was for wages, which amounted to \$2,900,000,000 or an average of \$2,286 per employee.

...All these expenses and more had to come from freight and pas- senger revenues. During 1942 the railroads received .924 cent per ton-mile for freight and 1.910 cents per passenger-mile against 1.177 cents per ton-mile and 3.027 cents per passenger-mile in 1922. The total income of all American railroads for 1942 was \$7,010,000,000, of which about 80 per cent came from freight hauling.

...Miracle of Achievement Behind the American railroads' achievements, as expressed numer- ically, is a story of research and development by scores of in- dividual manufacturers in addition to the efforts of the railroads themselves. As an example of the results of fuel research, the rail- roads now haul 9.2 tons of freight for every pound of coal burned as against 6.2 tons of freight per pound of coal in 1921.

...Without this free enterprise— which brought forth the best in signal equipment, locomotives, and cars, as well as continuous re- search and development in fuels, water refrigeration, materials for roadbed, and equipment—the rail- roads of the nation would not have been ready at the call of the bug- le to fulfill everything demanded of them.

...Railroad workers were already experts in 1942 because of years of prior experience and training. Management had the "know-how" for such a great emergency. The railroads of America have liter- ally accomplished a miracle in the handling of the vast World War II transportation problem that has been entrusted to them.

...Parson—"You love to go to Sun- day school, don't you, Robert?" Bobby—"Yes, sir." Parson—"What do you expect to learn today?" Bobby—"The date of the pic- nic."

...More than half of all lend-lease supplies exported in 1942 were military items.

## Upper Cottonwood (Mrs. D. A. Bradley)

A "stork shower," honoring Mrs. Donald Vaughn of Louisiana, was given last Thursday after- noon at the attractive home of Mrs. Glenn O'Bannon. The rooms were attractive with vases and bowls of beautiful roses and as- sortments of flowers, gathered from beautiful lawn of the O'Ban- non home. Several games were played, directed by Mrs. Earnest Hester of Artesia and Mrs. Dou- glas O'Bannon of Cottonwood, suit- able for the occasion. The first winner was Mrs. O. B. Montgom- ery and the second was the hon- oree, Mrs. Vaughn. A lovely wrapped box was awarded her, which contained a dainty crochet baby shoe, in which was advice on how to find other packages. The last one directed her to go to the bedroom, where the hon- oree found a large basket filled with beautiful wrapped packages. They were brought in the living room, where Mrs. Vaughn and her cousin, Miss Joyce Clarkston of Justiceburg, Tex., unwrapped the dainty and useful gifts.

...During the visiting hour the hostesses, Mrs. Fred Chambers, Mrs. O. B. Montgomery and Mrs. D. A. Bradley, served dainty re- freshments to Mrs. Nancy Doer- ing, Mrs. W. W. Batie and Mrs. Earnest Hester of Artesia, Mrs. Etta Clarkston and daughter, Joyce, of Justiceburg, Tex., and Mrs. Jessie Buck, Mrs. Wesley Hobbs, Mrs. May Buck, Mrs. Day- ton Reser, Mrs. Bob O'Bannon, Mrs. O. A. Pearson, Mrs. Glenn O'Bannon, Mrs. Basel Bobo, Mrs. Henry Lamb, Mrs. Mayberry, Mrs. Monroe Howard, Miss Mary O'Bannon, Mrs. Douglas O'Bannon and Mrs. Don Vaughn. Several friends, who were not able to come, sent gifts.

...Mrs. Arch Horton was hostess at her new home near the Cotton- wood gin Tuesday afternoon, hon- oring Mrs. Bessie Essie of Hope with a "stork shower." During the visiting hour the honoree had a call to come to the bedroom and upon entering was presented a large basket of daintily wrapped packages. At the close of the af- ternoon refreshments of angelfood cake, chicken salad sandwiches and punch were served to Mrs. H. V. Parker, Mrs. Tom Scott, Mrs. Truman Howard of Artesia, Mrs. Albert Seals, Mrs. Irene Hen- derson, Golda Henderson, Iris Roberts, Ruth Bradley, the hon- oree and the hostess. A large num- ber of friends sent gifts, who were not able to be present. Mrs. Essie was a long-time resident of this community before moving to Hope last year.

...Henry Taylor, who visited his brother, Ed Taylor, and family the last week, left by bus Sat- urday for his home in Lamesa, Tex. Miss Billy Jane Mayberry of Hagerman who was visiting her brother and family on the Roy Ingram farm, returned to her home Sunday after spending two weeks on Cottonwood.

...Misses Margaret and Alma Lane of Lake Arthur visited sev- eral friends on Cottonwood Wed- nesday of last week and made the acquaintance of little Miss Glen- elle Gray, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Orval Gray.

...Mr. and Mrs. Ed Taylor, Jr., who recently moved to the D. A. Bradley farm, moved this week to the Art Wintheiser farm.

...Mrs. Glenn O'Bannon has as her guests Wednesday of last week Mrs. G. S. Womack of Carlsbad and her grandson, Cadet Corporal

Roy Allen Baze, who graduated from the University of Oklahoma this month. He is expecting to be called to service at any time. After visiting his grandmother at Carlsbad and his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Hester of Artesia, several days, he left last Thursday for his home in Snyder, Tex., where he will visit his par- ents, until called.

...Mrs. Roy Lammon received a letter from her husband, Private Lammon, who has been training at Camp Wolters, Tex., several months, saying he has been trans- ferred to Fort Crockett, Tex., where he is training in the Coast Artillery.

...Glenn O'Bannon, who went to the mountains, ten days prior, re- turned home Sunday night. While gone he went to Colorado, where he bought 2,500 pounds of Irish seed potatoes, which are being planted in the truck garden on the ranch.

...Wilber Webb, who was taken to El Paso last week to consult an eye specialist, is at home, able to be out and doing nicely.

...Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ingram were hosts at their home Sunday hon- oring Mrs. Clarence Pearson, mother of Mrs. Ingram, with a birthday dinner. On a long, lace- covered table, centered with a beautiful birthday cake, covers were laid for Mrs. Clarence Pear- son and children, Clarence Melvin and Alma Lynn; Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Pearson and children, Ray- mond and Abbie Frances; Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Parker and children, Junior and Buddie, and the hosts and children, Ester Kay and Bar- bara Sue. The honoree received many lovely and useful gifts.

...J. H. Lammon has drilled a well and is installing a pump at the home just east of the Wintheiser farm. Mr. Lammon hopes to have a big truck patch this fall.

...Frank Martin returned home

## No Need to Hold Back Purchases Processed Food

"There is no advantage in hold- ing back on purchases of processed foods until near the end of the month," said S. M. Graf, state OPA director, in commenting on rumors that changes in point values of some foods may be made before the expiration of this rationing period.

...During the first two months of processed foods rationing," ex- plained Graf, "changes were nec- essary due to the newness of the program. Certain factors did not come to light until rationing had been in effect for a trial period. However, the program has now been stabilized to the point where no additional changes need be made during a rationing period, except in extreme emergency.

...Hereafter, any necessary changes in point values will be made only around the beginning of the month, unless developments of a totally unexpected and un- predictable nature arise."

...Graf also issued a reminder that salad oils are rationed. A rumor had been started in some local- ities that this commodity was not on the ration list.

...Mrs. J. W. Berry and Mrs. Har- old Dunn attended the graduat- ing exercises at N. M. I. Tues- day morning, in which their neph- ews, Barnard and Charles Cleve of Elk, were members of the col- lege and high school graduating classes. Mrs. H. R. Paton accom- panied them to Roswell.

...Tuesday, from Dennison, Tex., where he had been to bring back several work hands for the Roy Ingram farm.

## EXPIRED RATION STAMPS BREED BLACK MARKETS

Expired red or blue ration stamps can breed black markets, and housewives who have not used up those stamps should view with suspicion any attempts to solicit their surrender, declared S. M. Graf, state OPA director.

...If for any reason you find yourself with unused red or blue point stamps at the end of the month, destroy them yourself," he requested.

Mrs. George Kaiser and children left Tuesday morning for San Francisco, Calif., where they expect to spend the summer months near Lieutenant Kaiser, who is in training there. A house has been secured about seven miles from camp for the family this summer. Mrs. Kaiser and children expect to return here for school next fall.

WE ARE THE FULLER BRUSH MAN Artesia Pharmacy

Dance at Terrace Saturday 8:30 to 12

NEW MEX. STATE TEACHERS COLLEGE SILVER CITY, NEW MEXICO

Offers special work for both College and High School students for this summer. In addition to the regular college program, the College offers:

1. Special courses for people going back into teaching.
2. Beginning college work for high school graduates.
3. Specialized pre-production course for high school boys that will help in military ratings upon their entering service.
4. Specialized courses for high school girls that will be of value in their own life, in military camps, in Civil Service, and in business.

We feel that under present conditions no young person should be idle this summer. Dormitory arrangements are provided for both college and high school students.

New Mexico State Teachers College is fully accredited by the North Central Association. Silver City is in the mountains and provides fine recreational facilities and climate for summer work.

SUMMER SCHOOL STARTS JUNE 7TH

Write for information and reservations to office of the President or Registrar.

## Miles of Track

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...railroads in 1942 re than 9,000,000 cars and coke, 2,443,000 cars and other forest pro- 000 cars of ore, 2,000- of livestock, and nearly cars of food, textiles, and other war equip- as steel and the scrap public collected. The also had to haul other eeded by thousands of s and our civilian pop-

...ishing feat of the rail- 1942 was the movement rage of 620,000 barrels and other petroleum er day into the seven- along the Eastern The cars had to move longer trains, and over stances than previously, to achieve this result.

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# SAFeway Homemakers' Guide



Featuring garden specials

It's time by the calendar to begin featuring garden specials on the menu and save those canned goods for future days. These garden specials can well be served as double-duty foods, for they can be both the main course and the vegetable course... time-savers and appetite satisfiers all at the same time.

**SAVORY STUFFED TOMATOES**  
Wash tomatoes, slice off stem end and scoop out the center leaving a tomato cup. Chop pulp and mix with any of a number of foods such as chopped left-over meat, shredded cheese, mashed hard-cooked eggs, precooked vegetables, and/or bread crumbs. Season to taste and refill tomatoes. Place in a greased baking dish and bake in a moderate oven (375°F.) for about 20 minutes or until tomato cups are tender.

**SPINACH SCRAMBLE**  
Cook fresh spinach until just tender, cut finely, and add to scrambled egg mixture. Scramble eggs as usual. Serve hot as hot with tomato wedges for garnish. Tasty, attractive and certainly satisfying.

**CARROT LOAF**  
Steam 2 cups coarsely shredded carrots in just enough water to cover bottom of pan. While still hot, combine with 1 1/2 cups soft bread crumbs, 1/2 cup peanut butter or finely ground nut meats, grated onion or onion juice, and salt and pepper to taste. Stir in 2 well-beaten eggs to bind ingredients together. Pack into greased loaf pan and bake in moderate oven (350°F.) for about 30 to 40 minutes or until firm. Unmold, slice and serve as you would meat loaf. May be topped with a peanut butter white sauce.

**SHORT ON CANNED BABY FOODS?**  
If you've a baby in your home, then you'll find valuable information in this week's Family Circle article by Julia Lee Wright. It's all about baby's wartime food requirements.

Safeway Farm-Fresh produce

Yes, Safeway's freshest-possible fruits and vegetables make it easier for you to prepare delicious food for your table. The produce you buy at Safeway has come to the store in the straightest possible line, direct from the farm where it was grown. And don't forget! Every fresh vegetable or fruit you buy in place of a canned item means a patriotic gesture—the government needs canned foods for the Armed Forces!

Lettuce . . . . .	Lb. 18c	Oranges . . . . .	Lb. 9c
Radishes . . . . .	Lb. 20c	Delicious Apples .	Lb. 18c
Summer Squash .	Lb. 10c	Winesap Apples	Lb. 16c

**NEW STORE OPERATING HOURS**  
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SATURDAYS AND DAYS PRIOR TO HOLIDAYS  
10:00 A. M. TO 7:00 P. M.

**RATIONED FOOD VALUES**

Tomatoes . . . . .	No. 2	11c
Gardenside Peas . . . . .	No. 2	13c
Lord Mott Chopped Carrots . . . . .	20 Oz.	5c
Lord Mott Chopped Beets . . . . .	20 Oz.	5c

**SAFeway MEATS**

Leg of Lamb . . . . .	Lb.	38c
Assorted Lunchmeat . . . . .	Lb.	35c
Pork Roast . . . . .	Lb.	33c

**WANTED WASTE FAT FOR GUN POWDER**

**GREEN MEANS "GO AHEAD"**

Listed below are a few of the many point-free foods you'll find in your Safeway. You can spot them immediately—just look for the green markers. You'll be amazed at the variety of good foods that require no points.

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Harvest Blossom Flour . . . . .	24 Lbs.	90c
Harvest Blossom Flour . . . . .	48 Lbs.	\$1.75

**Macaroni Products**

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Holsum Wide Noodles . . . . .	8 Ozs.	8c



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**THE HUGHS LEARN SOMETHING NEW!**

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BOY! IS THAT A SWELL IDEA!



### WHAT'S WHAT —in— NEW MEXICO

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

**WILL SING SUNDAY**  
Valley, formerly who is expected to join her manager of the Church at the Sunday, it was morning by the pastor.  
is said to have none in New Albuquerque she has Central Avenue and the Jewish well as organist an Church.

**Activities**  
**Circle**  
Woman's Circle of Society of Christian the home of Mrs. Thursday after- persons were pres- Mrs. E. J. Foster, Jr., presided and were led by Mrs.

Keen Rafferty has resigned as head of the New Mexico Office of War Information, he announced today. He reported he had no definite plans for the future. Rafferty previously had been journalism instructor at New Mexico University and director of the University News Service, and director of publicity at New Mexico Highlands University, Las Vegas, and at Eastern New Mexico College, Portales.

Something new in employment and labor is under way at the Skelly gasoline plant at Eunice, with six women, first females ever hired by any of the Skelly gas plants, starting work. The six new employees first attended a company school to become "oilers" at the plant. The school included lectures and instruction during the morning, and practical work with the machinery afterwards. All of the women hired are from Lea County and are young, J. R. Green, of the Skelly plant, said.

Restoration of a 10 per cent budget cut for the University of New Mexico, which Governor Dempsey said was made "most reluctantly," topped action of the State Board of Finance at a meeting last week. The board restored \$37,387 to the university after Dr. J. F. Zimmerman, president, and Tom Popejoy, business manager of the school, told of lower revenues from enrollment and increased costs expected from the three-semester schedule now required because of government contracts. The board also arranged for a \$15,000 loan from the Bureau of Revenue to finance initial administration of the tobacco tax, and authorized Chief Frank Young of the State Police to investigate the cost of two-way short wave radio in state police cars.

A comparative report of Motor Vehicle Department receipts for the first quarter of 1943 revealed a drop of \$270,494.48 from license receipts, Governor Dempsey reported. This was a decline of 19 per cent. State Revenue Commissioner J. O. Gallegos reported to the governor that net cash receipts for the first three months of the year totalled \$1,142,529.36, against net receipts of \$1,413,023.84 for January, February and March of 1942. Refunds declined from \$2,177.87 last year to \$713.27. A report on the number of licenses issued to April 30 showed a decline of about 7 per cent, which department officials said was encouraging in the face of predictions that issuances would drop as much as 10 or 12 per cent. The officials pointed out then, however, that a greater proportionate drop in revenues issued from the new car category now are negligible and by far the greatest percentage of licenses now are issued from the lowest-cost bracket.

The Electric Boat Company of Bayonne, N. J., manufacturers of the Navy's P-T boats, is dedicating one of its craft to the part New Mexico is playing in the war effort, G. A. Fulton, mechanical superintendent of the plant, told of the dedication in a letter to Governor Dempsey. The boat will go into action as PT-372, Fulton wrote.

Staff vacancies, particularly in the counties, have caused considerable reduction in the work accomplished by the State Health Department in the first quarter of 1943, the department reported. An example of the curtailed activities, the department said in its quarterly report, was in communicable disease control.

State Representative Frank McCarthy of Hagerman has been named director of New Mexico's "National War Fund" drive, J. R. Cole, co-chairman of the state committee, disclosed. McCarthy will devote full time to the job, Cole said, adding that McCarthy will open headquarters in Santa Fe. The state committee of the National War Fund, will correlate into one drive the various requests for funds which formerly were

conducted in behalf of a score of war relief agencies.  
The State Land Office disclosed today that about 2 1/2 per cent of state-owned lands, representing 317,000 acres, have been given over to use in the war effort. State Land Commissioner H. R. Rogers emphasized that the lands had been leased for military purposes, and not sold.

Two Mescalero Indian girls were among eight candidates accepted for the WAAC's in a recruiting drive at Las Cruces, Lt. Martha Weeks of the Army Recruiting Service said. The Indian girls are Pauline Paz and Mildred Kanesevah. The drive also resulted in the enlistment of Juanita Boone, secretary of the Mescalero reservation superintendent, and Dorothy Pierce, financial clerk at the Mescalero Agency, Lt. Weeks said. Mrs. Eugenia Atrschwager, prominent artist and linguist; Eda Anderson, head of the Las Cruces Junior High physical education department for girls; Lilly Ricketts, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce and daughter of a Farmington editor, and Irma Evans, secretary of the Elephant Butte irrigation district, were also awaiting orders to service after enlistment.

New Mexico farmers receive \$2.70 per 100 pounds for early 1943 potatoes under an order issued by the Office of Price Administration. The order provided for an increase to farmers over the nation of 30 cents per 100 pounds. At the same time, the OPA ordered retail prices on potatoes cut by 7 per cent.

Gov. J. J. Dempsey, while in Las Cruces last week, appointed District Attorney M. A. Threet judge of the Supreme Court of New Mexico to succeed Abe Zinn, who resigned and is now a major in the Army Air Corps. Threet, president of the board of regents

of State College, has lived in Las Cruces for twenty years. He has served as district attorney since Jan. 1, 1933. His successor was not named. Threet is married. His wife and one child will remain in Las Cruces.

A new "sink hole" reported to be seventy feet deep and to have formed Sunday evening of last week is attracting considerable interest in Guadalupe County. The "sink" is near Borrica, thirty-four miles southwest of Santa Rosa. It is a mile southeast of the old Petrolino Ranch about fifteen miles south of Pastura. E. H. Estes, who lives on a ranch a mile from the "sink," reported that he heard a loud rumble as of a cave-in and located the hole soon after. Old-timers recalled such occurrences in the "sink" area at infrequent periods, but said that the present "sink" was well outside the area where the old "sinks" developed near Santa Rosa. Estes described the sink as "a large, well-shaped, perpendicular side hole with standing water at its bottom." Its depth was reported to have been measured by an Army engineer.

A detachment of 28 WAAC's has been transferred from the Third WAAC Training Center at Fort Oglethorpe, Ga., to the Carlisbad Army Air Field. These WAAC's will take over jobs which previously have been done by soldiers. The men released will be free to go into active service. WAAC's assigned to Carlisbad include one general clerk, four telephone operators, three stenographers, four typists, four assistant librarians, one radio operator, one mimeograph operator, two stock control clerks, six non-specialists, one messenger and one orderly.

Carlisbad and Roswell units of the State Guard won top honors during the recent federal-state inspection, in which the organization was found "generally ready

for emergency service," officials announced. The findings were made public by Col. A. W. Chilton, commanding the Fifth District, Eighth Service Command, and Lt. Col. J. R. Guild, executive officer of the adjutant general's office. Carlisbad's Sixth Company, commanded by Capt. Hugh J. Hall, and Roswell's 21st, commanded by Capt. Edmund J. Revelle, won highest honors for training achievement and general proficiency. Each was adjudged "excellent." Chilton said he found "genuine enthusiasm for their work" among officers and men, as well as willingness to profit by any suggestion designed to result in improvement.

Another 22,000 small-mouthed black bass were placed in the Pecos River near Loving recently by the Fish and Wildlife Service, delivered from the State Fish Hatcheries at Dexter. Previously the hatcheries delivered two loads of 20,000 fish for the Pecos near Carlisbad, bringing a total of more than 60,000 small fish placed in the river within a week.

G. T. McWhirter, Mountaineer, a member of the last New Mexico Legislature and governor-elect of the 115th district of Rotary, visited in Roswell last week—but it wasn't intentional. He was in Amarillo Wednesday. He tried to take a plane to Albuquerque, but learned it would be Saturday before he could get a place. He then tried the railroad. "Sorry, we haven't a thing left but one berth to Roswell," the agent informed him. "I'll take that," said McWhirter, who was tired of Amarillo. He left Roswell by bus for Mountaineer—by way of Socorro.

Inquiries about horse racing and the livestock show to be held in connection with the New Mexico State Fair, Sept. 26-Oct. 3 are being received in surprising quantity, Leon Harms, secretary-manager, said. He said the fair

### Locals

Fred Beckwith, who sustained a neck injury a few weeks ago, when struck under the chin by a pulley, is able to be about again.

Mrs. T. J. Johnson and her daughter left by bus Sunday for a visit of about a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Hatch, at Big Spring, Tex.

Perry Roop, who recently brought his family here from Colorado Springs, Colo., to make their home, has bought the Howard Gissler residence property at 509 Richardson.

Mrs. Margaret Bildstone and her mother, Mrs. T. E. McIntire, grounds were in "excellent" condition.

Per acre value of crops produced on the Rio Grande Project in New Mexico and Texas ranked third among all Bureau of Reclamation projects during 1942, the Albuquerque Office of War Information was notified.

left by train Tuesday evening for Denver, Colo., where they expect to spend the summer with their brother and son, Tom McIntire, and family.

Miss Shirley Bartlett, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bartlett, who has completed her second year of college at Ward-Belmont, Nashville, Tenn., arrived Saturday for the summer vacation at home. Shirley, a talented violinist, has made an outstanding record at Ward-Belmont.

At Pasadena, Calif., Phillip Steinberg pleaded guilty to violating dim-out regulations by letting the lights burn in his furniture store window and was fined \$250. "I should know better," he told Judge Kenneth C. Newell. "I'm the air raid warden."

**RALPH PETTY**  
Has Become the  
**FULLER BRUSH MAN**

### OFFICIAL CALL FOR PRECINCT CONVENTION

A Republican Precinct Meeting is hereby called for Monday, June 7, 1943, at 8 P. M. at the office of William Dooley for the election of delegates to the County Convention and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.

**FLORENCE DOOLEY** Secretary  
**E. A. HANNAH** Chairman



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be sure to save a jar of peaches for me! And I see by your letter you've learned to do that new 'waterless' kind of cooking that saves vitamins. So hurray for you, Mom, it makes me proud as punch to know you're doing such a swell job back home and I say God bless you every time I look at my pin-up girl."

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### Hope Items

Visitors from Carlsbad last week end included J. E. Fore, Louise Lee, Mrs. Pete Jackson, Mary Douglas, Frances and Marjorie Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Buckner and daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. Arba Green of Artesia spent Sunday visiting their daughter, Mrs. R. M. Stinnett, and family.

Mrs. W. E. Rood and daughter, Miss Charlotte, returned Sunday from Phoenix, Ariz., where they had been on business and to visit their son and brother, W. E. Rood, Jr. Billy George Rood returned home with them to spend the summer.

Eva Newsom stepped on a nail Friday. She received treatment at the Artesia Clinic and is doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Pottorff and children and Mr. Pottorff's father, S. E. Pottorff, and Van Pottorff of Los Angeles, Calif., were guests in the Henry Crockett home Sunday.

Mrs. Nora Johnson has received a letter from her son, M/Sgt. Max Johnson, saying that he has been in Cairo, Egypt, and has seen many interesting things, including the pyramids, and is still traveling.

Pfc. Scott Bumgardner from the Air Depot Training Station at Albuquerque spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bumgardner, and family.

Mr. M. O. Teel and children and Mrs. Houston Teel and children spent Sunday visiting their mother, Mrs. Martha Miller, at Mayhill.

Mrs. A. C. La Follette and daughters, Mary Sue and Margaret, of Murray, Ky., are visiting her sister, Mrs. R. M. Stinnett, and family.

Hollis Buckner and his mother, Mrs. J. C. Buckner drove to Carlsbad last week, where Hollis underwent a tonsillectomy. They returned home Saturday.

Mrs. C. A. Hanna and Ford drove to Cloudercft Sunday to

### Improvements on Federal Lands Achieve Maximum Beef Production

#### State OPA Director Warns About Use Of Loose Coupons

The state Office of Price Administration has prepared to take action to enforce rationing regulations regarding the use of loose coupons in purchasing food, S. M. Graf, state director, said.

Reports from Albuquerque stores and from other towns of New Mexico that violations are occurring are being received, despite recent warnings, he said. Both the shopper and storekeeper or clerk are in violation when loose stamps are so used, he continued.

Only the current red stamps of one-point denomination may be used in making ration point change, and therefore are valid when detached from ration books, Graf explained. All other stamps must be taken from books in the presence of storekeepers or clerks, with the exception of purchases made by mail. This is true of gasoline and Ration Book One and Two coupons.

Ticket Agent: "This ticket to the West Coast costs you \$100 and allows you a three-day hangover in Chicago."

"Thrifty Miss: "And how much off if I don't get drunk in Chicago?"

Prove you care—buy your share!

visit her sister, Mrs. Fred Griffin. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Jiggs Parish, Dorothy Teel and Leonard Parrish.

Mr. and Mrs. Hilton Cox and daughters and Mrs. E. A. Paddock of Roswell spent the week end visiting his father, E. P. Cox, and his brother, Irvin Cox, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. N. T. Watson of Portales arrived Sunday afternoon to visit his brother, R. M. Stinnett, and family.

By installing range improvements on federal lands under its jurisdiction, the Soil Conservation Service is endeavoring to achieve maximum proper use of forage, thereby assisting stockmen to make their greatest possible contribution to the war effort, according to Alan F. Furman, chief of the SCS regional land management division.

A major objective during the war period is the development of additional watering facilities on federal lands administered by the Soil Conservation Service in New Mexico, Colorado, Arizona and Utah. More water will permit proper grazing of areas heretofore lightly used because of distance to watering places, Furman said.

Owing to the scarcity of windmills, pipe and other materials, SCS project supervisors are forced to use ingenuity in developing water. In some instances, serviceable windmills will be built by assembling usable parts of several old mills, he stated.

Another major objective is to prevent waste of available forage. This is accomplished, it was stated, through periodic utilization checks which determine the extent of use as compared with the amount of forage produced. If either under-use or over-use is apparent, adjustments are made in the number of stock permitted to graze.

The Soil Conservation Service recognizes that yearlings consume less forage than mature stock, he stated, and stockmen are allowed to carry proportionately more head of yearlings on the range. This system permits a larger marketing of 18-month-old animals for war use.

Six thousand acres have been seeded to crested wheatgrass in one project during the past year and other projects have made extensive plantings in badly eroded areas. It is estimated that more

### Pix Rhapsody

By Mary Jane

One of the most magnificent dramas of the Old West ever to thunder across the screen, Columbia's "The Desperadoes," will be shown Sunday through Tuesday, with a pre-views Saturday night at the Ocotillo Theater, with its stellar cast headed by Randolph Scott, Glenn Ford, Claire Trevor, Evelyn Keyes and Edgar Buchanan. Told in breathtaking Technicolor, the new film is an epic drama of brawling men and tinselled women, of lawless wickedness and matchless heroism.

Rich with all the color and tumultuousness of the boundless plains, "The Desperadoes" was directed by Charles Vidor from an original story by Max Brand adapted to the screen by Robert Carson. Telling of a killer's fight for law and order, in a town which was not sure it wanted either, "The Desperadoes" has been praised from coast to coast not alone for the stampeding swiftness of its blood-tingling story, but also for its vivid direction and breathless characterizations. Special acclaim has been accorded its glowing, splendor-splashed backgrounds, brought to pulsating life through adept use of the technicolor cameras.

"The Desperadoes" are many in the new film; in fact, nearly every member of the cast is one, of one sort or another.

### World Has Been at War 92 Per Cent of Time Since 1469 B. C.

Here is a fact that is hard to believe. Since 1469 B. C. there has been only 290 years of peace and 3,118 years of war.

War has been the rule in human society during all so-called civilization. Accurate records on the wars of the world date back to 1469 B. C. From that date up to 1941 there has been wars 92 per cent of the time.

Even during these few years of peace there was usually some armed conflict taking place.—Ship-Ward News.

Portugal's colonies contain twenty-six times more territory than the mother country and have fifteen million inhabitants.

than 200,000 pounds of seed will be planted on SCS lands in the Southwest region this year.

On all federal lands under SCS administration, Furman observed, fire prevention and suppression measures have been placed in effect, and on all larger areas range riders are employed to protect livestock and to insure proper range use.

### NOTICE STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE

Number of Application RA-1278 S. Santa Fe, N. M., May 25, 1943.

Notice is hereby given that on the 17th day of May, 1943, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, H. V. Parker of Lake Arthur, County of Chaves, State of New Mexico, made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a permit to appropriate the shallow ground water of the Roswell Artesian Basin by means of drilling a well 12 1/4 inches in diameter and approximately 250 feet in depth, located in the NE Corner of Lot 4, Section 6, Township 16 South, Range 26 East, N. M. P. M., for the purpose of obtaining a sufficient amount of water for the supplementary irrigation of 150 acres of land having water rights under Permit No. RA-1278, said lands being described as follows:

SUBDIVISION: Part Lots 1, 2, 7, 8; SECTION 6; TOWNSHIP 16 S., RANGE 26 E.

SUBDIVISION: Part Lots 5 & 4; SECTION 5; TOWNSHIP 16 S., RANGE 26 E.

ACRES 150.

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 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 late of the last publication of this notice. Unless protested, the application will be given final consideration for approval by the State Engineer on the 5th day of July, 1943.

THOMAS M. McCLURE, State Engineer.

### NOTICE STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE

Number of Application RA-1454 & RA-1484 S. Cons. Santa Fe, N. M., May 25, 1943.

Notice is hereby given that on the 30th day of April, 1943, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, Jack Armstrong of Artesia, County of Eddy, State of New Mexico, made application to the State Engineer

of New Mexico for a permit to appropriate the shallow ground water of the Roswell Artesian Basin by the drilling of a well 13 inches in diameter and approximately 200 feet in depth, located in the NW 1/4 NW 1/4 SW 1/4 of Section 32, Township 16 South, Range 26 East, N. M. P. M., for the purpose of providing a supplemental water supply for the irrigation of 160 acres of land in the SW 1/4 of Section 32, Township 16 South, Range 26 East.

This is not an application for any new appropriation as fully covered under RA-1454 and RA-1484.

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 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 5th day of July, 1943.

THOMAS M. McCLURE, State Engineer.

### NOTICE OF LIEN FORECLOSURE SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that on March 20, 1943, judgment was entered in cause No. 7953, on the Civil Docket of the District Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, entitled "T. E. Brown dba Brown Pipe & Supply Company, plaintiff, vs. W. A. Sudderth, et al., defendants," awarding judgment to plaintiff and against said defendant for \$798.49 with interest and an attorney's fee of \$100, with all costs of the action and ordering foreclosure of a material-man's oil and gas lien against the hereinafter described property unless said judgment was paid within 60 days.

NOTICE IS THEREFORE GIVEN that the undersigned Special Master, on the 24th day of June, 1943, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the front door of the court house in Carlsbad, Eddy County, New Mexico, will sell for cash to the highest bidder the following described property included in the plaintiff's lien, which was filed in Lien Book 5 at page 475, to wit:

State Oil and Gas Lease No. B-4918 in so far as it covers the N 1/4 SE 1/4 Section 30, township 17 south., range 28 east, together with oil and gas wells located thereon, and all miscellaneous supplies furnished by T. E. Brown, including casing, casing shoes, casing clamps and connections, and upon all of the fixtures, machinery, tools, appliances and equipment thereon and appurtenant thereto.

The amounts necessary to satisfy the judgment from

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the sale of said property are as follows:

Principal	\$798.49
Interest to date of sale	19.30
Attorney fee	100.00
Costs of suit	15.50
Special Master's Fee	15.00
Total	\$948.29

plus costs of advertising and sale.

Said property, or so much thereof as may be necessary, will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder for cash except that plaintiff may be the purchaser and shall not be required to pay cash to the amount of indebtedness due plaintiff.

WITNESS My hand as Special Master this 24th day of May, A. D., 1943.

ROBERT A. GLAZIER, Special Master.

IN THE PROBATE COURT STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF EDDY IN THE MATTER OF ) THE ESTATE ) OF ) JAMES H. NAYLOR, ) Deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: That the undersigned was ap-

pointed administrator of the estate of James H. Naylor, deceased, on the 24th day of A. D., 1943, by Honorable Hardin, Probate Judge of Eddy County, New Mexico, qualified as such.

All persons having claims against said estate are notified to present them to me on or before May 27, 1943, the first publication of this notice or the same will be barred. ELLA PEARL, Administrator.

DISTRICT LAND OFFICE CRUCES, NEW MEXICO is hereby given that the New Mexico has filed of Serial No. 059215, to the act of June 21, 1906 of June 20, 1910, and the Taylor Grazing Act, of the SW 1/4 Section 22, 16 S., Range 26 E., N. M.

Any persons claiming the above described land, desiring to file protest of the mineral character are advised to file their objection in this office with Roach, Register. Date publication: May 6, 1943.

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**Lower Cottonwood**

(Ora Buck)  
J. L. Taylor of the community was a business visitor in the mountains last Thursday.  
Mrs. J. L. Taylor and son, Kenneth, and Miss Dorothy Norris visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Norris at Hagerman last Thursday. Miss Norris remained for an overnight visit.  
Noah Buck was in Carlsbad Wednesday of last week attending an AAA meeting. He reported that hall near Carlsbad did quite a lot of damage to cotton.  
Mrs. Marie Vandagriff and Mrs. May Bartlett of Carlsbad spent the week end here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Noah Buck.  
Mrs. Bud Menoud and son, Eugene, of Hagerman were guests at a Sunday dinner of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Crook at Lake Arthur.  
Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Crook completed a new well at their farm at Lake Arthur Saturday. Ed Shrook was the driller.  
J. B. Crook installed a new pump and electric motor on the well on his farm in the Lake Arthur community recently.  
Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Foster and family, who have been living at the W. A. Hams home at Lake Arthur, recently purchased the Hams house which will be moved to Hagerman.  
Miss Clara Van Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lillard Johnson, will graduate as a nurse at St. Joseph Hospital in Albuquerque June 13.  
Mrs. Will Wiggins of the Lake Arthur community has received a telegram from the War Department reporting that her son, Max Wiggins, is missing in action in the European area. Mrs. Wiggins had just received a letter from her son the day before the telegram, telling her he was well.  
Thomas Arthur Crook, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Crook, has completed his third year of perfect attendance at school by being neither absent nor tardy.  
Mr. and Mrs. E. Bass Clay of Pampa, Tex., have announced the marriage of their daughter, Miss Mattie Lee Clay, to Wilburn H. Sims, also of Pampa. The wedding took place Sunday, May 23, at the home of the bride. Mrs. Sims was a teacher in Lake Arthur school last year.  
Miss Lucille Norris, who has taught in Santa Rosa school the past year, has returned for the summer vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Norris, at Hagerman and with relatives on Cottonwood. She will assist in the Norris & Taylor Store.  
A letter has been received here from Pvt. Iva V. Payne, former teacher in Ancho School, and who has been stationed at Fort Benning, Ga., the last five months, that he has been transferred to Miami Beach, Fla., and will be there six weeks. Then he will be sent to a college. He is in the Air Corps.  
Mrs. Dora Russell, who fell a year ago and broke her hip, is still confined to her bed and unable to walk. Mrs. Russell is past 80 years old.  
More workers are needed at Lake Arthur to help in the Red Cross surgical dressing room. The Lake Arthur ladies finished 20,000 yards of bandages Wednesday of last week. The Cottonwood ladies are urged to help out. They meet at the Masonic Hall.  
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Nails, who have lived at Memphis, Tenn., the last two years, recently returned to Lake Arthur for a visit with relatives. Mr. Nails, a brakeman on the Illinois Central Railroad, expects to be called into the Army in the near future. He is the grandson of Mrs. Roxie Clark and the great-grandson of Mrs. Dora Russell of Lake Arthur.  
Standard time was adopted by the United States Congress Nov. 18, 1883.

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**WARRANTY DEEDS**

Grace Wetig and Florence Dooly to Disiderio Paz, lot 10, block 6, Smith Subdivision, Fairview Addition, Artesia, \$45.  
Diego Valencia et ux to Domingo A. Fierro, lot 5, block 5, Chisholm Addition, Artesia, \$10 etc.  
Iverson Tool Co. to Bethlehem Supply Co., S 1/2 lot 15, block 17, Artesia.  
Joe G. Stephens et al to John A. Blakeney, lot 4, block 11, Forest Hill Addition, Artesia, \$10 and costs.  
**QUIT CLAIM DEEDS**  
J. F. Lanning to Iverson Tool Co., lot 15, block 17, original Artesia, \$1 etc.  
Stephen A. Lanning, same.  
John W. Lanning, same.  
Iverson Tool Co. to Bethlehem Supply Co., lots 6 and 7, block 5, Chisholm Addition, Artesia, \$10 etc.  
Royse Smith to George E. Currier, lot 6, block 33, Artesia Improvement Co. Addition, \$1 and costs.  
Nellie Cogdell to George E. Currier, lots 15 and 16, block 13, Blair Addition, Artesia, \$1 and costs.  
C. R. Vandergriff et ux to George E. Currier, subdivision "A," block 22, Fairview Addition, \$1 and costs.  
Julia Trueblood to George E. Currier, lots 5 and 6, block 20, Forest Hill Addition, Artesia.  
C. K. Calvery to Geo. E. Currier, lots 1, 3 and 5, block 13, Chisum Addition, \$1 and costs.

**DISTRICT COURT**

No. 8143. Margil Virginia Gibbs vs. Elroy A. Gibbs, divorce.  
No. 8144. Petra Martinez vs. Antonio Ortega, divorce.  
No. 8145. Opal Pauline Bradley vs. H. J. Bradley, divorce.  
No. 8148. Dona Bensfield vs. Wm. B. Bensfield, divorce.  
No. 8149. Leonardo Sandotte Corriolo vs. Pedro Corriolo, divorce.

**Speak Up**

A young lady was on a sight-seeing tour in Detroit recently. Going out Jefferson Avenue, the driver called out the places of interest.  
"On the right we have the Dodge home."  
"John Dodge?" the lady inquired.  
"No, Horace," the driver answered.  
Continuing out Jefferson, "On the right we have the Ford home," the driver informed.  
"Henry Ford?" the lady inquired.  
"No, Edsel Ford," the driver answered.  
Still farther out Jefferson, "On the left we have Christ Church," the driver intoned. For several moments silence prevailed among the sightseers. Then an interested passenger tapped the lady on the shoulder and said: "Go ahead, lady, you can't be wrong all the time."

**Locals**

Mrs. Burton Brown of Roswell, niece of Mrs. Clyde Guy, whose husband is in the service, is making her home here with her aunt for the present.  
Clifford Cave of Medford, Ore., now stationed at the Red River Depot, Texarkana, Tex., visited his uncle, Ward Cave, and family Saturday and Sunday.  
Mrs. Hiley Johnson is visiting her brother, Tom Marshall, and family in Shreveport, La. Mrs. Johnson accompanied her sister, Mrs. Leona Gott of Roswell, on the trip.  
Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Key and their small daughter, Dixie Lee, returned Saturday from a week's vacation spent at Pergosa Springs, where they took the mineral baths and enjoyed trout fishing.  
Miss Margaret Clark, daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. C. A. Clark, a student at S. M. U., Dallas, is attending the first session of summer school and does not expect to be home until in August.  
Mrs. M. C. Davis left last week for Long Beach, Calif., to take her small granddaughter, Barbara Neil, to her mother, who has remarried and is living there. Mrs. Davis will visit relatives and friends for about a month before returning. She traveled by train.  
Misses Joan and Barbara Wheatley, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Rex Wheatley, arrived the first of this week from the East, Joan from New York City, where she has finished the season with the New Opera Company of New York, and Barbara from Cooperstown, N. Y., where she attended Knox School for Girls this last year, a freshman. They expect to spend the summer in Artesia.  
Miss Margaret Jacobs, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jacobs of the oil field community, arrived Sunday for the summer vacation with her parents. Miss Jacobs completed her second year of college at Park College at Parkville, Mo., and expects to enter Vanderbilt University in Nashville, Tenn., for nurses' training in September. Mr. Jacobs, who was in Missouri on business, brought his daughter home.

**Flying H School Has Graduation, Entertainment**

Three youngsters of Flying H School on the famous Flying H Ranch received their eighth-grade diplomas last Thursday evening at the annual graduation exercises and school entertainment.  
The class, consisting of Nancy Joy Leland Hendricks and W. R. Joy, Jr., was the largest in the history of the school. Perfect attendance awards were made to both Leland and Connie Jean Hendricks. It was the third successive year for Connie Jean.  
In spite of rainy weather, a large crowd attended the graduation and entertainment, which was given under the direction of the teacher, Miss Mildred Miller.  
Commencement exercises: Introduction, Miss Miller; invocation, the Rev. W. C. Garrett; salutatory, Nancy Joy; song, "The Threat of the Seventh Graders," seventh grade class; class poem, "Mileposts," W. R. Joy, Jr.; piano solo, "Drifting," Delma Joy; valedictory, "Our School and Our Flag," Leland Hendricks; flag salute, audience; piano solo, "Blue Danube," by Strauss, Connie Jean Hendricks; address to graduates, W. C. Garrett; song, "Parting Song," seventh grade class; presentation of diplomas and awards, Miss Miller.  
Entertainment: Piano solo, "Marketing," Nancy Joy; welcome, Laura Lee Norton; song, "We Hope You've Brought Your Smiles Along," school; monologue, "The Task of Sitting Still," L. A. Curtis, Jr.; dialogue, "The Argument," Mary Jo Norton, Ludiva Joy and Pauline Worley; song, "There's a Star Spangled Banner Waving Somewhere," quartet, accompanied by Connie Jean Hendricks.  
Monologue, "Why I'm Dressed Up," Crista Teel; tap dance, Edna Fay Riley; monologue, "Little Brothers," Connie Jean Hendricks; dialogue, "The Worried Pencils," Gail Hendricks, Riley Smith and Eulalia Montantes; monologue, "The Neighborhood Terror," Pauline Worley; duet, "I'll Never Play With You Again," Connie Jean Hendricks and L. A. Curtis, Jr.  
"Real Life on the Rio Felix," Mrs. Broiler Riley; reading, "When Pa Was a Boy," Tommy Joy; Western reading, Mrs. A. L. McBride; song, "Teacher, Teacher," lower grades; play, "Wild Cat Willie," seventh and eighth grades; song, "Farewell," upper grades; reading, "A Last Word," Alicia Montantes.

**Seabee Interview Schedule for June Has Been Announced**

The June schedule of the Seabee interviewing officer, Lt. (j. g.) John A. Calmer, has been announced.  
Lt. Calmer tours the state interviewing applicants for the Navy's Seabees and recommends advanced ratings for them as a result of the interviews.  
His June schedule includes Roswell, June 16, and Carlsbad, June 17.

**Questions to Ask Self in Front of Bathroom Mirror**

Questions to ask in front of a bathroom mirror, from Your Life Magazine:  
How much time did I waste yesterday in foolish or unnecessary arguments?  
Was I too positive and dogmatic in my opinions?  
Now that it is over, is there any chance that the other fellow was right?  
Did I talk so much yesterday that I prevented talk by others from whom I might have learned something?  
Who of all the persons I saw yesterday did I find most pleasing and agreeable, and why?  
Was I impressed by pompous, pretentious people or by the quiet, unassuming type?  
What part of my expenditures yesterday were for articles that I could easily have done without?  
Did I go out of my way yesterday to do anyone a friendly turn?  
Did I get more pleasure out of overcoming the other fellow in some transaction and making him miserable, or from giving in a little and putting him in good humor?

**Many Enroll in Victory Service League, Guy Says**

A check-up of membership rolls of the Victory Service League, national patriotic alliance of car and truck owners sponsored by the Chevrolet dealers of America, reveals that among the 1,141,920 persons now enrolled are an imposing number of prominent Americans in all walks of life, according to Clyde Guy of Guy Chevrolet Company here.  
Statistics show that a total of 1,937 United States and state senators and congressmen are enrolled, together with fifty-two governors and former governors; 3,667 prominent industrialists and business leaders; 1,405 eminent educators, presidents and deans of universities and colleges; 594 mayors of cities; 194 religious leaders and a total of 10,913 persons who are prominently identified with the arts, professions and in other fields.  
These prominent and influential citizens, under the guidance of Chevrolet dealers, who are sponsor-directors of the league in their communities, spearhead the patriotic activities to which the Victory Service League is dedicated. Among the activities to which the VSL participates are aid to the American Red Cross, cooperation in War Bond drives, collection of scrap, furnishing books and athletic equipment to men in the armed forces, and the conservation of the nation's essential wartime automotive transportation system.

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**Wartime Lighting Suggestions**

1. Use lamps by holding a swag rag over the bulbs (unlighted) and reduce 75% to 90% more light.  
2. Keep shade linings light. Brush silk shades frequently. Repaint the inside of parchment shades or reline with white paper.  
3. Turn off lamps not in use. This slip of the wrist will make lamp bulbs last longer, helping to conserve the critical materials.  
4. Let two ead by the light of one. Arrange lamps and furniture to each lamp can, if necessary, serve two or more people.  
5. Move lamp nearer and get more light. A few inches farther away may mean 50% less light. Be sure shades are deep enough to shield eyes from glare.  
6. Have eyes examined by competent eye-sight specialist. While good light does make seeing easier, it does not correct eye defects.

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