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## Many Learn of New Two-Hour Parking Ordinance Hard Way

### Law of Diminishing Returns in Fines Enters in, and More Empty Spaces Are Showing Up on Artesia's Main Street

The law of diminishing returns seems to be working as to fines for failure to observe the new two-hour parking ordinance in Artesia, according to the police blotter in the office of Judge J. D. Josey.

Further evidence of the new law is found on Main Street between First and Fifth Streets, where parking places can be located at any time during business hours, whereas a week ago they were at a premium.

Up to Tuesday evening, traffic tickets for violations of the parking ordinance had totaled 79 since Police Chief G. Kelley Sout and his minions of the law started handing out tickets Friday.

On that day the officers gave out 26 traffic tickets, ordering the owners of the cars in question to report to Artesia Police Court.

And then the diminishing returns started, for on Saturday the number of tickets was 24, while on Monday and Tuesday respectively the numbers were 16 and 13. More were being handed out Wednesday, but indications were that there would be still fewer than on Tuesday.

Judge Josey has been collecting a minimum of \$1 for each violation. However, he said, a few persons on whose cars traffic tickets have been attached, have failed to report to him. Within the next day or two, the police will start checking up on them, so as to bring the alleged offenders to court. When this is done, the judge said, the fines will be increased and court costs will be added.

In the meantime, merchants and their clerks and other business people are getting in the habit of parking their cars off Main Street, affording a better opportunity for shoppers and visitors to Artesia to find places to leave their cars. Merchants have been finding the new ordinance is working to their benefit.

Judge Josey said that among the violators who have appeared before him, none has protested his traffic ticket and everyone has paid off "like a good fellow."

## Jack Parker, Former Artesia Boy, Seriously Wounded Over Germany

Jack Parker, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Parker of Tulsa, Okla., formerly of Artesia, was seriously wounded over Germany Dec. 31, his parents were informed Friday, according to a letter from Mrs. Parker to Mrs. T. E. Johnson.

Mrs. Parker said she received a letter Saturday from one of her son's crewmates, saying he "is coming along wonderfully" and soon will be back in the United States. She said she had no idea how he was wounded.

Prior to going into the Army about two years ago, Jack Parker worked here for Iverson Tool Company. His brother, R. C. Parker, Jr., who formerly worked for Peoples Mercantile Company stationed at Assam, India, and is flying the "Hump" into India, their mother wrote.

## Hultman No. 1

### Soon Will Be Drilling Ahead

About two-thirds of the required funds to carry the Sanders Brothers, Hultman No. 1, wildcat well down to the 9,000-foot level have been raised, Sam Sanders said this morning, assurance, he believes, that the job will be put over.

Sanders said the goal is near enough in sight, that plans to move a steep rotary on the location two miles north of Artesia are going ahead and it is probable the rig will be on the location and in process of being set up this time next week.

The well was shut down a few months ago below 6,700 feet with a spudder, after showing good indications a commercial formation might be found at a deeper horizon then ever explored in Eddy. The project to continue on down to 9,000 feet, or previous commercial pay, is being underwritten entirely by local business interests.

## Ask Remittance

### For Anti-TB Seals Be Made

Mrs. C. D. Marshall, chairman of the local committee of the National Tuberculosis Association, asked this week that persons to whom Christmas seals were sent early in December, but who have not remitted, send in their money promptly, so the annual campaign books can be closed by Feb. 1.

The drive usually closes in December, but the local books have been kept open during this month. She expressed the thanks of the committee for the fine response and said the drive was successful.

However, Mrs. G. C. Kinder, treasurer, said the total remittances to date are about \$100 behind those of a year ago. With a number of persons yet to be heard from, the committee has accounted for about \$700 in the drive just closed, she said.

## State Cops Give Another Gentle Hint This Week

State Cops Bill Lewis of Carlsbad and Gene White of Roswell met here this week and doubled up on the checking up of drivers' licenses and brake and light inspection stickers for 1945, and both said the time is not far off when they will stop telling motorists who are behind with either or both to attend to it at once, but will cite them to the judge.

There is no excuse for anyone not having a drivers' license by this time, and the stickers have been here long enough that everyone should have had his vehicle inspected, the cops said.

They also called attention to the fact that vehicle licenses, although not due by law as yet, are available.

## Carper Will Look Into Proposals Made by Tingley

Mayor Emery Carper plans to attend a conference in Albuquerque Saturday of city officials of the state, called by Mayor Clyde Tingley of Albuquerque, "for the purpose of concerted action with respect to the many problems now confronting all political subdivisions of the state."

In a letter to Mayor Carper, Tingley said that the conference there will be discussions on "proposals amendments to the New Mexico liquor law to restore licensing power to local option districts and to consider other needed amendments, including the provisions that now permit, under certain conditions, the sale of liquor to minors" and "means for exercising effectively the priority rights granted to cities and counties in purchase of machinery and equipment from the surplus war stocks of the federal government."

Mayor Carper said that if the first proposal has to do with the right of a municipality to veto the granting of liquor licenses under certain conditions, he is in favor of it, but that if it would place arbitrary enforcement powers, such as the revocation of licenses, in the hands of municipal officers without the licensees having recourse to the courts, as he has been informed Tingley proposes, he is opposed to it.

However, Mayor Carper said that if something might be proposed through the formation of a "New Mexico Municipal League," which might not meet with the approval of himself and other officials of Artesia, he prefers to be a member, rather than to sit back and have no opposition vote. From Albuquerque Mayor Carper plans to go to Oklahoma City to attend the mid-winter meeting for officials of the Independent Petroleum Association of America, of which he is a director and the vice president for New Mexico.

C. R. Baldwin and Mrs. Leon Barker left Sunday for the Dallas, Tex., market to buy spring merchandise for Baldwin's.

## Birch Performance Here Monday Is Quite Successful

A performance in the high school auditorium Monday evening by Birch, Master Magician, was quite successful from both an audience and financial standpoint.

The magician played to a crowded house and kept his spectators laughing, as well as mystified, as he interwove a clever line of patter with dozens of sleight of hand and mechanical tricks and illusions.

An incomplete check-up of the performance's finances shows that the sponsoring Artesia Lions Club will net about \$160 and the school about \$46.

## Bulldog Record Is Shattered By Caveman

### Beat Hobbs for Fifth Straight, But Lose Tuesday

The Artesia Bulldogs won their fifth straight game of the cage season at Hobbs Saturday evening, when they defeated the Eagles 40 to 19, but the Carlsbad Cavemen shattered the Bulldog record here Tuesday evening by romping on Artesia 47 to 24 in a fast and furious clash.

The Bullpups, who also won their fifth straight against the Hobbs Cadet Corps Saturday, dropped their first game to the Carlsbad Dogs Tuesday.

In the fracas against the Cavemen, the Bulldogs broke too slowly and seemed unable to hit the basket, except in the third quarter, when both teams made 12 points. The final period was as one-sided as the first half, which ended 19 to 7 in favor of the Cavemen, for the visitors made the last quarter score alone 16 to 7, for a final total of 47 to 24.

The spectators, who packed the gymnasium to overflowing, saw 38 fouls shaked up against the two teams, somewhat of a record. Of them 23 were against Carlsbad and 15 against Artesia.

The Bulldogs were doubly handicapped, because their sparkplug guard, Izzy Juarez, played his last Artesia High School game Saturday going to the Navy Monday, and Steel, Carlsbad forward, who made 18 points, was too fast and big for most high school teams to guard. Artesia's high-scoring man was Everett Lapsley, who ran up 10.

At Hobbs Saturday, the Bulldogs took the lead and had the Eagles 19 to 14 at the half. But in the second half, they really found their stride, making 21 to 5 points for the Eagles for the final score of 40 to 19. And of the five points made by Hobbs, two were on that team's only field basket.

During the game, Lyle Terpening piled up 14 points to lead for the Bulldogs, while his fellow forward, Lapsley, was second with eight.

The Artesia juniors led the Hobbs cadets 8 to 12 at the half and the score was virtually totaled at the final whistle, standing 24 to 15 for the Bullpups. Bolton and (Turn to last page, please)

## Joseph Dunagan, Oldest Mason, Dies at 95 Years

Joseph F. Dunagan of Artesia, possibly the oldest Mason in New Mexico in point of service, 72 years, died at the home here of his daughter, Mrs. G. B. Dungan, at 7 o'clock Monday evening at the age of 95 years.

Funeral services were from Bayless Chapel at 2:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon by the Rev. C. A. Clark, pastor of the First Methodist Church. Burial was in Woodbine Cemetery, with Masonic rites at the grave by members of the Artesia lodge. Active pallbearers were members of the lodge and honorary pallbearers were J. S. Sharp, Will Benson, Judge G. U. McCrary, E. B. Bullock, George Johnson, and M. A. Corbin.

Joseph F. Dunagan was born Sept. 4, 1849, at Springfield, Mo. He was united in marriage to Sarah Carroll in 1881 and to them were born seven children, of whom three survive. They are Ada, Mrs. G. B. Dungan, Artesia; Homer Dunagan, Roswell, and Lee Dunagan, Carlsbad. A son, Arthur, died at the age of 21 years, a daughter, Maggie, at the age of 36 years, and two children in infancy.

Besides his three children, Mr. Dunagan is survived by 11 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren. Mrs. Dunagan died 47 years ago.

Mr. Dunagan spent the last 19 years of his life in New Mexico, the last 14 of which he made his home here with his daughter, Mrs. Dungan. He came to this state from Oklahoma.

With his long record as a Mason behind him, Mr. Dunagan was made an honorary member in 1925. He also was a member of the Odd Fellows Lodge 40 years, or since 1905, and was a member of the Christian Church.

## Wayne Triplitt, Former Artesian, Dies in El Paso

Wayne Triplitt of El Paso, 29, a former service station operator in Artesia, died Tuesday morning in an El Paso hospital after an illness of 10 days. He had been troubled by a heart ailment several years.

His mother, Mrs. Perry Triplitt of Artesia, was with him at the time of his death. His father, who had been at his son's bedside, came home Monday, thinking his son was somewhat better, but returned to El Paso after receiving word of his death.

Funeral services are to be at 4:30 o'clock this afternoon at Cisco, Tex. Burial will be there.

Besides his parents, Mr. Triplitt is survived by his widow, the former Myriene McCool of Big Spring, Tex., whom he married here about five years ago; their 3-year-old daughter, Carole Ann, and two brothers, Cecil Triplitt of Kermit, Tex., and T/Sgt. Dwight Triplitt of Artesia, who recently was shipped overseas.

Mr. Triplitt was born in July, 1914. His parents both being in El Paso, it was impossible to learn more of his personal history prior to coming here.

At Artesia Mr. Triplitt operated the Sinclair Service Station. He left here about the time the war started to go into civil service work and was holding a government position at El Paso at the time of his death.

## Hastie Is Vice Commander of USWV Camp

Artesia was represented by three members of Clay Green Camp, United Spanish War Veterans, at a meeting and the annual election of officers at Portales Sunday, and one of the number, Jack Hastie, was elected senior vice commander for two years. Louis Brown of Roswell was named commander for the current year.

Attending from here with Hastie were John Vandagriff and George Frisch.

John W. Clem of Portales was elected junior vice commander, and Commander Brown made the following appointments. Adjutant and quartermaster, O. M. Powers, Roswell; trustee for two years, John Vandagriff, Artesia, and George Dean, Roswell; outside guard, W. Y. Monical, Hagerman; inside guard, J. M. McNeal, Dexter; sergeant major, J. B. Priddy, Portales; quartermaster sergeant, William Wilson, Roswell; color bearers, Joe Schuff, Artesia, and Carl S. Turner, Portales.

The new officers, elective and appointive, were installed by Dave Coligan of Portales, department commander. It was announced the state meeting will be at Silver City April 17-18.

## Purple Heart Is Posthumously Awarded Mauldin

A Purple Heart, awarded posthumously to Pvt. Glenn F. Mauldin, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Mauldin of Dayton, was received Tuesday by his mother, who recently received a letter of condolence and notification of the award from Secretary of State Stimson.

Private Mauldin died in France last July 31 of wounds sustained in action, the War Department notified his parents Nov. 3. They previously had been notified that he was wounded.

The letter from Secretary Stimson: "You will shortly receive the Purple Heart Medal, which has been posthumously awarded by direction of the president to your son, Pvt. Glenn F. Mauldin, Infantry. It is sent as a tangible expression of the country's gratitude for his gallantry and devotion. "It is sent to you, as well, with my deepest personal sympathy for your bereavement. The loss of a loved one is beyond man's repairing, and the medal is of slight value; not so, however, the message it carries. We are all comrades in arms in this battle for our country, and those who are gone are not, and never will be, forgotten by those of us who remain. I hope you will accept the medal in evidence of such remembrance."

## Chamber of Commerce Launches Dual Program For Increased Membership, More Housing

### Hope to Step Up Dues, to Be Available for Projects Whenever Needed - Plans Are Made Monday by Directors for General Open Supper Meetings Each Month, First Next Thursday

A dual program to increase membership and interest in the Artesia Chamber of Commerce and to start work towards having more housing units allocated to the city by the National Housing Agency was launched Monday evening at a meeting of the board of directors. In addition it was voted to have monthly supper meetings, which all members will be urged to attend.

Ralph Petty, newly-installed president, said it has been found there are more business people in Artesia not members of the Chamber of Commerce than those who are. It is hoped many of them will be inclined to join and take part in the affairs of the body, by way of helping to build Artesia, he said.

In the same connection, Petty said it is hoped to boost the total membership dues to a level at which the Chamber of Commerce can build a fund from which can be drawn moneys whenever it is desired to stress and push some project.

Such a project at this time is the allocation of additional housing units to Artesia, Petty said. He recalled that late in 1943 the NHA granted for Artesia 65 new building units, in addition to which 10 conversions were allowed. The two housing projects and individual conversions have used up the allocation, Petty said, but still the city has an acute housing problem.

## School Board Election Is Called For February 13

A call was issued this week by the Artesia Board of Education for the annual school election, to be held in the Artesia district Tuesday, Feb. 13, when two board members are to be elected for terms of six years.

The members whose terms are to expire are Mrs. Landis B. Feather, vice president, and Fred Cole, clerk.

At a caucus of qualified electors Tuesday, the names of Mrs. Feather and Fred L. Jacobs were placed in nomination as candidates. Cole had indicated he would not consent to be a candidate to succeed himself, as he has served 16 years.

W. E. Kerr, superintendent of schools, learning that Cole would not be a candidate, said he has been a very valuable member of the board and is at present its senior member in point of years. During the greater part of the time he has served, Cole has been clerk.

Jacobs is a prominent member of the oil fraternity. He is a consulting engineer and engineer for Sanders Brothers. He was the engineer who was brought here to build and operate the Loco Hills Pressure Maintenance Association plant, but more recently has been operating for himself. Since coming to Artesia, Jacobs has been quite active in civic affairs.

For the convenience of voters, two polling places have been designated for the election Feb. 13, one each at the Artesia city hall and at Sherman Memorial Church at Loco Hills.

## Only One of Four Is Good Producer In County Fields

Only one good producer out of four completions in the Eddy County oil fields was reported during the last week. Of the remaining completions, one was a stripper well and two were plugged and abandoned. Five new starts were indicated by staked locations.

The completions: D. D. Thomas, Johnson 3, SW NW 28-16-31; total depth 3,475 feet; flowed 75 barrels of oil per day after shot.

A. H. Hover, Hastie 6, SW SW 18-17-28; total depth 553 feet; pumped eight barrels of oil per day, natural.

W. R. McKenzie, Cook & Ironsides 1, SE NW 8-20-29; total depth 1,204 feet; plugged and abandoned.

R. R. Woolley, Woolley 2-C, SE NW 28-17-30; total depth 3,585 feet; plugged and abandoned. New locations: Skelly Oil Co., Lea 4-A, SE NE 23-17-31; Skelly Oil Co., Lea 5-A, NE NW 23-17-31; R. E. McKee, State 5, NW SE 3-19-29; Nash, Windfohr & Brown, Gissler 5-B, NW SE 23-17-30; Repollo Oil Co., Keel 4-B, SW SE 8-17-31.

**Drilling Report**  
Dale Resler, State 2, NW NW 13-18-27.

Total depth 1,950; cleaning out after shot.  
Dale Resler, State 1, SW NE 14-18-27.

Drilling at 2,530.  
R. E. McKee, Magruder 2, SW SW 12-18-27.  
Drilling at 1,861.  
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## Son Helps His Dad Solve the Cigaret Shortage

John S. Sherman has solved the cigaret shortage!

Some weeks ago he wrote his son, John W. Sherman, a carpenter's mate first class in the Navy, the terrible thing the war has done to the people at home, to-wit: A shortage of smokes.

So young John sent his dad a carton of 39 packages, 10 to a package, from Guam. The elder John has not deciphered the brand name and the place of manufacture, but both evidently are on the packages, along with a "Setting Sun" emblem.

And they are about halfway palatable and taste somewhat like those of Mexican vintage.

## Program Physical Education Should Be Made Broader

Coach F. L. Green of Artesia High School gave broader views on what a physical education program in schools should be than merely having athletic teams, speaking Tuesday noon at the weekly luncheon of the Artesia Rotary Club.

He said more stress should be placed on turning out boys and girls who are physically capable of pursuing useful occupations than just teaching curricular subjects and concentrating on a few making up winning teams.

Green said he has seen too many graduate with handicaps and that schools must stress more corrective measures. "Thousands of dollars are spent on school buildings and teachers," he said, "but we must think of spending thousands of dollars in making our boys and girls physically fit."

The coach said he is working on a tentative program for Artesia, subject to approval, which he outlined in part for the Rotarians, and which he hopes to put into practice next school year.

Clyde Parrish was introduced as the newest member of the Rotary Club.

## SENIOR SERVICE SCOUTS ELECT OFFICERS RECENTLY

Mary Jo Jacobs was elected president of the Senior Service Scouts at a recent meeting, when an election of officers was held.

Elected to serve with Mary Jo were Betty Montgomery, vice president; Mary Dixon, secretary, and Luella Whelan, treasurer.

The hospital aides are at this time rendering a needed service at Artesia Memorial Hospital and a new class may be trained in the near future. Hospital aides were trained from the Service Scout group.

## Mrs. McGonagill Makes Official Visit to Roswell Auxiliary

Mrs. Alex McGonagill, department president of the American Legion Auxiliary, made her official visit to the Roswell unit Monday afternoon.

She was accompanied there by Mrs. Oren Roberts, department trophies and awards chairman; Mrs. Frances Painter, Artesia unit president, and Mrs. Earl Darst, Artesia unit treasurer.

The Chamber of Commerce plans to make housing an active project in the near future, Petty said, but the immediate problem is the increase in membership and revenue.

More general interest in the activities of the body should come about through the monthly supper meetings, to which all members of the Chamber of Commerce not only are to be invited, but will be urged to attend and take part in the discussions, Petty said.

He pointed out that heretofore the greater part of the business has been transacted by the board of directors, with the general membership having direct contact only at the annual banquets.

Petty said that at the open supper meetings, which will be held the first Thursday evening of each month, everyone will have an opportunity to have his say. Minorities will be urged to take the floor, in order that all questions of the community as they concern the Chamber of Commerce may be thrashed out.

The first of the series of such meetings will be next Thursday evening. It had not been announced up to this morning where it will be held.

Petty said he is deferring the appointment of the standing committees for 1945 until the membership drive has been pushed, for he has discovered a number of persons desired for committee posts are not at this time active in the Chamber of Commerce.

He said that with a progressive program, which is being promised Artesia business, he believed membership may be built up to approach 100 per cent.

At the meeting Monday evening, some of the directors of the Chamber of Commerce led the way towards increased revenue by raising their own dues. They expressed hopes others will follow their example.

## Auxiliary Plans to Entertain Legion at Service Club Friday

The American Legion Auxiliary and the American Legion will have a joint supper meeting at the Artesia Service Club at 7 o'clock Friday evening, when the former organization entertains the latter.

A covered-dish supper will be served, after which the evening will be spent informally.

Each organization has entertained the other once since last summer with a successful party.

Robert Blount, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Blount, who reported to Fort Bliss, Tex., for induction into the Army last week, has informed his parents that he is being sent to Keesler Field, Miss., for training.

## Funk Son and Son-in-Law Are Both Injured

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse I. Funk of the Cottonwood community have been notified their son, 1st Lt. Joe Bill Funk, has been seriously wounded and their son-in-law, 1st Lt. Iay Sylvester, has been seriously injured.

Their son was wounded in Belgium Dec. 23, while serving with the Paratroop Infantry. They have had a letter from him from England, where he is hospitalized, but he did not disclose the nature of his wounds.

His brother-in-law is also hospitalized in England. His injuries were sustained in Germany, where he was serving with the Infantry. Lieutenant Sylvester is the husband of the former Helen Vera Funk.

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## RUMOR AND OVER-OPTIMISM ARE DANGEROUS

WE HAVE JUST received a letter from one of our good friends, Lt. Chuck Baldwin, a representative young man from Artesia in the armed forces. A portion of that letter might be well for any of us to read, not as a matter of just another letter from a serviceman, but because therein is something about which to think. Writes Chuck:

"It has been my privilege, in the past two months, to see many strange and interesting things and places, although it is a shame and a pity that it had to be under such conditions as war brings about.

"Because of this war there have been many of us who, never having been out of their own backyards before, have, for the first time, seen just how their neighbors live. If we could all just take advantage of this experience and try to understand our neighbors, both at home and abroad, there should be no reason for future wars.

"I might add, however, that after all of the places I have been, New York, North Carolina, London, Paris, Brussels, etc., I'll still take good old New Mexico every time.

"Most of the fellows that I have associated with over here seem to share the same opinion with me. Home is best, and there are many valuable lessons to be learned from war. All of us are anxious to get this thing over with and get back home. We are hoping for a quick and decisive victory, but, nevertheless, we do not speculate on a very early end of the war.

"It seems to me that there is where a lot of the folks back home are making a great mistake; they are over-optimistic about the end of the war. I have seen the result of optimism since I have been over here and I can tell you it is a dangerous thing.

"I hate to think that there are people back home quitting jobs in war industries and otherwise becoming lax in their efforts, merely on the supposition that Jerry is licked and will give up any minute. Just ask any of the boys on the front and he can tell you that the Germans are a tough bunch of soldiers, with plenty of fight left.

"Yes, rumor and over-optimism are two very dangerous enemies."

## MAYBE WE SHOULD HEED WHAT WE READ

IT LOOKS somewhat as though we don't believe everything we see in The Advocate, even things we have written ourselves.

We are referring to the new two-hour parking ordinance, about which we wrote both at the time the latter part of last year, when it was passed, and again last week, when Mayor Carper and Police Chief Stout said the time had arrived to start to clamp down.

Well, to make a short story long, the clamping down started Friday, while we were out of town. And then Monday morning when we arrived at the office, we parked as nearly in front as possible, so as to have the car handy for emergencies—as well as to have to walk as little as possible. At any rate, we forgot all about the two-hour ordinance. And no emergency came up to save our neck.

The upshot was that we found a parking ticket reposing underneath the blade of our windshield wiper when we started to go to lunch.

And the upshot of that was that we grinningly walked into Police Judge Josey's sanctum-sanctorum after we were satiated at the family board—and paid off like a good little boy.

Moral: And the coppers and judge'll get you if you don't watch out and happen to park more than two hours most places on Main Street between First and Fifth and 15 minutes adjacent to the post-office.

Total cost at present, subject to adjustment upward: \$1 a park.

## THE EYES HAVE IT, AND IT'S SO ORDERED

WE ARE WILLING to back up when we find ourself in error, which we evidently are as to one of the common names in the Pecos Valley.

Somehow we had been led to believe "Chisholm Trail" was correct and that "Chisum Trail" was a sort of shortened form. And so we adopted the former spelling for style in The Advocate several years ago.

But recently, after having changed the spelling many times on copy, we have noticed that official papers, such as those mentioning the Chisum Addition in Artesia, do it the other way. And we understand that is the way it is spelled on the original plat of Artesia.

Furthermore, the State Highway Department road markers use the shortened spelling. And now we are informed old Jinglebob spelled it that way.

However, we were unable to find the name of either Jinglebob or the trail in our Webster or two encyclopedias in any form.

But we have come to the conclusion it is time to change our style as to the one word. So now it is "Chisum."

## CONGRATULATIONS TO A CONTEMPORARY

MANY OF the fellows over the state have referred in the past to Will Robinson of The Roswell Dispatch as "the dean of the New Mexico Press."

But Will told us at the annual New Mexico Press Association convention last week end he prefers not to be referred to either as "the dean" or "the sage." It all sounds too dignified and gives the impression that he is getting up in years, he said. If "old" must be used, just make it "the old so-and-thus."

And then "the old so-and-thus" was awarded the first annual prize of the association for outstanding editorial writing, in memory of the late E. H. Shaffer, editor of The Albuquerque Tribune.

We don't know whether the editorial upon which the award was made was the one in which Will referred to us as "the little gimlet," but nevertheless we are happy for him and extend congratulations to our neighbor to the north.

Postwar plans indicate that every acre in New Mexico will have on it either a soldier or an airport.—Albuquerque Journal.

As reader wants to know if an editor is a man who puts things in the paper. Land no! An editor is the man who keeps things out of the paper.—Indiana Farmers Guide.

If a horse feels flattered when we humans describe practical intelligence as "horse sense," wonder what he thinks of our also using him to describe horseplay. — Gallup Independent.

The shoemakers are now calling some of their products "veal." We could understand it if they called them "utility steaks."—Christian Science Monitor.

# CHURCHES

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
 Corner of Grand and Roselawn  
 Bible school, 9:45 a. m.  
 Morning worship, 10:45 a. m.  
 Training Union, 7:30 p. m.  
 Evening worship, 7:40 p. m.  
 Wednesday evening prayer service, 7:30 p. m.  
 S. M. Morgan, Pastor.

**LOCO HILLS BAPTIST CHURCH**  
 Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.  
 Preaching service, 11 a. m.  
 Training Union, 7:30 p. m.  
 Preaching service, 8 p. m.  
 Mid-week service, Wednesday, 8 p. m.  
 Rev. S. S. Perry, Pastor.

**CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE**  
 Corner of Fifth and Quay  
 Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.  
 Morning worship service, 11 a. m.  
 Evening service, 8 p. m.  
 Mid-week prayer service, 8 p. m.  
 Sunday school superintendent, Mrs. E. A. Paton, 511 W. Dallas, phone 296.  
 Pastor, Mrs. Jessie Miller, 901 W. Chisholm, phone 433-R.  
 All visitors welcome.

**FIRST METHODIST CHURCH**  
 Sunday school, 9:45 a. m., Fred Jacobs, general superintendent.  
 Morning worship, 10:50 a. m.  
 Evening worship, 7:15 p. m.  
 Methodist Young People's Fellowship, 6:30 p. m., Mrs. R. E. Stewart and Mrs. D. A. DeMars, sponsors.  
 Prayer Meetings, Thursdays, 7:15 p. m.  
 Woman's Society of Christian Service, first Thursday, 2:30 p. m., Mrs. J. R. Miller, president.  
 Wesleyan Service Guild, first Monday, 7 p. m., Mrs. Leona French, president.  
 Official board, second Tuesday each month, 7:30 p. m., E. J. Foster, chairman.  
 Choir rehearsal each Wednesday, 7:30 p. m., Mrs. Glenn Caskey, director, Mrs. L. C. Bivins, organist.  
 Nursery for small children, for both Sunday school and morning service, with practical nurse in charge.  
 You are invited and will be welcome to any and all services.  
 C. A. Clark, Pastor.

**ST. ANTHONY CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
 Ninth and Missouri  
 Mass Sunday, 9 a. m., English sermon.  
 Mass week days, at Artesia Memorial Hospital, 6:15 a. m.; in church every second week at 8 a. m.  
 Confessions every Saturday from 7:30 to 8 p. m. and before the Mass on Sunday morning.  
 Franciscan Fathers in charge.  
 Rev. Francis Geary, O. M. C., Pastor.  
 Rev. Michael Brown, O. M. C., Assistant.

**OUR LADY OF GRACE CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
 North Hill  
 Mass Sundays, 10 a. m., Spanish sermon.  
 Mass week days, every second week at 8 a. m.  
 Confessions every Saturday from 4 to 5 p. m. and before the Mass on Sunday morning.  
 Franciscan Fathers in charge.  
 Rev. Francis Geary, O. M. C., Pastor.  
 Rev. Michael Brown, O. M. C., Assistant.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
 Seventh and Grand  
**Sunday**  
 Bible study, 10 a. m.  
 Preaching, 10:50 a. m.  
 Evening service, 8 p. m.  
**Wednesday**  
 Ladies' Bible class, 3 p. m.  
 Mid-week service, 8 p. m.  
 Robert A. Waller, Evangelist.

**CHURCH OF LUTHERN HOUR**  
 (Missouri Synod)  
 Services every second and fourth Sunday, 3 p. m., at St. Paul's Episcopal Church, 306 S. Seventh.  
 Sunday school every Sunday, 10:30 a. m., 412 Garst.  
 The public is cordially invited.

**ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH**  
 306 S. Seventh Street  
 Holy Communion, sermon, second Sunday, 7:30 p. m.  
 Evening prayer, sermon, third, fourth, fifth Sundays, 7:30 p. m.  
 Public cordially invited to worship with the congregation.  
 Rev. Joseph H. Harvey, Vicar.

**FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
 Bible School 9:45 a. m.  
 Morning worship, 11 a. m.  
 Christian Endeavor, 6 p. m.  
 Evening worship service 7:30 p. m.  
 Mid-week Bible study, Wednesday, 8 p. m.  
 Official board meets first Monday of each month, 8 p. m.  
 Visitors welcome at all services.  
 Kenneth Hess, Minister.

## CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES

613 W. Main  
 Sunday school, 10 a. m.  
 Sunday service, 11 a. m.  
 Wednesday service, 7:30 p. m.  
 "Truth" is the subject of the lesson-sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist on Sunday, Jan. 28.  
 The Golden Text is: "We can do nothing against the truth, but for the truth." (II Cor. 13:8)  
 Among the citations which comprise the lesson-sermon is the following from the Bible: "Not every one that saith unto me, Lord, Lord, shall enter into the kingdom of heaven; but he that doeth the will of my Father which is in heaven." (Matt. 7:21)  
 The lesson-sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook; "Divine Mind rightly demands man's entire obedience, affection, and strength. No reservation is made for any lesser loyalty. Obedience to Truth gives man power and strength. Submission to error superinduces loss of power."  
 Visitors always welcome.

**LAKE ARTHUR-COTTONWOOD METHODIST CHURCHES**  
**Cottonwood**  
 Sunday school, 10 a. m. each Sunday.  
 Worship service, 11 a. m. second and fourth Sundays.  
 Ladies' Aid, third Thursday.  
 Sunday school, 10 a. m. each Lake Arthur Sunday.  
 Worship service, 11 a. m. first and third Sundays.  
 Epworth League, 6:30 p. m. each Sunday.  
 Preaching, 7:30 p. m. each Sunday.  
 W. S. C. S., first Wednesday.  
 Chester Rogers, Pastor.

**BETHEL PENTECOSTAL CHURCH**  
 710 North Roselawn  
**Sunday Services**  
 Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.  
 Morning worship, 11 a. m.  
 Evening worship, 8 p. m.  
**Weekly Services**  
 Wednesday and Saturday prayer meetings, 8 p. m.  
 You are cordially invited to attend our services.  
 Rev. H. P. Knott, 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**  
 Tuesday prayer meeting, 8 p. m.  
 C. A. Program, Thursday, 8 p. m., special music and songs.  
 The public is invited to attend each service.  
 R. L. FRANKS, 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.

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
 Fourth and Grand  
 Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.  
 Morning worship, 10:50 a. m.  
 Christian Endeavor: Junior, 5 p. m.; senior, 6:30 p. m.  
 Choir rehearsal, Wednesday, 8 p. m.  
 The association of the Ladies' Missionary Society meets the first and third Thursday, 2:30 p. m.  
 The pastor will be at Sherman Memorial Church, Loco Hills, each first and third Sunday, 7 p. m.; at the old Illinois oil field camp each second and fourth Sunday, 7 p. m.  
 J. Basil Ramsey, Pastor.

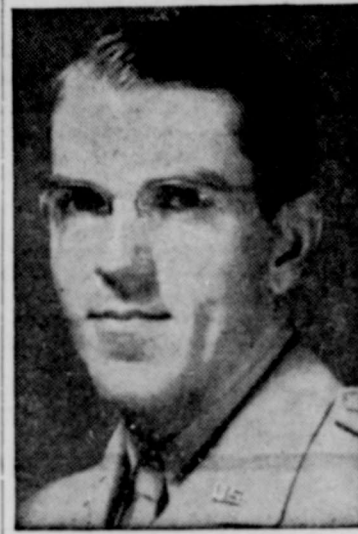
**PRIMER IGLESIA BAUTISTA MEXICANA**  
 Sunday school services, Tirzo Marquez, superintendent, 10 a. m.  
 Preaching, sermon by pastor, 11 a. m.  
 Evening worship, 7:30 p. m.  
 Prayer meeting, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.  
 Rev. Donaciano Bejarano, Pastor.

**SPANISH-AMERICAN METHODIST CHURCH**  
 North Hill  
 Every Sunday: Sunday school, at 3 p. m., Henry Juarez, superintendent; preaching service, 4 p. m., by the pastor.  
 We ask all members and friends to please take notice of the new schedule, and be present at 3 o'clock every Sunday afternoon at the church.  
 The pastor also will be in Artesia to visit members and friends, on the second Wednesday of each month, and there will be an evening service at 8:15 o'clock that same Wednesday.  
 The public and all visitors are welcome to our services.  
 Rev. Evaristo Picazo, Pastor.  
 212 West Lea St., Carlsbad.

**FOR SALE—Ration Book Holders, 5c to 35c. The Artesia Advocate.**  
 Fight the Axis Blight—with All Your Might!

## Chaplain, Former Artesia Boy, to Be Heard Sunday

Chaplain (Major) William C. Taggart, formerly of Artesia when his father, the Rev. W. C. Taggart, was pastor of the First Baptist Church a number of years ago, will be the speaker on the Baptist Hour at 6:30 o'clock Sunday evening, MWT, it has been announced by the Rev. S. M. Morgan, present pastor of the local church.



MAJOR W. C. TAGGART

Major Taggart lived with his parents at Hope prior to coming to Artesia as a youth and is known to many people in North Eddy County.

His subject, "My Fighting Congregation," is the title of his book, which tells of his experiences as a chaplain.

Major Taggart resigned his pastorate at Wichita Falls, Tex., to enter the service as a chaplain prior to Pearl Harbor. He has ministered to military men in training camps, encouraged and strengthened them as they entered fierce combat, held the hands of many as they died, and buried the bodies of some on foreign soil.

The Rev. Mr. Morgan said that Chaplain Taggart, knowing of the experiences of military men, will be of unusual interest to all America in his broadcast at this time. One of the Southwestern stations over which he will be heard is KGNC, Amarillo.

**MRS. M'CAW ATTENDS FUNERAL OF NEICE AT TUCSON, ARIZONA**  
 Mrs. Hagen McCaw and her daughter, Peggy left Sunday for Tucson, Ariz., called there because of the death of a neice, Alice Curry, who died Saturday and was buried Monday. Miss Curry, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Curry, former residents of the Artesia community, was 19 years of age.

**SANTA FE CARLOADINGS**  
 The Santa Fe System carloadings for week ending Jan. 20 were 24,115, compared with 22,645 for the same week in 1944. Cars received from connections totaled 14,139, compared with 12,634 for the same week in 1944. Total cars moved were 38,254, compared with 35,279 for the same week in 1944. Santa Fe handled total of 37,612 cars in the preceding week of this year.

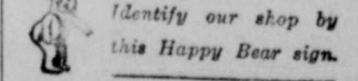
A farm lad who took a defense job in the big city returned home a few months later to report he was flat broke in spite of the big pay. He said, "Most of my money I spent on women and whiskey. The rest I just wasted."



## IT'S NO FUN to drive with POOR LIGHTS

Don't put up with dim, misadjusted lights—when you can enjoy driving with bright, properly focused lights—it costs no more in battery power. Our new Bear Headlight Tester is a scientific instrument that quickly tells how strong your bulbs are—whether they are in focus and what adjustments are necessary to obtain proper lights for safe, comfortable driving.

You'll be amazed at the difference a few simple adjustments can make in your headlights. This new tester gives an accurate test—no guesswork. It checks and double checks all adjustments. We guarantee this service. Stop in for a free check-up today.



Identify our shop by this Happy Bear sign.  
**Guy Chevrolet Co.**  
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## Sands of Time

**JUST A YEAR AGO**  
 Gov. John J. Dempsey, while attending a dinner here in his honor, given by a group of oil men, announced he will be a candidate to succeed himself, the first time he has committed himself.

W. E. Patterson and C. A. Sheets miraculously escaped critical injury or death Friday afternoon, when a large oil transport truck on which they were working exploded. Patterson, the more seriously hurt, suffered somewhat from shock and his back and hips were injured and bruised to the extent he could not walk, but X-ray examination showed no broken bones.

**FIFTEEN YEARS AGO**  
 (From The Advocate Files for Jan. 23, 1930.)  
 Fred Brainard has been chosen to pilot the Chamber of Commerce the ensuing year. Martin Yates is vice president; Dr. J. J. Clark, secretary, and J. S. Ward, treasurer.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Landis Feather yesterday morning.

Jeff Hightower came in Tuesday from Kansas City, where he had been attending a hardware salesmen's convention.

H. S. Williams, local manager of the Southwestern Public Service Company, sustained a burned hand last week during a fire at the Alfalfa Mill Company building, while trying to cut an electric wire on a pole.

**CAUTION:** You'd better look close, now, before telling the wife she has wrinkles in her nose. She may not have any on!

An optimist is one who sees only the down payment.

Christmas vacations are over, which prompts us to remark that most boys like school best—closed.

Soldiers back from New Guinea report having seen tribes of wild women without tongues. No wonder they were wild!

**LIFE'S Little TROUBLES**  
  
**-CAN'T EAT-**  
 You don't have to worry and fret because CONSTIPATION or GAS PRESSURE discomforts won't let you eat. Instead of feeling nervous—blue or bewildered, take a dash of ADLER-I-KA to quickly expel gas—to soften and assist food wastes thru a comfortable bowel movement. Enjoy that clean, refreshed feeling that lifts spirits—rekindles smiles—improves appetite. Buy it! Try it! You'll never be without Adlerka again. Caution, use only as directed. Get Adlerka from your druggist today.

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PRESCRIPTIONS FILLED at the **Artesia Pharmacy** At a price you can afford to pay

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 A. F. & A. M.  
 Meets Third Thursday Night of Each Month  
 Visiting members invite to attend these meetings

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 PHYSICIAN and SURGEON  
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 Red Cross

**AUTOMOTIVE**  
 Artesia Auto Co., Wrecker Service Ph. 53  
**ELECTRICAL REPAIRING**  
 Doc Loucks, Rewinding All Kinds, 107 Quay Ph. 65  
**FEEDS**  
 E. B. Bullock, Feed, Flour, Coal, Seeds Ph. 86  
**PLUMBING-HEATING**  
 Artesia Plumbing & Heating Co., 508 W. Main, Ph. 712

**WELDING**  
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 Artesia Advocate, 316 W. Main—Call Us Ph. 1

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### Zachry Heads Southern Union Gas Company

At a recent meeting of the board of directors of Southern Union Gas Company held in Dallas, Tex., C. H. Zachry of Dallas was elected president succeeding Wofford Cain, also of Dallas, it was announced by Charles Gaskins, Artesia manager. Cain, one of the organizers of the company, had been chairman of the board and president since 1943. He will continue as chairman of the board and will remain active in the affairs and operations of the company. Zachry has been an executive of the firm more than eleven years, and his most recent office was executive vice president and general manager.



C. H. ZACHRY

There will be no changes in personnel or operating policies, it was announced.

Other officers of the company are F. W. Smith, vice president-treasurer, Dallas; James C. Reid, vice president-operating manager, Dallas; James R. Cole, vice president, Santa Fe; Ross Byron, vice president, Chicago; H. V. McConkey, Secretary, Dallas.

Southern Union Gas Company, with headquarters in Dallas, was organized in Texas 17 years ago and the majority of the stock is owned in New Mexico and Texas. Today the company is serving approximately 60,000 consumers in 29 cities in New Mexico and Texas. The cities served in New Mexico are Artesia, Belen, Bernalillo, Carlsbad, Clovis, Dexter, Farmington, Hagerman, Lake Arthur, Lovington, Lovington, Los Lunas, Portales, Santa Fe, Tesuque, Texico and Tucumcari, and sells gas to the city gates of Albuquerque, and Roswell.

Prior to 1942, Southern Union

### Lower Cottonwood (Ora Buck)

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Alexander and family have moved to Section 6 on the Cottonwood.

Kenneth Allen, who is stationed with the Navy at San Diego, Calif., is at home on leave, visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sid Allen, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse I. Funk of Upper Cottonwood have received word that their son, Lt. Joe Bill Funk, has been wounded while in action. He has written his parents not to worry.

Mrs. C. E. Jackson, head of the "March of Dimes" committee for Lake Arthur, has announced a musical program will be staged there at 7:30 o'clock this evening as part of the committee's campaign to raise funds. The high school chorus will give several numbers and Mrs. Halpert and her rhythm band will perform with Walter Knowles. The students of Mrs. Redmond Pate and Mrs. McClanahan will appear on the program.

Roy Laman of the Cottonwood community broke his leg Saturday while riding a motorcycle. He was taken to Artesia Memorial Hospital.

A good rain fell at Cottonwood the first of last week, delaying cotton picking several days. Most of the farmers are now pulling bolls. Quite a few have started to plow their land.

The road grader was in the community the first of the week working the roads.

Mrs. Tom Terry will entertain the Cottonwood Woman's Club at her home Feb. 1.

Mrs. I. P. Johnson has gone to California to visit her son, Pfc.

was a holding company and through mergers and consolidations, required by the Securities and Exchange Commission, the company has been integrated and is now strictly an operating company.

### Bronchial COUGHS

(Resulting From Colds)  
Buckley's Famous "CANADIOL" Mixture Acts Like a Flash

Spend a few cents today at any drug store for a bottle of Buckley's CANADIOL Mixture (triple acting). Take a couple of sips at bedtime. Feel its instant powerful effective action spread thru throat, head and bronchial tubes. It starts at once to loosen up thick, choking phlegm, soothe raw membranes and make breathing easier.

Sufferers from those persistent, nasty irritating coughs or bronchial irritations due to colds find Buckley's brings quick and effective relief. Don't wait—get Buckley's Canadiol today. You get relief instantly.

Artesia Pharmacy, Palace Drug Store, C. E. Mann Drug Co.

Charles Johnson, who is stationed in the Army there.

Next Sunday is the regular church day at Cottonwood Church. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

Donald Ray Thigpen, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Thigpen, was honored on his birthday Monday afternoon with a party given by his mother at the Thigpen home on Cottonwood. He was 4 years old. A large birthday cake, with "Pug" written in pink across the top, was

served with ice cream, punch and coffee, after the honoree had opened his many gifts. Present besides the honoree were his sister, Norma Jo, and Terry Jane Glenelle, Bill Gray, Mary Jean Buck, Jimmie Day McNeil, Bobbie D. Bourland; Sue Armstrong, Bobby Jorren, Gaynelle Brown, Charles Brown, Jack and Ted Pearson, Abbie Frances Pearson, and Milton Bobo. Adults present were Mrs. L. M. Vaughn, Katherine McDermott, Mrs. C. R. Sylvester, Mrs. Tom

Terry, Mrs. Orval Gray, Mrs. Watson McNeil, Mrs. Charlie Buck, Mrs. Bob Bourland, Mrs. Charles Brown, Mrs. O. A. Pearson, Mrs. Basil Bobo, and Mrs. Jesse I. Funk.

Paper manufacturing from wood pulp in Maine dates back to 1820. Ten years after the establishment of the paper mill industry there was a rapid development of the lumber, granite, ice, and fishery trades.

One of the gals in the plywood department says we don't know anything about crowded living conditions if we haven't noticed her last year's slacks.

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OPTOMETRISTS  
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### Clean FALSE TEETH

THIS EASY WAY . . .

At last, a scientific way to clean false teeth and bridge work REALLY clean. Just put your plate in a glass of water to which a little quick-acting Kleenite has been added. With magic-like speed, discoloration and stains vanish—the original clean brightness returns! It's easy, economical. Ask your druggist for Kleenite today.

Get KLEENITE today at Mann Drug Co., Artesia Pharmacy, Palace Drug Store, or any good druggist.

## SAFEWAY

In '45 expect more for less at Safeway

The items listed below are examples of why you can expect to save more at Safeway in '45. They are every day shelf prices, not "specials," which means you save every day at Safeway.

GARDENSIDE  
TOMATO SAUCE  
No Points  
7 1/2 oz. can . . . . . 4c

AVALON  
SARDINES  
16 oz. tin . . . . . 10c

CAMPBELLS TOMATO  
SOUP  
No Points  
10 1/2 oz. cans, 3 for 25c

CAMPBELLS CREAM OF MUSHROOM  
SOUP  
No Points  
10 1/2 oz. can . . . . . 17c

TOWNHOUSE  
GRAPEFRUIT JUICE  
19 oz. can . . . . . 13c

ASSORTED FLAVORS  
JELLO  
Reg. box . . . . . 6c

PETAPASCO  
APPLE BUTTER  
28 oz. glass . . . . . 20c

REAL ROAST  
PEANUT BUTTER  
2 lb. jar . . . . . 45c

CANTERBURY  
MINCEMEAT  
2 lb. jar . . . . . 39c

MANCHESTER  
APPLE JUICE  
12 oz. bottle . . . . . 10c

GOLD MEDAL  
APPLE CIDER  
Qt. . . . . 24c

C & E  
GRAPE JELLY  
16 oz. jar 20c

SLEEPY HOLLOW  
SYRUP  
16 oz. bot. 20c



Green Split Peas . . . . . 14c  
Lentils . . . . . 15c

### PRODUCE

LETTUCE, Arizona, Peak of the Season, lb. . 12c  
CELERY, Utah Type, lb. . . . . 15c  
CAULIFLOWER, Snowball Heads, lb. . . . . 17c  
BROCCOLI, Dark Green Heads, lb. . . . . 19c  
POTATOES, Idaho Russets, Mesh Bag, 10 lbs. 49c  
TOMATOES, From Mexico, No. 1, lb. . . . . 22c  
ORANGES, Arizona Navels, lb. . . . . 11c  
APPLES, Winesap, lb. . . . . 14c  
GRAPEFRUIT, Ruby Red, lb. . . . . 8c

SUPURB GRANULATED SOAP  
24 oz. box . . . . . 21c

WHITE MAGIC BLEACH  
1/2 gal. . . . . 23c

LINT STARCH  
12 oz. box . . . . . 10c

WOODBURY TOILET SOAP  
Reg., 3 for . 23c

LUX TOILET SOAP  
3 for . . . . . 20c

KITCHEN CHARM WAX PAPER  
125 ft. roll . 17c

SUGAR BELLE PEAS  
19 Oz. Can . . . . . 16c

GARDENSIDE Tomatoes  
19 Oz. Can . . . . . 12c

COUNTRY HOME C. S. CORN  
14c

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19 Oz. Can . . . . . 12c

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FRANKFURTERS . . . . . 35c

ROAST . . . . . 31c

SAUSAGE . . . . . 37c

STEW MEAT . . . . . 17c

SAUSAGE . . . . . 25c

LAMB CHOPS . . . . . 50c

ROAST . . . . . 25c

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EDWARDS COFFEE  
2 lb. jar . 57c

SCHILLINGS COFFEE  
1 lb. jar . 32c

KITCHEN CRAFT FLOUR  
50 lb bag 2.32

HARVEST BLOSSOM FLOUR  
10 lb. bag 44c

COLORADO GOLD BUTTER (Limit)  
1/4 lb. . . . . 12c

FRESH LOCAL Extra Large EGGS  
Doz. . . . . 49c

FOLGERS Regular or Drip COFFEE  
2 lb. jar . 63c

VAN CAMPS Chili Con Carne  
29 oz. gls. 29c

### SAFEWAY GUARANTEED MEAT

All Meat Frankfurters . . . . . 35c

Pork Roast . . . . . 31c

Pure Pork Sausage . . . . . 37c

Beef Grade A Stew Meat . . . . . 17c

Mexican Sausage . . . . . 25c

Grade A Lamb Chops . . . . . 50c

Beef Grade A Roast . . . . . 25c

Beef Grade A Rib Chops . . . . . 30c

Point Free—Grade C Veal Roast . . . . . 19c

Point Free—Grade C Veal Stew . . . . . 14c

Pure Hog Lard, bulk . . . . . 18c

Point Free—Grade A Veal Rib Chops . . . . . 29c

Bulk Mince meat . . . . . 18c

Pure Pork Link Sausage . . . . . 46c

WORKING GIRLS DISCOVER WHAT HOUSEWIVES KNOW!

IM SO GLAD YOU CAN COME, JIM. DON'T YOU DARE ARRIVE WITHOUT THAT CHARMING IT. BAMFORD!

OH, JANE! HOW COULD YOU! TWO DAYS BEFORE PAY DAY AND HARDLY ENOUGH IN THE HOUSE TO FEED A CANARY!

LET'S LOOK IN HERE A MINUTE. ONE OF THE GIRLS AT THE OFFICE SAYS SHE SAVES A LOT OF MONEY AT SAFEWAY!

THEY'D ALMOST HAVE TO GIVE THINGS AWAY IF WE'RE GOING TO HAVE A SPECIAL DINNER FOR THE NAVY.

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Real competition doesn't come from punitive taxes, or subsidies, or any other sort of horse-race handicapping to make everybody in business start even. For it isn't equality that's needed; it's the inequalities that are the true measure of progress.

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## Miss Archer and Lieutenant Denton Are Married in Candlelight Service At Archer Home Saturday Evening

Miss Ann Archer, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Archer, and Lt. Charles A. Denton, were married at 8 o'clock Saturday evening at the home of the parents of the bride at 903 South Roselawn.

The Rev. S. M. Morgan, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Artesia, read the ring ceremony of his faith in a candlelight service with members of the two immediate families in attendance.

Pre-nuptial numbers were played by Mrs. Howard Whitson on her violin.

The bride was met at the foot of the stairway by her father, who gave her in marriage. The stairway was twined with ivy, ferns, and white satin ribbons. Vows were said before an altar in front of a large window. The closed window drapes were massed with greenery, tied with white satin ribbons, which was lighted by white cathedral candles in seven-point candelabra. On either side were two floor baskets of white carnations and a white rug on which the bridal pair stood.

Miss Archer was gowned in a wedding dress which has been worn by many of the Archer women, one which is considered a gorgeous creation, of shell pink chiffon styled with full skirt with train, a deep yoke of matching lace, which also formed the top of the sleeves, and in which the design was outlined with tiny seed pearls. Her finger-tip illusion veil of the same shade of delicate pink of the wedding gown was held in place with a cornet of lilies of the valley and sweetpeas. Her bouquet was white carnations and white sweetpeas tied with a shower of white satin ribbons, in which sweetpeas were tied. She carried a handkerchief of point lace, which was carried by her mother and sister of her family.

Miss Teddy Jane Archer was her sister's only attendant. She wore a smart, pale blue formal gown of taffeta and a corsage of flame colored sweetpeas.

Mrs. Archer, mother of the bride, chose for the wedding an attractive pink woolen frock, with which she wore a corsage of Dutch iris. Mrs. Denton chose for her son's wedding an informal light blue and white print and Mrs. Walter Archer, grandmother of the bride, wore a black sheer frock and a corsage of gardenias.

The bride came to Artesia with her parents about a year ago from Oklahoma. Her father, a building contractor, was known by many here before bringing his family to the city.

Lieutenant Denton, a son of one of the pioneer families of the community, has returned from overseas duty where, he completed more than 50 missions. He is now stationed at Albuquerque, Kirtland Field, but expects to be transferred to the West Coast.

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Colorful corsages marked the places of guests, who were Mrs. T. L. Archer, Mrs. Merrill Sharp, Mrs. A. M. Archer, Mrs. J. W. Jones, Mrs. Shirley Hager, Mrs. Pete Jordan, Mrs. George Wilks, Mrs. Howard Gissler and the honoree.

The coffee table was spread with a linen cloth of Italian cutwork with a center arrangement of yellow acacia and fern on a mirror.

Mrs. Walter Archer, grandmother of the bride-elect, presided at the silver coffee service.

Guests were Mrs. H. A. Denton, Mrs. T. L. Archer, Mrs. T. E. Brown, Mrs. D. D. Archer, Mrs. J. W. Berry, Mrs. H. R. Paton, Mrs. M. W. Evans, Mrs. W. S. Hogsett, Mrs. Andy Company, Mrs. Earl McDorman, Mrs. Doyle Cowles, Mrs. A. M. Archer, and the honoree, Miss Ann Archer.

Among the lovely courtesies for Miss Archer before her marriage Saturday evening was a dinner party, at which Mrs. M. W. Evans was hostess at her attractive home Friday evening.

The dinner was served in three courses at a table smartly appointed with silver and china. A white snapdragon bouquet and a miniature bride and bridegroom in uniform were used for a centerpiece. The table was lighted by white tapers.

Mrs. Evans and her guests presented Miss Archer a lovely gift. Seated at the dinner with Mrs. Evans and the honoree, Miss Archer, were Miss Teresa Goehring, Miss Juanita Denton, Miss Louise Archer, Miss Lora Mae Robinson, Mrs. Frances Hunt, Mrs. T. L. Archer, Mrs. Maude Ployhar, and Miss Kathryn Walterscheid.

T/Sgt. F. O. Ashton, Jr., who, with Mrs. Ashton, arrived here Jan. 12 from Ogden, Utah, where he was stationed, is to leave Friday and report for what he believed to be foreign duty, after being back in the United States the last few months.

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A doll dressed as a bride centered the dining table, which was lighted with tall tapers and spread with a lace cloth. Beautifully wrapped gifts of crystal, silver, cutlery, and linen were stacked high on the table.

Mrs. Robert Waller assisted the hosts in receiving and with the courtesies of the evening. After viewing the many gifts and enjoying well-directed entertainment, assorted cookies were served with hot spiced tea.

Invited guests were Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Basil Bobo, Mrs. May Bonine, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Baker, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Bradford, Mrs. Margaret Calentine, Mrs. C. M. Castleberry, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cobble, Mr. and Mrs. Abe Conner, Mrs. Claude C. Davidson, Mrs. Carl Dingler, Thomas Daniel, Mr. and Mrs. Sy Edgerton, Mrs. C. E. Fletcher, Miss Bonnie Fletcher, Miss Floy Fletcher, Mrs. Emma Garrett, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Glasscock, Miss Elsie Green, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Garner.

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Current Events were given by Mrs. Carl Lewis.

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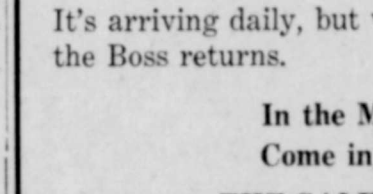
Mr. and Mrs. Bob Thompson and their small son of Hartley, Tex., visited their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Jones, here last week. The visitors were accompanied to El Paso and on a trip across the border by Mr. and Mrs. Jones.

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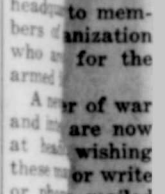
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### Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Henry Announce Engagement of Their Only Daughter, Ruby, and Lieutenant Louis B. Dugas

Announcement of the engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Ruby Henry, only daughter and child of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Henry, and Louis B. Dugas was made when Mrs. Henry entertained with an announcement tea Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. R. Blocker.

Mrs. Henry, gowned in a fusia crepe dinner frock, with which she wore a corsage of white gladioli, and Miss Henry, bride-elect, wearing a white net formal frock, with tight fitted floral bodice, with which she wore a corsage of red carnations, received more than 50 guests.

Miss Ella Bauslin, wearing a mulberry colored frock, with white gladioli corsage, presided at the guestbook.

The tea table was spread with a linen cutwork cloth, handwork of Mrs. Henry, lighted with tall white tapers in double crystal candle holders, which were decorated with a nosegay of pink sweetpeas, tied on with pink satin ribbon and placed on either side of a large crystal ring filled with pink sweetpeas with a miniature bride and bridegroom elevated in the center.

The engagement was revealed in little white booklets, which were tied with tiny, white satin streamers, to which a sweetpea was fastened, and when opened read in gold lettering, "Ruby-Louis," placed around the floral centerpiece on the table. The wedding date has been set for Feb. 10 at the chapel at Carlsbad Army Air Field.

Miss Henry was a member of the graduating class of '44 at Artesia High School and has since been employed as secretary in the office of Mark Whelan, geologist.

"We hardly know what we would be able to do without these women, two of whom have spent nine hours each this week," said Sister Scholastica.

One class of women has trained for service in this community or wherever they may be and another class is to be trained sometime in the near future. Those eligible are urged to plan their time in order to train with the next class. The need in our nation is urgent now and will become more urgent in the future, it is reported.

MRS. CUNNINGHAM'S FATHER DIES IN TEXAS

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Cunningham and daughter, Mary Lou, were called to Bridgeport, Tex., Sunday because of the serious illness of Mrs. Cunningham's father, D. L. Turnbow, who died Tuesday afternoon. Funeral services probably are being held today, but details could not be learned.

MRS. GREEN HOSTESS PAST MATRONS CLUB MONDAY AFTERNOON

Mrs. Arba Green was hostess Monday afternoon in entertaining members of the Past Matrons Club.

Mrs. W. S. Hogsett, incoming president, presided in the absence of the president.

Those attending were Mrs. Calvin Dunn, Mrs. P. V. Morris, Mrs. J. M. Story, Mrs. Jeff Hightower, Mrs. Stanley Blocker, Mrs. W. S. Hogsett, and Mrs. John Rowland.

### A Girl Scout Area Training Held in City

An area training meeting for girl scout leadership, the first in Artesia, was held here Monday and Tuesday. There were more than 50 council members and leaders who registered for the training meeting, representing the towns of Roswell, Eunice, Fort Sumner, Hobbs, Clovis, Carlsbad, and Artesia.

The opening ceremony was put on Monday afternoon by Troop 1 of the Artesia Girl Scouts, under the direction of their leader, Mrs. Vilas P. Sheldon.

Visitors were welcomed by Mrs. Mark A. Corbin, president of the Artesia Girl Scout Association, and also by Mayor Emery Carper, chairman of the state men's committee.

Miss Capitola J. Hill, field representative with headquarters in Artesia, presided. Mrs. Jack McCullough of Clovis was song leader.

About 60 attended a dinner at the Artesia Hotel Coffee Shop Monday evening, with Mrs. Mark A. Corbin presiding. Judge J. D. Josey addressed those assembled on "Adult Responsibility for Child Welfare," Miss Priscilla Kohl rendered acordion numbers. Activities of scouting in all towns represented were reported.

Folk dancing was enjoyed at the city hall, where a meeting was held after the dinner Monday under the direction of Mrs. Jack McCullough.

Those who registered for training were Mrs. Mark A. Corbin, Mrs. Carl Byler, Mrs. V. P. Sheldon, Mrs. Eva Speck, Mrs. B. A. DeMars, Mrs. R. A. Thomas, Mrs. L. A. Hanson, Mrs. W. J. Royer, Mrs. Glenn Collard, Mrs. Gus Arnold, Mrs. O. H. Brown, Mrs. J. T. Easley, Mrs. R. G. Fuller, Mrs. Joe Nunn, Mrs. Niven Baird, Miss Kathryn Walterschied, Mrs. Louie Burch, Mrs. H. T. Gissler, Mrs. Raymond Bartlett, Mrs. Glenn Worthington, Mrs. Grady Booker, Mrs. George Beadle, Mrs. Walter Solt, Miss Wanda Parkhurst, Mrs. H. F. Fuchs, Mrs. Frank Williams, Mrs. Trop Peppers, Mrs. J. C. Vandevinter, Mrs. Kay Martin, and Judge J. D. Josey, Artesia.

There were six from Carlsbad, five from Hobbs, four from Clovis, two from Fort Sumner, one from Eunice, and three from Roswell.

last Thursday evening at the Woman's Club

About thirty-five couples danced to music by the Knowles Orchestra.

A sandwich plate lunch was served at midnight.

### Nurses Aides Help Meet Emergencies at Memorial Hospital

The eleven members of the class of nurses aides, who recently completed class training and are now ready for duty in order to complete their hours before the capping ceremony, are now helping meet emergencies at Artesia Memorial Hospital.

"We hardly know what we would be able to do without these women, two of whom have spent nine hours each this week," said Sister Scholastica.

One class of women has trained for service in this community or wherever they may be and another class is to be trained sometime in the near future. Those eligible are urged to plan their time in order to train with the next class. The need in our nation is urgent now and will become more urgent in the future, it is reported.

### Pioneer Dance Club January Dance Held Thursday Evening

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. McDonald, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Dunn, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Martin were hosts at a formal dancing party of the Pioneer Dance Club

last Thursday evening at the Woman's Club

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A sandwich plate lunch was served at midnight.

Mrs. John D. Josey, Jr., and daughter, Helen, who have been at Fort Douglas, Utah, with their husband and father, Captain Josey, arrived here last week to visit his parents, Judge and Mrs. J. D. Josey.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Dingler of Blanchard, Okla., arrived Sunday to visit Mr. Dingler's brother, J. W. Dingler, about a week. From here they plan to go to California to visit their sons.

### NOTICE OF REGULAR BIENNIAL ELECTION FOR TWO MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF ARTESIA MUNICIPAL SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. SIXTEEN

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: That the regular biennial election for the purpose of electing two members for terms of six years each to the Board of Education of Artesia Municipal School District No. 16 is hereby called and will be held on Tuesday, February 13, 1945.

The Board of Education of Artesia Municipal School District No. 16 has divided said district into two voting districts, and has designated one polling place in each voting district and appointed election judges and clerks in said district as follows:

VOTING DISTRICT NO. 1: That portion of Artesia Municipal School District No. 16 lying West of the Pecos River. POLLING PLACE: Basement of City Hall building at the corner of Fifth and Main Streets in Artesia, New Mexico. JUDGES AND CLERKS:

JUDGES: Arba Green, Mrs. P. V. Morris, Mrs. Lloyd Simon

CLERKS: Mrs. Wallace Hastings, Mrs. Ralph Barr

VOTING DISTRICT NO. 2: That portion of Artesia Municipal School District No. 16 lying east of the Pecos River. POLLING PLACE: The Sherman Memorial Community Church, Loco Hills, New Mexico. JUDGES AND CLERKS:

JUDGES: Mrs. J. L. Briscoe, Mrs. Henry Etz

CLERKS: Mrs. John Lambly, Mrs. Earnest Thompson, Mrs. J. E. Goodrich

BOUNDARIES OF VOTING DISTRICT NO. 1 are: bounded on the East by the Pecos River and including the territory West of the Pecos River bounded as follows: beginning approximately 4 1/2 miles north of the Pecos River Bridge at a point on the Pecos River; thence West 5 miles; thence South 1 mile; thence West 7 miles; thence South 6 miles; thence East approximately 12 miles to the Pecos River.

BOUNDARIES OF VOTING DISTRICT NO. 2 are: All territory East of the Pecos River bounded as follows: beginning at a point on the Pecos River where it crosses the Eddy-Chaves County line; thence East to the Lea County line; thence South 12 miles on the Eddy-Lea County line; thence West approximately 30 miles to the Pecos River.

Attest: FRED COLE, Clerk of the Board.

M. G. SCHULZE, President of the Board.

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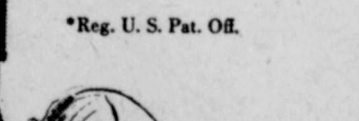
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The New Mexico Boys Ranch organization was incorporated in this state last September, with Albert E. Buck, president; Carl Brogram, vice-president; Charles E. Minton, secretary, and Sid Murray, treasurer. Their purpose is to build men. The ranch home will be located on broad acres of New Mexico soil, where the boys will learn to live and work together and know what real home life is. Their program will include training that will give each boy the basis of useful citizenship in his adult life.

Right now the board is inspecting sites for the ranch. Plans for financing the venture are in the making. The board comprises representatives from various service clubs, indicating its statewide character, and will be operated as a gift from the big-hearted citizens of New Mexico to the boy who needs a friend. In a few years time, it will become self-supporting.

The board has scheduled a meeting of directors and advisors for next Monday evening for the purpose of hearing progress reports from various members of the board on different phases of the ranch home activity. Because of the wide interest in the Boys Ranch throughout the state, thirty minutes of the proceedings will be broadcast by remote control over radio station KOB, starting at 8:30 o'clock Monday evening. All interested citizens are invited to listen in.

It is now revealed that the cocktail the major general drank in England, which caused him to give the tip-off on D-Day, was a "radio Special." Three drinks and you start broadcasting.

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF HARVEY L. MUNCY, ALSO KNOWN AS H. L. MUNCY, DECEASED. No. 1185

### NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT OF EXECUTRIX

Notice is hereby given that the Last Will and Testament of Harvey L. Muncy, deceased, together with the Codicil attached thereto, has been admitted to probate in the Probate Court of Eddy County, New Mexico in the above styled and numbered cause. Notice is further given that Lois Laverne Williams has been appointed Executrix of said Last Will and Testament of Harvey L. Muncy, deceased and has qualified as such, and all persons having claims against said decedent are notified to file the same within six months from January 18, 1945, as provided by law, or said claims will be barred. DATED this 16th day of January, 1945.

Lois Laverne Williams, Executrix. 3-4t-6

### NOTICE OF SUIT PENDING THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO, TO: HENRY THOMAS PARKER, DEFENDANT, GREETING:

You are hereby notified that an action has been commenced against you in the District Court of Eddy County, State of New Mexico, No. 8736 on the Civil Docket of said County, wherein Bonnie Lee Parker is Plaintiff and you, Henry Thomas Parker, are Defendant.

That the general objects of the action are to obtain a decree of divorce and a judgment that all property in possession of the Plaintiff is her separate property and to restore Plaintiff's former name of Bonnie Lee.

Neil B. Watson, Artesia, New Mexico, is Plaintiff's attorney. You are further notified that unless you enter your appearance in said cause on or before February 15, 1945, judgment will be rendered in said cause against you by default.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of said Court this 29th day of December, A. D., 1944.

(SEAL)  
Ethel M. Highsmith, Clerk of the District Court. 1-4t-4

### NOTICE STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE

Number of Application RA-1511 Santa Fe, N. M., Dec. 29, 1944.

Notice is hereby given that on the 24th day of November, 1944, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, Ralph Pearson of Lake Arthur, County of Chaves State of New Mexico, made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a permit to change location of shallow groundwater well No. RA-1511 from present location in the Southwest Corner of Lot 10, Section 2, Township 16 South, Range 25 East, N. M. P. M., to a location in Lot 13, Section 2, Township 16 South, Range 25 East, N. M. P. M., where applicant proposes to drill a shallow groundwater well 15 inches in diameter and approximately 200 feet in depth for the purpose of perpetuating rights already established under License RA-1511.

Any person, firm, association, corporation, the State of New Mexico or the United States of America, deeming that the granting of the above application will be truly detrimental to their rights in the waters of said underground

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source, may protest in writing the State Engineer's granting of approval of said application. The protest shall set forth all protestant's reasons why the application should not be approved and shall be accompanied by supporting affidavits and by proof that a copy of the protest has been served upon the applicant. Said protest and proof of service must be filed with the State Engineer within ten (10) days after the date of the last publication of this notice. Unless protested, the application will be given final consideration for approval by the State Engineer on the 9th day of February, 1945.

Thomas M. McClure, State Engineer. 2-3t-4

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Leave Artesia ..... 6:35 p. m.

## WFA Announces Minimum Egg Prices for 1945

New Mexico farmers will receive a minimum price of 27 cents a dozen for candled eggs in 1945, Gordon H. Wood, WFA's Office of Distribution, said today. This price will be supported by purchases from dealers upon certification they in turn have paid no less than support price to producers. He emphasized that WFA support means a "floor" price and should not be confused with "ceiling prices."

In areas where marketing facilities for purchasing candled eggs from producers cannot be made available, minimum producer price of 24 cents a dozen will be paid. In these areas WFA will stand ready to purchase eggs from farmers at 24 cents a dozen straight run.

Purchase agents will be designated in all areas prior to beginning of heavy egg production. Wood said WFA hopes that producers can provide facilities for candling in order that they may receive 27 cents rather than 24 cents a dozen.

To avoid storage and transportation difficulties encountered in 1944 due to poor condition of shipping cases and packing material, purchases by WFA in 1945 will be on basis of good used cases, complete with tops, or in new fiber cases.

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## Production Credit Group's Annual Meet Will Be Next Thursday

Members of the Roswell Production Credit Association will hold their 11th annual meeting Thursday, Feb. 1, T. H. Boswell, Jr., secretary-treasurer, has announced. The meeting will be held in the Woman's Club at Roswell.

Plans for the program include a review of the association's financial progress during the year, discussion of membership activities, and an address by Zenas R. Brush, acting secretary of the Production Credit Corporation of Wichita, Kan.

Election of two directors will be held during the day. The present directors of the association are E. O. Moore of Dexter, G. R. Brainard of Artesia, C. F. Beaman of Loving, W. M. Snyder of Lovington, and James P. Hall of Ancho.

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**Upper Cottonwood**

(Mrs. D. A. Bradley)

The Ladies Aid Society of Cottonwood held its regular January meeting last Thursday at the home of Mrs. D. A. Bradley, with Mrs. Fred Chambers cohostess. The meeting was opened with the prayer of Mrs. James Thigpen, in the chair, with group singing. The devotional leader, Mrs. E. P. Malone, took charge, with sentence prayer by Mrs. D. A. Bradley and closed by Mrs. Malone, after which installation of officers was held around a lace-covered table, centered with a beautiful bowl of sweet peas, surrounded by candles in crystal holders, which were lighted by each officer installed. They were: President, Mrs. James Thigpen; vice president, Mrs. O. B. Montgomery; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Ralph Pearson; devotional leader, Mrs. E. P. Malone; program leader, Mrs. Mary Frances O'Bannon; building and finance, Mrs. Jess Funk, and Mrs. Fred Chambers, year-book, Mrs. O. A. Pearson; flower chairman, Mrs. D. A. Bradley, Red Cross chairman, Mrs. Glenn O'Bannon. Chairmen for some of the places were not present, and were filled in by officers of the same committees. Mrs. Malone had charge of the program. The meeting was closed by prayer by Mrs. Chambers. During the social hour the hostesses served refreshments to Mrs. E. B. Green, Mrs. Carl Manda, Mrs. Monroe Howard, Mrs. Henry Lamb, Mrs. Charles Buck, Mrs. O. A. Pearson, Mrs. Ralph Pearson, Mrs. Glenn O'Bannon, Mrs. Jess Funk, Mrs. Ray Sylvesta, Mrs. James Thigpen, Mrs. J. W. McNeil, Mrs. O. B. Montgomery, Mrs. E. P. Malone, and Mrs. Frances O'Bannon. The February meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Ralph Pearson, with the annual covered-dish luncheon at the noon hour.

Very lovely was a party and shower at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rierson in Lake Arthur Saturday night, Jan. 6. While the husbands played games in the living room, the ladies also played games in the dining room, and in the last game the ladies played Mrs. Lynn Chumbley was the winner, and to her happy surprise she was presented two beautiful baskets of wrapped packages of dainty and useful gifts. After Mrs. Chumbley and her mother, Mrs. Mills, unwrapped and admired the "baby-to-be" gifts, they were passed for each one present to admire. During the social hour the hostess served delicious refreshments to the Rev. and Mrs. Chester Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. Hazel Mills, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gromo, Mr. and Mrs. R. Lewis and daughters; Mr. and Mrs. John Havins, Mr. and Mrs. Oran Smith and daughters; Mrs. Gromo, Mrs. Ruth Bates, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Jetton, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Needham, Mrs. Edra Smith, Mr. and Mrs. John Lane and two daughters; Mr. and Mrs. Crook, Mrs. Monroe Mills and daughter, Joyce; Mrs. Delois Jones and son, Kenneth LeRoy; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Nihart, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Jackson, Miss Annie Jo Pate and honoree. Mrs. Chumbley's husband is in the Army somewhere overseas.

Mrs. Kentz of North Lake Arthur was hostess at her home last Tuesday afternoon, honoring her sister-in-law, Mrs. Hazel Mills, with a lovely stork shower. As Mrs. Mills entered the living room, she was greatly surprised to see many friends from Roswell and Lake Arthur. After several games were played, the last one was won by the honoree who was awarded a large table full of beautifully wrapped packages. After unwrapping and admiring the dainty and useful gifts, she presented them to each one present to enjoy. During the social hour a beautiful cake, made in the shape of a bassinet, with a beautiful mattress and pillow, was cut and served with coffee to visitors from Roswell, Mrs. L. Kentz, mother of Mrs. Mills; Mrs. Francis Schorn, Mrs. Florence Murry, Mrs. Bertha Watham, and Mrs. Rosa House; from Lake Arthur, Mrs. Clyde Nihart, Mrs. E. C. Jackson, Mrs. Roy Jackson, Mrs. J. B. Crook, Mrs. Renols, Mrs. Lynn Chumbley, Mrs. John Lane,

Mrs. L. C. Cummins, Mrs. Jetton, Mrs. Willard, Mrs. Needham, Mrs. Ed Chandler, Mrs. Bostic, and the honoree. Those who sent gifts were Misses Margaret and Alma Lane, Mrs. Emma Lane, Mrs. Gromo, and Mrs. Bates.

Miss Addie May Bates, daughter of Mrs. Ruth Bates of Lake Arthur, left Saturday morning by bus for Lubbock, Tex., to take nurses' training at General Hospital.

Roy Lamon of this community, an employee at the Guy Chevrolet Company in Artesia, was seriously hurt Saturday afternoon in the north part of town, while riding his motorcycle. He started to go around a big oil truck, which hit the motorcycle, throwing Lamon off and breaking his right leg below the knee and shattering the bone badly. He was getting along nicely Monday, but will remain in the hospital for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Needham of Lake Arthur are the parents of a daughter, born last week at the

Artesia Clinic. Mother and baby are doing nicely and will be brought to their home in Lake Arthur this week.

Capt. Gurvis Cummins, who was at home on a 30-day leave from overseas, left last week for Santa Anita, Calif., where he was to report for duty.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Malone have heard from their son, Sgt. Ernest Malone frequently, saying he is fine. He is stationed in India.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Chambers have received a letter from their son, Sgt. Gene Chambers, who recently visited his wife and parents in this community, saying he was transferred from Larado, Tex., to Lamar Field, Calif. He said he is fine.

Sgt. Aubrey Laman, who recently visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Laman, and who left ten days ago to re-enter a veteran's hospital at Longview, Tex., wrote this week that his leg, which was seriously injured, has been put in another cast and he will be in the

**NEWS OF OUR MEN AND WOMEN IN UNIFORM**

First Lt. Charles F. Horne of Santa Fe, formerly of Artesia, has been appointed personnel officer of the famous Jolly Roger heavy bomber outfit in the Southwest Pacific. The lieutenant's duties include the coordinating of the various facets of administrative work in a heavy bomber unit. His Jolly Roger men have established one of the greatest combat records to come out of the war as their heavy bombers have shot down nearly 400 Jap planes in the air, destroyed hundreds more on the ground, sunk

half a million tons of enemy shipping and led many important missions. On Sept. 1 Jolly Roger bombers led American planes back to the land of Bataan and Corregidor to strike the opening blow of the campaign that was to be climaxed by the Philippine invasion. A veteran of three years of Army service, Lieutenant Horne has been in the Southwest Pacific more than two years of that time. He is a graduate of Artesia High School and attended New Mexico State College. Lieutenant Horne was later employed by the State Highway Department, stationed for a while at Artesia. His wife is the former Miss Ruth French of Artesia.

listing in November, 1942. He was promoted to his present rank in March, 1944. A brother, Wilburn, is a gunner's mate third class serving with the Navy in San Pedro, Calif.

**NOTICE**  
STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE  
Number of Application 2483  
Santa Fe, N. M., January 15, 1945.  
Notice is hereby given that on the 9th day of October, 1944 in accordance with Section 26, Chapter 49, Irrigation Laws of 1907, Leon Clayton of Artesia, County of Eddy, State of New Mexico, made formal application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a permit to appropriate the Public Waters of the State of New

Mexico. Such appropriation is to be made from Spring Lake, by means of a pumping plant at a point whence the Southeast Corner of Section 34, Township 17 South, Range 26 East, N. M. P. M., bears S. 78 degrees 30' E., 1108 feet distant being in the SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$  of said Section 34, and 101.97 acre feet are to be conveyed to 33.97 acres of land by means of pump and open ditches, the land to be irrigated being described as follows:

SUBDIVISION	SEC.	TWP.	RANGE	ACRES
SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$	34	17 S.	26 E.	11.46
SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$	34	17 S.	26 E.	11.46
SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$	34	17 S.	26 E.	11.46
Strip off East side)	3	18 S.	26 E.	2.28
W $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$	3	18 S.	26 E.	1.13
In NE Corner SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$	3	18 S.	26 E.	1.13
<b>Total</b>				<b>33.97</b>

The purpose of this appropriation is to irrigate the above described lands throughout the year. Any person, firm, association or corporation deeming that the granting of the above application would be truly detrimental to their rights in the water of said stream system shall file a complete statement of their objections substantiated by affidavits with the State Engineer and serve a copy on applicant on or before the 16th day of March, 1945, the date set for the Engineer to take this applica-

tion up for final consideration unless protested. In case of protested applications all parties will be given a reasonable length of time in which to submit their evidence in detail or arrange a date convenient for a hearing or appoint a referee satisfactory to all to take testimony. Appearance is not necessary unless advised officially by letter from the State Engineer.

Thomas M. McClure,  
State Engineer.

hospital for some time.

Phyllis Nelson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charley Nelson, hurt her leg badly Saturday night, when the car in which she was riding ran into another car. No one else in the cars was hurt badly, but Phyllis had to have her leg placed in a cast. She is at her home and getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Worley had as their guests Friday night, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Jones of Artesia. Mrs. Jones is Mrs. Worley's sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Robinson have rented their east farm to Luke Ray and Lester Hanson. Mr. and Mrs. Hanson will live near the farm, while Mr. and Mrs. Ray will live in the Robinson house in Lake Arthur.

Mrs. Flowers, who has lived in Lake Arthur the last 25 years, has rented her home out and has moved to Artesia, where she will make her home with her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Baker Flowers, and two sons, whose husband and father is overseas.

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**Wednesday, Jan. 31**

*The Following Property*

<p><b>LIVESTOCK</b></p> <p><b>HOGS</b></p> <p>35—Stokers 12—Weaning pigs 4—Sows and 15 pigs (little)</p> <p><b>POULTRY</b></p> <p>About 100 mixed chickens</p> <p><b>CATTLE—(Milk Cows)</b></p> <p>1—Red cow, 9 yrs. old 1—Muley red cow, 7 yrs. old 1—Holstein cow, 5 yrs. old, good one 1—Red cow, 5 yrs. old 2—Jersey cows, 3 yrs. old 1—Red range cow, 4 yrs. old 4—Calves</p> <p><b>HORSES</b></p> <p>1—Brown horse, 8 yrs. old, wt. 1300 lbs. 1—Roan horse, 8 yrs. old, wt. 1300 lbs. 1—Black horse, smooth mouth 1—White mule, smooth mouth 1—Saddle</p> <p><b>HOUSEHOLD GOODS</b></p> <p>1—Davenport 1—Wool rug Several small scatter rugs 1—Small lamp 1—Large indirect lighting lamp 1—Metal mirror 1—Smoking stand 2—Flower stands 1—Ferry</p>	<p>1—Center table 1—Bookcase 1—Small child's rocker (wood) 1—Small child's rocker (metal) 3—Large rockers (good condition) 1—Radio end table 1—Large dining room table 8—Straight chairs 1—Singer sewing machine 1—Ironing board 1—Wash stand 1—Wash board 2—Hampers 1—Wardrobe closet 2—Double bedsteads 1—Double mattress 1—Double inner-spring mattress 2—Dressers 2—Small kitchen tables 1—Medium kitchen table 1—Large kitchen table 2—Oil heating stoves 2—Butane cooking stoves 2—Butane bottles 2—Butane regulators 1—Coal heater 1—General Electric Ice Box (good as new) 1—Kitchen stool 1—Churn (dasher type) 1—Water softener (small) Dishes (some new), cooking utensils, fruit jars, etc. 1—25-20 Winchester rifle 1—30-40 Springfield rifle</p>	<p><b>FARM MACHINERY</b></p> <p>1—Farmall tractor, regular, on steel 1—Allis Chalmers tractor (WC), on steel 1—Feed grinder 1—Tractor cultivator, (for Farmall) 2—Wagons 1—International combine 1—One-row cultivator, (horse drawn) 1—Two-row cultivator, (horse drawn) 1—Two-row planter, (horse drawn) 1—Land leveler (wooden) 1—Tandem disc harrow 1—Roller packer 1—Lister, (horse drawn) 2—Mowers, (horse drawn) 1—Disc plow (tractor) 1—Disc plow (horse drawn) 1—Disc cultivator (horse drawn) 1—Sulky hay rake 1—Ditch V (single wing) 2—Sled go-devils 1—Spike tooth harrow (3 section) 1—Walking plow 1—Walking lister 2—Seed bunchers</p> <p><b>MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS</b></p> <p>3—Steel ditch dams 1—Tarp dam 2—Irrigating shovels 1—5-gallon cream can 1—Electric cream separator 1—Electric brooder 1—Metal chicken feeder 1—Metal chicken waterer 2—Sets good harness and collars Numerous other items including, scoop shovels, hoes, rakes, etc.</p>
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**TERMS—CASH**

*No property is to be removed from premises until paid for.*

**SALE STARTS PROMPTLY AT 10 O'CLOCK**

*Lunch will be served by ladies of the Methodist Church.*

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## For Sale

STORAGE — For household and personal effects. E. A. Hannah, 511 West Main. 37-tfc

FOR SALE—Good mountain apples for canning, also Colorado delicious apples. Bean Bailey, 110 Richardson, phone 239. 40-tfc

FOR SALE—Zenith hearing aids and batteries for any make hearing aids. O. H. Brown, 113 Missouri Street, phone 110-R. 43-tfc

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FOR SALE—Best buy in the Pecos Valley, two five-room modern houses, three to four acres garden. Three blocks south of Artesia Hotel, \$5,500, no commission. C. R. Cunningham, owner. 1-tfc

FOR SALE — International 80 Diesel, good condition, two Franklin hot heads. Inquire McAnally, Alfalfa Association, 1-tfc

FOR SALE—The H. L. Muncy property, one dwelling, one duplex, three lots, corner of Roselawn and Richardson. Write to Mrs. George Williams, administratrix, P. O. Box 415, Maljamar, or see Nevil Muncy at Santa Fe depot. 1-tfc

FOR SALE—House, five rooms and bath, property 150x150, or as much ground as you want, southwest of Artesia. Shorty's Fix-It Shop, 121 S. Roselawn. 2-tfc

FOR SALE—40 acres oil lease in Eddy County, near Texas line. Priced at \$125. Mrs. Beulah M. Bivens, 1011 Seventh Street, Las Vegas, N. M. 2-4tc-5

FOR SALE—Grocery store, cafe, and filling station, 25 miles east of Artesia on Lovington-Artesia highway. See Charles Weber at store, or write P. O. Box 386, Artesia. 2-5tp-6

FOR SALE—Two houses, located half mile west of city, on highway, two and half acres with houses, highway frontage, well, windmill, tank, chicken house, electricity and gas, \$2,500. See L. E. Folkner at Hardwick Hotel. 2-4tc-5

FOR SALE—Extra good wood range cookstove. Mrs. J. E. Shaffer, in Dexter. 2-3tp-4

FOR SALE—Bundle hegari at reasonable price. Lynn Bratcher, one and a half miles east of Joe Nunn stock pens. 3-3tp-5

FOR SALE — Practically new three-burner kerosene cook stove. Call at 507 West Chisholm in the mornings. No certificate needed. 3-2tp-4

FOR SALE—200-acre farm, 1 1/4 miles south of Cottonwood School, two sets of improvements, including 6 and 4-room houses; 3 pumping wells, 2 of which flow 5 months in year. Is now rented. Must be seen to be appreciated. Selling on account of health. Priced for quick sale. F. M. Privett, 1 mile south Dunn's Garage. 3-tfc

FOR SALE — Twelve-foot meat case and compressor, cash register, and scales. Frank Barton, 802 South First Street. 3-1tp-1tc-4

FOR SALE OR TRADE — 1939 Plymouth station wagon, ceiling price less \$100. Call 401-R after 7:30 p. m., or write Box 692, Artesia. 3-2tp-4

FOR SALE — Large oil-burning heater, cabinet type, practically new, can heat four rooms. R. G. Gooden Vegetable Farms, one and a half miles east of old Dayton Bridge. 4-tfc

## For Sale

FOR SALE—Farm, 165 acres, plenty water, two and a half miles north of Artesia, on highway. W. W. Parker. 3-3tp-5

FOR SALE — Three-bedroom house, close in, good location, part terms. R. L. Paris, phone 260. 3-2tp-4

FOR SALE—Baled alfalfa hay remnants of various grades, also some broken bales and barn alfalfa chaff. Excellent cow hay. Phone 383-J4, W. R. Hornbaker. 4-2tp-5

FOR SALE—Cocker spaniel, male, black, 7 months old, eligible for registration. Will sell cheap. 1107 S. Roselawn. 4-1tp

FOR SALE—Hay bailer, stationary, a seven-foot Twin City moving machine. See at my farm, two miles south of Seven Rivers Station. Roy Angell. 4-3tp-6

FOR SALE—Model C spudder with tools, A-1 condition. Contact Bill Ferguson, 610 South 8th Street. 3-2tp-5

FOR SALE—Roping horse. Ray Watkins, three miles south of city on Carlsbad highway. 4-1tp

FOR SALE—Two butane bottles and an oil heater. Jim Stephens, first house north of Joe Nunn's stock pens. 4-1tp

FOR SALE—Complete set of golf clubs, four woods, six irons, and golf bag. Mrs. Erma Williams, at gas office. 4-1tp

FOR SALE—Four-room house to be moved. F. B. Whatley, one and a half miles north, half mile east of Lake Arthur. 4-3tp-6

FOR SALE—1937 Hudson Terraplane sedan, priced far below ceiling. Eugene Boas at Artesia Auto Co. 4-1tp

FOR SALE—City dwelling from \$2,250 to \$7,000; apartment houses, \$6,000 to \$17,000; farms, 96 acres \$5,500; 60 acres with plenty water at \$200 per acre; 4 acres unimproved, close in. E. A. Hannah Agency, 511 West Main, phone 337-J or 37. 4-tfc

FOR SALE—Dinettes set, \$40. Mrs. G. C. Williams, 511 W. Washington. 4-1tp

## For Rent

FOR RENT—Upstairs bedroom. Call 7 or 99. 50-tfx

FOR RENT—Farm. See D. D. Sullivan, phone 388-J2. 4-1tp

## Wanted

WANTED—Five or six-room house or apartment, furnished or unfurnished, possession Jan. 1, permanent tenants. Phone 750. 50-tfx

WANTED TO BUY—Geese and turkeys. W. J. Brown, phone 372, Carlsbad, N. M. 51-10tp-8

WANTED—Employment by colored man. Inquire at Tom's Barbecue place on Sixth Street. 52-tfc

WANTED—Ironing to do in my home. Nora Raglin, 411 North Sixth St. 1-4tp-4

WANTED—Water well drilling. L. A. Summers, 814 South Second, phone 335-W. 2-3tp-4

WANTED—Woman to do housework, white or colored. Inquire at Jensen & Son, Jewelers. 3-2tp-4

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## Cafe Is Opened Here This Week by King, Former Sanders Cook

Henry King, construction camp cook for Sam Sanders many years, this week opened a cafe at 111 West Main Street in Artesia, at the location of the former Doehr's Cafe. Now known as King's Cafe, it has been reopened after being closed about two weeks for redecorating and some remodeling.

King, a Chinese, is "the best darned cook I ever saw," according to Sanders, prominent local independent oil operator and contractor. He said King used to cook for as many as 400 persons in road camps for him.

## Wanted

WANTED—Interior painting and paper hanging. Satisfaction guaranteed. Not the cheapest, but the best. J. A. Smith, 1109 Chisholm, phone 123. 2-4tp-5

WANTED—Woman, white or colored, to care for 2-year-old boy. Inquire at Jensen & Son, Jewelers. 3-2tp-4

WANTED—Adding machines, any make, will buy or rent. Machines are needed badly for next few weeks for tax returns. Call Advocate, No. 7. 1-tfx

WANTED—Dress making and buttonhole making. Call Tuesday or Friday at 110 West Richardson, or phone 239 between 9 a. m. and 4 p. m. 4-3tp-6

WANTED—Pony, gentle, to keep for feed and irrigator to ride on farm. R. L. Paris. 4-1tp

WANTED—Hauling, gravel and dirt. See W. W. Parham at Artesia Recreation Hall. 4-8tp-11

WANTED—Two experienced waitresses, also dishwasher. Skiny's Drive In. 4-1tp

WANTED — Caterpillar operator. Apply 108 W. Main, immediately. 4-1tp

ATTENTION — Army and Navy alterations, specialize in form fitting shirts, alter leather jackets. Inquire at Oscar's Boot & Shoe Shop, 324 West Main, Artesia, N. M. 4-tfc

WANTED—Would like to rent house to couple, preferably, for care of child. 1002 W. Missouri. 4-1tc

WANTED—Someone to split expenses of airplane ride to Little Rock, Ark., and return. John A. Mathis, phone 176-R. 4-1tc

FIRST CLASS shoe and boot repairing. Do your work while you wait. Saddles repaired. All work guaranteed. All leather goods repaired. Oscar's Boot & Shoe Shop, 324 W. Main. Your patronage appreciated. 4-tfc

## Miscellaneous

LOW COST HOME LOANS—If you need money to buy, repair your home, or if your present loan is burdensome, see us. We have a simple, low-cost home loan plan that will appeal to you. Low interest rates charged on monthly balances only. We will be glad to explain. E. A. Hannah, Real Estate, Insurance, and Loans. 32-tfc

## Locals

The Advocate was represented at the annual convention of the New Mexico Press Association in Santa Fe Friday and Saturday by Mrs. C. R. Blocker, publisher; A. L. Bert, editor, and Stanley Blocker. They were accompanied by Mrs. Blocker's niece, Mrs. William S. Cooley, and her little daughter, "Miss Bea."

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Jenkins have received a letter from their son, Pvt. Francis (Coots) Jenkins, saying he is ill in a hospital in Kingman, Ariz. No further information was given. However, it is not thought that his condition is serious.

John Robinson returned home Wednesday from California, where he had been two weeks visiting his children. He visited his daughter, Mrs. Paul Henderson, at Richmond and his son, Myle Robinson, at Long Beach.

## Bulldogs—

Powell split honors for high score, with six each.

The Carlsbad Dogs swamped the Bulldogs 15 to 3 in the first half Tuesday, but the game was more evenly matched in the second half, the Dogs leading the Pups only 10 to 7, making the total score 25 to 10.

The evening prior to his final game with the Bulldogs, Friday, Izzy Juarez was feted at a dinner at the Carper Terrace by his teammates as a farewell to him upon his departure for Navy training Monday.

Short talks in appreciation of the popular Spanish-American football and basketball star's activities were given by his coaches, F. L. Green and Alan Thompson; W. E. Kerr, superintendent of schools; C. D. Marshall, high school principal and athletic director, and H. O. Miller, high school vocal instructor.

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF EMMA E. COLL, DECEASED

No. 1186

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: That the undersigned, ALFRED B. COLL, was appointed executor of the Estate of Emma E. Coll, Deceased, on the 15th day of January, A. D. 1945, by the Honorable Xury White, Probate Judge of Eddy County, New Mexico.

All persons having claims against the Estate of said decedent are required to present same within six months after the date of the first publication of this notice, as prescribed by law, or same will be barred.

Dated this 20th day of January, 1945.

Alfred B. Coll, Executor of the Estate of Emma E. Coll, Deceased. 4-4t-7

## PIT BARBECUE

Served at pit or take it home for the family, also special orders. Try us once and you will come again. Tom Thornton, North Sixth St. 20-tfc

## Oil Activities—

(continued from page 1)

Steinberger & Sanders, Kines 1, NE NE 11-15-29, Chaves County wildcat, north of High Lonesome in Eddy County. Drilling at 2,985.

R. L. Harrison, Leonard-State 2, NE NE 36-16-31. Total depth 4,012; shut down for orders.

Brewer Drilling Co., A. N. Ets 3, SE NE 25-16-30. Drilling at 2,878.

E. E. Scannell, State 1, SW SE 20-17-28. Drilling at 1,800.

Franklin, Aston & Fair, Masteller 1, NE NE 18-18-30. Drilling at 2,720.

Southern Petroleum Exploration, State 4-C, SW NE 32-16-31. Drilling at 3,400.

Flynn, Welch & Yates, State 78, SE NW 26-17-28. Drilling at 3,575.

Skelly Oil Co., Lea 3-A, SW NE 23-17-31. Total depth 3,860; plugged back to 3,848; fishing sand pump.

Franklin Petroleum Co., Canfield 5-A, NE SW 7-18-30. Total depth 2,691; running 7-inch casing.

Martin Yates III et al, Stebbins 2, SE SE 30-20-29. Drilling at 660.

George Turner, Willis 9, NE NW 13-20-28. Total depth 850; cleaning out after shot.

H. E. Yates and Bay Petroleum, Miller 1, NW NE 28-19-31. Total depth 2,426; plugged back to 2,380; cleaning out after shot.

Western Production Co., Keely 10-C, SW NW 25-17-29. Drilling at 2,367.

Taylor et al, Shaw 1, NE SW 13-18-27. Drilling at 1,105.

Keohane et al, Hinkle 2-B, NE SW 34-18-31. Total depth 2,742; cleaning out after shot.

Burnham Oil Co., State 7, SW SE 2-17-30. Drilling at 2,200.

R. L. Harrison et al, Crockett-Spencer 1, NE NE 19-18-26. Total depth 675; shut down for orders.

Suppes & Suppes, Johnson 5-B, SE NE 33-16-31. Drilling at 3,500.

Red Lake Oil Co., State 10, NW SW 21-17-28. Total depth 485; preparing to drill ahead after cement job.

Grayburg Oil Co., Keely 7-B, SW NE 26-17-29. Drilling at 1,500.

Neil Willis, Willis 5, NW NE 13-20-28. Drilling at 485.

Jamison & Pollard, Crosby 2, SE SW 12-20-28. Total depth 721; running 7-inch casing.

Southern Union Gas Co., State 3, NW NW 29-17-28. Drilling at 700.

Southern Union Gas Co., State 4, NE NE 29-17-28. Drilling at 560.

Harvey Yates, Snowden & McSweeney 3, NE SE 16-19-30. Total depth 395; waiting on cement.

William Dunn, storekeeper second class in the Navy, came home Sunday on leave from Shoemaker Hospital, Oakland, Calif.

Mrs. Helen Hensen has been a patient in a Roswell hospital since Monday under the care of a specialist for an eye infection.

WANTED — Clean cotton rags. The Advocate.

FOR SALE—Ration Book 5c to 35c. The Artesia Canteen.

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# PRESIDENT'S BALL

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