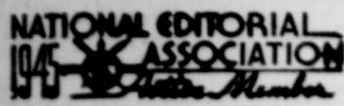


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The Beginning

THE MEETING of 60 prominent business and professional men of this area held here on Thursday to discuss the proposed superhighway is a beginning.

It is nothing more than that. This is the second time the plans have been talked over. The group now appears ready for action.

Without action the fine proposed project, which has been adopted by the Artesia Chamber of Commerce, remains only a fine project.

Whether the project can be realized depends not only on the future but it depends on the interest we show and cooperation.

It is worth what ever effort it will take.

It means more than a shorter and more scenic route to the West Coast. It means more visitors to the southwest part of the state; it means more traffic through the state; it means more people become acquainted with its state.

It means much to those, who travel from the middle of Texas to the West Coast. It means much to us locally.

The people in the towns, villages and cities in the mountains will have a highway to reach their market to sell their products and markets where they can buy.

This can mean much to Artesia, to Carlsbad, Roswell and to other cities in this area.

That proposed superhighway is more than a highway project — it is a project in which all New Mexico should be interested.

We must forget our state not to be put to rest but to put us but it will be a main highway with us and think of the entire section.

Highway should be constructed the shortest through this area and section. It might be as though it will be a main highway with us and too it.

As much to Southeast New Mexico — and should receive our wholehearted support. — O. E. P.

Constant Plugging Needed

IT IS NEARLY amazing and surprising sometimes how much time and effort and work it takes to get something done that everyone seems to agree should be done.

For instance we can all agree on an improvement in our city and yet — we don't all work to get it. Sometimes seemingly we differ in the manner in which it should be done; and again our enthusiasm often times drops down considerably when we realize and appreciate how much work must go into the securing of the improvement.

But it is always that way in civic and community improvements. They require work and effort and usually cost money.

That is why we are reluctant to get in on projects sometimes.

As in Artesia, of course, many things should be done for the good of the community for the good of each and

at these improvements we can accomplish them. We must continue and work on them to the end of a year we are accomplishing our project or objective.

These people are persistent and some cooperation is needed to be accomplished.

Many things which will improve our city. Things, which are the appearance of our city appeal to others and to the citizens, who reside

to come many of these things if we work at them and we will do our part of the work. — O. E. P.

Your Credit Rating

THE CREDIT rating of an individual or of a firm doesn't depend, as we so often feel, on their resources, their wealth or their ability to pay; rather it depends on willingness to pay promptly.

We believe that all credit ratings should be based not on one's ability to pay but the manner in which we pay our accounts.

We have known business concerns, which were wealthy, yet they were poor pay. They let their accounts ride not 30 to 60 days but as much as 120 days to six months.

They were good for what they owed, of course, yet the firm which had extended them credit had to pay for labor, materials and for items used in rendering them service and they needed their money to continue their operations.

These have been days of plenty of money. Cash has probably been more plentiful than in many years. And perhaps we have become careless about our credit. The day may be around the corner when we will need that credit rating and that credit.

If we take care of our credit rating by paying by the tenth of the month or as we agreed, it will always be available for our use when we need it.

We know communities where advertising campaigns have been conducted year after year to sell the public on the idea of paying by the tenth of the month or as agreed. Those individuals and firms, who do just that, never want for credit when they may actually need it. — O. E. P.

Save Their Investment

THE COCA-COLA Company was among the first two firms in America to spend over one million dollars in one year in advertising. The other firm was the Wrigley Chewing Gum Company.

Their expenditures rather shocked the business world, but they have been spending more than that since that first year.

Coca-Cola's production is limited today. Wrigley's original chewing gum is off the market until the war is over. Yet both continue to spend money for advertising.

These firms have invested not thousands, but millions of dollars in advertising. They have created through their advertising reputations for quality products.

They are not taking any chances on losing their investments or the accumulative value of their advertising. They are continuing to advertise and just waiting for the day when they will be back in normal production supplying the demand, which they have created with their investment in advertising.

The same is true regarding many other large manufacturing concerns, including the makers of fine automobiles. They too have large investments in advertising and they are protecting and saving these investments by reminding the public through advertising of the products they once made and will produce again when normal times return and the war ends.

Are you protecting your investment in advertising? You can save it and make it even greater by continuing to remind the public you appreciate their business and you want to continue to enjoy that business in the weeks and months ahead when the war ends and we all swing back to normalcy once again. — O. E. P.

We Want a State Cop

YES, WE KNOW there's a war on and that there's a manpower shortage. But we in Artesia want a state cop!

We never have been able to understand why Artesia has been assigned a member of the State Police time after time, and when within a few months we have been deprived of a resident officer.

The last time the resident officer was moved away, we figured it was because of a shortage of men and decided to make the best of it.

Then, too, we figured, we would have the regular services of one or more of them on certain definite days, so that routine business with a state officer could be planned ahead of time.

But that is not so. Bill Lewis, who is assigned to Carlsbad, makes calls in Artesia at times, but there is no special schedule.

This is in no way a criticism of Bill, who is a good cop and stays on the job, but his assignment is a big one and he can't be spending much time in and around Artesia.

However, if Bill is going to have to serve both South and North Eddy County, his big boss, Frank Young, chief of the State Police, should work out a definite schedule, whereby Bill, or some other cop, would be in Artesia regularly at stipulated times, except in cases of emergency, when he is needed more badly elsewhere.

Then it would be unnecessary for people in the outlying districts of the county — or even in town, as far as that is concerned — to have to make trips to the city hall numerous times to take the examination for drivers' licenses, for for other business with the State Police. — A. L. B.

We can see them now — those Nazi war criminals at the bar of justice, with their learned counsel pleading for a change of venue to some unprejudiced planet. — Detroit News.

Aussie invaders of Borneo might bring one of the local wild men out alive, to see how it compares with the American denied his meat. — Detroit News.

Judging from the wide open spaces in the meat cases, fewer goats are growing up to be lamb chops. — Amarillo Daily News.

The Jap home folks must be amazed over what the Americans are doing with a fleet that's been sunk several times. — Amarillo Daily News.

Out of the vast amount of advertising writing produced daily in famous and obscure publications throughout the country, there is no small quantity appearing from time to time which has honest esthetic values, and which we need not hesitate to call by the name of literature. — John E. Drewry, Grady School of Journalism, University of Georgia.

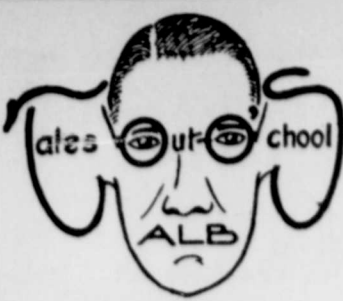
Up and Down Main Street

DEMANDS UP AND DOWN MAIN NO ARGUMENTS

Over the nation and in all the states it takes plenty of effort for citizens and taxpayers in various sections and areas, counties and cities to obtain those things they need and deserve. And it is those, who demand and shout the loudest, who usually secure the most. It is either those, who shout the loudest or who have the political contacts. When we do not possess the political contacts then it becomes necessary that we shout loud. And when we make our demands loud and continue until we make a nuisance out of ourselves, we usually secure what we want because the 'powers that be' want to get rid of us. Locally the rationing board endeavored to secure some more help for the local office. They based their plea on the grounds that the local office was taking care of half of Eddy County; saving the citizens long trips; and rendering a real service. Repeatedly they were denied any additional help on the grounds that the state office could not afford it. Stories have come here that every office is short. But surely when there is only one clerk in an office there could be no arguments about the office being short of help in view of the number being served here. The matter was submitted to U. S. Senator Dennis Chavez and he secured help for a week. The efforts are to be continued and it is hoped that eventually one extra clerk can be secured here to take care of the people in this area. But the plea will have to be continued. We always have to sound the pleas if we are to secure our share of government expenditures.

Judge J. D. Josey enjoying his cup of coffee with friends before returning to his office — J. S. Ward making delivery on an insurance policy and just hoping about a certain situation — Chief Kelly Stout was headed for the city jail with some food — D. D. Archer admitting that he was sorta snowed under — Bill Duke headed for the Artesia Pharmacy — Waldo Ports greeting friends as he headed for his office — S. W. Gilbert getting the morning mail — Dick Clowe figuring the cost of some meals instead of a bill of lumber — Neil Watson wanting some forms printed for the city — B. W. Loper in need of some more envelopes and securing them — Mrs. H. R. Paton announcing she still has plenty of cook books that she desires to sell and urging those desiring books to obtain them now — Mrs. Thelma Newberry explaining she was a little busy at the Safeway store Monday morning — Lawrence Bryan at Carter's Care — Austin Stuart busy at the postoffice — Louis Story waiting on customers in the Palace Drug Store — E. A. Hannah busy at his real estate office — O. J. Carson busy waiting on customers and giving out information at the bus station — Wade Cunningham doing a little checking on some real estate — Bobbie Bourland going toward the Artesia Motor Company — P. V. Morris just looking around over the city — Max Schultze was headed for J. C. Penney Store — W. W. Battie looking for some good food bargains to offer his customers during the week — L. R. Bayless making a business trip down Main — Arba Green busy working on plans for the Superhighway meeting slated to be held in Artesia on August 27 — Scouts reminded of their water carnival scheduled to be held on August 23 and 24 — Carl Folkner declaring the Artesia Advocate certainly got a fan for the rationing board office — Harry Wilson shaking hands with Artesia friends — Bill Briscoe returning to the Quality Cleaning Shop — That was up and Down Main this week.

Effort, we say, will be necessary for us to obtain the needed help at the rationing board office. Effort will be necessary for us to obtain our part of the highway expenditures during the coming months and during the postwar period. If we decide what we want and need; that to which we are entitled and then continue to make the necessary efforts, we will get them. If we only sit and wish and complain we will not get a single thing. It may take a number of trips to Santa Fe and elsewhere to obtain the highway that this part of the state needs. It may appear extremely hopeless and useless at times yet the fact remains we will have to have a strong heart; we will have to have faith and courage and a determination not to give up in our demands and our requests. We are entitled to a certain amount of the money spent for highways in the state. We are entitled to have a part of the money being spent in this state to be spent in North Eddy



THE OLD FERRET
A smile is better far
Than forced hilarity;
Its memory
Lasts much longer.—A. L. B.

We have just discovered that some friends have a hen — just one; count it — which they bought last spring, with chicken in the pot in mind for the coming Sunday.

For some reason or other the hen was not eaten the first Sunday and by the end of the next week, about execution day, the young son was so chicken heated (terrible pun, isn't it?) that the hen was given a stay of execution. "We'll have it for the Fourth of July," his mother told him. But the hen's neck remained intact. Then it was to be cooked on the old man's birthday — but it wasn't.

Now the little boy's mother laughingly tells that the fowl problem is solved for Thanksgiving, or Christmas, or perhaps New Year's Day.

In the meantime, the hen, fed on the finest egg mash the market affords, manages about an egg a week!

The other day a local fellow told a girl, whose job is one headache after another, "I haven't been to see you for some time," and she sometimes gets mighty tired looking at people. "Thanks," she laughed.

Members of the American Legion are still laughing about the cowboy from the Sacramento, who was in town to see the carnival and was doing a little celebrating on the side. He was high as a kite, but was agreeable and having the time of his life making a collection of tickets to the various shows and rides.

No one ever saw him go into a show, but time after time he would return to one show in particular and ask to know the series of numbers on the roll of tickets. Then he would shuffle through his pocketful of tickets and finally come up with one or more for that show.

"Can I get in on this?" he would ask.

Assured that he could, he would grin all over, place the ticket back in his pocket, start to amble off, and call back over his shoulder, "That's all I wanted to know."

"Charge Dexter Man With Shooting Bull," reads a headline in The Roswell Record.

Gosh, we hope they don't make a habit of that, or if they do, they don't read this column.

county. But we will not get it unless we go after it. Those, who seek, usually receive. Those, who make their demands known and continue to make demands usually obtain what they want. But sitting and wishing won't get the job done. We must bear that in mind and in the future. And if we are willing to go after what we need, want and deserve and continue to make the necessary effort we will secure it.

Do you suffer from MONTHLY NERVOUS TENSION with its weak, tired feelings? If functional periodic disturbances make you feel nervous, tired, restless at such times—try this great medicine—Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to relieve such symptoms. Taken regularly—it helps build up resistance against such distress. Also a grand stomachic tonic. Follow label directions.

Artesia Lodge No. 28 A. F. & A. M. Meets Third Thursday Night of Each Month. Visiting members invited to attend these meetings.

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NOTICE STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE Number of Application RA-304 Santa Fe, N. M., July 17, 1945.

Notice is hereby given that on the 30th day of June, 1945, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, H. E. Kissinger of Artesia, County of Eddy, State of New Mexico, made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a permit to change location of Artesian well RA-304 from present location in NW 1/4 SW 1/4 NW 1/4 of Section 10, Township 18 South, Range 26 East, N. M. P. M., to a location in the SW 1/4 NW 1/4 NW 1/4 of said Section 10, where applicant proposes to drill a 10 inch diameter well approximately 800 feet in depth for the purpose of continuing the irrigation of 154 acres of land with rights under File RA-304.

Any person, firm, association, corporation, the State of New Mexico or the United States of America, deeming that the granting of the above application will be truly detrimental to their rights in the waters of said underground source, may protest in writing the State Engineer's granting of approval of said application. The protest shall set forth all protestant's reasons why the application should not be approved and shall be accompanied by supporting affidavits and by proof that a copy of the protest has been served upon the applicant. Said protest and proof of service must be filed with the State Engineer within ten (10) days after the date of the last publication of this notice. Unless protested, the application will be given final consideration for approval by the State Engineer on the 27th day of August, 1945.

Thomas M. McClure, State Engineer. 30-31-32

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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 ELIZABETH SCHNEIDER, DECEASED.

No. 1177 NOTICE OF HEARING ON FINAL ACCOUNT AND REPORT

THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO William R. Schneider; Russell Schneider; Mrs. Hester Terpening; George Schneider; Master Sergeant Earl Schneider; and Myrtle Schneider, widow of Arthur D. Schneider;

Unknown heirs of Arthur D. Schneider; all unknown heirs of Elizabeth Schneider, Deceased; and all unknown persons claiming any lien upon, or right, title or interest in or to the estate of said decedent, GREETING:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that William R. Schneider, executor, has filed his final account and report as executor of the last will and testament and filed his petition for discharge as such; that the Honorable Xury White, Probate Judge of Eddy County, New Mexico, has set the 30th day of August, 1945 at the hour of 10:00 A. M. at the Probate Court room in Carlsbad, New Mexico as the day, time and place for hearing said final account and report and any objections thereto.

At the same time and place, the Probate Court will proceed to determine the heirship of said decedent, the ownership of her estate, and the interest of each respective claimant thereto, and therein, and the persons entitled to the distribution thereof. Any objections to said final account and report should be filed on or before the time set for hearing.

Neil B. Watson, whose address is Artesia, New Mexico, is attorney for the executor.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of said court on this 18th day of July, 1945. (SEAL) R. A. Wilcox, County Clerk and ex-officio Clerk of the Probate Court. 29-41-32

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NEWS OF OUR MEN and WOMEN IN UNIFORM

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T/Sgt. Frank L. Stephens, son of Mrs. Mary Jane Stephens of Artesia, has been awarded the Purple Heart for wounds received in action on Luzon Island. The award was made by Brig. Gen. Hugh Hoffman, commanding general of the First Cavalry Division. Sergeant Stephens has fully recovered from his injuries and has returned to duty with his unit.

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CCC Payments Being Made to Sellers of Sheep

The Commodity Credit Corporation has been authorized to make payments to all sellers of sheep and lambs who sell directly to legally authorized slaughterers for sales made on or after Aug. 5 through June 30, 1946. The RFC subsidy to packers of 95 per cent per hundred will be withdrawn for lambs and sheep slaughtered after Aug. 4.

Payments are to be issued by AAA county committees and will be from \$1.50 to \$2.50 per hundred on lambs weighing 65 to 90 pounds, \$2.15 to \$3.15 for lambs more than 90 pounds, and \$1 for all other sheep and lambs. The rates for August will be \$1.50 for 65 to 90 pound lambs, \$2.15 for lambs more than 90 pounds, and \$1 for all sheep and other lambs.

Upper Cottonwood

(Mrs. D. A. Bradley)

The vacation Bible school, which was held at Cottonwood School last week was a great success. The Rev. and Mrs. Dean Campbell, who were in charge, did a fine job and all children who attended enjoyed every minute. The school closed Friday at noon when the Rev. Mr. Campbell expressed his and Mrs. Campbell's thanks to the people of Cottonwood for their wonderful cooperation.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Privette were hosts at a family dinner at their home honoring their sons, Sgt. Leonard Privette and Boyce Privette, fireman second class. Sergeant Privette is home to spend a 60-day furlough after being overseas 15 months, where he was wounded once and was a prisoner in France. Boyce left Tuesday for Fort Bliss to report again for duty.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Lamon received a letter from their son, Sgt.

Barney Lamon, last week. Sergeant Lamon has been hospitalized on Guam, but is again on duty and feeling great, he wrote.

The Rev. Chester Rogers will fill his regular second Sunday appointment at Cottonwood Church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Bradley have as their guests this week their granddaughter, Patsy Bradley, and Rita and Betty Phillips of Roswell. A few of the Cottonwood residents who enjoyed the Air Force show at Roswell Wednesday afternoon of last week were Mrs. Glenn O'Bannon and daughter, Mary Frances; Mr. and Mrs. John Knowles and daughter, Betty; Mrs. Douglas O'Bannon and daughter, Charlott Sue; Mr. and Mrs. Whit Knowles, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Chambers and son, Orval, and Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Bradley.

The Pueblo City Park Golf Club has a membership committee that is rated plenty good. The co-chairmen are Carl Good and Justin Two-Good.

STIRRUP PUMPS DECLARED SURPLUS

Stirrup pumps, originally purchased for the Office of Civilian Defense, have been declared surplus and have been given ceiling prices by the OPA.

Approximately 700,000 of the pumps are for sale at \$1.79 each. The ceiling price covers both the pump, the attached hose, and two nozzles.

Safe crackers broke into the Shadyside Theater in Pittsburg and robbed the strongbox of \$325. The picture advertised on the marquee was "Having Wonderful Crime."

Police at Chicago Lawn station are on the hunt for a sharp-eyed thief with 2000 golf balls. Joseph Wolf, owner of a golf driving range, said someone stole the 2000 balls which had been left on the field overnight. Wolf said he valued the hard-to-get balls at \$600.

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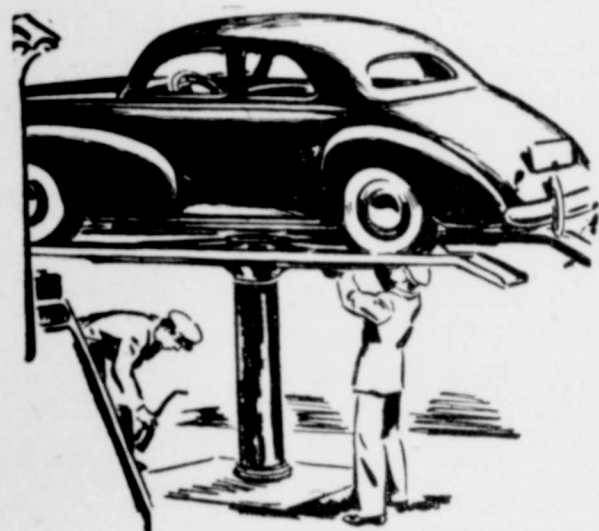
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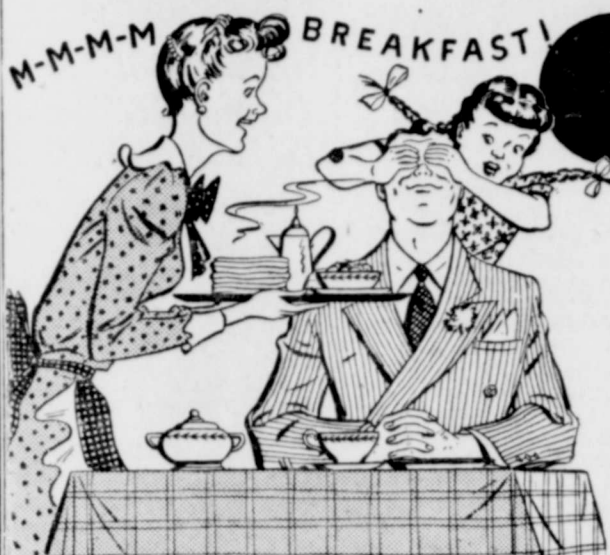


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State General Balance Built Up, Despite Transfer, Governor Says

The present cash balance of \$1,063,569 in the state general fund was built up despite the transfer of half of the Mineral Leasing Act money to the school equalization fund, Gov. John J. Dempsey said.

"During the 1943 Legislature," Governor Dempsey said, "I sponsored a bill which transferred all of the mineral leasing act funds, except that portion used for free text books and the Bureau of Mines, to the school equalization fund. For several years previously one-half of this money had been credited to the state general fund.

"Collections from the Mineral Leasing Act during the two fiscal years that the new law has been in effect totalled \$1,664,173. Had the old law remained in force, the state general fund would have received from this source an additional \$832,088, which would have brought the balance in the general fund to approximately \$2,500,000.

"The loss to the general fund, however, was a gain for the public schools, which received \$1,165,173 from this source during the last two fiscal years. Previously the school equalization fund had received a total of only \$28,168 from the Mineral Leasing Act."

Governor Dempsey pointed out that while there was a book balance of \$146,000 in the general fund at the close of the fiscal year in 1942, there were outstanding debts of approximately \$118,000, which had to be paid after he took office. He listed the chief debts against the general fund as follows: Asylum for the Insane \$70,000, School of Mines \$6,626, Industrial School \$8,595, Girls' Welfare Home \$10,000, election expense \$7,030, and bond premiums \$8,600.

"The general fund balance," Governor Dempsey said, "was built up without tapping any new sources of revenue and without any provision being made to replace the Mineral Leasing Act money, which was lost to the general fund."

Mrs. Bill Skillern of Fayetteville, Ark., and son, Billy Frank, are visiting in the home of Adrene Fletcher.

Lt. and Mrs. Mike Stafanko and son, Mike, who have just arrived to spend a short leave with Mrs. Stafanko's mother, Mrs. H. W. Crouch, were dinner guests of Mrs. W. C. Keys and her mother, Mrs. L. P. Evans, Monday evening.

Mrs. Pearl Johnson and Virginia, who have been visiting Mrs. L. C. Shuman at Odessa, Tex., returned home Saturday.

HANGER NEWS

Eric Antila took his three-point dual cross-country Sunday.

Mark Whelan and Herman Fuchs returned last week from Washington, D. C. They reported lots of rain and damp weather for the entire trip.

John A. Mathis took his first flying lesson this week. He has long been an advocate of flying, having two sons in the Air Corps and a daughter who has 100 hours of flying time.

Bill Royer and Sug Hazel flew to Roswell Friday.

"Pot" Bert is having trouble proving that he was born in order that he may get a student pilot certificate. He has time enough almost to solo and is getting eager for Sug to be able to climb out of the "Ramp Rat" and leave him with it.

Bob Blount of Carlsbad Army Air Field was a guest at Hazel Field Sunday.

Hazel Field has a new hanger boy, Don De Mars. Gene Sherwood, whom the pilots are used to seeing at the airport, is at CAAF in Carlsbad for two weeks. He hopes to get some passenger time on an AT-11. Gene has enough time for his private license and is waiting for his birthday, in October, in order that he may take his flight check and written.

Sergeant Dixon of Roswell, who flies a Myers trainer, was a visitor at Hazel Field Saturday. Dixon took all his training in the "Ramp Rat" from Sug Hazel at Roswell.

Sug Hazel dusted the first cotton of the season Wednesday of last week at Steve Lanning's farm on Upper Cottonwood. Farmers who expect to dust this week are Worley Brothers, Howard Stroup, and Willard Bradshaw.

Mrs. Don Schumm, who was operated on for appendicitis, was brought home from the Artesia Memorial Hospital Monday afternoon.

T/Sgt J. N. Hightower, after spending a 30 day furlough here, left Friday to report again for duty at El Paso, Tex.

Miss Margaret McDermott spent the week end at El Paso.

Pfc. Edna Heckel, WAC, formerly Miss Edna Carder, who has been on a seven-day furlough visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Carder has returned to her base at Charleston, S. C.

Miss Virginia Lower is visiting friends at Ft. Worth, Tex.

FARMERS' ASSETS TEN TIMES DEBTS

The balance sheet of U. S. agriculture underwent further improvement during 1944, and the total assets of agriculture on Jan. 1, 1945, were valued at 10 times the total indebtedness compared with the 1940 ratio of only 5 to 1, the USDA reports.

Continued high farm income is by far the most important single reason for the continued improvement in the balance sheet. The Department of Agriculture cautions against a too rosy interpretation, pointing out that prudent farmers will allow for a possible decline in farm income after the war as they make plans for future operations.

NOTICE STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE

Number of Application R. A. 318 Santa Fe, N. M. July 30, 1945

Notice is hereby given that on the 30th day of July, 1945, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, Mrs. H. A. Stroup of Roswell, County of Chavez, State of New Mexico, made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a permit to change location of Artesian Well No. R. A. 318 from present location in the SW 1/4 SW 1/4 NW 1/4 of Section 28, Township 17 South, Range 26 East, N. M. P. M., to another location within the same Subdivision, Section, Township, and Range where applicant proposes to drill an Artesian Well 10 inches in diameter and approximately 1100 feet in depth. The old well to be plugged.

Applicant has a 74 acre artesian right under File R. A. 318, for lands in S 1/2 NW 1/4 of said Section 28.

Any person, firm, association, corporation, the State of New Mexico or the United States of America, deeming that the granting of the above application will be truly detrimental to their rights in the waters of said underground source, may protest in writing the State Engineer's granting of approval of said application. The protest shall set forth all protestant's reasons why the application should not be approved and shall be accompanied by supporting affidavits and by proof that a copy of the protest has been served upon the applicant. Said protest and proof of service must be filed with the State Engineer within ten (10) days after the date of the last publication of this notice. Unless protested, the application will be given final consideration for approval by the State Engineer on the 8th day of September, 1945.

Thomas M. McClure, State Engineer. 32-31-33

Law Requires Fishing Licenses for All Servicemen, Commission Says

From time to time requests come to the State Game Department to permit convalescent and other servicemen to fish without licenses, or to issue them free licenses to fish or hunt, and authority to purchase a few licenses and rotate their use among convalescent and other servicemen has also been requested, the department reported.

The State Game Commission at its meeting on June 11 and again on July 16 took this matter under advisement and went into it fully. The commission feels kindly toward all men who are serving their country in the armed forces and is particularly sympathetic toward those who are now convalescing in hospitals or at convalescent stations, members said.

"The commission would like very much to assist these men in any way possible that will hasten their recovery," said the chairman, Judge William J. Baker. "However, the commission's authority is limited by statutes and we find that no special provision has been made by the Legislature for handling situations of this kind. The commission finds that it cannot waive the provisions of law governing such matters."

There are two separate sections of the law relating to fishing licenses. Section 43-301 of the 1941 Statutes Annotated provides: "No person shall at any time shoot, hunt, kill, injure or take in any manner, any game animal, game bird, or game fish without paying for and having in possession a license as herein provided for the year in which such shooting, hunting, fishing or taking is done."

Section 43-306 says: "It shall be unlawful for any person except children under age of 14 years to take any game fish from any public stream of water in this State without having in his possession and on his person a fishing license as herein provided."

"Thus it will be seen that, regardless of the commission's desire to be of assistance, the law is specific and the making of exceptions is not authorized," commented the commission chairman.

State Game Warden Elliott Barker suggested that perhaps many sportsmen would like to assist these convalescent servicemen by purchasing licenses for them. Money thus spent would go back into the game protection fund. Those desiring to do so should contact hospital or convalescent station officials.

Miss Frances Warren returned home Saturday after visiting friends at Odessa, Tex., for the past week.

The Early Farmer Gets the Fertilizer, Hemphill Declares

Farmers should again place their fertilizers early this year, State AAA Chairman C. V. Hemphill said, after receiving information from the Department of Agriculture that fertilizer supplies for 1945-46 will be about the same as last year.

"It's essential that from 35 to 40 per cent of all fertilizers to be used during 1945-46 be delivered to farms during the last six months of 1945, if manufacturers are to meet the demand," he said. "The early movement is necessary to overcome labor and equipment shortages, transportation difficulties, and limited storage facilities.

"Not more than 8,000,000 tons of an apparent supply of 12,520,000 tons can be delivered between January and June of 1946."

Million Dollars Automotive Parts To Be Offered

There will soon be available to the public, striving under restricted manufacture to hold trucks and cars together for another year, \$1,000,000 worth of government surplus automotive parts in this region, according to announcement made by John F. Hough, Denver regional director of the Office of Surplus Property, Department of Commerce.

The parts, all of which are new, and many in short supply, will be offered to qualified manufacturers, jobbers, and dealers in two gigantic spot sales, one at Denver, Colo., beginning the week of Aug. 13, the other at Salt Lake City, Utah, the week of Aug. 27.

The equipment will be available for inspection by prospective purchasers the entire week preceding sale dates at both sale sites.

Sales will be made only through normal channels of trade. Those in need of replacement parts accordingly should apply at once to their dealers or service garages.

Further information may be secured by addressing the Department of Commerce, Office of Surplus Property, 1030 15th Street, Denver.

WAR BONDS in Action



Official Photo U. S. A. A. F. Sgt. C. Coates, Texas, regulates valve of oxygen container that War Bond funds helped to buy for fighters in planes way up. U. S. Treasury Department

MORE MEAT—WELL, AFTER A WHILE

The USDA's new slaughter certification program is now in operation, but Secretary of Agriculture Clinton P. Anderson has cautioned the public not to expect immediate improvement in the meat supply. It will take several months for the full effects of the program to be felt.

The program permits unlimited slaughter in plants that meet certain requirements and that obtain certificates. Previously, only Federally-inspected slaughterers were permitted to slaughter without quotas.

Purchases and Loans Support 1945 Cotton On Parity Basis

With the Commodity Credit Corporation ready to buy cotton which meets the requirements of the 1945 loan program, cotton farmers are again assured of parity or near parity prices.

The August purchase price is 22.15 cents a pound for 1945 crop middling 15/16-inch cotton, basis gross weight flat cotton, at Memphis. The price will increase five points each month through next June.

Purchases will be made through local banks or other agents authorized by CCC. The loan program, which also supports cotton prices, offers farmers non-recourse loans

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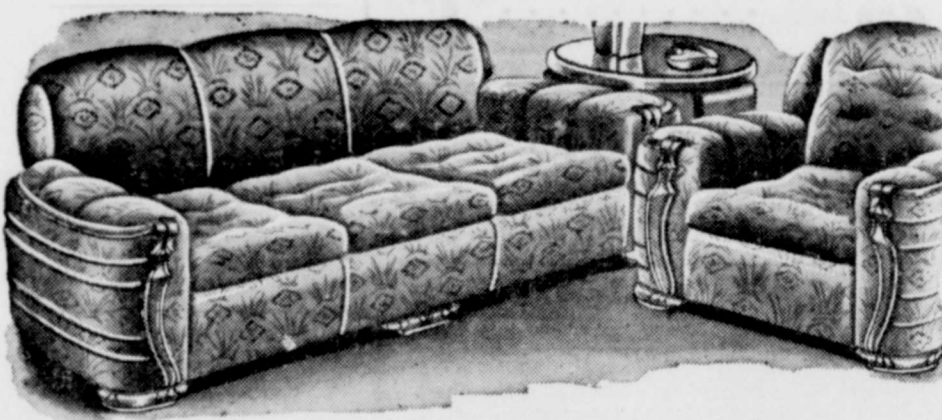
You may lose even more, this season. Or, you can reduce your loss to practically nothing. Insect losses can be prevented. Practical, proven methods of control are being used each year on many cotton farms.

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Term Insurance For Servicemen Is Extended

Recent enactment by Congress of a bill to extend five-year term National Service Life Insurance for three additional years makes it unnecessary for active servicemen or veterans to convert their government insurance within the original five-year period, according to Bill Dunnam, secretary of the North Eddy County Veterans Advisory Committee.

The National Service Life Insurance act of Oct. 8, 1940, provided that all policyholders convert their insurance within a five-year period to 20-year pay, 30-year pay, or ordinary life. Under terms of this act, many policyholders in service from the time of the law's enactment and remaining in service through October of this year would have faced the possibility of having their policies voided through no fault of their own.

Public 118, signed by the president July 7, extends the term of this insurance for a period of three years. The new law will have the effect, according to Dunnam, of giving veterans who are undecided on the matter of converting their insurance a more leisurely decision on this important matter.

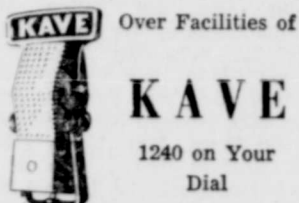
"Too often, veterans drop their government insurance shortly after discharge because, at the moment, they do not have a job and cannot pay their insurance premiums," Dunnam said. "Our office is prepared to help these men because we know they may decide differently after they are well established in a job and know how much insurance they can afford to carry."

Veterans desiring counsel on conversion of insurance or other problems having to do with civilian readjustment are invited to the Veterans' Advisory Committee office in the city hall.

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Clint Anderson Makes Appeal to Women to Watch Fat More Closely

One of the most significant statements made by a government official regarding shortages and food difficulties comes from Clinton P. Anderson, secretary of agriculture. Anderson underscores the fats and oils shortage in an appeal to women and has authorized the American Fat Salvage Committee to release his message.

In asking women's help in the fats and oils shortage, the secretary of agriculture sees increased household fat salvage as aid to meeting needs. Anderson said: "The scarcity of fats and oils is one of the most serious problems confronting our nation. But it is one shortage which the women of America can help to meet."

"There is little hope of major improvement in the domestic supply of fats and oils in the near future, nor can we expect a rapid increase of imported oils from the Pacific."

"Farmers have responded to the call to produce more animal and vegetable fats and oils. But we are still unable to meet wartime demands."

"During the war years we have changed from an importing to an exporting nation on fats and oils. Our domestic stocks are at a low ebb and our war, industrial, and relief needs are at a peak."

"In 1945 we need 250,000,000 pounds of used household fats to help fill our existing deficit. If American housewives don't meet this goal, we will have to further curtail the allotments for civilian, industrial, and military uses."

"This is an important job for women! Homemakers all over the land—in cities, towns and villages, and on farms—should save and

turn in every available drop of used kitchen fat. It means cash and extra red ration points.

"But above all, it's a real war service women can perform for themselves and for their country."

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in the NW 1/4 SW 1/4
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Miss Mary McCaw and Luther Jones Wed Sunday Afternoon at Carlsbad

Miss Mary Belle McCaw and Luther D. Jones, both long time residents of Artesia, were married at 5:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the Presbyterian parsonage at Carlsbad, with the Rev. W. S. Dando performing the ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Barker, also of Artesia, were the couple's only attendants.

The bride, who is employed by the Mountain States Telephone and Telegraph Company, as chief operator, was dressed in a soft gray crepe suit and wore black accessories.

Betrothal of Betty Flint Told Tuesday

At 10 o'clock Tuesday morning an announcement was made of the engagement and coming marriage of Miss Betty Mae Flint, attractive daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Flint, at the Flint residence, when Miss Flint was feted at an announcement coffee.

She is to become the bride of Second Lt. Oscar Bayer of Covina, Calif., Saturday at San Bernabino, Calif.

The bride-to-be who attended the Artesia schools, is a graduate of Stephens College at Columbia, Mo. After graduating from college she went to Embury-Riddle Flying School, where she did a splendid job of instructing in flying until her return to her parents' home in Artesia this summer.

Lieutenant Bayer, a navigator, who recently left Carlsbad Army Air Field after completing his course in navigation and bombing there, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Nichols of Covina, Calif. He is now stationed at Victorville, Calif.

Those who attended the coffee and congratulated Miss Flint were Misses Janice Mann, Barbara Hamill, Lillian Hightower, Peggy Hamill, Jane Shugart, Helen Watson, Mary Jo Sears, and Bernice Marie Baldwin, and Mrs. Wil-

Chief Shower Mrs. Anderson, Moving Away

Howard Anderson was guest of Mrs. Edna Heckel, who was hostess at a coffee at her home.

Anderson who plans to move to make her home at Carlsbad, Okla., received many gifts and handkerchiefs as favors.

Present were Mrs. Carl Dingler, Mrs. Noel Ormond, Mrs. Ormond Loving, Mrs. Bill Sarvey, Mrs. Floyd Rogers, Mrs. Jim Clark, Mrs. Edna Crozier, Mrs. Leonard Stegman, Mrs. Weldon Petrie, Mrs. Har-

EDNA HECKEL IS SHOWERED AT CONOCO

Edna Heckel, who was here for a thorough visit of a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Heckel, and others, was an honored guest at a shower given for her at the Conoco station last Thursday evening.

The shower was given by Mrs. Edna Heckel, who was hostess at a coffee at her home.

Present were Mrs. Carl Dingler, Mrs. Noel Ormond, Mrs. Ormond Loving, Mrs. Bill Sarvey, Mrs. Floyd Rogers, Mrs. Jim Clark, Mrs. Edna Crozier, Mrs. Leonard Stegman, Mrs. Weldon Petrie, Mrs. Har-

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Social Calendar

FRIDAY, Aug. 10

The Garden Club will meet at the home of Mrs. H. A. Jordan on South Sixth Street, 2:30 p. m.

SUNDAY, Aug. 12

Delegates of the Sandia Conference from July 30 to Aug. 5 will have charge of the morning worship service at the First Christian Church, 11 a. m. Everyone is invited.

MONDAY, Aug. 13

The American Legion Auxiliary will meet at the Artesia Service Club for the initiation of officers and report on state convention, 8 p. m.

THURSDAY, Aug. 16

All circles of the Women's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church will meet at the home of Mrs. Howard Gissler for a covered dish luncheon.

Atoka Woman's Club Meets at Richards Home

Mrs. El Thoma and Miss Cora Rogers were guests, when the Atoka Woman's Club met at the home of Mrs. Albert Richards Tuesday.

At this time Mrs. Billy Gilliam and Mrs. Hazel Talbot were admitted into the organization after being transferred from a Rebekah Lodge at Kingman, Ariz.

Locals

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Carrell visited Mrs. Carrell's parents at Melbourne, over the week end.

Bud Johnson and Peggy Johnson were the guests of Miss Johnny Lou Padgett last week at Cisco, Tex.

Mrs. Adrene Fletcher, owner of Marie's Dress Shop, left Sunday for Los Angeles, Calif., where she went to market to buy fall clothes for her shop.

Miss Ruth Edgerton of Raymond, Tex., spent last week visiting in the home of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Sy Edgerton.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Key and daughter, Penny, went Sunday to Ruidoso, where Mrs. Key and daughter are spending the week. Mr. Key returned to Artesia Monday.

Mrs. W. H. Ballard visited from Tuesday to Saturday of last week with Mrs. A. W. Boyce of Artesia, who is spending the summer at Weed.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph J. Hayes returned Friday from Rochester, Minnesota where Mr. Hayes underwent a major operation at the Mayo Clinic. Mr. Hayes is back in his office at the Artesia Abstract company now although having to take things easy is again able to take care of his clients. They were gone for a full month, having left Artesia the first Sunday in July.

Pfc. Leonard R. Rust, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe E. Rust, is now in the Veterans' hospital at Santa Fe according to word received by his parents, who now reside in Carlsbad. No information concerning his injuries has been received by his parents. He had been in the Philippines since in March. He is well known here and on Cottonwood where he attended school and worked.

Buddhism became the integrating and moving force in the life of Burma at just about the beginning of the Christian era.

Cpl. Edna Heckel Shower Honoree Here Friday

Mrs. Ted Carder entertained at the Howard Anderson home Friday afternoon honoring her sister-in-law, Cpl. Edna Carder Heckel, with a bridal shower.

Corporal Heckel, who was reared in the Artesia community, has been serving in the Women's Army Corps more than a year, and is now stationed at Charleston, S. C., with the 403rd Army Service Band. Her husband of a month, Sgt. William Heckel, is with the Medical Corps at Stark General Hospital at Charleston.

Mrs. Carder used bouquets of garden flowers, such as asters, daisies, dahlias, and roses, for house decorations. Mrs. Ralph Shugart presided at the crystal punch bowl at a lovely table, when iced punch was served with individual cakes decorated with pink pastry roses.

Those who greeted Corporal Heckel and showered her with lovely gifts were Mrs. C. Bert Smith, Mrs. Bill Felton, Mrs. George Johnson, Mrs. Russell Hill, Mrs. Rex Wheatley, Mrs. Ralph Shugart, Miss Jane Shugart, Miss Betty Carder, Mrs. John W. Rowland, Mrs. Howard Anderson, Mrs. Leland Price, Mrs. Lewis Story, Mrs. Herbert Howell, Mrs. J. M. Story, Mrs. Harry Carder and Mrs. C. R. Blocker of Artesia and Mrs. Howard Williams of Roswell.

Bishop Smith of Methodist Church Visits Artesia



BISHOP W. ANGIE SMITH

Bishop W. Angie Smith of Oklahoma City, Methodist bishop of the Oklahoma-New Mexico area, was a guest in Artesia Tuesday night, stopping over here after dedicating the First Methodist Church of Hagerman Tuesday evening on his way to Sacramento Methodist Camp above Weed in the Sacramento Mountains.

At the services at Hagerman, Bishop Smith preached the dedicatory sermon.

Bishop Smith was a guest Wednesday morning of the Rev. and Mrs. C. A. Clark at the parsonage of the First Methodist Church of Artesia for a breakfast, after which he left for the Sacramento Methodist Assembly to meet during the day with district superintendents and some of the pastors and laymen to consider the rehabilitation of the assembly, which has been inactive during the war.

Last evening Bishop Smith met with members of his cabinet at the Lodge at Cloudercroft.

S/SGT. GEORGE WILLIS HONORABLY DISCHARGED

S/Sgt. George Willis, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Willis, arrived home Sunday night from Fort Bliss, where he was honorably discharged after earning 120 points in the North African, Sicilian, and Normandy campaigns. On his return to the United States, he flew from Europe to Maine.

Sergeant Willis was in the 62nd Field Artillery, a tank outfit. He was in the Army since March, 1941, and served overseas 33 months.

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Locals

Margaret Clowe, WAVE, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. I. Clowe, who is stationed at Vero Beach, Fla., has been promoted from seaman first class to specialist third class, a petty officer rating.

Lt. Ira Stuart arrived Monday and is visiting his wife and daughter, Joan, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Stuart. Lieutenant Stuart recently returned from Europe, where he served with the Fifth Army on the Italian front. He was overseas about six months. Lieutenant Stuart is in this country for redeployment. He will be here until Sept. 8.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Stuart and son, Bob, and son and daughter-in-law, Lt. and Mrs. Ira Stuart, and their daughter, Joan, left Wednesday for Midland, Tex., to see Mr. and Mrs. Stuart's son, M/Sgt. D. C. Stuart, who expects to be shipped overseas soon. Sergeant Stuart has served two years in the China-Burma-India theater.

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More Than 200 Club Cookbooks Have Been Sold

More than 200 of the 500 cookbooks published and offered for sale by the Artesia Woman's club have already been sold, it has been announced by Mrs. H. R. Paton, chairman of the cookbook committee.

The books were placed on sale Monday of last week and the committee is extremely well pleased with the fine response and the interest, which has been shown. Many of those purchasing books have bought several and given or mailed extra copies to their friends. Many phone calls have been made regarding the books.

Mrs. Paton has a large number of the cookbooks at her home and will sell them there or copies of the cookbook can be obtained at The Advocate office.

There was only a total of 500 of the cookbooks printed. It will be impossible to secure additional copies when the present supply is exhausted and those, who desire copies, are being urged to secure them now.

The club, of course, is anxious to sell all of the books they have since any profit from the venture goes into their club funds. The committee members expressed their appreciation to the advertisers, who assisted them in the publishing of the book and expressed their sincere thanks to three local firms, who made outright donations to the publishing of the book. These were the Safeway Store, Peoples Mercantile Company, and the Allied Supply Company.

OTIS BIGELOW SON BORN IN BRAZIL

A 10-pound son, Charles Thomas, was born Aug. 3 at Bahia, Brazil, to Mr. and Mrs. Otis Bigelow, according to a cablegram to John A. Mathis.

The parents formerly lived in Artesia, when Mr. Bigelow was chemist for the New Mexico Asphalt & Refining Company here. He now is engaged in the construction of a refinery in Brazil.

SON BORN SATURDAY TO MR. MRS. BILL BULLOCK

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bullock are the parents of a son, William Edward, born at 8 o'clock Saturday evening at Artesia Memorial Hospital. He weighed eight pounds at birth.

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Lower Cottonwood

(Mrs. Ora Buck)
Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Waltrip of Weed, who attended a school board meeting at Lake Arthur last week were business visitors at Lake Arthur Friday. They were the guests of the Rev. and Mrs. Chester Rogers. Mr. Waltrip has been appointed superintendent of the school there, and Mrs. Waltrip a teacher.

Kenneth Rogers and John D. Lane of Lake Arthur were ill several days last week.
Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Jones and Kenneth Leroy moved last week to Panhandle, Tex.

Glenn O'Bannon and son, Douglas O'Bannon, of Cottonwood are fishing in the northern part of the state.

Sidney Allen and son, Dick, of Portales, former residents of Cottonwood, are visiting her brother, Alfred Deason, and family at Dexter.

Mr. and Mrs. John Buck of Cottonwood left Monday for Lubbock, Tex., where Mrs. Buck will be treated for sinus infection.

Mrs. Helen Green has returned home after a visit with her husband, who is stationed at San Diego, Calif.

Mrs. R. A. Wardlow and children left Tuesday of last week for their home at La Fayette, Ga., after visiting a month with Mrs. Wardlow's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Terry, and other relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Orval Gray accompanied them as far as Pecos, Tex.

The Cottonwood school building and the teachers' homes have been given new coats of paint.

Plans have been completed for the county 4-H Club picnic, which is to be held Friday, Aug. 17, at Carlsbad Beach for the members and their leader, Mrs. Orval Gray.

Several people of the Cottonwood community attended "Air Force Day" activities at Roswell Wednesday of last week.

The Cottonwood Ladies' Aid Society will hold its regular monthly meeting Thursday afternoon, Aug. 16, at the home of Mrs. I. P. Johnson.

Mrs. Mae Franklin and two lady friends of Roswell spent the week end with Mrs. Franklin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Noah Buck, of Cottonwood.

The Rev. and Mrs. Dean Campbell, who have been in charge of the vacation Bible school at Cottonwood, closed the school with a picnic lunch at 11 o'clock Friday morning.

Mrs. B. E. Green was hostess last Thursday afternoon, when the Cottonwood Woman's Club met at her home. Mrs. Ed Parnell served as cohostess. The president, Mrs. Orval Gray, presided over the business meeting, after which the secretary, Mrs. I. P. Johnson, read the minutes. Miss Doris Mardis, home extension agent, gave a demonstration of tailoring, line, design, and color. Plans were made for a tailoring school. At the close of the meeting, Mrs. Green and Mrs. Parnell served refreshments to Mrs. Tom Terry, Mrs. Jess

Funk, Mrs. Arch Horton, Mrs. James Thigpen, Mrs. Harold Green, Mrs. J. H. Felton, Mrs. Charlie Buck, Mrs. I. P. Johnson, Mrs. Helen McCaw, Mrs. Orval Gray, and Miss Mardis.

R. G. Harold of Ponca City doesn't mind too much the theft of his automobile now that police have recovered it. The thieves left 25 cartons of cigarettes on the back seat.

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Planting Dates for Fall Gardens Are Important to Get Good Results

Although there's nothing in the weatherman's forecasts to remind Eddy County of frost on the pumpkin, the list of planting dates for fall gardens issued by Director A. B. Fite of the New Mexico Extension Service is as timely as today's headlines, declares Dallas Rierson, county agent.

Why plant a fall garden? Director Fite has the answer to that question.

"Food shortages, the continuing drought in almost every New Mexico county, and the increasing needs of the armed forces and liberated countries — we have never needed maximum production more than we need it this year," he said.

"Victory gardeners have made a tremendous contribution to the total food supply; they must continue to a large extent by planting proper dates, the extension agent offers the following list of crops, about the same as in Eddy County: Bush string beans should be planted not later than Aug. 1; beets, Aug. 10-20; corn, Aug. 1-20; sweet corn, using varieties later than July 30, using early varieties; head lettuce, Sept. 1; onions for next year's crop, seeded in the garden Aug. 1; spinach, Sept. 15-Nov. 1; squash, Sept. 1-20.

Onions are planted too late, he said, "won't make sufficient growth to use this winter." Fite said, "Turnips are planted too late, they'll become pithy and inedible before cold weather. If planted at the proper dates, however, they'll be ready to eat in the garden all winter in this county."

At Ocean City, N. J., Artist William Damon was arrested as he painted a portrait. The reason, said Mayor Cloyde Struble, "city ordinance forbids 'unnecessary business' on Sunday."

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Doris Mardis Says It's Important For Eddy County Housewives to Can

Because most commercially canned fruits are going to the armed forces, it's important for homemakers to put up all the fruit they can this year, according to Doris Mardis, Eddy County home demonstration agent.

Miss Mardis recommends substituting a light for a heavy sugar sirup and using milk-flavored honey and corn sirup to stretch shrinking sugar supplies. She'll even preserve fruit with no sugar at all, if necessary.

"Although sugar helps hold flavor, color, and shape," she added, "the lack of sugar doesn't make fruits spoil. Jars of fruit canned without sugar may be filled with juice or water instead of the usual sugar sirup. Juice, which is preferable, may be made from the riper, softer fruit, which would not hold its shape in canning."

Drying, one of the oldest ways of preserving fruit, makes the most of the natural sugar in fully ripe fruit, Miss Mardis said. Although home dehydrators and drying trays usually give the best results, sun drying is also a satisfactory method. Fruits that may be dried at home include peaches, apricots, pears, plums, prunes, apples, berries, cherries, figs, and grapes.

"Many of the fully ripe, sweet fruits, too soft to hold their shape in canning, may be canned successfully as juice without sweetening," Miss Mardis said. "The juice of ripe blackberries, apples, and grapes may be canned and served without sweetening. Sweet juice canned

with a tart juice often makes an appetizing blend.

"Homemakers who put up fruit with no sugar need to understand that it will not look or taste like that canned with sugar, but it may be sweetened to taste before it is served."

WAR BONDS in Action



Signal Corps Photo
General and GI Chief of Staff George C. Marshall, chatting with a man from the ranks, frequently emphasizes the vital need for War Bond investments at home.
U. S. Treasury Department

Kaiser Reports to Judge Josey on Shipment of Collected Clothing

Clothing contributed by the American people will reach millions of war victims overseas before winter sets in, according to a report from Henry J. Kaiser, national chairman of the United National Clothing Collection, to Judge J. D. Josey, local chairman of the clothing drive.

The report included a statement by President Truman that the local clothing collection committees throughout America "have rendered a service to world peace." President Truman added:

"By meeting and exceeding their goal of 150,000,000 pounds of clothing, the American people have accomplished the task assigned to them by Franklin D. Roosevelt in a cause that was close to his heart. It is good to know that the clothing is now on its way overseas to relieve the suffering of war victims in Europe and the Far East."

The report from Kaiser pointed out that the first large shipments of contributed clothing left America for war-devastated lands within thirty days after the clothing campaign ended.

It disclosed that 29,397,427 pounds of clothing had been baled as of July 23. Of this amount, 15,564,266 pounds had been shipped or were specifically scheduled for shipment, and arrangements are being made to ship the balance.

Kaiser's report pointed out that the clothing already shipped or specifically scheduled for shipment will aid people in nine countries in the following amounts: Belgium, 1,816,284 pounds; Czechoslovakia, 2,002,276 pounds; France, 3,535,815 pounds; Greece, 1,334,472 pounds; Italy, 340,045 pounds; the Philippines, 1,041,725 pounds; Yugoslavia, 4,423,647 pounds; China, 50,000 pounds; Russia, 1,000,000 pounds.

It is the aim of the United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Administration to move all the contributed clothing overseas for distribution before winter, Kaiser declared. He reported that the processing of clothing for shipment has been greatly stepped up in recent weeks and added that the donations are now being baled at the rate of 1,500,000 pounds a day. The baling is under the supervision of the United States Treasury Procurement Division, acting on behalf of UNRRA.

Commenting on this report,

Judge Josey said, "Every person who helped our community collect clothing for overseas war relief should feel proud of having participated in this great cause. We are all glad to know that the clothing is now on its way overseas to relieve the suffering people. We warmly welcome the official assurance from Mr. Kaiser of a baling and shipping program designed to get our contributions, along with those of every other American community, on the backs of the needy boys and girls and men and women before winter."

News Shorts

Thanks to a sulky rooster that crawled under the house to be alone, the bacon shortage has been solved, temporarily for the Beavers family of Lamar, Colo. When the brooding bird disappeared under her porch, Mrs. A. L. Beavers dispatched her grandson to get it and bring it back to the chicken house. A few minutes later, the boy emerged with the rooster — and a tin box containing four slabs of bacon. Mr. Beavers suddenly remembered that he had bought the meat back in 1917 and had stored it under the house. Not knowing that the container was hermetically sealed, Beavers long ago had given the bacon up as spoiled. Today it was in no danger of spoiling on the Beavers family breakfast table.

In Helena, Mont., Superintendent of Schools Frances Forgy is pondering an application for a rural school teaching position by a woman with 18 years' experience, who apparently believes in frankness. "I am an unattractive looking person 54 years old. Only once was I not asked to come back to a school. That was because a man teacher was needed to play in the local dance orchestra."

Pfc. Louis Whitley wrote his mother, Mrs. Mary Whitley, that he and his buddies in the Philippines, wanting a mascot, set a trap baited with candy bars. They expected to catch a monkey. As they watched the trap, a hand reached for the candy. A minute later, Whitley wrote, there was one less Jap in the Philippines.

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Vice President Ezra Watts, accompanied by Watts, drove from Albuquerque to present the check.

Anyone interested in this type policy should contact WATTS at the ARTESIA HOTEL this week. He is AGENT of the GUARANTEE RESERVE LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY.

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Worship, 7:30 p. m. each Sunday.
Worship, first Wednesday.
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School, 9:45 a. m.
Worship, 11 a. m.
Christian Endeavor, 7 p. m.
Worship service, 8 p. m.
Worship, 8 p. m.
Evening prayer service, 8 p. m.
Morgan, Pastor.

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School, 9:45 a. m.
Worship, 10:50 a. m.
Endeavor: Junior, 5 p. m.
Senior, Wednesday, 8 p. m.

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Brown, Pastor.

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Worship, Wednesday, 8 p. m.
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Worship, 11 a. m.
Worship, 8 p. m.
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OF THE NAZARENE
of Fifth and Quay
School, 9:45 a. m.
Worship service, 11 a. m.
Worship, 8 p. m.
Worship service, 8 p. m.

School superintendent,
Paton, 511 W. Dallas,
D. Jones, Pastor.
Welcome.

CHRIST
of Grand
Worship, 10 a. m.
Worship, 10:50 a. m.
Worship, 8 p. m.

Worship class, 3 p. m.
Worship, 8 p. m.
W. Walker, Evangelist.

EPISCOPAL
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Worship, sermon, first
Worship, sermon, all other
Worship, 8 p. m.
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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.

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.
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Morning worship, 11 a. m.
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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.
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Otis Foster, Superintendent.

NOTICE
STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE
Number of Application RA-1496 S. Santa Fe, N. M., July 17, 1945.
Notice is hereby given that on the 25th day of June, 1945, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Sessions Laws of 1931, Mary E. Yates of Artesia, County of Eddy, State of New Mexico, made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a permit to drill a shallow groundwater well 14 inches in diameter and approximately 230 feet in depth at a location in the NW 1/4 SW 1/4 NW 1/4 of Section 9, Township 18 South, Range 26 East, N. M. P. M., for the purpose of combining the water from said well with water from Well RA-1496, in order to develop a sufficient underground water supply for the proper irrigation of 80 acres of lands with rights under File RA-1496.
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

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Sunday service, 11 a. m.
Wednesday service, 7:30 p. m.
"Spirit" is the subject of the lesson-sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist on Sunday, August 12, 1945.
The Golden Text is: "What man knoweth the things of a man, save the spirit of man which is in him? even so the things of God knoweth no man, but the Spirit of God." (1 Cor. 2:11)
Among the citations which comprise the lesson-sermon is the following from the Bible: "God is a Spirit; and they that worship him must worship him in spirit and in truth." (John 4:24)
The lesson-sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science text book, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "In the Bible the word Spirit is so commonly applied to Deity, that Spirit and God are often regarded as synonymous terms; and it is thus they are uniformly used and understood in Christian Science." Visitors always welcome.
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detrimental to their rights in the waters of said underground source, may protest in writing the State Engineer's granting of approval of said application. The protest shall set forth all protestant's reasons why the application should not be approved and shall be accompanied by supporting affidavits and by proof that a copy of the protest has been served upon the applicant. Said protest and proof of service must be filed with the State Engineer within 10 (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 27th day of August, 1945.
Thomas M. McClure,
State Engineer.
30-31-33

Until That Day Arrives, More Men Will Die
In America's army camps, some soldiers are getting ready to go home. In long white barracks, they're sweating out the final steps of processing, leading them, at long last, out of it. For these men, wearing the gold bars of overseas service, the stars and ribbons marking America's battles from Anzio to Saipan, the shellfire and tracer bullets are over. They're going back to civilian life.
But the war isn't over and they know that full well. Even as they go through the camp gates, they see other soldiers forming up, with barrack bags on their backs and rifles on their shoulders, preparing for the march to the train and the train ride to the port and the boat ride to the war that still goes on. The old men leaving know what the new men going into battle can expect.
The new men sense that future, too. As they march to the train, their nerves are tense, their faces set. They've been told, and they know it in their hearts, that the

war is far from over. They know that some will not return; that wounds and death must pay for Pacific battlegrounds yet to be won.
Welcomed home by their families and friends, returned to the liberties and luxuries of civilian life, the old veterans will be the

last to forget these men going into battle.
"If we can do one thing for our buddies over there and the ones going over, it's this," said one discharged veteran from Italy, "to make America know that the war won't be over until the last shot's fired. It's to make America see that

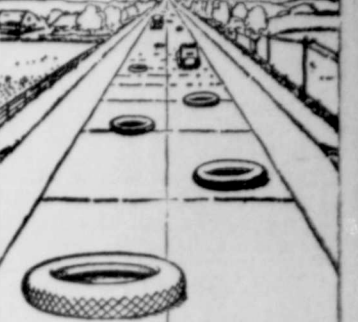
no one's effort should be spared if it can make the war shorter by a single day. It's to make America know that our men will be wounded and killed until that day comes."
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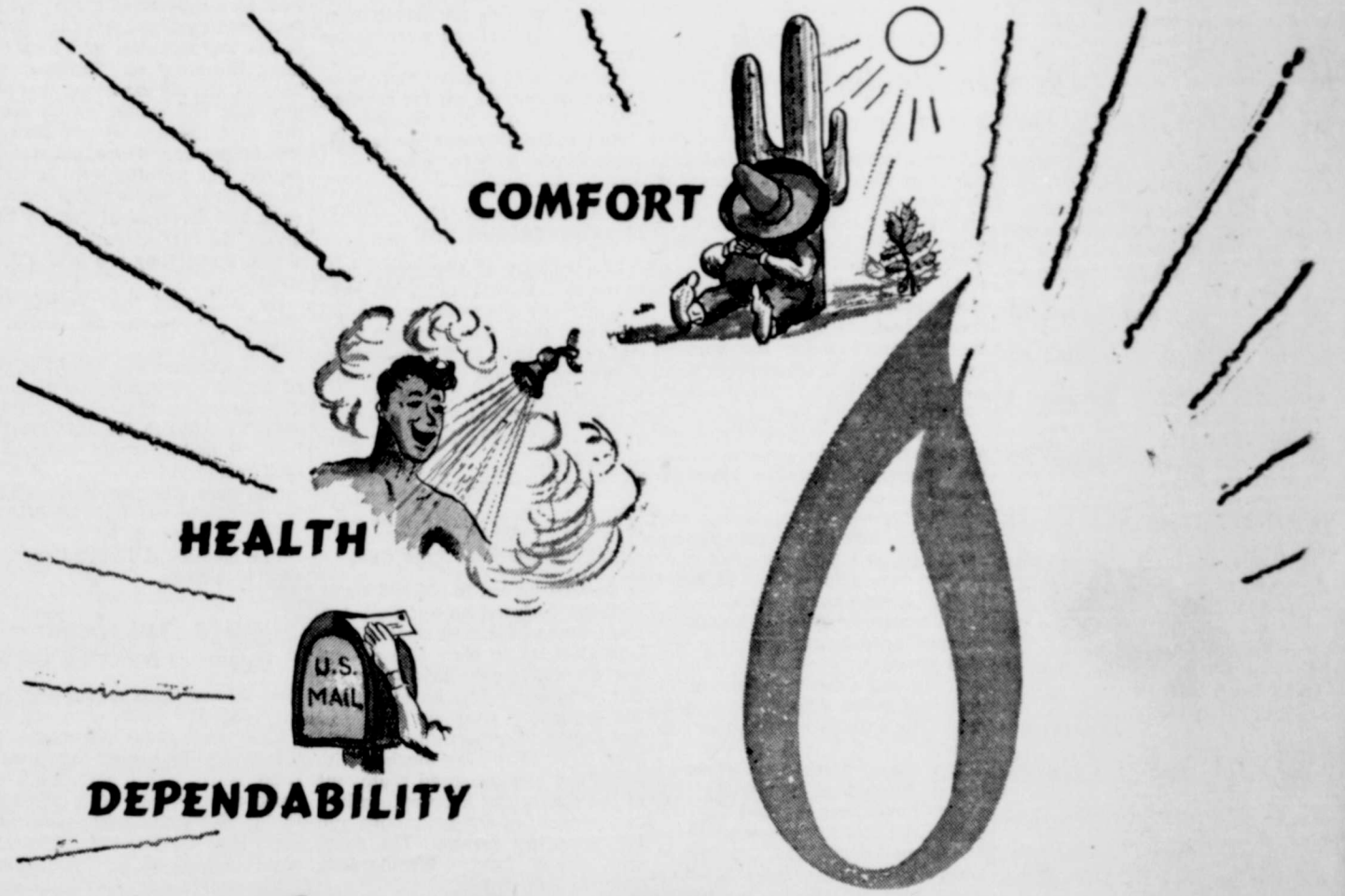
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Deep Rotary Test in Chaves Focal Point of Week's Oil News

The Eddy County oil report this week listed only one producing completion and two new locations, while the focus of the Southeast New Mexico fields shifted to Chaves County, where a 7000-foot rotary test was staked east of Roswell.

The rank wildcat will be drilled by Richfield Oil Company in NW SE 18-11-27 and will be known as the Lillian Coil No. 1.

The new Eddy County locations were Red Lake Oil Co., State 13, SW SW 21-17-28, and Franklin, Aston & Fair, Mastellar 2, SW SE 7-18-30.

Completed in Eddy County was the Nash, Windfohr & Brown, Gissler 6-B, NE NW 11-17-30, at a total depth of 3048 feet, where it flowed 200 barrels of oil per day, after shot.

Two wells in Eddy were temporarily abandoned. They were Franklin, Aston & Fair, Canfield 5-B, SE NW 18-18-30, total depth 3100 feet; Paton Bros., Marguder 6, NW SE 35-17-27, total depth 461.

Drilling Report

McKenzie Drilling Co., Root 2, SW SW 6-17-30. Total depth 2809; cleaning out after shot.

P. B. English, A. N. Etr 1, SE NE 24-16-30. Drilling at 3585.

Malco Refineries, Inc., State 1, NW SE 16-19-27. Drilling at 1888.

Repello Oil Co., Keel 7-A, NW SW 7-17-31. Drilling at 3015.

P. B. English, Barton 1, SE NE 22-19-31. Total depth 2450; plugged back to 2325; testing after shot.

Southern Union Gas Co., Reid 2, NW NE 20-17-28. Total depth 2001; waiting on pump.

Western Production Co., Keely 23, C, SW SW 25-17-29. Drilling at 3200.

Robert McKee, State 6, SE SE 32-17-30. Total depth 2950; straight reaming.

Johnston, Nipper & Brown, Vickers 1, NW NW 24-20-28. Total depth 620; fishing tools.

Schuster & Messinger, Anderson 1, SW NW 31-19-28. Total depth 1465; shut down for orders.

B. Woolley, Arnold 7-A, SE NE 25-17-30. Total depth 3189; cleaning out after shot.

Drilling Co., Johnson 6, NE SE 16-31. Drilling at 3471.

Drilling Co., Johnson 7-B, NE SE 16-31. Drilling at 2827.

Drilling Co., State 1, NW SE 16-31. Drilling at 1917; fishing tools.

Drilling Co., State 1-A, SE NE 16-31. Drilling at 1594; shut down for orders.

Southern Union Gas Co., State 9, SE SE 19-17-28. Drilling at 1185.

Drilling Co., Resler, U. S. Jones 2, SE NW 16-18-27. Total depth 1956; shut down for orders.

Drilling Co., Resler, U. S. Jones 2, SE NW 16-18-27. Total depth 1457; running casing.

A. J. Hardendorf, State 1, NE NE 2-19-30. Drilling at 2738.

B. Suppes, Johnson 8-B, NW SW 34-16-31. Drilling at 2815.

Myrm, Welch & Yates, Powell 1, SW SW 14-18-27. Drilling at 670.

Texaco Republics Corp., Robinson 8, NW NE 35-17-29. Total depth 420; waiting on pump.

Drilling Co., Valentine 1, SE SE 10-31. Drilling at 1065.

Drilling Co., State 1, NW SE 16-31. Drilling at 2815.

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WMC Office Open Here Now Only on Fridays

The War Manpower Commission office, which was opened here in May by the United States Employment Service, has been closed with the exception of on Fridays, it has been announced by L. E. Ruffin, state director of the War Manpower Commission. It was necessary to close the office, it was explained, because of lack of funds.

The office was opened in May with the expectation that funds would be made available for it. However, there was a reduction in funds for the service. Besides this there has been a reduction in the hours the offices are open under the recent 44-hour ruling of President Harry Truman.

Director Ruffin expressed his sincere regrets to the people of Artesia and North Eddy County that it was necessary to close the office and pointed out it was through no choice of his. He expressed the hope it would be possible to open the office again at some future date.

In the meanwhile, however, the office is to be open from 8 o'clock to 5 o'clock each Friday. J. A. Vicknair of the Carlsbad office, who is thoroughly familiar with the Artesia situation, will be at the local office on Friday.

Every service possible will be rendered on Friday. Those who may have business to transact at the office are urged to take this up on Friday.

Cleaves Hardin, who has been in charge of the Artesia office and who was offered a transfer, stated he was tendering his resignation and leaving the service to go into other work.

Dale Fischbeck Is Elected Head Of Tech Society

Dale Fischbeck was elected president of the Technical Society of Artesia at the regular dinner meeting held on the Roof Garden of the Artesia Hotel the first Wednesday of this month.

Dr. H. H. Nininger was named vice president and G. Max Holmes was elected secretary-treasurer of the organization for the coming year. Clarence E. Fischbeck is in charge of arranging the various programs for the year.

C. C. Clover, mid-continent representative of the American Meter Company, was the principal speaker for the regular club meeting. He brought an interesting and instructive talk on the installation, care, use and adjustment of meters for the various types of gases in this section of the state.

His message proved to be one of the most outstanding brought to the club recently.

There was a total of 26 members present for the dinner and a total of 31 in attendance for the lecture.

Chairman Fischbeck declared that a number of interesting programs have been booked for the future and that in many cases these will be of interest to the public in general. It is expected that when these speakers appear the public will be invited to attend.

Fred Jacobs will be the speaker for the next meeting of the club, set for the first Wednesday in September, which is Sept. 5. He is to speak on "Plant Construction."

Millsaps, Jones Win in Golf Quarter-Finals

Virgil Millsaps defeated Bill Bullock 2-up in one of the quarter-finals Sunday in the 1945 Artesia Golf Club tournament, while Harvey Jones won 5-4 over Stanley Sutton, putting Millsaps and Jones into the semi-finals, which are to be played Sunday.

Matched with Millsaps will be Bill Linell, champion of the last previous tournament, played in the 19th hole over Neil Watson.

Jones will be matched with the winner of a quarter-final game between Bob Bourland, medalist, and Cliff Thomas, which has not been played because Thomas is out of town.

Bourland said he prefers to play the game with Thomas, but will be forced to win by forfeit if his opponent does not return in time to play Sunday.

Finals in all flights will be played Sunday, Aug. 19, according to Bourland, who is tournament chairman.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Savoie of Long Beach, Calif., announce the birth of a baby son, who has been named Wayne Edward, on July 30 according to word received by Mrs. Savoie's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Rust of Carlsbad. Both Mr. and Mrs. Savoie are formerly of Artesia and are well known here.

Application Phase On Canning Sugar Closes Saturday

With last Saturday, Aug. 4, the deadline for applications for sugar for canning purposes, this phase of the rationing program has been closed for this year. If additional sugar is granted beyond the five pounds per person for canning, it is expected that the issuing of the certificates can be started sometime after Aug. 10. Those who have not received five pounds per person, of course, will receive this regardless of what action is taken on extra canning sugar.

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By considering the first applications for the full amount they eliminated the necessity to file additional applications. The original applications were made for the full amount of 15 pounds per person, it was stated. Regulations permitted only the granting of the five pounds per person.

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And no applications for canning sugar can be accepted now.

CLARENCE LAMB, 12, IS INDUSTRIOUS BOY

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to do what he can to aid and assist. Hoover declared he felt that Artesia is one of the most strategically located cities in New Mexico and has an extremely bright future. The proposed route, he explained, will branch off from the Bankhead highway at Weatherford, Tex., and head west, taking the tourists, who travel the new proposed route, out of the desert and hot weather into the coolness of the mountains and into beautiful scenery. The route will extend from Weatherford, Tex., to Las Cruces.

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lead in the sixth frame and won the contest. The next game between the teams is to be played this week at Loco Hills, while next week the game will be held again at Morris Field. The game next week, however, is to be played on Thursday night instead of Friday night. The scouts play during the early evening and their contest will be over before the regular softball play of Thursday night.

Don Carpenter is managing the local squad. Scouts from all three of the troops here combined to make the one team, since it was impossible for them to have three separate teams.

The final play-off is scheduled to be held here on Monday, Sept. 3, or the last day before school opens. The last game in the league play is slated for Friday night, Aug. 31.

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