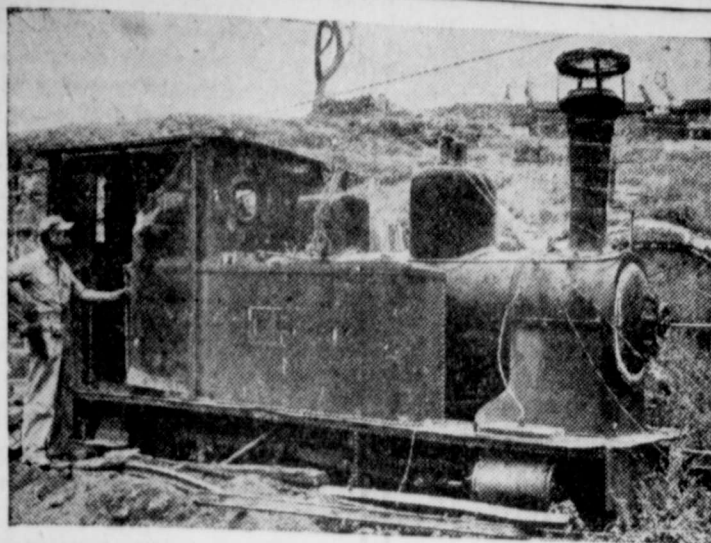


Travel Curtailed on Okinawa



This locomotive was used on the Kadena-Shuri-Naha line before it was "derailed" by the American occupation of Okinawa. The Sixth Division Marine standing at the cab entrance shows the small size of the ancient-design engine. (U. S. Marine Corps Photo)

members who have finished the year's work will be given a 4-H Club pen. This will be the big time for all 4-H Club members and will be the ending of the 1945 4-H Club year.

SINGING CONVENTION TO BE AT LOVING SUNDAY

The annual meeting of the Eddy County Singing Convention is to be at Loving School from 10:30 o'clock Sunday morning, Oct. 7, to 4 o'clock that afternoon, it has been announced. There is to be a basket dinner at noon. Everyone is invited, including soloists, duets, quartets, classes, and instrumentalists.

Lower Cottonwood

(Mrs. Ora Buck)
Miss Edna Earl Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Johnson, who represented Eddy County at the annual state dress revenue contest held at the State College at Las Cruces Sunday of last week, won a first-place ribbon, when she entered two dresses she made for the contest. She is a member of the 4H Club in Artesia. Miss Bonnie Robertson, a member of the Cottonwood 4H Club, and Miss Doris Mardis, home demonstration agent, were

also present at the contest. Mr. and Mrs. Jess Funk of Cottonwood attended the Bates-McWilliams barbecue Sunday of last week held near Sitting Bull Falls. A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. James Thigpen of Upper Cottonwood Friday morning at Artesia Memorial Hospital. She weighed nine pounds at birth and has been named Suella.

Miss Mae Bannister, a teacher at Cottonwood School, left Saturday to visit her brother, a recent returnee from overseas, at their home in Oklahoma. Mrs. B. A. Gahagan is teaching in her place. Orval Worley of this community plans to leave soon to join his wife and children, who recently moved to California.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Norris of near Lake Arthur transacted business at Roswell last Thursday.

Miss Annie Villa of Artesia became the bride of Manuel S. Molina of Cottonwood Monday of last week. Mr. Molina recently received an honorable discharge from the Army after serving more than three years overseas.

JENSEN NOW HAS CLOCK REPAIRMAN

A watchmaker specializing in the repair of clocks and the mechanical parts of electric clocks

has been added to the staff of Jensen & Son, it was announced this week by Don Jensen.

The repair department of the jewelry store has been forced to turn down clock repairing for many months, because of the demands for watch repairing, but Jensen said the store now will be able to give prompt service on clocks also.

Briscoes Lease Quality Cleaners Here to Hair Brothers of Roswell

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have leased the establishment to Jim and Jettie Hair, formerly of Roswell.

The Hair brothers are both experienced in the cleaning business and have been connected with the trade more than 10 years. Mrs. Briscoe will remain at the shop, running the front end, while Briscoe will continue to sell out of the firm, management of which will be in the hands of the lessees.

SANITARY BARBER SHOP CHANGES BUSINESS HOURS
Business hours for the Sanitary Barber Shop have been changed since the return to standard time, it was announced by John Shearman.

The shop will open at 7:30 o'clock each morning, instead of 8 o'clock, and closing hour will be 5 instead of 6 o'clock, except on Saturdays, when the shop will remain open to 7 o'clock.

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Opening Saturday

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NORTH AT CLOUDCROFT DRUG

State's Dairy Farmers Join National Program

In an effort to hold wartime markets, New Mexico dairy farmers have raised more than \$1100 to contribute to the American Dairy Association's nationwide advertising, merchandising, and research program, according to E. Anderson, Extension Service dairyman and secretary of ADA's state organization.

The money collected by the American Dairy Association of New Mexico is part of a million-dollar fund that the dairy industry has raised to devote to its customer-getting drive. "Since 1940 American have increased their milk-drinking by 4,000,000 quarts," Anderson said. "It is the aim of dairy farmers to hold these customers and also re-establish the war-diverted butter, cheese, and ice cream business."

County Junior Livestock Show And Sale Oct. 21

There will be a great deal of interest in the junior livestock show and sale to be held in Carlsbad Oct. 27, Dallas Rierson, Eddy County agent, said. All 4-H Club boys and girls of Eddy County and FFA members

will have a chance to exhibit projects which they have been carrying during the year.

The largest exhibit expected will be fat beef animals, of which there are expected to be 16 fat steers to be shown and sold to the highest bidder. Also to be shown are breeding beef animals, dairy animals, swine, sheep, poultry, and rabbits. Four-H girls will exhibit their cooking and sewing. The show will be held early Saturday morning with all animals in their pens by 8:30 o'clock. Judging will be done in the morning and the sale will be held at 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon.

Four-H Club boys and girls will hold a meeting between 1 and 2:30 o'clock at which time all 4-H

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WORLD NEWS
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BRIEF FORM

From Near and Far, Some
Timely, Some of
Human Interest

Gen. Jonathan Wainwright has advised Lt. Gov. J. B. Jones that he is recommending the promotion of Col. C. G. Sage, commander of the 200th Coast Artillery, recently liberated from a Jap prison camp, to brigadier general. He wrote Jones in reply to a telegram in which the lieutenant governor sought War Department action on recommendations for promotions of New Mexico men submitted by Col. Memory Cain in April, 1942, before the 200th fell into the hands of the Japs. It was unofficially reported before Sage's liberation that he had been promoted to brigadier general in the field before the fall of Bataan. Wainwright wrote Jones that he did not have sufficient information to make recommendations regarding the other New Mexico men but would contact Sen. Carl Hatch, with whom Jones also communicated.

The resignation of two district venereal disease clinicians, Dr. I. L. Peavey of Carlsbad and Dr. Nathaniel Showstack of Santa Fe, was announced by the State Public Health Department. Dr. Peavey, who had held his position since Nov. 1, 1942, is taking a position in Colorado. Dr. Showstack is joining the U. S. Veterans' Administration. He was clinician at Las Vegas from February 1942, until February, 1944. State Health Director J. R. Scott said the resignations would "have a crippling effect upon venereal disease work in New Mexico." Eight counties now will be without venereal disease medical service, he said, "seriously interfering" with the sending of patients to the treatment center at Albuquerque.

Civilians received notices to vacate the White Sands proving grounds area within 10 days preparatory to the start of rocket bomb tests by the Army on Oct. 9. Lt. Col. Harold R. Turner, proving grounds commandant, said the tests also would require the closing of Highway 70 between Las Cruces and Alamogordo from 6 to 10 o'clock on Tuesday and Friday mornings. He explained that firing would be directed across the highway.

The sale of hand tools, miscellaneous equipment at the Carlsbad Army Air Field will not be held until probably the second week in October, it was announced. The time of the sales will be announced and civilian purchasers will be invited to participate.

Evidence that returned GI's are taking advantage of their chance at an education are the 48 World War II veterans now getting into the swing of New Mexico A. & M.'s fall semester—among them William H. McNeil of Dexter and Clarence C. Chase, Jr., of Ruidoso. The veterans are part of a student body of 280, largest enrollment since the war began, but still far short of 1171 in 1939-40. Chase is an unclassified student. McNeil, a former student at Highlands University at Las Vegas, is a junior in the School of Agriculture. Twelve of the veterans are from states other than New Mexico—California, Pennsylvania, Texas, Wisconsin, North Carolina, Idaho, New York, Indiana, Connecticut. The School of Agriculture leads in veteran enrollment, with 26; eight veterans chose the School of Arts and Sciences, and the School of Engineering is close behind with five. Chase is the one unclassified student, and eight are enrolled for vocational work in aircraft and engine mechanics, under the direction of the Mechanical Engineering Department.

Carlsbad collected \$4,797.26 on the one-half cent per gallon gasoline levy from Jan. 1 to June 30, it was shown in a tabulation of facts and figures compiled by the New Mexico Petroleum Industries Committee. The tabulation showed that municipal gasoline taxes are collected by 29 of the 65 incorporated cities, towns, and villages in New Mexico. During the six-month period from Jan. 1, the total collected ran to \$80,535. The report shows that 22 municipalities levy a tax of a cent per gallon and seven levy a one-half cent per gallon tax.

Chief Frank Young said that bids are expected to be asked soon for construction of a power line to the top of Sandia Peak, where a booster station is to be constructed as part of the installation of short-wave radio for the State Police. State Purchasing Agent H. N. McDaniel said the line would be about seven or eight miles in length, extending from the Bernalillo vicinity to the mountaintop. Surveys and maps

Rierson Gives Warning in Use of DDT, New Wonder Insect Killer

Now that DDT has been made available for civilian use, it is time that many people should be warned of the danger in using DDT as a cure for any insect that might come along, warned Dallas Rierson, county agent. DDT is harmful to honeybees and to other beneficial insects. At this time, DDT insecticides cannot be recommended for use on grain, forage, or other crops that are to be used as animal feed, because of the possible danger associated with residues. As in the case of lead, arsenic, and flourine, care should be taken to avoid residues of DDT on fruits and other parts of plants or plant products to be used as human food, Rierson said.

In oil solutions or emulsions DDT is readily absorbed through the skin of man and animals. Persons using it in this form are urged to take special precautions to avoid repeated or prolonged exposures to the material in oil solutions. Care should also be taken never to use oil spray near open flames or fires as it is very dangerous. Oil spray should not be used on animals, as they offer an opportunity for DDT to be absorbed by the skin, the county agent said.

Against the screwworm, the of the proposed line have just been completed, Young said. He expressed belief that equipment for the \$29,460 project would begin arriving soon to give the State Police radio coverage over about 45,000 square miles in a 120-mile radius from the Sandia station. The program, would equip 40 police cars with shortwave radio facilities making possible car to car to headquarters, and headquarters to car transmission.

heel fly or cattle grub, the chigger and the poultry mite, DDT offers little or no measures of protection.

A water spray containing DDT should be used on animals, not oil sprays. In preparing the spray make a paste of wettable DDT powder and water and then add sufficient water to give the desired concentration. DDT is not classified as a particularly toxic dust. However, care should be taken to avoid heavy exposure to the dust as well as accidental ingestion. Steps should likewise be taken to prevent the dust from entering the eyes by wearing dust tight goggles, and avoid inhaling the dust.

Avoid absorption through the skin when using oil sprays, Rierson said. Gloves should be worn through spray operations, and in confined areas persons should wear respirators. General precautions were given by Rierson, in order to reduce the possibility of accidental ingestion of DDT.

During spraying or dusting operations wash frequently, especially before partaking of food and after the work is completed. Eating, smoking and chewing tobacco in the close proximity of dusting or spraying operations should be prohibited. Cover all food and food utensils before dusting or spraying. Because of the similarity of DDT powder to flour or other cooking ingredients thus making it possible to accidentally use DDT in the vicinity of food supplies. See that all packages containing DDT are properly labeled. The clothing of an individual spraying or dusting with DDT may easily become impregnated with the insecticide and should be

No Complications in Beef Payments are Found by Farmers

Farmers are finding little change in the procedure for applying for and receiving beef production payments through their county AAA offices as the result of the removal of slaughter quotas on packers. Payments are being made on eligible cattle sold to any slaughterer.

County offices require certification of sale by the buyer and evidence of past ownership to the same cattle. The rate of payment is 50 cents per hundred pounds for sales of "good" cattle weighing 800 pounds or more. Forty million dollars has been set aside for the program, which will continue through next June 30. The subsidy is designed to encourage feeding of cattle to heavier weights.

removed and laundered to prevent unnecessary contact of the insecticide with the skin.

WORLD CATTLE NUMBERS SHOW SLIGHT DECREASE

World cattle numbers at the start of 1945 were 711 million head, 2 per cent less than the 1936-40 average of 723 million. The USDA's Office of Foreign Agricultural Relations reports. A further reduction in 1945 is indicated due to losses resulting from military operations, less favorable feed supplies and less assurance of favorable economic conditions during the next few years.

North America has about 113 million of the cattle. European cattle numbers showed a 5 per

cent decrease at the start of 1945 and were 13 per cent less than the 1936-40 average of about 110 million head. Australia's numbers at 13.5 million are down about five per cent. Asiatic livestock information is incomplete, but in the Philippines a reduction of 62 per cent in cattle numbers between 1939 and 1945 has been reported and Burma's total dropped 20 per cent during Japanese occupancy. There is believed to have been little change in the totals in China, India, and Japan.

Livestock Bill of Sales now available at Advocate office.

LUMBER PRODUCTION LESS THAN YEAR AGO

Early relief for the tight lumber situation that confronted farmers throughout the war is not yet in sight with the War Production Board reporting that lumber production for the first six months of 1945 was 10.3 per cent

less than that for the first six months of 1944. WPB has announced distribution of lumber free from all control orders.

Five-eighths of Panama of 28,576 square miles is pieced.

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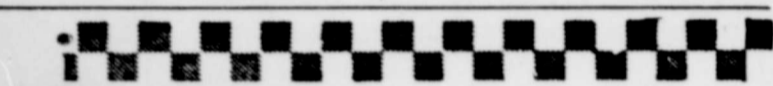
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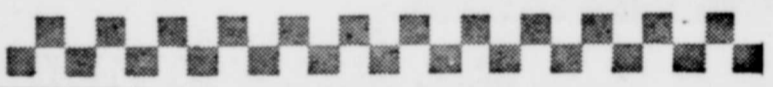
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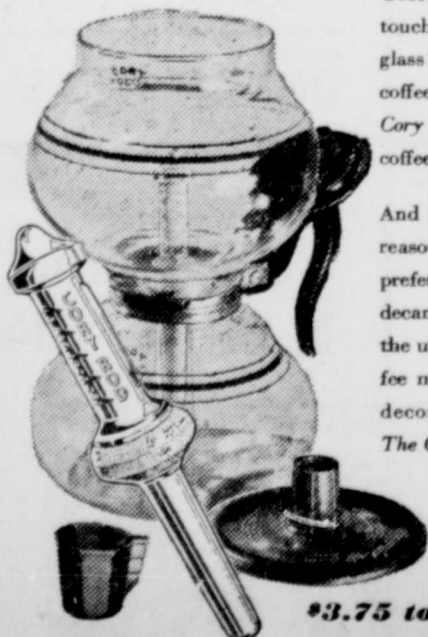
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Pecos and Feeder Lakes Near Artesia Planted With Fish

A. L. Carlton, representative of the Fish and Wildlife Service from the Dexter hatchery, passed through Artesia Friday, distributing crappie, bass, and sunfish to the waters of the Pecos River and feeder lakes.

Clark Lake, Cottonwood dam, Willow Lake and Municipal Lake received liberal plantings of fish. It was noted that the specially built truck carried one compartment of legal size fish, bass, and sunfish, which will make immediate fishing for the sportsmen.

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From Near and Far, Some Timely, Some of Human Interest

For years Steve Dudas, of Chicago hadn't been able to open a rear window in his tavern. It was stuck tight. But burglars succeeded in getting it open, he told police. They got into his establishment through the window but made off with a juke box, a radio, five cases of whisky, and \$75.

Mrs. Albert Wike arrived a little late at the rummage sale sponsored by the Luther Memorial Church, in Springfield, Ill., tossed off her coat and pitched in to help the women. After the last garment was sold, Mrs. Wike couldn't find her coat, but one of the sales clerks remembered selling one Mrs. Wike described as her for \$2.50.

Stealing her portable radio wasn't the only reason burglars roused the ire of Mrs. Grace Irvine of Salt Lake City. She reported to police that the burglars also left her bathroom in a deplorable condition. They not only misplaced a bottle of Cologne but they left a ring in the bathtub.

Kidnap scare aroused police and residents of Ardmore, Pa., until Mrs. W. W. Dyer telephoned home to report her son, 6-year-old Wallace, was missing. The boy answered the call. He explained he got tired on their shopping tour and took a taxi home.

Yeoman Earle C. Lenhart, of Philadelphia, told police that as a footpad dashed away with his wallet, a second man approached but disappeared when the fleeing thief yelled back, "Don't bother him, I already got his money."

A farm magazine's advertisement for volunteer farm workers brought this reply: "Dear Sir—We volunteer to work on the farm where so much help is needed. See if you can get us the hell out of here." It came from Stuttgart, Germany, signed by two Army Medical Corps men.

Police in Cleveland turned "head hunters" Warren Whitney, a ventriloquist, said the heads of his two dummies, "Winnie" and "Burnell," who helped him entertain wounded servicemen in England, were stolen from his parked automobile.

In Schenectady, N. Y., the jump and jive of the jitterbugs have to take a back seat to the polka as far as action is concerned. General Electric Company scientists report that vibration meter tests of the atmosphere of a dancing studio registered the polka at 170 mills per second. The best the jitterbugs could do was 120 vibrations.

"Butch was the strangest of all," Col. Thomas G. Corbin, of Kansas City, said in describing to folks at home the pets his unit had overseas. "He was a brown mongrel picked up by a gunner and inspired with a disdain for officers," Corbin said. "Except for the insignia, it seemed to us that

every man in the group, 4000 or more, wore the same kind of outfit. Butch might meet two relative strangers to him, one a lieutenant, the other a private. He would come up, tail wagging, to get a pat from the private, but if the lieutenant put out his hand, Butch shied away."

Someone's ahead of his neighbors—he has the first 1946-model vehicle stolen in Kansas City, Police said a 1945-model Dodge half ton pick-up truck with only 26 miles registered on its speedometer, along with 25 new tires, was missing. The truck had no rear fenders, no license plates and was the first 1946 car reported stolen in Kansas City, they added.

The deacons of the Centenary Methodist Church in St. Louis, got a real surprise Sunday—a crisp \$1000 bill turned up among the contributions. Neither the pastor nor the deacons have any idea who was so generous.

Trout seekers lined Hudson River docks at Troy, N. Y., after "Pop," fisherman of the first water, truthfully told the curious he got his five-pound lake trout "down at the foot of State Street." "Pop" neglected to explain that the trout was given him in exchange for directions to a restaurant.

In Denver, Colo., Attorney Harry S. Class criticized the defendant's pleading in a suit for foreclosure of a chattel mortgage involving 12 swarms of bees. Said Class: "The pretended 'pleading' is a hodgepodge of irresponsible statements, consisting of recanted and accephalous, obfuscated and tenebrous and heterogeneous imaginings, constituting a labyrinth of nubilation and fuliginosity, of such opacity and pendency and tergiversation as to constitute a veritable potpourri and salsmagundi, leading only to the very depth of cimmerian darkness."

At Camp Ellis, Ill., Pvt. Walter Gruber's buddies express astonishment when they first look at his pin-up girl collection. His collection now numbers 156—he lost 100 when he was transferred from his last station. But Gruber's pictures are all of the same girl. He explained his girl, Anna Guerra, 18, of Chicago, sends him a new picture in every letter she writes—and that is almost every day.

Farmer Carlos Thomas of Athens, Ala., was digging in a 30-foot well when Homer McLe-

more found him. The War Bond committeeman lowered a blank check in a bucket. The farmer signed a check for \$6000 worth of bonds, resumed his digging.

It's probably just a slip of syntax, but Indianapolis News readers were brought up with a start by this want ad: "Private party will swap cash for washing machine, lawn mower, fence material and young dog for child."

It was embarrassing for Mrs. H. Nicholson Douglas of Omaha, to walk through her neighborhood for two hours calling "Sweetie Pie, Sweetie Pie." She was looking for a female cockatoo by that name which escaped from her home. Concerned about the bird, Mrs. Douglas also is worried over the peace of mind of whoever finds "Sweetie Pie." The favorite perch of the six-inch tropical bird is on someone's head.

In Provo, Utah, search for \$500 worth of diamond rings—left by waitresses in a beer glass later served to a customer who drank and left—is ended. The jewels came back in an unsigned letter.

An Atlanta newspaper reporter whispered to Author Emil Ludwig that the latter's shoe laces were untied. Ludwig replied: "I got that trick from Thomas Edison. They're more comfortable that way."

In Atlanta, Detective Lt. M. B. Petty laughed when a woman cautioned that her bulldog might bite him. Petty entered the house anyway, found lottery tickets. He also got a severe bite around the ankles.

Marine trainees at Bucknell University, Lewisburg, Pa., wanted a mascot. A few hours after they adopted Queenie, a stray collie, Queenie gave birth to 12 pups.

The Meridian highway, which extends from Winnipeg, Canada, to Laredo, Tex., is 1,769 miles long. It is estimated that about ten per cent of the births in the United States are never registered.

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The Rev. Joseph H. Harvey, vicar of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, has announced the time for the regular Sunday evening services will be changed Sunday from 8 to 7:30 o'clock for the winter months. As has been customary, Holy Communion will be the first Sunday evening of each month.

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NOTICE STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE
Number of Application RA-754 Santa Fe, N. M., Sept. 18, 1945. Notice is hereby given that on the 14th day of September, 1945, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, Gertrude Martin 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-754 from present location in the SW 1/4 SW 1/4 of Section 3,

Township 18 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 1/4 inches in diameter and approximately 850 feet in depth for the purpose of continuing the irrigating of 156 acres of land in the SW 1/4 of said Section 3, with established rights under File RA-754.

The old well is to be plugged. 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

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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 29th day of October, 1945.
Thomas M. McClure,
State Engineer.
39-31-41

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF EDDY COUNTY STATE OF NEW MEXICO NO. 1185

IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF HARVEY L. MUNCY, ALSO KNOWN AS H. L. MUNCY, DECEASED.

NOTICE OF HEARING ON FINAL ACCOUNT AND REPORT TO: Lois Laverne Williams, Cora Belle Muncy, Herbert G. Muncy, Nevil L. Muncy, Floy Norpe Lunquist, Vera Gladys Beckett, Roy W. Muncy, Delbert Muncy, all unknown heirs of Harvey L. Muncy, 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 Lois Laverne Williams, executrix, has filed her Final Account and Report as executrix of the Last Will and Testament and filed her Petition for Discharge as such: that the Honorable Xury White, Probate Judge of Eddy County, New Mexico, has set the 26th day of October, 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 his estate, and the interest of each respective claimant thereto, and therein, and the persons entitled to the distribution thereof. Any objections of 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 executrix.
WITNESS my hand and the seal of said Court on this 10th day of

September, 1945.
(SEAL)
R. A. WILCOX,
County Clerk and ex-officio Clerk of the Probate Court
37-41-40

IN THE DISTRICT COURT IN AND FOR EDDY COUNTY STATE OF NEW MEXICO
ARTIE McANALLY, Plaintiff VS. B. HADLEY, if living, if deceased, the unknown heirs of B. HADLEY, if living, if deceased, the unknown heirs of MARGARET E. HADLEY, if living, if deceased; RO-TARY OIL COMPANY; and All Unknown Claimants of Interest in the Premises Adverse to the Plaintiff, Defendants.
Case No. 9088

NOTICE OF PENDING SUIT
THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO to the aforesaid defendants against whom substitute service is hereby sought to be obtained, GREETING:

You are hereby notified that a suit has been filed against you, and each of you, by ARTIE McANALLY, as Plaintiff in the District Court of the Fifth Judicial District of the State of New Mexico, within and for the County of Eddy, that being the Court in which said cause is pending, the general object of said suit being to quiet the Plaintiff's unencumbered fee simple title and estate in and to the property described in the Complaint in said cause, to-wit:

Lot 12 in Block 5 of the original Town, now City, of Artesia, New Mexico.
The Plaintiff's attorney is D. D. Archer, whose post office address is Artesia, New Mexico.
You, and each of you, are hereby further notified that unless you enter your appearance in said cause on or before the 25th day of October, 1945, judgment will be rendered against you in said cause by default.
WITNESS MY HAND AND THE SEAL of the District Court this 12th day of September, 1945.
(Signed)
MARGARET E. WALLER,
Clerk of the District Court.
37-41-40.

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF LOTTIE McDANIEL, DECEASED.
NO. 1199
NOTICE OF HEARING ON FINAL ACCOUNT AND REPORT TO: Eva McDaniel, and all unknown heirs of Lottie McDaniel, 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 Mary L. Welch, administratrix, has filed her Final Account and Report in this cause and, by order of the Probate Judge of Eddy County, New Mexico, the 10th day of November, 1945, at the hour of 10:00 a. m. in the Court room of the Probate Court in Carlsbad, Eddy County, New Mexico is the day, time and place for hearing said Final Account and Report. At the same time and place, said Court will determine the heirship of said decedent, the ownership of her estate, and the interest of each respective claimant thereto or therein, and the persons entitled to the distribution thereof.
Neil B. Watson, Artesia, New

Mexico, is attorney for the administratrix.
(SEAL)
WITNESS MY HAND and the seal of said Court on this 24th day of September, 1945.
R. A. WILCOX,
County Clerk and ex-officio Clerk of the Probate Court.
39-41-42

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF EDDY COUNTY, STATE OF NEW MEXICO
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF BERT N. SHIPP, DECEASED.
NO. 1240

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
The undersigned Anna Mae Shipp has qualified as administratrix of the estate of Bert N. Shipp, Deceased.
All persons having claims against said decedent are hereby notified to present the same as provided by law within six months from the first publication of this notice on the 27th day of September, 1945, or the same will be barred.
ANNA MAE SHIPP,
Administratrix.
39-41-42

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF EDDY COUNTY STATE OF NEW MEXICO
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF LUCY A. ROBINSON, DECEASED.
NO. 1230

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned Murray Batterton has been duly appointed ancillary administratrix of the Estate of Lucy A. Robinson, Deceased by the Honorable Xury White, Probate Judge of Eddy County, New Mexico, and has qualified as such. Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate must present the same within six (6) months from the 4th day of October, 1945, the date of first publication of this notice, or the same will be barred.
The address of the administratrix is:
Murray Batterton,
4132 Tracy Avenue,
Kansas City, Missouri.
MURRAY BATTERTON.
40-41-43

Lower Cottonwood
(Mrs. Ora Buck)
(Crowded out last week)

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ophfer of this community, who recently purchased the home of J. D. Ward of Lake Arthur, have moved there.
Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Hill accompanied Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Ward to Oklahoma, where they attended the funeral of a relative of Mr. and Mrs. Hill.
The Rev. Chester Rogers filled his regular appointment at Cottonwood Church Sunday, with a large crowd in attendance. Next

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Sunday will be his last to preach on Cottonwood until after the coming conference.
Mrs. Mae Franklin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Noah Buck, completed her beauty course at Roswell last week. She was home for a visit of a few days last week.
It has been learned that S/Sgt. Oscar V. Pool of Lake Arthur has arrived in New York. He is expected home soon.
Mrs. Chester Rogers was hostess at her home last Thursday, when the Cottonwood Ladies' Aid Society held a meeting. Mrs. Watson McNeal was hostess. The devotions were presented by Mrs. D. A. Bradley and Mrs. E. P. Malone. Mrs. Ralph Pearson, president, presided over the business meeting, after which Mrs. Bradley, assisted by Mrs. O. A. Pearson, had charge of the program. Mrs. Redman Pate gave a Bible reading, assisted by Mrs. Robert McGaw. Refreshments were served during the social hour.
Mr. and Mrs. Jack Murphy of Lake Arthur have as their guest, Sgt. James Cox, who has just returned to the states after serving in the India-Burma theater three years.

Mrs. J. H. Felton will entertain members of the Cottonwood Woman's Club at her home Thursday afternoon, Oct. 4.
The school teachers of Lake Arthur were honored with a lovely reception at the Methodist Church Tuesday evening of last week, with Mrs. Chester Rogers as hostess. A welcome address was given by the Rev. Chester Rogers, and John Havin, member of the school board, introduced the teachers. The response was given by R. C. Waltrip, a teacher. Miss Vera Mae Smith played the piano and Miss Ora Lee Smith sang a number accompanied by her sister, Miss Darline Smith, at the piano. Refreshments furnished by Mrs. John Nihart and Mrs. Jack Murphy, were served by the Lake Arthur homemaking girls and their teacher after which Mrs. I. S. Reser of the Cottonwood Community gave two special readings from a beautifully decorated stage. At the close of the reception the Lake Arthur High School girls sang a selection of songs.

Urges Fat Salvage Speed-Up From Every Housewife in Eddy

More used kitchen fats from every Eddy County housewife are needed to speed up reconversion and changeover to peacetime basis, according to G. E. Turner, assistant state director, Production and Marketing Administration.

By-products from used fats are needed for making synthetic rubber, soap, pharmaceuticals, lubricating oils, and many other everyday necessities. Every drop of used fats which can be scraped, scooped and skimmed into the fat salvage can will hasten the return of many other household necessities which have been short during the war, he said.

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Conservation Of Soil in North Eddy

Grass plantings on the W. M. Jackson and J. W. Collins farms, located near Artesia, have come up to a good stand. Jackson said there were several farmers watching his planting to see how it turned out. The rains Friday, Saturday, and Sunday were of much value to these pastures, as well as to fall-sown alfalfa.

Martin Yates, Jr., seeded alfalfa on 21 acres of land recently leveled into benches. The alfalfa was seeded by drilling at right angles to the benches. This method of seeding usually gives a stand of alfalfa on the border as well as between the benches. Drilling across the borders is recommended for all sown crops, except where the drop between benches is great enough to prevent crossing with tillage implements.

C. B. Roark, Monroe Howard, and W. W. Parker are recent applicants for assistance from the Central Valley Soil Conservation District.

R. G. Gooden is ready to pour additional concrete structures necessary to complete the irrigation system on the 15 acres bench leveled last spring. Soil Conservation Service technicians are assisting in the layout work.

The New York Times published the following article on soil conservation on Sunday, Sept. 23: The recent report by the Soil Conservation Service, pointing out that 90 per cent of the nation's 1,054,200,000 acres of farmland needs soil conservation treatment, is a matter of concern to both rural and urban groups. The report is the result of a three-year survey of the country's farmland resources. No nation has ever attempted such a thorough documentation before. Definite recommendations are made on the basis of the findings. Of the 417,561,000 acres now under cultivation, the SCS recommends that 43,000,000 acres be put into grassland or forestry, be-



AMERICAN SOLDIERS BRUSH UP ON THEIR FRENCH— Above, 1/Sgt. Russell K. Enderly of Belle Terre, Long Island, N. Y., student in French language at the Sorbonne University of Paris, receives textbooks from Pvt. Gilbert H. Bryan, Hammond, Ind. Sgt. Enderly, who served with the 355th Infantry, 89th Division, is eligible for discharge with 89 points, and Pvt. Bryan was formerly a member of the 398th Infantry Regiment, 100th Division. Below, under the watchful eye of Mme. Goffinon are, left to right, Cpl. William F. Jones, Bloomfield, N. J., of the 109th AAA Gun Battalion, and T/Sgt. Virgil S. Ward, Waterloo, S. C., of the 326th Ferrying Squadron, 9th Air Force, begin a course of study of the French language at Sorbonne University, where 800 enlisted men and officers are enrolled for a 2-months' course.

cause the land is too eroded, steep, wet, or stony for efficient production of food or fibers. It is interesting to note that of the more than 400,000,000 acres now used for crops, only 78,000,000 acres are classified as class 1 land—land that is reasonably level, not subject to serious erosion, easily worked and requiring no special treatment other than year-to-year maintenance of fertility. The welfare of the nation depends upon an adequate supply of foods and fibers. Since the days when the Pilgrim Fathers first put a codfish beneath each hill of corn, it is estimated that the average depth of topsoil has decreased from nine or 10 inches to somewhere near six inches. The SCS report ought to spur all concerned to further efforts in this vital matter.

Military Food Purchases to Be Cut Deeply

The Army is getting out of the food business very rapidly. Just how rapidly was brought sharply into focus by an announcement from the War Department that military food purchases will be cut 42 per cent in the next 12 months.

Through the war years, farmers have known the armed forces as their biggest single market, bigger than lend-lease even. Food had to be stockpiled for fighting forces scattered around the world. Supply lines were long and roundabout. And during 1945 the number of men in uniform reached a peak. But the war's end brought an abrupt change. After victory

in Europe military purchases went down 6 per cent. The final cessation of hostilities has brought a far greater revision in military needs. There is less emphasis on canned goods that were suitable for fox holes and invasion troops. Refrigeration is less a problem. Shipping has been speeded up. G. I.'s overseas will get more fresh eggs and meats and vegetables. Millions of men are swapping their blues and khakis for civilian togs.

Now, a few weeks after V-J Day, the Army has outlined its food-buying policies for the next year. Here are what some of the cutbacks will be: The armed forces will take 53 per cent less meat, 48 per cent less fats and oils, 51 per cent less sugar, 49 per cent less flour and grains, 57 per cent less evaporated fruits, and 61 per cent less dairy products.

Farmers who study these figures will have one question: Who's going to buy these farm products now that the Army isn't? Agricultural planners in Washington would like to know the answer to that one, too. Of course, some food will go overseas to feed hungry people of other nations. But it looks as if that will be less than while the war was still going on. Civilians may want more of some foods. They certainly will eat more meat and dairy products. But recent surveys indicate that civilian purchases of all kinds of foods this winter may be less than a year ago even though supplies will be more plentiful.

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FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
 Corner of Grand and Roselawn.
 Bible school, 9:45 a. m.
 Morning worship, 11 a. m.
 Evening worship, 8 p. m.
 Wednesday evening prayer service, 7:30 p. m.
 S. M. Morgan, Pastor.

CHURCH OF LUTHERAN 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.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
 Bible School 9:45 a. m.
 Morning worship, 11 a. m.
 Christian Endeavor, 6:30 p. m.
 Evening worship service 8 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.

SHERMAN MEMORIAL CHURCH
 (Oilfield Community)
 Sunday school at 10 o'clock.
 Otis Foster, Superintendent.

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

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 Sunday.
 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.

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.
 C. A. Clark, Pastor.

THE FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
 Fourth and Grand
 Church School, 9:45 a. m.
 Morning Worship, 11:00 a. m.
 Senior Christian Endeavor 7:00 p. m.
 Choir Rehearsal, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.
 Women's Association, First and third Thursday, 2:30 p. m.
 Reverend Paul L. Brown, Minister.

ST. ANTHONY CATHOLIC CHURCH
 Ninth and Missouri
 Mass Sunday, 8 a. m., English sermon.
 Mass weekdays: Artesia Memorial Hospital, 6:15 a. m.; in church, 8 a. m.
 Confessions every Saturday, 7:30 to 8 p. m., and before Mass Sunday mornings.
 Franciscan Fathers in charge.
 Rev. Francis Geary, O. M. C., Pastor.
 Rev. Stephen Bono, O. M. C., Assistant.

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.
 Dan D. Jones, Pastor.
 All visitors welcome.

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.

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.

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.

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. Evariste Picazo, Pastor.
 212 West Lea St., Carlsbad.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES
 613 W. Main
 Sunday school, 10 a. m.
 Sunday Service, 11 a. m.
 Wednesday Service, 7:30 p. m.
 "Unreality" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, October 7, 1945.
 The Golden-Text is: "Thou art my portion, O Lord: . . . Through thy precepts I get understand-

ing: Therefore I hate every false way." (Ps. 119: 57, 104.)
 Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "Let the words of my mouth, and the meditation of my heart, be acceptable in thy sight, O Lord, my strength, and my redeemer." (Ps. 19:14).
 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: "Everything good or worthy, God made. Whatever is valueless or baneful, He did not make.—hence its unreality."
 Visitors always welcome.

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BEFORE TAKING THESE PRECAUTIONS

It's mighty easy to doze off into deep slumber in a warmly heated room. In fact, that warm, lazy drowsiness is one of the grandest feelings in the world. But before you go to sleep be sure . . . BE POSITIVE . . . that your appliances are properly vented or a window is open.

Never sleep in a tightly closed room if unvented appliances are burning in any part of your home.

When appliances are not properly vented or when they burn in a closed room two things might happen . . . 1. Life-giving oxygen is consumed, taking the air out of the room. 2. Incomplete combustion (whether natural gas, coal, wood or oil is used as fuel) results in carbon monoxide filling the room . . . just like an automobile exhaust in a closed garage.

So be sure you take the simple precaution necessary to protect yourself and family and to give you the full advantages that natural gas provides. Properly vent appliances and always raise a window enough to allow plenty of fresh air, whether awake or asleep.

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Grayburg Plans 6700-Foot Deep Oil Test in Eddy County

The focal point in the Eddy County oil fields this week was a deep test to be drilled by Grayburg Oil Company in the center of NW NE 24-17-29, with plans to go down between 6500 and 6700 feet.

Announcement of the test was made in Artesia this week by C. J. Dexter of Los Angeles and Artesia—formerly of Artesia and Los Angeles.

Dexter said Grayburg this week is moving in heavy standard equipment, which will drill to a total depth of 3200 feet, below which other operators have agreed to help. It is hoped to spud and start drilling by the end of the month.

Grayburg has been planning on making the deep test the last year and a half or two years, Dexter said.

While only one oil well was completed in the Eddy County fields the last week, operators staked five new locations.

The completion was Repollo Oil Company's Keel 7-A, NW SW 7-17-31, which pumped 40 barrels of oil per day from a total depth of 3576 feet.

New locations: American Republics Corp., Robinson 6-B, SW NE 35-17-29; Skelly Oil Co., Lea 8-A, SE SE 14-17-31; Danciger Oil & Refining Co., Turner 20-B, SE SE 20-31-17; F. J. Postelle Ohio-State 1, NE NW 2-19-31; Aston & Fair, State 30 No. 1, NE NE 30-17-28.

Drilling Report
 Texas Trading Co., Johnson 7-B, SE SW 33-16-31.
 Total depth 3617; shut down for repairs.
 G. B. Suppes, Johnson 8-B, NW SW 34-16-31.
 Total depth 3728; drilling plug on 5 1/4 inch.
 Flynn, Welch & Yates, Powell 1, SW SW 14-18-27.
 Total depth 1753; shut down for orders.
 American Republics Corp., Robinson 5-B, NW NE 35-17-29.
 Total depth 3162; testing after acid.
 Hoke L. Woodward, Valentine 1, SW SW 27-16-31.
 Drilling at 3610.
 Sunray Oil Corp., Foster 1-B, SE NE 34-17-31.
 Drilling at 3920.
 Fred Brainard, Brainard 3-A, SW NW 5-18-27.
 Drilling at 475.
 Red Lake Oil Co., State 13, SW SW 21-17-28.
 Total depth 1985; fishing sand pump.
 Skelly Oil Co., Lea 7-A, NE NE 23-17-31.
 Total depth 3886; plugged back to 3742; testing on pump.
 R. R. Woolley, Arnold 7-B, SW SE 22-17-30.
 Total depth 3163; cleaning after shot.
 Franklin, Aston & Fair, Mastellar 2, SW SE 7-18-30.
 Total depth 2800; preparing to shoot.
 Grayburg Oil Co., Keely 11-B, SW SE 26-17-29.
 Drilling at 3062.
 Grayburg Oil Co., Keely 12-B, SE SE 26-17-29.
 Drilling at 3038.
 Southern Union Gas Co., State 10, SW NE 30-17-28.
 Drilling at 1778.
 Crabb & Crouch, Cowan 1, NW NE 1-21-28.
 Drilling at 1100.
 Culbertson & Irwin, McNutt 1, N W NE 11-20-31.
 Drilling at 505.
 Forrest E. Levers, Levers 1-B, SE NE 34-16-29.
 Drilling at 2380.
 Flynn, Welch & Yates, State 80, SE NE 4-19-28.
 Drilling at 1710.
 Harvey E. Yates, Yates-State 1, SE NE 32-18-30.
 Total depth 500; lowering casing.
 C. L. East and W. M. Gray, State 1-C, SE SE 24-17-27.
 Total depth 474; testing on pump after acid.
 Robert E. McKee, Brainard 1, NE SE 11-20-29.
 Drilling at 1590.
 Allen & Fair, State 6-A, SW NW 36-17-29.
 Drilling at 2225.
 Henry T. Page, Jones-State 1, NW NE 23-18-27.
 Drilling at 1655.
 Danciger Oil & Refining Co., Turner 19-B, NE SE 20-17-31.
 Total depth 2096; preparing to run tubing.
 J. D. McGurt, Simpson 1, SW NE 20-21-27.
 Total depth 732; shut down for orders.
 Choate & Davis, State 2, NW SE 13-18-27.
 Drilling at 885.
 P. B. English, A. N. E. 1, SE NE 24-10-30.
 Total depth 3798; preparing to plug back and acidize.
 Johnston, Nipper & Brown, Vickers 1, NW NW 24-20-28.
 Total depth 620; drilling by lost tools.
 Skelly Oil Co., Lea 8-A, SE SE 14-17-31.
 Drilling at 530.
 J. E. Beddingfield, State 1-A, N W NE 36-17-27.
 Drilling at 48.

Little Progress Is Made at Country Club Meet Last Evening

Further legal angles must be gone into before the proposed country club association for Artesia is perfected, it was agreed at a meeting of pledged members at the city hall last evening.

And the constitution and by-laws committee wishes more time to present a tentative draft for adoption by the members of the association, committee members said.

Mayor Emery Carper, president of the embryo association organization, asked at the meeting that the various committees try to solve their problems, to be reported at a meeting in the near future, the date for which will be set by the president and announced in The Advocate.

Alpha Christmas Dies at Hobbs From Injuries

Alpha E. Christmas of Artesia, died Thursday, Sept. 20, in Mexican Hospital, Hobbs, from injuries sustained in an accident while working on a job at Eunice, it was reported in The Hobbs Daily News-Sun. He was an employe of Crawler Drilling Company.

Christmas is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Christmas, Mineral Wells, Tex.; two brothers, Alvin Christmas, Artesia, and H. C. Christmas, Fredericksburg, Tex.; six sisters; Mrs. Gertrude Reynolds, Eunice; Mrs. Vera Thompson, Purcell, Okla.; Mrs. Mae Dearman, Clinton, Wash.; Mrs. Oma Kelly, Mrs. Willie Graham, and Mrs. S. L. Hannah, Beaumont, Texas.

The body was taken by hearse to Monahans, Tex., and from there by train to Eastland, Tex., where funeral services were held at the First Baptist Church, Sept. 23. Burial was in Eastland Cemetery.

SPANISH CAFE IS OPENED AT CLOUDCROFT

O. E. Carter has announced the opening Saturday of his Spanish Cafe at Cloudcroft.

The cafe is located north of Cloudcroft Drug and is specializing in Spanish dishes.

Methodist Throngs

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sent to various private homes in the city. There has been a fine response on the part of all citizens of Artesia in assisting in entertaining the delegates, the committees reported.

The conference will officially open Wednesday evening at the First Methodist Church. The Rev. Mr. Clark has announced that with additional chairs to be installed approximately 700 can be accommodated in the auditorium.

Bishop Carson is slated to preach twice a day during the conference. He will speak at 11:30 o'clock each morning and at 7:30 o'clock each evening. The public is cordially invited to hear his messages.

The conference proper officially opens then at 9 o'clock on Thursday morning and continues through 12:30 o'clock. The afternoons will be given over to board and committee meetings. This procedure will be followed during the entire period of the conference.

From 4 to 6 o'clock on Friday afternoon a reception honoring the wives of the bishops and the superintendents and other women present for the conference will be held at the rural home of Mrs. J. W. Berry. Mrs. E. J. Foster is in charge of arrangements for this event.

The Reverend Mr. Clark has pointed out there is no set program for the conference other than the sessions as announced and the special messages to be brought by Bishop Corson.

The annual assignment of the pastors to the various pulpits is always the last thing on the conference program and the reading of these appointments is again expected to be the final feature of the conference here.

Committees for the various phases of the annual conferences are as follows: Entertainment, Mrs. C. R. Blocker and Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Mahone; courtesies, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Yates, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Ellis; locating conference boards; Fred Jacobs and Mrs. L. B. Feather; finance, E. B. Bullock, E. J. Foster, and L. B. Feather; ushers, Frank Smith, Jack Spratt, S. P. Yates, and W. H. Bullock; house and grounds, R. O. Jacobs and Clarence Fischbeck; flowers and decorations, Mrs. Emery Carper, Mrs. Clarence Fischbeck, and Mrs. A. P. Mahone; music, the choir; public worship, the Rev. A. C. Douglas, the Rev. C. A. Clark, and George Frisch.

Field Day for Boy Scout Cubs To Be Friday

The Field Day for Scout cubs and their parents scheduled to be held in Central Park tomorrow, Friday, Oct. 5, will be held at the First Baptist church, it has been announced here. The change in the meeting places was made because of weather conditions and because leaders felt it would be better to hold the affair indoors instead of attempting to hold it outside.

Plans were being completed this week for the event being sponsored by the Baptist Church Pack No. 14. It is for all cubs and their parents, it was stated.

The program is to be in charge of R. F. McQuay and Vernon Bryan. Games and contests for cubs and parents will be provided.

Shirley Hager is chairman of the attendance committee and he is urging that every cub in Artesia and the parents of that cub to be present for the meeting.

Otto Wood and Louis Cole are to provide the refreshments for the event slated for Friday evening.

Following the field day ceremonies, Cubmaster Walter Short will hold a planning meeting for the fall for cubbing. A full attendance for this is desired.

Purchase of—

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"dumped into the lap of the city—the headquarters building should be dressed up, rather than be allowed to remain an unfinished structure."

Mayor Emery Carper said that after the improvements are made, a line of private hangars has been erected, and a permanent road built and the airport will be a great asset to the city and should promote more use of the air to and from Artesia by persons having business here and by local people having business elsewhere.

That private flying is taking on a major aspect here was demonstrated Sunday, the first day Hazel Flying Service operated from the big port, after moving from Hazel Field north of the city. On Sunday dozens of cars were parked around the headquarters building, as many persons—some of whom never before had shown any interest in flying—inspected the port and building and watched local pilots and students taking off and landing. Sometimes as many as eight to 10 planes were over the port or adjacent to it at one time.

The Hazel hangar, which was moved in sections from the old field to the municipal airport, has been nearly reassembled.

And as Sug Hazel looked over the entire picture Sunday—150-foot landing strips, 6800 feet long; numerous taxi strips, the headquarters building, visualizing the row of private hangars, the planes in the air, and the crowd of interested spectators—mused, "Whoever thought I'd ever be operating a million-dollar airport? As far as that is concerned, who would have thought several years ago that Artesia ever would have an own a million-dollar airport?"

Legion Plans—

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work he did during the 1944-45 year.

Commander Denton announced a special effort will be made to have a large class of new members present for a formal initiation at the next regular meeting, which will be Tuesday evening, Nov. 6. He urged all veterans of World War II, who have not already come into the organization, to join by that time. And he stressed the fact all old and new members should be present for the meeting and initiation.

Oscar Samelson, membership chairman, reported that a number of new members have been secured during the current week, which has been designated as "American Legion Membership Week" in Artesia. And he urged that all present legionnaires strive to swell the membership as much as possible this week.

In the city where the party has been conducted for seven years the city finances the refreshments, while the Boy Scouts playing the role of hosts and with all of the boys in the city invited to attend.

The hope has been voiced that some local organization might agree to sponsor the event here and organize the communities to handle the various phases of the party.

There, of course, is plenty of time between now and Halloween, Oct. 31.

O. K. Halloween—

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Small Steel and filing cabinets on sale at Advocate office.

Artesia Asked Help Secure No. 83 Repairs

Cooperation and assistance of the Artesia Chamber of Commerce and North Eddy County in securing repairs to Highway No. 83 between Hope and Mayhill were requested here in a telegram received this week from Bernie Bounds & Company, growers, buyers, and shippers of produce at Mayhill.

The fact was pointed out in the telegram that due to the condition of the highway trucks were unable to get into the mountains and the Upper Penasco Valley to obtain perishable vegetables and these were being lost by the farmers and producer's. The growers will suffer heavy losses unless the road is repaired, it was stated.

The message received by the Artesia Chamber of Commerce pointed out that regular customers have refused to send their trucks over Highway No. 83 and have preferred to send them to South Texas or Colorado. The highway has been totally blocked for periods of 48 hours.

Growers and buyers there have been forced to cancel orders and stop loading because the trucks were unable to get through.

The statement was made that the condition of the highway was going to cost the Penasco Valley growers thousands of dollars this year.

Local civic leaders have promised to do what they could and to endeavor to contact the State Highway Commission and state officials and secure the repairing of this highway so that the vegetables can be moved out of the mountains.

Many here have declared that this strip of road, which becomes so muddy it is impassable, should be blacktopped until the proposed superhighway is constructed through this section.

Robert C. Davis, Former Artesia Boy, Liberated

A newspaper clipping from Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Davis of El Dorado, Kan., formerly of Artesia, discloses that their son, Sgt. Robert C. Davis, a member of the 200th Coast Artillery, Anti-Aircraft, has been liberated from the Japs.

The clipping from The El Dorado Times, said Sergeant Davis was interned in Osaka Camp near Tokyo and was liberated Sept. 11.

A message from the War Department to his parents said Sergeant Davis soon will return to the United States. A note from Mrs. Davis said, "I hope he is in the U. S. A. by the time you receive this."

Sergeant Davis, a prisoner of the Japs since the fall of Corregidor, enlisted at Gallup, where it is recalled, he went from Artesia.

Football—

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rain, admit the Eunice game should be one of the toughest of the season for the Bulldogs.

They plan to take 22 players to Eunice.

Johnnie Lanning, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Lanning, suffered a skull concussion during scrimmage Monday evening but is doing nicely and was expected to return to school today. However, he will not be allowed in the game this week.

C. C. Luncheon—

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set for Monday, Oct. 8, in Lamesa, Tex.

It was expected that Grady Booker, secretary of the Carper Drilling Company, would be present to make a report on the new residential addition which this company plans to open. They recently purchased more than 50 acres of land adjoining Artesia to the south and plan to open it for residential lots.

Carl Folkner, chairman of the Chamber of Commerce housing committee, also was to make a report on the approval of the construction of 20 residential units here. The work on these has not been started, but it is hoped it can be soon. Ceiling price on the units is not to exceed \$7000.

It also was expected that reports on the National War Fund drive, the municipal airport, and the country club would be submitted.

All of these matters will come up at the first meeting of the organization to be held at the earliest possible date, it was announced by President Petty.

Kerr, School Superintendent, Is Back on Job

W. E. Kerr, superintendent of Artesia schools, is back on the job since Monday although he is carrying on from his home, after having undergone a serious operation at the University of Kansas Hospital, Kansas City, Kan., Aug. 14.

He said he was feeling reasonably well, except for a cold, "which I brought home with me," and which kept him from resuming his duties sooner.

Within a few days, Superintendent Kerr expects to be back at his desk in the Artesia High School building.

He and Mrs. Kerr returned to Artesia Sept. 22, since when he has been resting at his home and regaining his strength.

During the superintendent's absence the latter part of the summer vacation period and the opening weeks of the new school semester, C. D. Marshall, high school principal, has been serving as acting superintendent.

Grid Squad Treated To Steaks Tuesday Night by W. W. Batie

W. W. Batie entertained the entire football squad at the Artesia Golf Club course here on Tuesday evening with a steak dinner.

A total of some 76 steaks had been prepared for the members of the squad and their coaches, F. L. Green and Alan Thompson.

The steaks had been especially selected for the boys on the grid team and then had been prepared and cooked by Batie. Besides steaks, frioles and potato salad were served. Tables were set outside at the golf course and despite the light rain, which was falling, the event was thoroughly enjoyed by the entire squad and they expressed their deep appreciation to Batie for this courtesy extended to them.

Eugene Batie, a member of the squad, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Batie. T. R. Wikowsky was a guest.

Will Discuss Atomic Bomb at Technical Meet

The Artesia Technical Society will hold its October meeting at 7 o'clock Wednesday night, Oct. 10, on the Roof Garden of the Artesia Hotel, when Major John R. McClure, head of the chemistry department of New Mexico Military Institute at Roswell, will be the principal speaker.

No dinner will be served and the meeting of the society will get under way at 7 o'clock. The public has been extended a cordial invitation to be present to hear Major McClure discuss "The Chemical and Mechanical Structure of Atomic Bombs."

This will be the first speaker to appear here qualified to discuss the atomic bombs and its widespread interest it is expected that many will take advantage of the opportunity to hear Major McClure.

The Technical Society feels fortunate in securing him as a speaker for the occasion and desires to have the public enjoy his message and are extending an invitation to the general public to attend their meeting here next Wednesday evening.

Milk Is Being Delivered to Homes Again

Now Artesia is having fresh milk delivered to the front doors.

Although this service has been available here it has been limited by the supply of milk. The Gremlin dairy has made home deliveries.

But the Pure Valley Milk Company owned and operated by the McNeil Bros., E. E. and J. W., started home deliveries Monday, Oct. 1. They are only making morning deliveries and can accommodate a limited number of new customers.

The brothers have been working on the establishments of their dairy, which is located on Cottonwood, for several months. They have a fine herd of dairy cattle, are endeavoring to secure more. They have established a good dairy and are producing and bottling milk under ideal sanitary conditions. Their milk is Grade "A" raw milk.

Their plans call for further expansion when business and conditions will permit including the offering of pasteurized milk and other dairy products.

Those interested in securing milk delivered to their homes can phone 45 and customers will be accepted up to the limit. They expect to have available between 500 and 600 quarts of milk daily.

During the first week no store deliveries are being made but it is expected that raw grade "A" milk will soon be available in the Artesia stores.

Many Awards Given at Loco Hills Court

A "Silver Jubilee Award" and a small bronze statue of a Boy Scout were presented to troop No. 69 last Thursday evening when a court of honor was held at the Sherman Memorial Community Church, Loco Hills, with a large crowd in attendance.

The program opened with a candlelight ceremony by the scouts, when they used the 12 points of the scout law as their theme. Candles were also used to signify the three parts of the scout oath.

Earnest Evans, assistant scoutmaster, presented tenderfoot badges to Rayford Starkey and Ray Pruitt, Cubs who were advanced to Boy Scouts upon reaching their 12th birthdays.

Duane Tucker, Freddie Starkey, and Emory McPhaul received their second-class pins from G. G. Unangst, neighborhood commissioner, and first-class pins were pinned on Carrol Cockran and Jay E. Goodrich by their mothers.

Earnest Thompson, scoutmaster, presented 29 merit badges. Jack Ward received the public health, personal health, safety, wood carving, woodworking, poultry keeping, pathfinding, bird study, and athletic badges. Alton Unangst was granted badges for athletics, public health, personal health, poultry keeping, reading, and safety; Carrol Cockran, poultry keeping; Kenneth Newton, personal health, reading, and poultry keeping; James Briscoe, handicraft and wood carving; Freddie Starkey, handicraft and wood carving, and wood carving badges.

Jack Ward received the Star Scout badge, which was pinned on by his mother, Mrs. Asa Ward, and Alton Unangst received the Life Scout badge, which his grandfather of Hebberville, Tex., pinned on him.

An official Boy Scout benediction dismissed the audience at the close of the court.

New shipment of flexible steel rulers available at Advocate.

OUR DUTY IN COOPERATION

Present conditions and that confronting us in reverting to a peaceful world, presents no easy procedure. Our Christian efforts are not to be relaxed in bringing about a normal peace. Our Christ loving and God fearing Nations have won the military conflict just ended. We proceed united in our Christian efforts toward regular church attendance. Christian cooperation is called upon in this day and time more so than ever before.

We call attention of all who will, attend the REVIVAL at the Church of Christ, October 3rd, through 14th. Rev. Allen Johnson 'Speaker.'

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