

Are Seeking 1,050 Prisoner Of War Laborers Here

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Proposed Feeder Post-War Route Will Serve Artesia

Line From Dalhart, Tex., to Carlsbad Is One of Eight in Application of Sunshine Airlines, Amarillo, to Civil Aeronautics

Artesia is indicated as a stop on one of eight feeder air routes post-war development, application for which was filed by Sunshine Airlines, Amarillo, Tex., with the Civil Aeronautics Board Aug. 3. The route going through Artesia, designated by the petitioner as "Sunshine" would be between Dalhart, Tex., and Carlsbad. Stops would be at Amarillo and Hereford in Texas and at Clovis, Portales, and Artesia in New Mexico.

The petitioner is a partnership consisting of J. Lindsey Nunn of Dalhart, his son, Capt. Gilmore N. Nunn of Lexington, Ky., former of the Roswell Dispatch, who is now in the Army Air Force; and Hart of San Angelo, Tex., and Bernard Hanks of Abilene, Tex.

A copy of the application, in the form of a printed brochure, was filed with the Artesia Chamber of Commerce Friday from Sunshine Airlines. The points out that the partnership "proposes to engage in transportation by air of persons, property and mail" over eight routes. It does not propose to compete for any substantial amount of traffic day. They were applying for larger airline companies serving the territory embraced, and the application sets forth that the routes would employ helicopters and other planes which might prove suitable for the purpose.

Some of the men are known in the Pecos Valley and have wide business interests. The petitioners state that they are financially able to properly establish and operate the lines for the partnership is applying. Through Artesia would serve having a total population of 10,000 persons, according to the census.

Other proposed routes: Amarillo through Fort Worth to Dalhart; Amarillo to Santa Fe to Pecos; Amarillo to Bartlesville; Wichita, Kan., to San Angelo; San Angelo to Enid, Okla.

Bears Down Clean-up

Artesia police officers have busy here this week cleaning up undesirable conditions after a number of complaints had been filed and Judge J. D. Josey was on the jump switching back and forth from his one jurisdiction as police magistrate to the justice of the peace, as cases and convictions in five against women for violation of two against men and for fighting and a tenth violation of a city ordinance provides that there shall be destruction to clear view of the street of a tavern.

County Has Funds To Use in Case That Polio Strikes Here

Although no case of infantile paralysis has developed in Eddy County in the epidemic in the Southwest, the county is well supplied with funds in case the dread disease does strike, for there is about \$1,300 in funds at Artesia and Carlsbad from balls in observation of President Roosevelt's birthday the last few years.

Lake Arthur Schools Will Open Aug. 23

The Lake Arthur schools will begin the 1943-44 school next Monday, Aug. 23, it was announced by R. R. Lewis, superintendent.

He pointed out that there is maintained a grade school and a fully-accredited, four-year high school. The latter includes the seventh and eighth grades in a complete six-year set-up. Lewis said this allows the junior high school grades the advantage of a departmental system, as well as industrial and homemaking arts for a group of children in need of such a system.

Besides Lewis, the high school faculty will consist of A. R. Bostick, principal and coach; Mrs. E. C. Jackson, commerce and English, and Mrs. M. M. Ward, home economics and music. In regard to Mrs. Ward and her subjects, Lewis said this is tentative, as final arrangements have not been completed.

The grade school faculty: Miss Ruby McClanahan, fifth and sixth grades; Miss Halley Mae McClanahan, third and fourth, and Mrs. Nolie Halpert, primary and first and second grades.

Wildcat Staked Near Mayhill in The Sacramentos

Four oil wells were completed in the Eddy County fields during the last week, the first completions reported in three weeks. Operators staked two new locations during the week.

An interesting wildcat also was staked in the Sacramento Mountains in the Mayhill locality, the State 1 of Humble Oil Co., in section 35-14-17.

Completions in Eddy County: Premier Petroleum Co., Parke 1-F, NW SE 3-17-30; total depth 2,994 feet; flowed 29 barrels of oil per day after shot.

Aston & Fair, Stevens 3-B, SW SE 26-17-30; total depth 3,296 feet; flowed 20 barrels of oil per day after shot.

Western Production Co., Keely 8-C, NE NE 25-17-29; total depth 3,120 feet, flowed 106 barrels of oil in four hours, natural.

John N. Fidel, Grier 2, NE SE 30-16-31; total depth 3,203 feet; flowed 100 barrels of oil per day, natural.

Registration For School to Start Aug. 30

Registration of Artesia students will be held Monday through Wednesday, Aug. 30 through Sept. 1, it was announced this week by W. E. Kerr, superintendent of schools.

Pupils in the first to the sixth grades will be registered from 9 o'clock to noon Monday, Aug. 30. Those in the first four grades are to register at Central School, Fifth and Grand, while those in the fifth and sixth grades are to be registered at Artesia High School, east entrance, Tenth and Richardson, Kerr said. Regular school work in the first to sixth grades will start Tuesday morning, Aug. 31.

Kerr stressed that no beginners will be accepted whose birthdays fall after Nov. 1.

Schedule of registration for high school students: Grades 11 and 12, from 9 o'clock to noon Monday, Aug. 30; grades 7 and 8, from 9 to 3 o'clock Tuesday, Aug. 31; grades 9 and 10, from 9 to 3 o'clock Wednesday, Sept. 1.

Aptitude tests will be given for ninth-grade students in algebra and Latin for all members who wish to enroll in those subjects from 9 o'clock to noon Monday morning, Aug. 30, at the same time as the registration for grades 11 and 12.

Textbooks will be issued on the days of enrollment and classwork will begin Thursday, Sept. 2, Kerr said.

Open Gates at Lake McMillan Are of Concern to Sportsmen

Gates which have been opened at Lake McMillan for more than a week, and which will be open for perhaps the next thirty days, are reported to cause poor fishing.

The lake is getting low and if the gates are left open for another thirty-day period, it will have mighty little water left, observers said, even if more water comes down from Alamogordo Dam.

Many fishermen of this community are already a bit fearful about saving the fish in the lake, unless it rains during the next thirty days.

Ration Round-Up

Rationing at a glance: Meats—Red stamps "T," "U" "V" and "W" remain valid through August; stamp "X" becomes valid Sunday.

Little Lanning Boy Drowns on Farm Saturday

Daniel McMillan, 22-month-old adopted son of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Lanning of the Cottonwood community, drowned about 7 o'clock Saturday evening in an irrigation ditch on the farm.

He had been playing at the house only a few minutes before he was missed and a search for him was started immediately. The body of the little boy was discovered some distance away in a field, where it had been washed, by a Negro farmhand, who was irrigating, before he knew there was an alarm.

The Negro administered artificial respiration and called for help. Daniel was rushed by automobile to Artesia, where the Fire Department's resuscitator was used in an attempt to revive him.

Funeral services were held from McClay Chapel in Artesia at 5 o'clock Tuesday afternoon by the Rev. C. A. Clark, pastor of the First Methodist Church. Burial was in Woodbine Cemetery.

The baby was born Oct. 7, 1941, and was taken into the Lanning home nearly a year ago.

Mrs. L. W. Feemster and her daughter, Mrs. Margaret Ellis, are in Dallas, Tex., where Mrs. Ellis went for medical attention.

WPB Analyst Explains Rules Here Tuesday

In order that people in various communities may learn from an analyst the correct interpretations of rules and regulations pertaining to the War Production Board, a series of informal meetings is being held throughout the state, the first of which in Artesia was Tuesday afternoon at the Chamber of Commerce office.

At that time W. C. Anderson, priorities analyst of the priorities division of the WPB, met with a number of local people, both individuals and representatives of building trades, for whom he explained many points in regard to priorities which had been bothering them.

It is the plan of the WPB to have a representative here every four weeks at the Chamber of Commerce office, when everyone interested is invited to discuss problems with him.

Anderson said the WPB has found that correspondence is unsatisfactory in many cases, but that when a person has personal contact with an analyst regulations may be easily ironed out to the full understanding of the inquirer.

The WPB is especially trying to help the farmer, Anderson said. He said that there is plenty of material to meet the farmer's needs and that the work of the WPB is to allocate it properly. The WPB wishes to see that material is placed first where it is most needed. This allocation is extended to producers of farm and other machinery and equipment, Anderson said, in order that certain items will not be partially manufactured and then forced to remain idle, because other parts

Occupational Driving Is Not Affected by Cut

Since the cutting of the value of gasoline ration coupons from four to three gallons each, local members of the Eddy County Rationing Board announced that persons engaged in occupational driving would be taken care of by way of gasoline with which to carry on business.

Those chiefly affected are holders of "A" books only. At the same time the board announced that because of the change in the gasoline rationing program, it will be necessary for all institutional and industrial users of gasoline to apply for their next allotments before Monday, Aug. 23, unless they wish to run the risk of an indefinite wait thereafter.

Coleman Is Continuing the Locker Project

The partnership of Thomas & Coleman, formed a number of weeks ago to promote and operate a storage locker plant here, has been dissolved and R. E. Coleman will carry on the project alone.

Dale Thomas, the other partner, announced this morning that the move on his part was made necessary because of his inability to give the partnership proper attention, because of other business interests.

In a statement, appearing elsewhere in this issue, Thomas thanked the public for the interest taken in the locker plant during the period of the partnership and he wished for Coleman and the project every success.

Coleman said the project is still advancing, but that it has been delayed somewhat because of unforeseen obstacles, which he hopes to overcome in the near future.

Past President of Rotary Is Presented Gavel at Luncheon

A. P. Mahone, immediate past president of the Artesia Rotary Club, was presented a gavel in behalf of the club at the weekly luncheon Tuesday noon by W. E. Kerr.

The gavel had been handed to Kerr for presentation by C. D. Marshall, high school principal, who is out of town, but who explained to the school superintendent that it was made last year by one of the students, Archie Lewis, at the same time he made one for one of the school organizations.

The speaker was A. L. Bert, editor of The Advocate, who read excerpts from and discussed a debate which appeared in the July issue of Rotary Magazine, "Should Government Buy Advertising in Papers?" The local editor's contention was that the government should do so, so as to put war information in regard to rationing and the like across in uniform manner throughout the nation, provided every recognized publication is included in the advertising program regardless of editorial policy and without precluding any publication from disagreeing editorially with the subject—the democratic way.

MASONS WILL HAVE IMPORTANT MEET TONIGHT

The Artesia Masonic Lodge will meet at 7:30 o'clock this evening at the lodge hall.

Important business is to be transacted and all members are urged to attend.

Artie McAnally, Manager of the Artesia Alfalfa Growers' Association, Received a Telegram This Morning from Congressman Clinton P. Anderson Authorizing the Association to Enter a Contract with the War Department through Col. Murray F. Gibbons, Commanding Officer of the Roswell Internment Camp, to Move the Twenty-two Buildings of the Dark Canyon CCC Camp to Artesia to House German Prisoners of War.

McAnally said a site is to be chosen near the city.

of facilities at both Artesia and Deming for prisoners of war, in order that the prisoners might be used as agricultural workers in the two areas. The prisoners for here would be from Roswell, he said, while those for Deming would come from the internment camp at Lordsburg.

Artie McAnally, manager of the Artesia Alfalfa Growers Association, said the plan is that a master contract for prisoner of war labor would be signed at the proper time by the association with the Army and that it would be necessary for farmers to sign up with the association for men to be used in cotton picking. It is presumed the same would maintain in regard to the Cottonwood Gin Company.

The association has received from Col. Murray F. Gibbons, commanding officer of the Roswell Internment Camp, the regulations (Turn to last page, please)

Second Bombing Is Too Much, So Hope Blacks Out

After a second bombing in little more than a month and serious consideration by the city dads, the town of Hope is blacked out every night—possibly for the duration. At least the practice will maintain as long as night bombing practice is carried on from bases in this area.

The more recent bombing was early Friday morning, Aug. 6, exactly five weeks after the first time a practice bomb landed near the center of town.

As before, there was no damage and no one was hurt, but both bombs fell not many yards from the principal intersection of the town and both were within the triangle marked by the three street lights.

It is probable the three lights appear from the air similar to the markings of the practice targets out on the rangelands and so are used as a target.

W. E. Rood, publisher of The Penasco Valley Press at Hope, said last week that the bomb landed within ninety feet of The News office, which shows more accuracy as far as that office is concerned, for the previous bomb landed 100 feet away.

Which prompted Rood to get his dander up and speak out in no uncertain terms: "This makes the second time this has happened and the third time someone might be killed or a building wrecked."

"We suggest that Congressman Clinton P. Anderson and Senator Hatch contact the War Department and file a vigorous protest against the use of the town of Hope for an aerial gunnery range. If the War Department needs additional practice areas we respectfully suggest that they instruct the bombardiers to fly west or south of Hope and utilize the vast open places in those areas. If the Army has taken over Hope for their aerial gunnery range we wish they would notify the residents of Hope so that we can construct air raid shelters or move out, before someone is killed or crippled for life."

Communications From Boys in Japanese Prisoner of War Camps Are Coming Faster

Communications from North Eddy County boys of the 200th Coast Artillery, Anti-Aircraft, who are prisoners of the Japanese, the first of which was received here only a few weeks ago, are starting to arrive in greater numbers. Parents of seven of the boys reported such communications during the last week.

All of them but one are of two types noted heretofore, plain cards on which the prisoner of war has typed or printed a brief message and a printed type, on which the prisoner may check certain messages and write a few words of his own.

The exception is a letter, the first received here, sent to his parents by Cpl. George F. (Tony) King, Jr. It seems that Corporal King and his parents have been

singularly favored in the matter of communications, for a card from him was the first received here, he was the first and only local member of the 200th to be heard on the radio from Japan and now his is the first letter received.

Besides parents of the local boys, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Cummins of Lake Arthur had a card last Thursday from their son, Sgt. Ferron E. Cummins, the message of which was not learned by The Advocate.

All messages noted are similar and follow a definite pattern, indicating the strict censorship imposed by the Japanese. Those reported to The Advocate: From Sgt. Robert C. Davis, son of M. C. Davis, a typed message: "I am interned at Osaka Umeda

Bunsho Prisoner of War Camp. My health is excellent. I am working for pay. Please see that Corrine and Babs (Mrs. Phil Altman and daughter, Barbara, Los Angeles, Calif.) are taken care of. My love to you all. Your son, Bob."

Cpl. Jess J. Whitted to his mother, Mrs. Paul Whitted, typed: "I am interned in Osaka Umeda Bunsho Prisoner of War Camp. My health is usual. I am working for pay. Please see that everybody is taken care of. My love to you, Jess Jay Whitted."

Pfc. Alton Wayne Tice to his mother, Mrs. T. R. Tice, form card: "I am interned at the Philippine Military Prison Camp No. 1. My health is fair. I am unimpaired. I am well. Please see that Grandpa is taken care of. Hope (Turn to last page, please)

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TELEPHONE 7

CONSIDER THE JAPANESE PHASE OF WAR

Just in case you are one of the many people who are rejoicing that the Axis is about to fold up, stop to consider a moment, and then quit your rejoicing and pitch in again with the optimistic thought that if we are determined enough and work hard enough and are lucky enough, it may be over in another five years.

Fanatic Japan's millions are being told daily by radio, the press and by street posters that they must prepare for 100 years of war. And they are taking it in their stride!

War has lifted Japan from a "have-not" nation of 73,000,000 people, crowded into less than 150,000 square miles of island territory, to become an empire of more than 460,000,000 inhabitants in nearly 4,000,000 square miles of territory.

And in that vast empire Japan is using her cheap labor and forced barter to gain the strategic raw materials she once bought at high prices from the Western world.

All of the specialized metals so essential for modern warfare, antimony, nickel, chrome, cobalt, copper and zinc, are to be found in abundance within the Asiatic sphere of "co-prosperity." Besides these metals there are also petroleum and rubber.

Japan is drilling her younger generation in fanatical loyalty to her emperor, inculcating doctrines of blind obedience, in order to prepare to fight the war which she believes may last 100 years.

Although we warned above that we cannot expect to win in less than five years, we believe that if we do not win in little more than that period, the Japanese belief may be right; it might last 100 years!

Remember, Japan has won her war and is consolidating her gains. Her problem is but to hold; ours is to take!

IT'S TOO BAD, BUT IT CAN'T BE DONE

Inquiries have come to this office from time to time as to why we publish the pictures of some of the boys and not others, especially when relatives are reasonably certain that the public relations offices of camps and stations have sent pictures to us.

We wish we had a halftone cut of every man and woman in service from North Eddy County, filed away so they could be used whenever needed or desired, but that would involve more than 400 cuts, which would cost considerable folding money.

Few weekly newspaper plants have photo engraving plants, and The Advocate is no exception. And only the larger dailies have such plants, which cost hundreds of dollars to install and involve a neat sum to operate. The operating charges, however, are absorbed by them, just as are the costs of setting type, which is as it should be.

But a weekly must send its pictures off to an engraving plant and pay out good money for cuts, if it uses them.

We do underwrite the cost of a number of cuts every year, the cost of which we feel we can pay, by way of a public service and in order to picture prominent people or events in the news, if and when we elect to do so. And we wish we could do that for the men and women in the service, if only to let you see how they look in uniform. But we believe everyone will realize it just cannot be done.

On the other hand, we have been sending off photographs from time to time of people in the service to the engraver, when relatives or friends are willing to underwrite the cost of cuts. When that is done, we are happy to publish the picture on any occasion, or on no particular occasion, just to let you see him or her.

We still maintain the privilege of underwriting a cut when we so desire and when we feel that the cost can be absorbed by way of illustrating spot news, such as when a man gives his all for his country.

Otherwise we must continue to stick to the rule, which we hope all will understand as being a case of necessity.

NOW LET'S HEAR NO MORE ABOUT IT!

It is not true that Labor Day will be on Aug. 30 this year. It is not a fact that President Roosevelt has changed the date, which always heretofore has been on the first Monday in September, even as Thanksgiving, except with recent exceptions, has been on the fourth Thursday in November.

We will admit that we do it, and not FDR. And we know just how we happened to do it last week.

Having just finished a story in regard to the opening of school on Monday, Aug. 30, we wrote the item about the stores closing on Labor Day. And as the opening of school is usually connected somehow with Labor Day, we deliberately used the date of Aug. 30, instead of Sept. 6, as the day the stores will be closed.

Simple, aren't we—or rather, we mean, simple, isn't it?

A SQUIB WITH A NUMBER OF POINTS

We asked a gal the other day, who has been doing considerable canning, what the score was to date. And we rather liked her answer.

She did not say that she had canned so many pints or quarts, but that she had put up about 10,000 ration points. Which is patriotic doings from anybody's "Victory Garden."

IT SEEMS WE ARE LETTING THEM DOWN

A young soldier, who has been in the Aleutian Islands about eight months and who was visiting in Artesia on leave, was shocked at the tranquil manner in which the civilians of the United States are taking the war. And he said he was sure his buddies would be shocked also when he returned to the Alaskan outposts and told them what he had seen while at home.

After eight months on a lonely island—or lonely islands—during which he saw neither a movie nor a woman, he came home.

During the time he was in the desolate reaches of our sub-Arctic outpost—possibly being shot at by Japs, although he didn't say—he and his buddies were thinking that the people at home were doing their part, that they were conserving tires and gasoline.

And now he is on his way back to the Aleutians. And we shudder to think what those boys in the snow and ice and darkness of the

CHURCHES

ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH
307 South Seventh Street

The services at St. Paul's Episcopal Church will be discontinued until the second Sunday in September (Sept. 12), at which time there will be the regular service at 8 o'clock in the evening.
Rev. Joseph H. Harvey, Vicar.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Fourth and Grand

Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship, 11 a. m.
Evening worship, 8 p. m.
Christian Endeavor, 7 p. m.
Choir rehearsal, Wednesday, 8 p. m.
Prayer meeting, Thursday, 8 p. m.

The Association of the Ladies Missionary meets every first Thursday in each month. Through the months of June, July, and August the hour of meeting will be 3 p. m. instead of 2:30, as has been the custom.
J. Basil Ramsey, Pastor.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
Sunday school at 9:45 o'clock

each Sunday morning; classes for every age group.
Morning worship at 10:50 o'clock.

The pastor's topic Sunday will be: "The Universal Christ."
The choir will render the Anthem: "The Earth Is the Lord's," by Hosmer. Mrs. Glenn Caskey will be in charge of the musical program, and Mrs. R. L. Setterlund will be at the console of the organ.

Epworth Leagues, 7:30 o'clock.
Evening service will be union service with the Christian, Presbyterian and Nazarene Churches at the first Presbyterian Church at 8:15 o'clock.
C. A. Clark, Pastor.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
Corner Fourth and Chisholm

Sunday Services
Bible school, 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship, 11 a. m.
Evening worship, 8 p. m.
Weekly Services
Wednesday prayer meeting, 8 p. m.

C. A. program, Friday, 8 p. m., special music and songs.
The public is invited to attend each service.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Seventh and Grand
Sunday Services
Bible study, 10 a. m.
Prayer, 11 a. m.
Young people's meeting, 7:30 p. m.

Preaching, 8:30 p. m.
Mid-Week Services
Wednesday, 8:30 p. m.
Ladies' class, Thursday, 3 p. m.
A. F. Waller, Minister.

ST. ANTHONY CATHOLIC CHURCH
Tenth and Missouri

Franciscan Fathers in charge.
Mass Sundays, 8 a. m., English sermon.
Mass weekdays, at Artesia Memorial Hospital, 6:15 a. m.

OUR LADY OF GRACE CHURCH
Mass Sundays, 10 a. m., Spanish sermon.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
"Committed to the Ministry of the Word of God"

Corner of Grand and Roselawn
Bible school, 9:30 a. m.
Morning worship, 10:50 a. m.
Mission Sunday school, 2:30 p. m.

Training Union, 6:30 p. m.
Evening worship, 8 p. m.
Weekly Services
Wednesday: Prayer and Bible study, 8 p. m. Bring your Bibles and study not about but the Bible.

Thursday: W. M. S., first and third Thursdays; circles, second and fourth Thursdays; brotherhood, third Thursday.
S. M. Morgan, Pastor.

SHERMAN MEMORIAL CHURCH
(Oilfield Community)

Sunday school at 10 o'clock.
Prayer meeting and choir practice, 8 o'clock Wednesday evening.
Ernest Thompson, Superintendent.

coming winter months will think about us at home—about us, whom they are protecting and helping to make secure.

HE STILL GETS AROUND PRETTY WELL

We see by our files for fifteen years ago this week that "Sheriff Joe Johns of Carlsbad spent a few days in Artesia Tuesday."

We weren't living here then, but we have heard many times that Joe was quite efficient as sheriff. The present Carlsbad chief of police does things that way, we presume, being able to spend a few days on Tuesday and have them out of the way.

In the postwar world, freedom from fear is guaranteed—but just the same, husbands are advised not to let their wives catch them dropping ashes on the floor.—Washington Evening Star.

A Texas highway sign says: "This is God's country. Don't drive like hell." While another sign in Pennsylvania says: "Slow, no hospital."—Scott City (Kan.) News-Chronicle.

It's comforting to learn that hamburgers will contain a certain percentage of meat.—Indianapolis News.

United China Relief Grows, Green Reports

During the first six months of 1943, United China Relief forwarded to China, for war relief there, \$3,651,683.23, Arba Green, chairman of the Artesia United China Relief Committee, announced. This is \$378,161.73 more than was sent during the last six months of 1942, and \$1,828,845.73 more than during the first six months of 1942. The money is transmitted by radio through the Bank of China.

It is believed that these gifts represent the largest sum of money transmitted for relief to any of the allies during any six-month period since the beginning of the war.

In cooperation with the National War Fund, United China Relief expects to send to China during 1943 a total of eight and a half millions.

In spite of the cessation of the campaign during the last six months, due to the National War Fund's impending campaign this fall, United China Relief has received in gifts \$3,098,220.97, which is only \$37,982 less than the amount received during the last six months of the 1942 campaign for United China Relief.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Bible school, 9:45 a. m.

All the folk in your house are invited to come into this service of the Lord's house.
Worship, 10:50 a. m. This is an undergirding service of fellowship for your and your home. You will hear a Bible-centered sermon.

Christian Endeavor, 7 p. m. All youth are invited to share in this youth service conducted by youth.
Church, 8:15 p. m. Union service at the Presbyterian Church. A period of helpful fellowship for you, your loved ones and all of your friends.
J. T. Wheeler, Minister, Phone 375.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES
613 W. Main

Sunday service, 11 a. m.
Wednesday service, 7:30 p. m.
"Mind," is the subject of the lesson-sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, Aug. 22.

The Golden Text is: "Great is our Lord, and of great power: his understanding is infinite." (Ps. 147:5)

Among the citations which comprise the lesson-sermon is the following from the Bible: "For to be carnally minded is death; but to be spiritually minded is life and peace." (Rom. 8:6)

The lesson-sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook: "What we term mortal mind or carnal mind, dependent on matter for manifestation, is not Mind. God is Mind: all that Mind, God, is, or hath made, is good, and He made all. Hence evil is not made and is not real."
Visitors always welcome.

LOCO HILLS BAPTIST CHURCH
Loco Hills, New Mexico

Sunday school, 10:00 a. m.
Preaching service, 11:00 a. m.
Training Union, 7:30 p. m.
Preaching service, 8:30 p. m.
Mid week service, Wednesday 8:30 p. m.
Paul H. Elmore, Pastor.

THE HOUSE OF PRAYER
Pentecostal Assembly of God
Morningside Addition

A fellowship that can't be duplicated outside of Holiness. Come and worship in spirit and in truth.
Sunday school, 10 a. m.
Sunday services, 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.
Wednesday services, 7:30 p. m.
Saturday services, 7:30 p. m.
Charles M. Fair, Pastor in charge.

LATIN AMERICAN METHODIST CHURCH
Sunday school, 10 a. m.

Preaching, Sunday, 11 a. m.
Everyone is welcome to these services. Even if you do not speak Spanish you will feel at home, for the Spanish-speaking people enjoy having you and will extend a spirit of courtesy.
W. Bernardo Oneill, D. D., Pastor.

Sands of Time

FIFTEEN YEARS AGO
(From The Advocate Files for Aug. 16, 1928.)

A total of 815 voters' names had been placed on the registration books at the close of registration Saturday.

Oscar Pearson will drive the school bus from Cottonwood to Lake Arthur this coming school term.

Arba Green drove up to Bear Canyon Saturday to bring down Irma Green, Juanita Denton and Evelyn Cobble, who had been spending ten days at the Girl Scout Camp.

According to a count Saturday, there were 650 cars parked along Main Street, indicating one of the largest crowds ever gathered here.

Three people drowned Friday morning in Dark Canyon at Carlsbad, when a wall of water hit their car, which already had stalled. Three others were rescued.

It is said there is a surplus of 1,700 teachers in New Mexico, who will be unable to get schools this year, as there are just that many more teachers than positions.

Mrs. C. E. Mann and little daughter, Janice, returned last week from a sojourn of several weeks at Cloudcroft.

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Florence Dooley to Silillo Castellano and Trinidad Castellano, lot 5, block 1, Smith Subdivision, Fairview Addition, Artesia, \$70.

A. P. Mahone et ux to Bert N. Muncy et ux, lot 1, block 14, Clayton & Stegman Addition, Artesia, \$1 etc.

H. A. Denton and Robina Denton to John Charles Brown, beginning at 80 feet W and 26 feet north from SW corner block 3, Fairview Addition, \$10 etc.

QUIT CLAIM DEED

Jesus Jiminez et ux to Tivarsia C. Martinez, lots 6 and 8, block 24, Artesia Heights, \$10 etc.

DISTRICT COURT

No. 8218. Frances Luna vs. Calvina Luna, divorce.

No. 8219. Petition for confirmation of election proceedings.

No. 8220. Irvie Ola Polk vs. W. E. Polk, divorce.

No. 8221. Alpha Lloyd vs. William Francis Lloyd, divorce.

No. 8222. Vivian Rascon vs. Belen Rascon, divorce.

No. 8223. Mildred Hudson vs. Luella M. Lewis et al, suit to quiet title of lease.

No. 8224. Montgomery Bros., Inc., vs. W. R. (Bob) Richardson, attachment suit.

SHIPMENT OF WAGS ARRIVES AT RAFA

A shipment of guard dogs, members of the Army's canine corps, the WAGS, arrived last week at the Roswell Army Air Field, where they will be used to guard outlying areas of the field.

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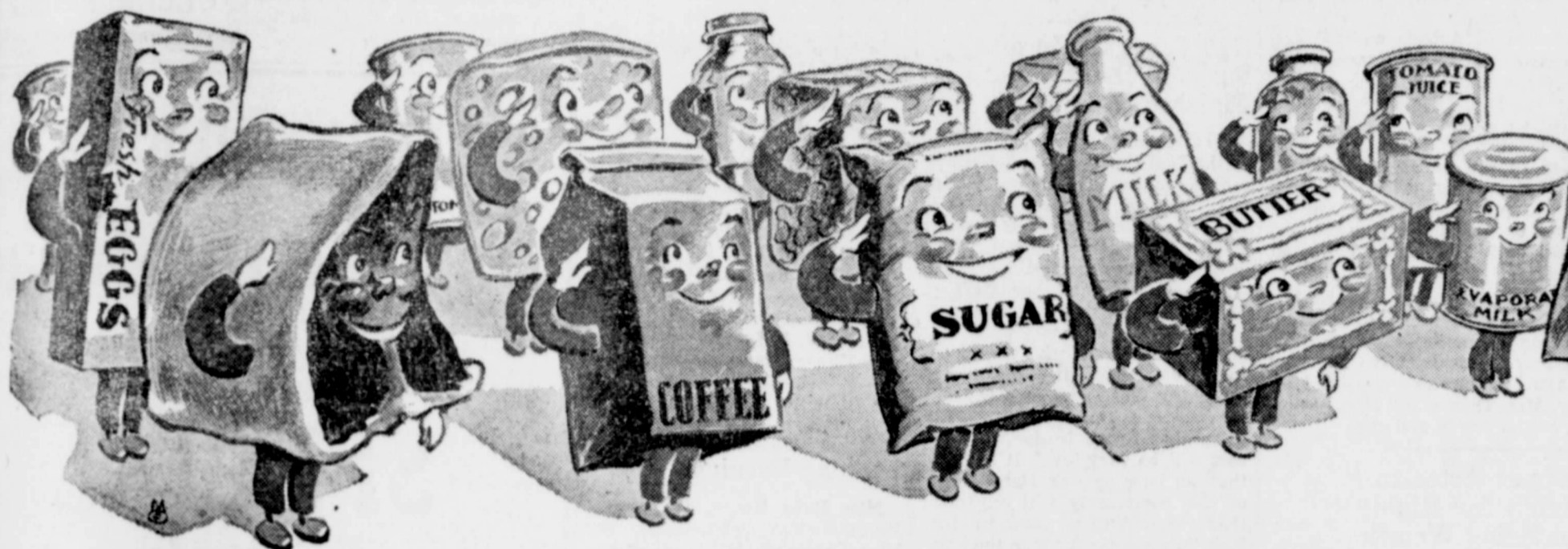
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 - BACON SQUARES, lb. 23c
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- DOG FOOD, Pard, 8 oz. . . 10c
- DOG FOOD, Ideal, 8 oz. . . . 8c
- SEARCHLIGHT MATCHES, Carton 27c
- TAMALES, Derby, 16 oz. . . 23c
- WILSON Chicken & Noodles, 16 oz. . 26c
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- RED HEN MOLASSES, 36 oz. 25c
- RED LABEL KARO SYRUP, 5 lbs. . . 39c
- PURE LARD, 1 lb. 18c
- JEWEL SHORTENING, 4 lb. carton 71c
- DUCHESS SALAD DRESSING, 16 oz. 23c
- MIRACLE WHIP SALAD DRESSING, 16 oz. 26c
- CATSUP, Red Hill, 14 oz. . 14c
- LORESS TISSUES, 440 CT. 22c

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Society

Off to College Go Young Women And Men of Artesia Community

Miss Elsa Runyan, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Runyan, and Miss Lillian Hightower, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nay Hightower, left Wednesday by bus, accompanied by Mrs. Runyan and Mrs. Tex Polk, mother and grandmother of Miss Runyan, for Denver, Colo., where they expected to spend a week before entering the University of Colorado at Boulder as freshmen.

Miss Edna Carder, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Carder, expects to return to Portales Friday, where she will enroll as a junior at Eastern New Mexico College. Miss Carder who attended summer school spent a two-week vacation at home.

Miss Charlene Martin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Martin; Miss Meredith Martin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Martin, and Miss Betty Flint, daughter of Mrs. T. H. Flint, expect to leave about Sept. 10 for Stephens College, Columbia, Mo. Charlene and Betty will enroll as sophomores and Meredith as a freshman.

Miss Joysale Bunting, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Bunting, expects to enroll at the opening of the winter term in November at the University of Texas, Austin. Miss Bunting, a sophomore, attended Colorado Woman's College last year.

Miss Helen Watson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Watson, expects to leave the first week in September for Denver, Colo., where she will enter Colorado Woman's College as a freshman.

Miss Patsy Gormley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Gormley, will enroll as a freshman at Highlands University, Las Vegas, the first week in September.

Miss Bernie Marie Baldwin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Baldwin, will enroll at Baylor University, Waco, Tex., the second week in September.

Miss Jane Shugart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph A. Shugart, will enroll at Park College, Kansas City, Mo., the second week in September. Miss Shugart graduated from Colorado Woman's College last June, completing a two-year college course.

Five young women of this community have entered nurses' training: Miss Georgie Pate, a first year student, and Miss Margarette Nelson, a second year student, at Baylor University School of Nursing, Dallas, Tex.; Miss Margaret Jacobs, a first year student at Vanderbilt University, Nashville, Tenn., and Miss Mary Alice Cluney, a second year student, and Miss Thelma Hancock, a first year student, at Hotel Dieu School of Nursing, El Paso, Tex.

Miss Joan Wheatley, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rex Wheatley, expects to return to New York City, leaving Sunday, Aug. 29, where she will continue her study of music and where she expects to do radio work this winter. Miss Barbara Wheatley, the youngest daughter, is now enrolled at Occidental College, Los Angeles, a sophomore.

Miss Janice Mann, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Mann, expects to enroll at Occidental College, Los Angeles, for the winter term, which opens in November. Miss Mann attended Baylor University last year.

Miss Mary Lou Lanning, daughter of Mrs. Sally and S. A. Lanning, expects to leave the first week in September for Tucson, Ariz., where she will enter Saint Joseph's. She is a senior high school student.

Perry Schulze, second son of Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Schulze, will attend N. M. I. again this winter. He will be a senior in high school. Perry, who won the bugler's cup at the institute last year, expects to take his bugle back to school again.

Betty Sue Hannah, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Hannah, will attend Kansas State College, Manhattan, Kans. Miss Hannah will be a sophomore, majoring in dietetics.

Miss Audie Everett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Everett, has enrolled at Hendrick Memorial School of Nursing, Abilene, Tex., expecting to enter at the

CALENDAR of Community Events

THURSDAY (TODAY)

Christian Women's Council, Christian Church, 2:30 p. m.
Laura Bullock Circle, Mrs. E. A. Hannah, hostess, 2:30 p. m.
Gladys Dixon Circle, Mrs. E. J. Foster, hostess, 2:30 p. m.
Baptist Royal Service, church, 2:30 p. m.

Past Noble Grand Club, Mrs. Ted Carder, hostess, House No. 11 Conoco Colony, 7:30 p. m.

MONDAY

Past Matron's Club, all day meeting, Hope, Mrs. Robert Cole, hostess, Mrs. C. B. Altman, co-hostess.

TUESDAY

First Afternoon Bridge Club, Mrs. M. W. Evans, hostess, 2 p. m.
Swim party, Oasis, Business Professional Women, meet at Aleene Wright's, 6 p. m.

FRIDAY

Ladies' night Lions Club, steak fry, golf course, 7 p. m.

THURSDAY (NEXT WEEK)

Baptist Circles will meet, places announced at Royal Service meeting.

Young Women's Guild, meet at Red Cross rooms 1 p. m., regular meeting at Bert Shippe home at 2:30 p. m.

Young Women's Circle, Methodist Church, Mrs. Ralph Petty, hostess, 2:30 p. m. Mrs. Owen Haynes will review "The Robe."

Mrs. Blocker Hostess Christian Council Breakfast, Friday

Members of the Christian Woman's Council enjoyed an 8 o'clock breakfast at the home of Mrs. Stanley Blocker last Thursday morning. Those present were Mrs. John Lanning, Mrs. Albert Richards, Mrs. Nevil Muncy, Mrs. T. C. Donnell, Miss Cora Rogers, Mrs. Earl Darst, and two guests, Mrs. Jeff Hightower and Mrs. J. D. Smith.

After the breakfast, a business meeting was held with the president, Mrs. Earl Darst, presiding. Guests also enjoyed a beautiful night-blooming cereus, which was on display, having six blooms and seven buds, which belonged to Mrs. Beulah Jones.

Dave Runyan was on the streets for a few minutes Monday for the first time in three weeks. Mr. Runyan has been ill at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Sally Runyan.

mid-winter term in February.

Miss Betty Smith, daughter of Mrs. Ruth Woods Smith, and Mamie Sue Roberts, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Roberts, expect to enroll at the University of Arizona, Tucson, the first week in September. Both young ladies are freshmen.

Miss Shirley Bartlett, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bartlett, will attend Ward-Belmont in Nashville, Tenn., for the third term. Miss Bartlett completed her high school work there and is a sophomore this year. She will continue her study of music and also that of laboratory technician.

BPWC To Collect Costume Jewelry For War Cause

Costume jewelry will be collected in a drive within the near future by members of the Artesia Business and Professional Women's Club, it was announced, after a call meeting at the Thorpe home Monday evening, with Mrs. Fay Thorpe and Miss Juanita Denton hostesses. The jewelry, which has a special appeal to natives on many of the islands of the Pacific, is being collected over the nation to send to the MacArthur forces.

Women of Artesia and the surrounding communities are asked to gather up every piece of jewelry possible, for they will be called on soon.

A number of names have been added to the membership drive, which is still in progress. Others are expected to be added during the next week, said Miss Juanita Denton, president.

A swim party will be held at the Oasis swimming pool Tuesday evening of next week, entertaining new and prospective members. After the business meeting Monday, Mrs. Thorpe and Miss Denton served lemonade and cake.

Former Artesian Fights for Rights Seafaring Women

Mrs. Harriet Whitner, a former Artesian, now of New York City, writes friends here that she is "ever so busy" these days, as she heads the American Women's Seafaring committee in a fight for the right of women to ship in combat zones. Mrs. Whitner and a number of her group were scheduled to interview President Roosevelt last week on the subject. A large cut of Mrs. Whitner appeared in a New York newspaper recently, and another half page cut of a group of five women learning to run life boats appeared in a magazine.

The women have been given a picture spread by Life and an interview by Federated Press, along with much other publicity. Mrs. Whitner is quoted by Federated Press: "We seafaring women are different. Once you get out to sea, you never quite get over it. That's why it was such a shock to us when the War Shipping Administration wouldn't let us ship out after Pearl Harbor." Maybe it is not one of the healthiest occupations these days, but when there is a war to win, these things do not count, she said.

Mrs. Whitner shipped as a dining room stewardess for more than three years with Grace Lines. Her 11-year-old son is in Georgia with his grandmother. Mrs. Whitner, who is an assistant dispatcher at the National Maritime Union, finds time to continue courses at Columbia University.

AWVS MEMBERS WORK AT RED CROSS ROOMS

Members of the AWVS organization went in a group to the Red Cross surgical dressing rooms after the business meeting held at the city hall Monday evening and folded surgical dressings.

This organization has been one of the busiest groups of women in the city this summer.

Take your change in War Stamps every time you shop.

Women's Clubs Show Membership Increase Year Book to Press

Both the Artesia Woman's Club and the Artesia Junior Woman's Club have shown an increase in membership, as the annual year book goes to press this week.

The senior club will begin the year with more than 100 paid-up members and the junior club with more than fifty members, which is more than a 50 per cent increase in membership for the junior club and a slight increase for the senior club.

Joint programs have been planned for the coming club year, and each program is one that will be vitally interesting. The membership committee reports that much enthusiasm was shown by members this year in looking forward to the opening of the club year in September.

Mrs. Grady Booker heads the senior club and Mrs. Wallace Hastings the junior club. Mrs. Stanley Blocker served as membership chairman of the senior club and Mrs. Philip Kranz of the junior club.

Red Cross Quota of Surgical Dressings Finished This Week

Mrs. Harold Crozier, chairman of the Red Cross surgical dressing rooms, announced this week that the quota of surgical dressings has been folded for this quarter and that the new shipment, which is due, has not arrived.

Mrs. Crozier and her staff of Red Cross instructors are very grateful and pleased with the number of women who turned out to help complete this quota, and especially those who reported during the last two weeks.

Another quota is due, and the rest will be very brief. It is hoped that as long as war lasts women of this community will remember that the folding of bandages is a task they can perform on the home front and that it is a very vital one.

Attendance Good at Garden Club Meeting

A good number of the members of the Garden Club were present Monday afternoon, when Mrs. J. W. Johns and Mrs. Clyde Roberts were hostesses at the Jones home. The meeting was held in the Jones garden, with many bouquets of flowers now in blossom, grown by club members, on display.

Mrs. Johns discussed flower arrangement and containers; Mrs. Roberts offered garden suggestions for this season.

Light refreshments were served by the hostesses after the program. The next meeting will also be a garden meeting, held at the home of Mrs. Emery Carper the third Monday in September.

Monthly Recreational Meeting to Be Held At Methodist Church

Boys and girls of intermediate and high league ages will hold monthly recreational meetings at the Methodist Church, in which all boys and girls, not attending any other church, are especially invited to attend.

Emmet Merriman, sponsor of this group, has announced the first meeting to be held at 7:00 o'clock Friday evening, Aug. 27.

MISS MacDONALD RECEIVES BACHELOR OF ARTS DEGREE

Among candidates for degrees at the summer session convocation of Colorado State College of Education at Greeley, Colo., last Thursday night, was Miss Isabelle MacDonald of Artesia, who completed requirements for a bachelor of arts degree with major studies in the field of elementary education. She is a teacher at Central School.

Miss Hardeman Is Complimented by Fun Lovers' Club

Miss Joan Hardeman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fay Hardeman, who left Wednesday with her parents to make her home in Lake Charles, La., was complimented with a dancing party Monday evening at the R. N. Russell home, by members of the Fun Lovers' Club, of which she was a member.

Members of the younger social set, who shared the occasion with Miss Hardeman, were Misses Hattie Ruth Cole, Helen Hebert, Betty Del Mashburn, Virginia Lower, Juanita Russell, Betty Jane Everarts, Mary Lou Cunningham, Betty Barnett, Joan Livingston, and Robert Feather, George Dungan, Wayne Roberts, Jack Brewer, R. D. Wright, Ralph Cramer, Marvin McGuire, James Lower, Raymond Jones, Perry Schulze, Bobby Dean Smith, Everett Wayne Lapsley, and Roy Buzbee.

Miss Hardeman was presented a perfume set and also a shower of perfume as a parting gift.

Dainty little white cakes, with the name of the club, Fun Lovers, inscribed in red, carrying out the club colors, were served with iced punch.

At an hour previous to the dancing party on the same evening, the annual formal initiation was held for three candidates, Misses Betty Barnett, Mary Lou Cunningham, and Joan Livingston. A picnic was held at Clark's Lake the previous week for the three prospective members, with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Lower and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Lower chaperones.

Birthdays on Same Day, Celebrate Tuesday Evening

Miss Ruby Henry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Henry, and Miss Chrystine Anderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Anderson, whose birthdays were on the same day and who were both 17 Aug. 17, jointly celebrated the occasion with a croquet party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Mann Tuesday evening.

Guests included Paul Whelan, Boon Clemmer, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Muncy, Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Mann, Miss Ella Bauslin and Miss Henry's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry.

Ice cream was served with birthday cake at the close of the evening.

Mrs. Marie DeVoss of Roswell was here the first of this week visiting friends. She was a house guest of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bigler.

Dungan Families Attend Carlsbad Wedding Tuesday

Mrs. George Dungan and her daughter and two granddaughters, Mrs. Herman Green and Willa and Jean, and a daughter-in-law, Mrs. Clyde Dungan, attended the Carter-Dungan wedding in Carlsbad Tuesday, when Miss June Carter, elder daughter of Will Ed Carter, was married to Lt. Edwin Dungan, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Dungan.

The wedding was at the home of the bride's grandmother, Mrs. E. T. Carter, with whom she had made her home since infancy. The bridegroom, who is in the Army and stationed on the West Coast, is the son of a pioneer family of the valley, who at one time lived in Artesia, and a nephew of Mrs. George Dungan and the late George Dungan of this place.

Mrs. Carter presided at a reception after the wedding. The newlyweds left for the West Coast immediately after the reception.

Mrs. Hiley Johnson went to Ruidoso Wednesday for two weeks as a guest of Mrs. C. C. Martin of Roswell.

BEAUTY SHOP OWNERS ANNOUNCE NEW PRICES

By agreement of the owners the five beauty shops in Artesia have announced a new schedule of prices which will take effect Tuesday. They agreed also to close on Monday.

The cooperating shops, which show the new schedule of prices in an advertisement in this issue, are the Artesia Beauty Shop, Modernistic Beauty Shop, Lakewood Beauty Shop, Vaughan Beauty Shoppe and Vogue Beauty Shop.

Mrs. A. L. Neatherlin, who spent the last three months in Paso and visiting in Artesia, returned Tuesday, Mrs. Neatherlin was brought home by her brother Oscar C. Cole of Ajo, Ariz.

Cole will visit his two brothers, Charley and Robert Cole, and his families at Hope and his wife, Mrs. Ernest Lee, and family at Lakewood.

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Six Employees Of Guy Awarded Annual Diplomas

Diplomas have been awarded to six employees of the service department of Guy Chevrolet Company after having successfully passed the 1943 annual national Chevrolet approved mechanics' examinations, which were held at Roswell.

They were Owen Haynes, N. R. Lockridge, Pat Green, Hugh Barron, J. S. Mills and Russell Hill.

Because of the pressing necessity of preserving the country's essential war-time automotive transportation facilities through adequate and efficient maintenance service, the annual examinations of Chevrolet mechanics this year were on a more intensive and comprehensive scale than ever before, according to Clyde Guy, president of Guy Chevrolet Company.

Keeping the nation's cars and trucks in satisfactory operating condition for the duration, he pointed out, has entailed extensive revision and expansion of service operations and procedure. As an example, he declared, in all automotive service work today, emphasis is on repair rather than replacement of vital parts and units. With no new vehicles being produced, he explained, complete overhauling and rebuilding of the entire vehicle on an improved, more up-to-date basis is a vastly more important and essential part of maintenance service than when millions of new vehicles were coming off the production lines annually.

Inaugurated seven years ago on a nationwide scope, the annual examinations in which Chevrolet mechanics qualify as "Approved Mechanics" has proved eminently successful, he said, in maintaining high standards of maintenance service, through keeping mechanical personnel thoroughly and constantly posted on both basic and special service operations and developments.

Only through thorough instruction and grooming of mechanics and utilization of perfected maintenance service methods and facilities can the cars and trucks now in operation continue to play their vital part in getting workers to and from war production plants and in transporting the raw materials, finished products, food and supplies essential to victory for the Allied Nations, Guy said.

Navy Recruiter Will Be at City Hall in Artesia Each Friday

Charles Mitchell, yeoman second class, of the recruiting office of the Navy at Roswell, will be at the city hall in Artesia every Friday to interview men interested in the Navy and women interested in the WAVES.

Mitchell said the Navy is especially interested in young men between 17 and 18 years old, as well as in men 18 to 50 years old for the Seabees. However, he said, those between 18 and 38 years must go through their local Selective Service board before being accepted for the Navy.

DIXON BROTHER-IN-LAW DIES IN LAS CRUCES

DeLoss Osborn, brother-in-law of Mrs. I. C. Dixon, died in Las Cruces at about 1 o'clock Monday morning, after an attack of acute indigestion. He leaves Mrs. Osborn, who has visited in Artesia each year for many years, and four children, including two sons in the service and a daughter employed at the government hospital in Santa Fe.

Mrs. Dixon left on a bus Monday morning to be with her sister and her family.

Did you know the Red Cross rooms are air-conditioned? Apparently too few of you do. They need workers in the worst sort of a way. Why not go down and keep cool, and help the war effort at the same time?

NEWS OF OUR MEN and WOMEN IN UNIFORM

Charles Preston Dunn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Dunn of Artesia and Carlsbad, has been commissioned a second lieutenant in the U. S. Marine Corps and assigned to active duty with a flying squadron of the fighting Leathernecks. Lieutenant Dunn received his commission after graduating from an advanced flight training school the public relations section school at Corpus Christi, Tex.

Pvt. Claude C. Davidson, Jr., of Route 1, Lake Arthur has completed his basic training at the Armored Replacement Training Center, Fort Knox, Ky., preparatory for combat duty with an armored outfit.

Pvt. Ernest Joseph McGonagill, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alex McGonagill, started his recruit drill last week in the Basic Training Center at Keesler Field, Biloxi, Miss., a unit of the Army Air Forces Training Command. Private McGonagill will undergo several weeks of orientation, gas mask and bayonet drill, camouflage and physical training, and rifle firing. He then will be assigned to duty or sent to a technical school for special training.

Charles L. Ditto, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin W. Ditto of Artesia, has been advanced to the petty officer rating of electrician's mate, third class, since being graduated recently from the Naval Training School for electricians at Iowa State College, Ames, Iowa. He now awaits assignment to active duty at sea or at some naval shore station. Selected for this

specialized training on the basis of a series of aptitude tests given him while in recruit training, he has undergone several weeks of intensive training covering courses in electrical theory, mathematics, wiring, and electrical motors.

Edwin McGonagill, elder son of Mr. and Mrs. Alex McGonagill, who was at San Diego, Calif., has been transferred to Miami Beach, Fla., where he will receive nine weeks of training in the Air Corps.

The town address of Lt. and Mrs. Keith Quail, where their friends may address them, is Capitol Hill Apartment Hotel, Fourth and High Streets, Little Rock, Ark. Lieutenant Quail is an aide-de-camp to General Cranston at Camp Joseph T. Robinson, near Little Rock.

Ensign Bill Fligh, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Paris, has been transferred from Fort Schuyler, N. Y., to the Naval Destroyer School at San Diego, Calif.

Max Schulze, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Schulze, who was transferred from San Antonio to Cimarron Field, Oklahoma City, Okla., about two weeks ago, where he is in primary flight training, soloed for the first time Wednesday afternoon, it was announced in a telephone conversation with his parents, the same afternoon. Perry, a younger brother, expects to spend the week end in Oklahoma City with Max, leaving here Friday.

Hospital News

A daughter, Elma Louise, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Pennington, Lakewood, at 6:20 o'clock Wednesday morning, weight 8 pounds 11 ounces.

Mrs. Joe H. Purcella, Hope, a patient from Saturday to Wednesday, was in good condition when dismissed.

Mrs. Julia Savoie, a medical patient since Saturday, is slowly improving.

Mrs. Roy L. Fry, Lake Arthur, who underwent minor surgery Wednesday, is doing nicely.

Mrs. Carl Russell, admitted a medical patient Wednesday, is improving.

Mack M. Meredith, brother of

Mrs. Espa R. Edwards, who underwent an appendectomy Wednesday, is recovering nicely.

Paul Stroup, who underwent another bone operation recently, is getting along fine, but will be at hospital for several weeks yet.

Mrs. Sesario L. Rodriguez, who underwent a gall bladder operation Saturday, is making a rapid recovery.

Mrs. Wade Kimbrough returned Wednesday from Wichita Falls, Tex., where she had been for the last six months to be near her husband who was stationed there. Her husband has been transferred to Camp Hunter, Savannah, Ga. Mrs. Kimbrough expects to visit her parents in Hot Spring and later join her husband in Georgia if possible.

LOCALS

Joyce Ashley returned to her home in El Paso Wednesday, after spending two weeks here with her grandmother, Mrs. Nellie Cogdell.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Baldwin, and their son, Jap, Jr., of Lamesa, Tex., were guests of his brother, C. R. Baldwin, and family last week.

Mrs. A. G. Fred has replaced Mrs. Pat Gormley as bookkeeper for Thomas & Flint. Mrs. Gormley has worked for the firm during the summer months.

Miss Bernice Marie Baldwin was a guest of the Van Welch family at Vagabond House in the Sacramento Mountains last week. Miss Betty Flint is a guest this week.

Herbert Howell, an employee of the Malco Refineries, Inc., has moved his family from the oil field to 1010 Grand Avenue, a residence property which he recently bought.

Patsy Gormley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Gormley, returned Friday from Odessa, Tex., where she spent ten days visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gormley.

Mrs. Carl Folkner and children and Mrs. J. L. Briscoe and nephew, Ronald Rickman, who are at the Folkner cabin at Artesia-Sacramento Camp in the mountains, are expected to return home Saturday.

Mrs. Jack Johns and her small daughter, Joyce, of Carlsbad spent several days here this week with her sister, Mrs. Russell Hill, while Mr. Johns and Mr. Hill were trout fishing in the northern part of the state.

Mrs. C. E. Mann is home again after spending seven weeks with her daughters, Mrs. Helen Henson and Mrs. David C. Barnette, and the latter's family in Long Beach, Calif. Young Charles Ralph Henson, who has been making his home here with his grandparents, accompanied his grandmother to California and is now making his home with his mother, Mrs. Henson.

Crusader vs. Invader—Buy War Bonds!

Mrs. Ralph Shugart returned Friday from Marion, Ind., where she and Mr. Shugart attended a reunion of their families. They went north by plane and returned by train. Mr. Shugart came home two weeks before Mrs. Shugart.

Mrs. Raymond Bartlett and her two daughters and infant granddaughter, Shirley, Mrs. Creighton Gilchrist and Phyllis Sue Gilchrist, are spending a few days at the Bartlett cabin at Sacramento Camp this week.

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| VIRGIN DYE | | \$5.50 |
| BLEACH | | \$4.25 |
| RINSES | | \$.50 |
| PERMANENTS (Lowest Price) | | \$5.00 and Up |
| HAIR CUT | | |
| Trim | | \$.50 |
| Shingle | | \$.65 |
| Victory Cut | | \$.75 |
| Eyelash and Brow Dye | | \$1.50 |
| Arch | | \$.50 |
| Facials | \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, and Up | |
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| Henna Pack | | \$4.00 |
| Cold Waves | | \$15.00, \$17.50, \$20.00 and Up |

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Pix Rhapsody

As charming and delightful a motion picture entertainment as you're likely to find in a month's movie shopping is Paramount's new comedy-drama, "My Heart Belongs to Daddy," which opens at the Ocotillo Theater Wednesday.

Performed by an able cast of players headed by Richard Carlson, Martha O'Driscoll and Cecil Kellaway, "My Heart Belongs to Daddy" tells the story of a high-born family which is determined to seize the infant child of their dead son to prevent her from becoming a bubble dancer like its mother? of an equally determined daughter-in-law to keep the child for herself; of a handsome young college professor who wants the bubble dancer for his wife and of a philosophical old taxi driver who turns out to be a Mr. Fixit par excellence.

Miss O'Driscoll is the bubble dancer, Carlson is the college professor and Cecil Kellaway, veteran movie character actor, is the philosophical taxi driver. The film moves at a rapid pace and is brilliantly studded with high comedy which at times closely approaches the hilarious. The story is an original by F. Hugh Herbert, which is almost a guarantee in itself that the laughs will come thick and fast.

Hope Items

(Delayed last week)

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Dunne left Sunday afternoon for their home in Hobbs after visiting Mrs. Nora Johnson.

Mrs. Elmer Teel and children of Portales returned home Sunday. They had spent the week visiting her sister, Mrs. Hylton Cole of Carlsbad, and Mr. and Mrs. John Teel of Hope.

Mrs. Raymond Teel and sons of Fort Sumner are visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Teel and her sister, Mrs. Russell Lee, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Weddige and daughters, Frances and Dorothy and Mr. Guthrie were attending to business in Carlsbad Saturday.

Frank Crockett and Walter Harris of Hot Spring and Lloyd Crockett of Pinon were attending to business in Hope, Artesia and Roswell last week end.

Mrs. Gilbert Meador and son and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Buckner and daughters of Carlsbad were visiting in Hope Friday and Saturday.

Edgar Woods of Clifton, Ariz., has been visiting his wife and daughters for several days.

Philip Reed has returned to Hope to live since receiving an

Outlook for Livestock Is Good in State

Livestock in New Mexico generally remains in good condition with prospects for fall shipments about the same as last year, says the Department of Agriculture.

In its report for July, the department said scattered rainfall although insufficient in all parts of the state had brought a normal amount of precipitation in upper altitudes.

"There are many localities," the report added, "which received very little or no rainfall during the month, especially ranges at lower altitudes. These localities are very badly in need of immediate rainfall to insure late summer and early fall grazing."

Irrigated hay and feed crops were reported "very good," but dry land "indications point to a production much shorter than a year ago."

"Cattle on ranges favored with good local rains during July," the USDA said, "have been made some seasonal improvements, but there are some cattle on ranges which have shown a decided decline because of the drought."

The department rated cattle and calves at 85 per cent of normal, up three from last month and equal to the twenty-year average.

"There has been some increase in the reported condition of sheep and lambs," the report said. "Sheep on ranges in high altitudes have possibly been favored with a better range feed because of heavier rainfall in the mountains."

The Department listed sheep

honorably discharged from the Army.

R. M. Stinnett, superintendent, has announced that the Hope Public School will open Aug. 30.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Deering, Frank and Deoppe Crockett, Eunice Crockett and Lilly Ruth Craig attended a dance at Dunken Saturday night.

Marilyn Goddard, who spent the summer vacation with her grandmother at Mesilla Park, has returned home.

Mrs. Calvin George stuck a rusty nail in her foot last week and though very painful, the injury is not serious.

Mrs. Ernest Landreth and Mrs. Billie Ballard drove to Phoenix last week to take Mrs. J. W. Mallard and Wilma to meet Mr. Mallard. They were accompanied by Mrs. Dave Bunting of Artesia, who visited relatives in Globe, Ariz.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Coffin were in Carlsbad last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bridgeforth and sons left Thursday for Memphis, Tenn., where Mr. Bridgeforth will enter a hospital. He was with the Penasco Valley Soil Conservation and had to leave on account of his health.

Mr. and Mrs. Hylton Cole and baby son spent last Thursday in Hope visiting friends and relatives. They were accompanied home by Ronald Kent and Lois Ruth, who had been visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Cole.

and lambs at 87 per cent of normal, up four points from June and at the twenty-year average.

Little activity in contracting either cattle or sheep was noted. A separate report by the Department said the lamb crop would be about five per cent below 1942, due to unfavorable weather and a reduction of ewe inventories.

Mrs. N. B. Taylor, the former Mary Baird, who was employed at Biggs Field, El Paso, Tex., returned the first of last week and left Thursday evening by train from Pecos, Tex., where her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Niven Baird, drove with her, for Helena, Ark., to join her husband, Lieutenant Taylor, who was recently transferred there from Alabama.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: That on July 8, 1943, a Final Judgement and Decree of Foreclosure was entered in Cause No. 7934, on the Civil Docket of the District Court, County of Eddy, State of New Mexico, entitled "Emery Carper, et al, co-partners, doing business as Carper Drilling Company, Plaintiffs, vs. Lorena Mae Tallmadge, Individually and as Administratrix of the Estate of C. L. Tallmadge, deceased, et al, Defendants," awarding judgement as follows:

(a) In favor of the Plaintiffs and against the defendant Estate of C. L. Tallmadge, deceased, for the sum of \$633.33, and \$150.00 as attorney's fee, with interest at 6% from July 8, 1943.

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(b) In favor of defendant Bethlehem Supply Company and against the Estate of C. L. Tallmadge, deceased, for the sum of \$5,407.30 with interest at 6% from April 1, 1941, plus ten percent on principal and interest for attorney's fees: The sum of \$904.30 with interest at 6% from April 9, 1940 and ten percent upon said principal and interest for attorney's fees; and for the sum of \$234.15 with interest thereon at 6% per annum from June 1, 1941.

(c) In favor of defendant Albuquerque National Trust and Savings Bank, Testamentary Trustee of The Estate of Thomas M. Dorris, deceased, and against the Estate of C. L. Tallmadge, deceased, for the sum of \$1,272.37 with interest at 6% from May 14, 1941, less \$366.66 heretofore paid.

(d) In favor of the plaintiff and against the Estate of C. L. Tallmadge, deceased, for the sum of \$303.00 with interest at 6% from July 8, 1943, together with the costs and expenses of foreclosure and Special Masters fee.

That said action is an action by Plaintiffs against Defendant Estate of C. L. Tallmadge, deceased, to foreclose labor and materialmen's liens against the hereinafter described property; an action by Defendant Bethlehem Supply Company against Defendant Estate of C. L. Tallmadge to foreclose a mortgage against said property; and an action by Defendant Albuquerque National Trust and Savings Bank, Testamentary Trustee of the Estate of Thomas M. Dorris, deceased, against the Estate of C. L. Tallmadge, deceased, to foreclose a judgement lien.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: That the undersigned Special Master on the 17th day of September, A. D., 1943, at the hour of 10:00 A. M., at the Southeast Front door of the County Court House at Carlsbad, Eddy County, New Mexico, will sell for cash to the highest bidder in accordance with the terms of said decree the following described property, to-wit:

18,875 per cent interest in State of New Mexico Oil and Gas Lease No. B-4918 insofar as the same covers the following described lands located in Eddy County, New Mexico: Northeast Quarter of Northwest quarter, Section 16, Township 18 South, Range 29 East, N.M.P.M., together with the equipment and appurtenances and oil well located thereon, known as Carper-Tallmadge Well No. 1.

That said property above described or so much of it as may be necessary will be sold to satisfy the judgement and Decree in this cause and for the following amounts:

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| Principal | \$8,387.79 |
| Interest to date of sale | 1,138.59 |
| Attorney's fee | 878.10 |
| Costs of Suit | 15.25 |
| Special Masters fees | 20.00 |

together with the costs of advertisement and sale.

That the conditions of said sale will be that said property or so much thereof as may be necessary will be offered at public sale and sold to the highest bidder for cash except that plaintiffs, Bethlehem Supply Company or Albuquerque National Trust and Savings Bank, as Testamentary Trustee of the Estate of Thomas M. Dorris, Deceased, may be a purchaser and shall not be required to pay cash

up to the amount of the indebtedness respectively due to them.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand as Special Master this 28th day of July, 1943.

(SIGNED)
JAMES W. STAGNER,
Special Master.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: That on July 8, 1943, a Final Judgement and Decree of Foreclosure was entered in Cause No. 7853, on the Civil Docket of the District Court, County of Eddy, State of New Mexico, entitled "Emery Carper, et al, co-partners, doing business as Carper Drilling Company, Plaintiffs, vs. Lorena Mae Tallmadge, individually and as Administratrix of the Estate of C. L. Tallmadge, deceased, et al, Defendants," awarding judgement as follows:

(a) In favor of the Plaintiffs and against the Defendant Estate of C. L. Tallmadge, deceased, for the sum of \$770.00 and \$200.00 attorneys fee with interest at 6% from July 8, 1943.

(b) In favor of defendant New Mexico Glycerin Company and against defendant Estate of C. L. Tallmadge, deceased, for the sum of \$2,462.74 with interest at 6% from March 24, 1941, less credit of \$196.67 for attorney's fees and in favor of defendant Iverson Tool Company and against the defendant Estate of C. L. Tallmadge, deceased, for the sum of \$1,713.91 less credit of \$136.67 paid May 28, 1942, with interest at 8% from March 25, 1941, and ten percent attorney's fees.

(c) In favor of defendant Albuquerque National Trust and Savings Bank, Testamentary Trustee of The Estate of Thomas M. Dorris, Deceased, and against the defendant Estate of C. L. Tallmadge, deceased, for the sum of \$1,272.37 with interest at 6% from May 14, 1941, less \$366.66 heretofore paid.

(d) In favor of the plaintiffs and against the defendant Estate of C. L. Tallmadge, deceased, for the sum of \$1,400.00 with interest at 6% from July 8, 1943, together with the costs and expenses of foreclosure and Special Master's fees.

That said action is an action by plaintiffs against defendant Estate of C. L. Tallmadge, deceased, to foreclose labor and materialmen's liens against the hereinafter described property; an action by defendant New Mexico Glycerin Company and Iverson Tool Company, by S. J. Iverson, Trustee, to foreclose a mortgage and assignment for security as against the defendant Estate of C. L. Tallmadge, deceased, upon the hereinafter described property; and an action by defendant Albuquerque National Trust and Savings Bank, Testamentary Trustee of the Estate of Thomas M. Dorris, Deceased, to foreclose a judgement lien.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the undersigned Special Master on the 17th day of September, A. D., 1943, at the hour of 10:00 A. M., at the Southeast Front

ARTESIA BUSINESS DIRECTORY

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Door of the County Court House, at Carlsbad, Eddy County, New Mexico, will sell for cash to the highest bidder in accordance with the terms of the said decree the following described property, to-wit:

12,919 percent interest in State of New Mexico Oil and Gas Lease No. B-4108 insofar as the same covers and affects the Southeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter, Section 32, Township 17 South, Range, 30 East, N.M.P.M., together with well located thereon known as Carper-Miles-Tallmadge, No. 1, and all equipment and appurtenances thereon:

That said property above described or so much of it as may be necessary will be sold to satisfy the judgement and decree in this cause and for the following amounts:

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| Principal | \$6,919.02 |
| Interest to date of sale | 819.76 |
| Attorney's fees | 652.51 |
| Costs of Suit | 15.25 |
| Special Master's fee | 20.00 |

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Members of the Lake Arthur Methodist Church enjoyed a picnic Monday evening at Arthur Park, honoring the Rev. M. Glazier, who has been of that church several years. After the supper, which was sung and the pastor re-into the church the new Arthur school superintendent wife, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. ...

and Mrs. E. L. Cummins the Arthur received a card from their son, Fern, who is a prisoner in Philippines of the Japanese. He said he was well. ...

Pete Prentise and sister, Clarence Crenshaw honored Mrs. Ed Taylor, Sr., with a birthday dinner at home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence ...

A dinner was served at home from a long table, centered with a beautiful birthday cake. Mrs. Taylor was greatly surprised at the dinner, when her ...

presented a lovely diamond. The honoree also received many other lovely and useful gifts. ...

Those who enjoyed the party were Mr. and Mrs. Ed Taylor, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Taylor, Jr., Kenneth, Mr. and Mrs. Mahan and two sons; Mr. Ben Alexander and Mrs. ...

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Emmerson Jetton arrived last Thursday to be with Mrs. and Mr. Ed Taylor while her husband is in ...

Ellen Mahan of Artesia returned home Saturday, after two weeks on Cottonwood of her children, Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Mahan and Mr. August Nelson. ...

Ed Mahan, son of Mr. Earnest Mahan, who underwent a tonsillectomy Wednesday last week, was brought to home Friday and is getting ...

Services were held in at 3:45 o'clock Saturday for Mrs. Margaret J. ...

of Lake Arthur. Mrs. died Saturday morning at hospital. The body shipped to Tahoka, Tex., for ...

beside the grave of her husband. Mrs. Murphey visited daughter many times and friends in and around ...

She also leaves two daughters, Mrs. Cal Duncan and Mrs. Bonner Miles ...

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Friday morning in Memorial Hospital and brought to his home Saturday. He is doing nicely. ...

News Shorts

Pfc. Doris Ogden of Carlsbad, of the First WAC Separate Battalion, is the first WAC from the Southwest to land in England. She attended Carlsbad High School, and is a graduate of the University of New Mexico. ...

Ralph Bowyer, former University of New Mexico football star and recently signed football coach of El Paso, has accepted an offer from Carlsbad High School to succeed Jere Reid as coach of the Cavemen. ...

Gov. John J. Dempsey has instructed the attorney general to bring suit to force the opening of the Canadian arm of Conchas Lake to public fishing. ...

The regional Forest Service forecast a slightly better pinon nut crop this year in New Mexico than last, but added that because of the labor and gasoline situation most of the nuts probably would not be harvested. ...

Leon Harms, secretary-manager of the State Fair, announced that George Ellis of Roswell has been named chairman of the livestock committee for the 1943 exposition. ...

she is taking nurses' training in Baylor University. Peggy will not have another vacation for a year. ...

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse I. Funk were transacting business in Roswell Monday. ...

Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Kelton have announced the arrival of a daughter, born at their home Friday night. The baby weighed 4 1/2 pounds. ...

Peggy Felton, who underwent a serious operation two months ago, is able to be out of bed part of the time, but is improving very slowly. ...

Mrs. Owen Phillips and little daughters, Rita Kay and Betty Ann, returned to their home in Roswell Sunday, after spending a week with Mrs. Phillips' parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Bradley. ...

Mrs. Virginia Briscoe and daughter, Mrs. Hanna Ross of Artesia, spent Wednesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Houston Felton, where they canned corn. ...

House painting is the order of the day on Cottonwood now. Fred Nelson had four of his tenant houses painted recently, and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn O'Bannon are having their house painted at this time. ...

Members of the Ladies' Aid Society will be guests this afternoon at a 1 o'clock luncheon at the home of Mrs. Barney Green, with Mrs. Carl Manda co-hostess. ...

The cotton leaf worm is beginning to show up and the alfalfa leaf worm is extremely bad here in this community. ...

Mrs. Orval Worley and daughters and Mrs. Earnest Hanson visited Sunday with Mrs. Basel Kimbough. ...

Mrs. Monroe Howard Floyd, left Saturday for Temple, Tex., where she was to go through Scott's clinic. ...

Peggy Nelson, who visited friends on Cottonwood two weeks, left by train for Dallas, Tex., where ...

New Mexicans Contribute Skills To Increasing Food in Hemisphere

New Mexicans, because of their fluency in Spanish and English, and their particular agricultural background, are contributing their skills to increasing the food supply of the Western Hemisphere, through their work with the Office of the Coordinator of Inter-American Affairs. ...

Richard L. Boke of Albuquerque, former assistant regional director of the Soil Conservation Service for the states of New Mexico, Arizona, Colorado, and Utah, is supervisor of field operations in all the other American republics in which food supply programs are being carried out. ...

Boke's work in New Mexico included the development of agricultural programs among the Indian population, and dealing with the land and water problems of Southwestern Spanish-Americans. ...

Still other New Mexicans are playing a large part in the whole inter-American program by their work in other divisions of the Office of the Coordinator of Inter-American Affairs, including science and education, health and sanitation, inter-American training administration, and the rehabilitation of Mexican railways. ...

War-busy Los Angeles has been buying quite a few products from New Mexico, that city's Chamber of Commerce announced. For such products as fruits and vegetables, livestock, dairy and poultry products, coal, lumber, sulphur and pig iron, the city of Los Angeles paid New Mexico concerns \$6,012,413 in 1942, the Chamber of Commerce reported. ...

More good news for fishermen was brought when Delbert English of the Fish and Wildlife Station at Dexter reported depositing 16,000 bass fingerlings in the Pecos just above Tansil Dam at Carlsbad. ...

John C. McClintock, assistant coordinator, points out that the food supply program assists in the production of food, and he specifies: "There is no gift of food. The food is raised commercially and sold commercially. Our assistance lies in helping them get seeds, ...

Lower Cottonwood (Ora Buck)

(Crowded out last week) Mrs. Earl Packinham and baby of Roswell, who were here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Newman, have returned to their home. Her mother accompanied her home for a visit of a week. ...

Miss Johnnie Bell McGuffin of the Lawrence Ranch left by bus Monday night for Austin, Tex., where she will visit two weeks with her sister, Mrs. Chester Ward and Mr. Ward. ...

Mrs. Russell Pickering of Mountainair, who visited a week with her sister, Mrs. George Crenshaw, and family of near here, and her brother, Todd Downs, and family of Hagerman, has returned to her home. ...

The crops in the community are starting to burn badly because of drought and the labor shortage. The farmers cannot irrigate their crops fast enough. ...

Miss Ann Leaf of Artesia, a nurse, is now taking care of "Grandmother" Nelson, mother of Mrs. Clarence Pearson. ...

Mr. and Mrs. I. P. Johnson of here had as their guest from Saturday night to Tuesday their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Johnson of Tucumcari. ...

J. J. Terry has had his lot fences painted recently. He plans to have his house repainted soon. ...

Mrs. Lillian Margaret Downs of Mountainair, formerly of the Cottonwood community, who died Aug. 2 in a hospital at Albuquerque, was buried in the Mountainair Cemetery. ...

At the close of the meeting refreshments of ice cold watermelon and ice tea were served to Miss Kunkel, Mrs. James Thippen, Mrs. Orval Gray, Mrs. Funk, Mrs. I. P. Johnson, Mrs. Larry Knodler, Mrs. H. V. Parker, Mrs. Tom Terry, Miss Helen Johnson, Mrs. J. J. Terry and Mrs. Charlie Buck. ...

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Payne of Carlsbad visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Carman of Artesia, ...

Downs of Hagerman. She is also survived by twelve grandchildren, two sisters and three brothers. Mrs. Downs lived in the Cottonwood community fourteen years ago. ...

Mrs. C. C. Renshaw entertained at a surprise 1 o'clock dinner Sunday, Aug. 1, complimenting her mother, Mrs. Ed Taylor, on her birthday anniversary. ...

The Cottonwood Woman's Club held its regular August meeting Wednesday, Aug. 4, at the home of Mrs. John Morgan. ...

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Mr. and Mrs. I. P. Johnson entertained forty-two relatives at their home here Monday night of last week, Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Jones and their two little daughters, Erna Jane and Martha Lou, of Littlefield, Tex. ...

Wallace Ed Mahan, young son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Mahan of Cottonwood, underwent a tonsillectomy last Thursday morning and is doing nicely. ...

Word has been received here from A/C Iva V. Payne, who is in the Army, stationed at Buckhannon, W. Va., that he was confined to a hospital from mumps. ...

the first of the week. Mr. and Mrs. Payne and Mrs. Carman were visiting on Cottonwood Monday. ...

Ralph Hersey made a business trip to Roswell last Thursday. Mrs. Noah Buck and daughter, Marie, and son, Eugene, returned home last Thursday from Santa Fe, where they spent a week visiting Mrs. Buck's sister, Mrs. Ernest Gilbert, and family and her brother, Bundy Avant, and family. ...

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Hobbs left several days ago for California, where they will transact business and visit relatives. Mrs. Hobbs' son, Eddy Tunnell, who has been visiting in California since school was out here, plans to return home with them. ...

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WHAT'S WHAT -in- NEW MEXICO

Briefs of the "Sunshine State" Gleaned From Many Sources

State tax collections for the year ending June 30 amounting to \$779,031.37, according to the state auditor, J. J. Sawyers, secretary, New Mexico Oil and Gas Association, has paid \$644,678, or 82.8 per cent of the total; potash, \$7,937, or .01 per cent; copper, \$19,889—2.5 per cent; silver, \$7,937, or .01 per cent; coal, timber, stone, etc. \$1,111, or .14 per cent. The law was passed in 1937 and gas 2 per cent on the value of the severed mineral interest has contributed \$17,802, or 90 per cent of the total. Metals, timber, etc. are taxed at the rate of 1 per cent and potash 1 per cent. These funds \$371,000 is used each year for the Welfare Department, and the balance to the state general fund.

The attorney general said that school bus drivers should be at least 18 years old. The legislature, which set a minimum of 17 years, but provided that the driver must have a license. Assistant Attorney General Harry L. Biggs informed V. J. Jackson, director of the Drivers' License Division, that the bus driver law fixing the minimum age for obtaining a chauffeur or private operator's license is 18 years.

Office of Price Administration passed through Representative Peterson meat quotas for New Mexico, an emergency. The Raton Packing plant will receive 40,000 pounds of pork, the Campbell plant at Roswell, 80,000 pounds of pork and 50,000 pounds of beef. The Samuels Company of Roswell, 20,000 pounds of beef. The New Mexico Cattle and Horse Raisers' Association, Albuquerque, has granted quota increases of 10 pounds for August.

Fire Chief F. W. Wynn of Hobbs and the Hobbs Air Base has been appointed state fire coordinator and fire defense instructor at New Mexico State Teachers College, president H. W. James of the college advised E. H. Oakley, state OGD director. Wynn will work with the OGD and the Federal Vocational Education Department in training volunteer fire departments, auxiliary firemen, and fire guards, Oakley said. Wynn's headquarters will be at the college but he will begin a tour of instruction next week to set up courses of training for volunteer firemen and auxiliary firemen. Oakley also announced the appointment by Governor Dempsey of Gordon Herkenhoff, state welfare director, as head of the emergency welfare services of the state. In this capacity he will coordinate work of the OGD, Red Cross and Welfare Department in event of disaster due to enemy action.

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funds from the Farm Security Administration, Ray Davis, state FSA director, said. Davis explained that though farm funds had been reduced from last year's appropriation, the agency would not be affected greatly, as economies had been effected prior to the appropriation cut.

School and health authorities agreed that the threat of infantile paralysis would not necessitate a later opening date for New Mexico schools. "On the contrary," said Dr. James R. Scott, state health director, "I think schools can do much to safeguard the public health so far as school children are concerned." Mrs. Georgia Lusk, state school superintendent, agreed with this view and said that the state board of education planned no later school opening unless recommended by the health department. State health records showed twenty-one cases of infantile paralysis have been reported in the state since Jan. 1, thirteen of them since July 1.

Vegetable firms, starting shipments of the largest crop in history of the Bluewater Valley, complained that they were unable to obtain sufficient ice to market the crops. Fred Freas, manager of the Bluewater Irrigation District, reported the Santa Fe Railway refrigeration division would have available only three cars of ice a day for Grants, Los Lunas and Belen. Spokesmen for the vegetable growers at a meeting in Grants said requirements there were 275 tons a day or nearly twelve carloads.

The Carlsbad National Bank celebrated its nineteenth anniversary Wednesday of last week with "business as usual." Of the original employees of the institution, F. G. Snow is still on deck as cashier. Of the original board of directors, Dr. L. H. Pate, vice president of the bank, still has his name on the list of officers. President of the bank is James M. Murray, Sr., G. L. Rogers and R. T. Spence are vice presidents. W. E. Carter is director. Murray and Rogers reside at Hobbs.

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Director of School Transportation Gives Statistics on Buses in State

The usual annual statistical statement concerning New Mexico school bus transportation has just been issued by J. T. Reece, director of school transportation. The Taxpayers' Association of New Mexico gives the following totals taken from this report:

Nine hundred fifty-one buses are used for the transporting of pupils to public elementary and high schools, including two (one district-owned and one privately-owned) used at Grants to transport Indian pupils. These two, however, are not included in the statistical report, as the expenses of operation are paid for by federal funds.

The total cost for the operation of the 949 buses for the year ended June 30 was \$1,119,444.75. These buses traveled a total of 7,659,975 miles to transport 30,458 pupils, or about 30 per cent of the pupils in average daily attendance in the public elementary and high schools in the state. The per pupil cost was \$36.75; the per mile cost was 14.6 cents, or a little less than 1/2 cent per pupil mile.

Of the 949 school buses used, 860 are of steel, seventy-seven are passenger cars, and twelve are wagons. All are privately owned except eight which are owned by the district, and in the case of eleven others the bodies are owned by the district.

The average load per bus was thirty-two for the state as a whole, varying from 16.8 in Union County to 85.5 in Bernalillo County. The average length of route for the state as a whole was 22.3 miles, varying from 14.8 miles in San Juan County to 29.5 miles in Harding and Socorro Counties.

The average cost to the school maintenance fund for the operation of the buses was \$1,179.60. As stated above, the total cost of transportation was \$1,119,444.75, which comes out of the maintenance fund. As the total maintenance budget was \$8,451,272, the cost of transportation constituted 13 per cent of the total maintenance budget.

The total cost of transportation in rural districts was \$821,205.97, while in municipal districts the total cost was \$298,238.78. The number of pupils transported in rural districts was 21,386 and in municipal districts 9,072.

The cost of transportation of pupils must be considered in connection with the consolidation of schools. In New Mexico the population is so scattered that it

would be impossible to maintain an educational system that would reach all children of school age in the state without transportation. In the course of the last twenty years the number of school districts in New Mexico has been cut in half, and the consolidation of schools, the improvement in buildings and facilities, the increasing of teacher's qualifications and the lengthening of the school term are factors which should all be taken into consideration in considering the increasing cost for public elementary and high school education.

It is noted in connection with these statistics that the costs are reasonable as compared with other states on unit bases. The system is well supervised under the present director of transportation, and it has a high standard for qualifications of drivers, with the result that it also has a splendid record from the point of view of freedom from accidents and safety in the transportation of nearly one-third of the school children in average daily attendance in the state.

WAAC'S BECOME WAC'S AT ROSWELL AIR FIELD

Roswell Army Air Field's contingent of WAAC's last week dropped an "A" from their title as they became full-fledged members of the Army at a simple ceremony in Post Theatre No. 1. Col. John C. Horton, post commandant, and Lt. Col. Will L. Tubbs, director of station services, praised highly the contribution of women soldiers to the war effort as the Wacs took the oath acknowledging enlistment in the Army for the duration plus six months.

"Your service here has been exceedingly valuable," Colonel Horton told the RAAF WAC company, which is commanded by Lt. Rita E. O'Donnell, "and I know it will continue to be."

Mrs. J. W. Cluney returned last week from a visit with her daughter, Mary Alice, a student nurse at Hotel Dieu School of Nursing, El Paso. Mary Alice spent her two-week vacation here in July.

Unemployment Commission Gets By on Interest

Unemployment trust funds deposited in the U. S. Treasury by the New Mexico Employment Security Commission earned \$29,707.91 in interest during the three months ending June 30, according to figures released by Benjamin D. Luchini, chairman.

Over the same period the commission paid out only \$8,428 in unemployment compensation, or 28 per cent of the interest earned, without touching the principal, Luchini said, pointing out that the interest earned is more than three times the amount paid out in benefits.

"We are extremely careful in checking all claims for benefits that we receive," Luchini said, "holding them down to the absolute minimum. There are some instances of unavoidable lay-offs, where an employee is temporarily out of work through no fault of his own; but we make sure that he is really entitled to compensation. We are making our reserve as strong as we can in order to meet the abnormal demands of post-war unemployment."

The trust fund has earned a total to date of \$408,031.86 interest, he said, with the number of employers subject to the law increasing.

"We expect to continue to have a sound reserve that will cushion the shock in the post-war period by giving the unemployed worker means of support for his family and at the same time help the general economy by placing money in circulation," Luchini said.

Fifty freshmen, mostly women, were on hand as the new semester at New Mexico State College, Las Cruces, opened last week. The campus was crowded with 496 soldier trainees back from a seven-day furlough between semesters.

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Locals

David Clowe, younger son of Mr. and Mrs. D. I. Clowe, stationed with the Aair Corps in Roswell, is spending a fifteen-day furlough at home.

Mrs. E. J. Foster, who has been spending the summer at the Foster cabin at Ruidoso, is spending the week her with Mr. Foster. Her mother, Mrs. Florence Hastings, and the two Foster children remained at Ruidoso.

The Rev. A. C. Douglas of Fort Stockton, Tex., former pastor of the Artesia Methodist Church, filled the pulpit here Sunday. The Rev. Mr. Douglas and family were here visiting their daughter, Mrs. Gleen Stone, and Dr. Stone who is here on furlough.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Bunting and Mr. and Mrs. Ardain Fletcher of Artesia and Sy Bunting of Hope attended horse races in Alamogordo Sunday.

Fred Brainard drove to El Paso Sunday with Mrs. Brainard, who entrained from there for New Orleans, La., where she has gone for medical attention. Mrs. Brainard also expects to visit her aged mother, Mrs. J. H. Holloman, in Minden, La., before returning home. Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Robinson made the trip to El Paso with the Brainards.

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FOR SALE—Tomatoes and cantaloupes, at Castleberry Station.

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FOR SALE—One 1941 Chevrolet truck, 2-speed rear end, 95-horsepower motor. Priced to sell.

FOR SALE—Underwood Sunstrand Adding Machine. The Artesia Advocate.

FOR SALE—Two-wheel trailer, and bedroom suite with springs and mattress. 1205 Grand Ave.

FOR SALE—Squabs and breeding stock of pigeons. E. B. McCaw, Box 254, 2 1/2 miles on Hope highway, Artesia.

FOR SALE—Ration Book Holders, 5c to 35c. The Artesia Advocate.

FOR SALE—Model A Ford coupe and bicycle. 909 South Second St.

FOR SALE—My residence property at 924 South Second St., Artesia. Also good milk cow and chickens. R. E. Coleman.

FOR SALE—Underwood Sunstrand Adding Machine. The Artesia Advocate.

FOR SALE—80-acre farm, flowing well, daily mail and school bus by the door, not a cheap farm but a good one—worth the price.

ATTENTION LIVESTOCK MEN USDA War Board form record sheets for sale by The Artesia Advocate.

FOR SALE—Apples at Southworth farm, northeast corner of Artesia.

FOR SALE—Four drawer, letter size Shaw Walker wood filing cabinet. The Artesia Advocate.

For Rent

FOR RENT—Two-room apartment, private bath. 116 North First.

Miscellaneous

PERMANENT WAVE, 59 cents! Do your own Permanent with Charm-Kurl Kit. Complete equipment, including 40 curlers and shampoo.

LOANED—Party who borrowed Imperial wallpaper book No. 1 please return to Rideout Home & Auto Supply.

Shortage of Ice for Shipping From Hills Results in Losses

Twelve hundred crates of lettuce from farms in the Penasco Valley and Cox Canyon, have wilted and been declared a complete loss in the last two weeks because of lack of ice for freight cars, according to H. P. Denton of Mountain Park, who was in El Paso Monday trying to get more ice for such products, relates The Times, which continues:

"Unless we get some relief the same thing is going to happen again," said Denton. "Because of the shortage of ice in towns in New Mexico, Texas and Oklahoma, we are losing lettuce by the carload. Also other crops will be rotting in the fields because there is no way to ship them."

Denton brought 600 dozen onions to El Paso, and because El Paso's market could only take care of 200 dozen, the remaining onions will be lost because of shortage of ice for shipping.

YELLOW TOMATO IS THIS WEEK'S ENTRY

This week's contribution to the parade of vegetables was made by Mrs. Lillian McNeil, who brought in a yellow tomato weighing a pound and an eighth. It did not equal in weight a ponderosa entered last week by Glenn Caskey, which weighed a pound and a quarter, but it was unusual for a tomato of a yellow variety.

Mrs. Mc Neil said that years ago in Virginia her family raised yellow tomatoes and that when she found some seed in Roswell she decided to try them here. The vines, she said, are standing up about five feet high and are growing well.

Wanted

WANTED—Middle-aged or young woman for housekeeper at modern ranch home, two in family, no ranch hands. Privilege of church attendance. Located one mile from town. Apply in person. Mrs. C. R. Blocker, at Advocate office or at 805 West Main St.

WANTED—Nurse, either registered, undergraduate or practical. Artesia Clinic.

WANTED—Carpenter repair work. J. C. Jones, 709 Chisum.

WANTED—3 or 4-room house or apartment, unfurnished. Call room 511 Artesia Hotel.

WANTED—Adult going to Los Angeles or San Francisco to permit 11-year-old boy to accompany, either on train or share expenses by car. J. L. Briscoe, Call 1718 collect.

WANTED—Salesladies for work in ready-to-wear and department store. Answer in own handwriting, age, experience, if any, etc. Box D. G., Artesia Advocate.

WANTED TO RENT—Large house, at least three bedrooms. Must be nice place. Call C. M. Pope, Jr., at Artesia Hotel.

WANTED—Middle-aged lady to live in home and care for small child. No house work. Call 425.

WANTED—Ladies' hose to mend. Mrs. H. L. Wilkenson, 906 Chisholm, Box 838.

WANTED—Work by hour at my home or yours. 2 1/2 blocks south of bank in trailer house.

WANTED—Girl for fountain work at "Skinny's Drive-in," 20 years of age or older, easy work and good pay. Apply in person.

WANTED—Three-room furnished apartment, close in. Phone 268-J from 7 to 12 o'clock mornings.

WANTED—Girl for general house work, no cooking. Apply in person. 808 Quay St.

WANTED—Man about 40 years old, steady position, \$125 per month and house, pleasant work. Box 427, Artesia.

Death Comes to Brother of Rex Wheatley in Amarillo

John Wheatley of Amarillo, Tex., brother of Rex Wheatley of Artesia, died at 4 o'clock Wednesday afternoon from complications from an accident two weeks ago, in which he sustained a broken leg when an automobile backed over him. The brother from Artesia left here Tuesday of last week, when his condition became worse, and was with him at the time of his death.

Funeral services and burial will be at Amarillo Friday.

John Wheatley, who never had married, is survived also by another brother and a sister, Ray Wheatley and Mrs. C. M. Humphries of Amarillo. He was cashier of the First National Bank of Amarillo.

SOLDIERS AT HOPE WILL WORK ON BOMB TARGETS

A detachment of about 100 soldiers was to arrive at Hope today to work the next two weeks on bombing ranges in that area, under the direction of Lieutenant Kuntz.

The soldiers are to be bivouacked on the high school grounds.

Mr. and Mrs. Garell Westall and their small daughter, Sandra, had as their guests last week Mrs. Westall's brothers, Sgt. William Rufus Wimberly and Mrs. Wimberly of Tampa, Fla., who were here on furlough, and Grady Wimberly and his son, Jerry, of Fort Sumner.

Prisoner Labor—

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and terms demanded by the Army before it will comply with requests for prisoner of war labor.

The prisoners, the communication shows, are to be employed under the conditions of the Geneva Convention, an international treaty, and the existing War Department policies and regulations. Agricultural employment has preference over other types of work.

The regulations provide that the employment of prisoners of war in agricultural work may be accomplished by contracting for labor from the commanding officer of the nearest prisoner of war camp. Prisoners are taken from and returned to the compounds each day, the distance of employment not being greater than approximately a one-hour ride each way. The contracts are made between the camp commander and the employer, it says.

In cases where the place of employment is too great from the permanent camp to make daily round trips, it is necessary to establish temporary camps in the areas where the labor is desired. The provisions continued that it should be determined the availability of housing, water, lighting, sanitary facilities and the like, to be provided without cost to the Army.

Data being furnished the Army includes the number of prisoners of war needed for steady employment, which in the case of North Eddy County has been estimated at 750 here and 300 at Cottonwood.

The association is applying for the men for the required period starting Sept. 1 and continuing until next Feb. 1.

It is provided in the regulations that the contracting party must fence the temporary compound to the satisfaction of the Army, either with woven wire or barbed wire. McAnally said barbed wire can be used here. Certain floodlight requirements must be met also.

The pay for the prisoners of war should be 50 to 75 per cent of the prevailing wages in the community for similar work, but in no case may it be less than \$1.50 a day. The cost of transportation must be borne by the employer, who also must provide necessary tools, equipment and technical supervision.

The regulations provide that quarters, mess and bath facilities for the prisoners of war be separate from those for the guards.

McAnally said the association is making an effort to secure some abandoned CCC camp for use as mess halls and housing.

PREMATURE BOY IS THRIVING ON OXYGEN

Tommie Jack Hyde, premature son of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Hyde of Lake Arthur, who weighed three pounds when born Aug. 6 at the Artesia Clinic, is continuing to show a strong desire to live and is thriving with the aid of oxygen from the Fire Department's resuscitator. The resuscitator is credited with saving the tiny baby, for it was only after it had been applied that he began to respond.

A daughter, Roberta Maxine, was born to Mr. and Mrs. R. M. (Bob) Sallee at 8:20 o'clock last Thursday evening, weight 7 pounds 12 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Henderson of the Cottonwood are the parents of a daughter, Lois Arnett, born at 8:35 o'clock Sunday morning, weight 7 pounds 8 ounces.

Stanley Goodman English was born at 10:38 o'clock Sunday night to Mr. and Mrs. Ramon English. He weighed 7 pounds 10 ounces.

Twins were born Wednesday evening to Mr. and Mrs. Elyo Cortez, a daughter at 8 o'clock weighing 5 pounds and a son at 8:20 o'clock weighing 5 pounds 2 ounces.

Max K. Martin, son of Mr. and Mrs. K. Martin; Kenneth Kelley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Kelley; and Raymond Bellows, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Bellows, underwent tonsillectomies last Thursday and Carolyn Bryan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Bryan, on Tuesday.

Oil Activity—

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Harris Eastham, Hargraves 3, SW SW 10-20-30. Total depth 1,733 feet; plugged back to 1,670 feet; running tubing.

Nash, Windfohr & Brown, Jackson 9-B, SE NW 25-17-30. Total depth 3,095 feet; 7-inch casing cemented.

Barney Cockburn, Etz 15, NE NW 35-16-30. Total depth 2,877 feet; 7-inch casing cemented.

S. P. Yates et al, Evans 3, NW NE 5-17-30. Drilling at 5,740 feet.

Sanders Bros., Hultman 1, SE NE 32-16-26. Drilling at 1,600 feet.

Carper-Shugart, State 1, NW NW 36-17-30. Total depth 3,334 feet; preparing to shoot.

Dixon & Yates, Day 3, SW SE 12-18-29. Drilling at 3,035 feet.

Western Production Co., Nunlee 2, SW SE 27-16-30. Total depth 2,836 feet; 7-inch casing cemented.

Repello Oil Co., J. L. Keel 1-B, NW NW 6-17-31. Total depth 3,549 feet; waiting on pump.

Ney Hightower, Grier 7, SE NE 31-16-31. Total depth 2,650 feet; fishing for collapsed 8-inch casing.

Carper-Wheatley, Grier 1, 29-16-31. Total depth 2,656 feet; shut down for repairs.

Saikin & Aid, State 1, NE NW 25-17-28. Drilling at 680 feet.

Skelly Oil Co., Dow 5-B, NW NE 21-17-31. Total depth 3,638 feet; plugged back to 3,618 feet; cleaning out after shot; estimated 100 barrels oil per day.

Schuster & Messinger, Page 1, SW NW 15-21-28. Total depth 2,649 feet; pumped 16 barrels in 12 hours.

Grayburg Oil Co., Keely 3-B, SW SW 24-17-29. Drilling at 2,425 feet.

Bay Petroleum Co. et al, Yates 1, NW SW 5-18-29. Drilling at 2,440 feet.

Pen Surgical, Ballard 1, NW SW 8-18-29. Total depth 2,520 feet; running jeep.

Neil Wills, Wills 3, SW NE 13-20-28. Total depth 779 feet; 7-inch casing cemented.

Pvt. Jess C. (Mann) House to his mother, Mrs. R. J. House: "I am interned at the Philippine Military Prison Camp No. 1. My health is excellent. I am uninjured. I am well. Please see that everything is taken care of. Give my love to the whole family. Please give my regards to all of my friends."

Pfc. Carl C. Foster to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Foster: "I am interned at the Philippine Military Prison Camp No. 1. My health is excellent. I am uninjured. I am well. Please give my regards to everybody."

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Rev. Campbell, Noted Pastor, Dies on Friday

The Rev. C. K. Campbell of Roswell, district superintendent of the Methodist Church, Roswell district, died at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon at the age of 63 years. He had been in failing health for some time and was critically ill since Sunday of last week.

Funeral services for the Rev. Mr. Campbell were from the First Methodist Church of Roswell at 4:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon by the Rev. Dr. Thomas W. Brabham, pastor of that church; the Rev. C. A. Clark, pastor of the First Methodist Church of Artesia; the Rev. John S. Rice of Odesa, Tex., formerly of Artesia; the Rev. C. A. Douglas of Fort Stockton, Tex., formerly of Artesia, and the Rev. J. P. Lancaster of Dexter Park Cemetery, Roswell.

Guards of honor were the Rev. Dr. I. L. Morgan, district superintendent of the Albuquerque district, former pastor at Artesia, and the district superintendents of El Paso and Clovis. Honorary pallbearers were pastors of the New Mexico Conference and members of the official boards of the Trinity and First Methodist Churches of Roswell.

Clyde Keener Campbell was born in Augusta, Ga., July 14, 1880. In early life he received his education at Emory College and Vanderbilt University. He was sent to China in 1907 and was an instructor in Soochow University four years. Returning to the United States in 1911, he came to New Mexico and joined this conference.

At Las Cruces he built St. Paul's Methodist Church and served as its pastor for four years. From there he went to El Paso, where he built Asbury Methodist Church and served as its pastor for the next three years. In 1918 he was appointed district superintendent of the El Paso district and served for four years.

In 1922 he came to Roswell as pastor of the First Methodist Church and served this charge for the next five years, until in 1927 when he was sent to fill the pastorate of Central Avenue Methodist Church in Albuquerque. After serving a term of four years there he went to Clovis in 1931 and filled that charge for five years.

In 1936 he returned to Las Cruces and served as pastor of St. Paul's Church until the fall of 1941, when he was appointed district superintendent of the Albuquerque district. He served in that capacity until 1942, when he was appointed district superintendent of the Roswell district, which he was serving at the time of his death.

The Rev. Mr. Campbell is survived by his wife and one daughter, Mrs. Jean Campbell Hardin of Hobbs; one sister and two brothers and a granddaughter.

Southern Union Gas Takes Over Servel Electrolux Agency

Charles Gaskins, Artesia manager for the Southern Union Gas Company, this week announced the company has taken over Servel Electrolux agency, both sales and service.

At present, the company has no refrigerators, he said, but the service department is operating. In order to facilitate service of the appliances, all employees are to attend a special Servel Electrolux school in Carlsbad today and Friday.

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CLARK WILL PREACH AT COTTONWOOD SUNDAY

The Rev. C. A. Clark, pastor of the First Methodist Church of Artesia, will preach at the Cottonwood Methodist Church at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon. The former pastor, the Rev. J. M. Glazier, has been transferred to California.

On the invitation of the Loco Hills Community Church, the Rev. Mr. Clark filled the pulpit of that church last Sunday evening. He is to preach there again Sunday evening, Aug. 29.

Mrs. J. W. Shearman of Carlsbad has come to stay with her parents-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John Shearman, while her husband, a carpenter's mate second class in the Seabees, is serving in the Southwest Pacific.

Law Bears—

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Sunday and of selling liquor without a license. He was released under bond pending preliminary hearing.

W. P. B. Analyst

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have not been taken care of, thus slowing down the complete program.

He said that 90 per cent of applications are rejected for lack of sufficient information, a condition the new service should help overcome. Anderson said that full conditions should be given, showing, for instance, that a family is having to live in a chicken house, or otherwise inadequate and unsatisfactory quarters.

Anderson said he realizes there is a housing shortage in the Artesia community, but that phase is out of the W.P.B.'s and his hands. He advised that those interested in housing take up their problems through the War Housing Agency.

In the meantime he invited everyone having other problems, which might come under the jurisdiction of the W.P.B. to meet with him or whoever is assigned to Artesia in about four weeks. It is hoped the exact date will be designated long enough in advance that notice may be given in these columns.

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DALE THOMAS

Locals

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Dyer were here Tuesday, having returned from San Antonio where they met for a time at their son, Lt. Preston Dyer, who received his wings at Christi last week. He was transferred to Dayton, Fla.

Mrs. C. T. Hopkins of Carlsbad Sunday from El Paso where she had been ten days in medical attention, three days in hospital, she has written D. Thomas here. Mrs. Hopkins wrote that she was feeling better.

Norma Hancock and Johnson went to Carlsbad where they are the guests of Mrs. Zane Smith. Peggy Johnson is to return with her Artesia for a visit before the school starts.

J. D. Smith, superintendent of the Artesia Public Schools, moved his family to this week, from the apartment on Grand Avenue, 801 Richardson, where he formerly occupied. Smith, who moved his family to Carlsbad about two weeks ago.

Mrs. Frank Clowe left Sunday night for Sioux Falls, Dak., to join her husband, who has been transferred from Carlsbad to Sioux Falls, where he is to be stationed for the next two to three months. Mrs. Clowe remained here with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. I. Clowe.

Mrs. E. A. Metzger, assisted by her sisters, Mrs. Rehn of Miami, Fla., and Harold Randall of Sioux Falls, went to the Metzger North North state line, the latter the next twenty-two months. Mrs. Clowe remained here with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. I. Clowe.

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