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Artesia Advocate

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ARTESIA, NEW MEXICO, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 13, 1945

NUMBER 50

Victory Loan, War Fund Drives Are Over Top

Exceeded by \$85,000

Artesia and North Eddy County... purchased some \$342,606...

That left \$157,000 of all other series to be sold. This was exceeded \$107,344.

Youth Teen Canteen Shares

The War Fund quota for Artesia and North Eddy County has been completed and the quota set of some \$12,700 has been raised.

course, will require additional funds for this work, but hopes are entertained that this can be raised sooner or later.

Believes Japs Will Always Hate Yanks

The Jap hatred of the American people is so inbred it will never be taken out of them, is the opinion of John Conner, one of the local boys who served with the 200th Coast Artillery, Anti-Aircraft, and was a prisoner of war of the Japs, he disclosed Tuesday noon, when he spoke at the weekly luncheon of the Artesia Rotary Club.

Santa Is Coming At 2 Saturday

Approximately 3500 bags of candy and gifts will be handed to Artesia and North Eddy County youngsters at 2 o'clock here on Saturday afternoon, Dec. 15, by old Santa Claus, it was announced by Charles Gaskins, chairman of the Rotary Club Christmas party committee.

Old Saint Nick is to arrive promptly at 2 o'clock and will be escorted down the Main Street to the corner of Third and Main, erected a Christmas tree will be erected to await his arrival. And at 2 o'clock or shortly thereafter Santa Claus with many local helpers will distribute the gifts to the children.

Christmas season for the youngsters here. Last year, leaders stated, it seemed for a while that the arrangements could not be completed but they were. Several difficulties have loomed this year but committee members stated Thursday that everything was ready for the visit.

Princess' Selection Will Be Saturday

The Artesia Lions Club's second annual contest to choose a Princess to represent the community at the Sun Carnival in Paso, Dec. 29, through New Year Day, Miss Joy Fern (Nig) was far out ahead of field this morning, Jo Loch was in second place and Miss Livingston in third.

will be accompanied by a chaperone, whose expenses also will be paid by the Lions Club. At the Sun Carnival, the Artesia princess will share the spotlight with other princesses selected in similar contests in cities throughout the Southwest and in Mexico.

Conoco Colony Gay in Lights Reflects Old Artesia Spirit

While the mairder of Artesia has not recovered from the war years — electrically speaking, — Conoco Colony has gone all out in the Yuletide spirit with decorations reminiscent of the Artesia up to and including the Christmastime of 1941.

and Joseph, sheep and a donkey. Above them and on the skyline, atop the multicolor garage, are Old Santa Claus and his reindeer, six of them, in spans of two. The reindeer are cutout standups, on which have been mounted real deer antlers. Old St. Nick is shown in his sleigh with his bag of presents.

Death Comes to Mrs. Atteberry, 83, Saturday

Mrs. Sallie Milford Atteberry, 83, widow of John Richard Atteberry, a resident of Artesia since shortly after the turn of the century died at 5:30 o'clock Saturday morning, shortly after suffering a stroke.

'Rip' Van Winkle Dies Suddenly at Hope Celebration

F. G. (Rip) Van Winkle, 53, an old-time native cattleman of New Mexico and recognized as one of the finest sheet metal workers in this section, died suddenly from a heart attack Saturday evening at the dance in Hope in connection with that community's celebration for returned veterans.

Chief Warns of Crime Increase

After a number of crimes in Artesia in recent weeks, some of which have been kept quiet in order to give the law-enforcement officers a better chance to apprehend the offenders, Police Chief G. Kelley Stout this week issued a warning that crime is on the increase and that property owners, especially persons having cars, should take every precaution for their protection.

He warned the citizens of the Artesia community to lock up their cars and trucks, or at least to keep them off the streets during the night hours, as a crime wave is brewing. Another precaution Chief Stout suggested, after a number of attempted burglaries, is that managers of business houses place lights over their back doors, which not only would give protector but would reduce burglary insurance rates.

Junior Play, 'One Wild Night,' Goes Well Friday

The "Wild Night," the junior play, was presented before a large audience in the high school gym here on Friday night. The play well received and scored a triumph.

Is Santa Claus To Orphans in His Spare Time

A quiet little project — the repairing of broken toys — has been going on here for some weeks that will mean joy and happiness to a number of orphan children on Christmas morning.

Major Problems Facing City to Be Discussed at Luncheon Today

Major civic problems facing the city of Artesia and North Eddy County will occupy the attention of members of the Artesia Chamber of Commerce at the regular December meeting, slated to be held at noon today at the First Christian Church.

The Chamber of Commerce was given approval for some 20 new houses to be erected here, but as yet no plan has been worked out for financing the houses. The difficulty of securing building material for these houses also remains. Several homes are under construction but these are private residences.

Lt. Preston Dunn Is On Terminal Leave From Marine Corps

Charles Preston Dunn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Dunn, is home on terminal leave, after serving as a dive bomber pilot in the Marine Corps with the rank of first lieutenant. His discharge will become effective Dec. 22.

Send More Than 100 Gifts for Yanks Who Gave

More than 100 gifts were contributed here in the "Gifts for Yanks Who Gave" campaign, which closed Saturday, it was announced by Mrs. H. R. Paton, president of the American Legion Auxiliary, which sponsored the collection with the American Legion.

District Scout Meeting Here Is Slated Tonight

The next regular meeting of members of Boy Scout District No. 8 of the Eastern New Mexico Area Council is slated to be held at 7:30 o'clock tonight at the office of the Southwestern Public Service Company, it has been announced by J. D. Smith, district chairman.

Roberts Brothers Are Home After Serving In the Armed Forces

Among those back in civilian life and just resting and enjoying civilian life until they decide what to do, are Gene and Clyde Roberts. Clyde Roberts, who was in the U.S. Navy for 22 months serving at San Diego, was discharged on Nov. 10 and has returned to Artesia. He owned and operated the Roselawn Barber Shop before going into service.

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# Princess Peggy Wants To Know WHO WILL BE Artesia's Sun Bowl Princess?

## THIS YEAR'S CANDIDATES

- Joy Fern (Nig) Ferguson
- Joan Livingston
- Betty Blue
- Jean Johnson
- Florence (Rags) Jenkins
- Betty Jane Evarts
- Virginia Johnson
- Mary Jo Lochridge
- Louise Archer



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**SOUTHWESTERN  
SUN CARNIVAL**  
AT  
**El Paso, Texas**  
SATURDAY — TUESDAY  
**December 29**  
THROUGH  
**New Year's Day**

*How - Where - When to Vote*

One vote for the candidate of your choice for each penny spent on purchases of \$1.00 or more at any of cooperating stores giving votes.

*Contest Runs Through Saturday, Dec. 15*

*How - Where - When to Vote*

Have the name of your selection for Sun Bowl Princess entered in place provided on ballot to which you are entitled when making a purchase of \$1.00 or more at store giving votes. Be sure the merchant enters the amount of purchase. Then have ballot placed in ballot box.

## Contest Sponsored by the Artesia Lions Club

### Participating Merchants — Voting Places

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| Russell Auto Supply Co. | Sanitary Barber Shop         |
| Batie's Food Store      | Wilson Paint and Glass Shop  |
| Marie's                 | Nelson-John Office Supply    |
| Artesia Pharmacy        | Toggery Shop                 |
| Western Auto Supply Co. | Artesia Furniture Co.        |
| Artesia Auto Co.        | Palace Drug Store            |
| Union Supply Co.        | Hopkins Home & Auto Supplies |
| Woody Tire Co.          | L. P. Evans Store            |
| Ferguson Motor Co.      | Allied Supply Co.            |
| Guy Chevrolet Co.       | Iverson Tool Co.             |

### Supporting Merchants — Non-Voting

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| People's Mercantile Co.    | E. B. Bullock          | Southwestern Public Service  |
| Coney Island Cafe          | Clyde Parrish Oil Co.  | Artesia Laundry & Cleaners   |
| Mann Drug Co.              | Texaco Service Station | J. E. Roberts                |
| King's Jewelry             | Ansley and Wallace     | Ross Baking Co.              |
| Carter's Cafe              | Dowell Service Station | Schmitt's Variety Store      |
| Smoke House                | Mint Bar               | Artesia Advocate             |
| Motor Port Service Station | Bayless Funeral Home   | Jones & Laughlin Supply Co.  |
| Jensen & Son               | Prior Rubber Co.       | Safeway Store                |
| First National Bank        | Maloney Tank Co.       | Brainard-Corbin Hardware Co. |
| J. C. Penney Company       | Malco Refineries, Inc. | New Mex. Asphalt & Ref. Co.  |

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**NOTICE STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE**  
 Number of Application RA-1532 S. Santa Fe, N. M., Dec. 6, 1945.  
 Notice is hereby given that on the 3rd day of December, 1945, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, W. Leslie Martin 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 12 1/2 inches in diameter and approximately 200 feet in depth, at a location in the NW 1/4 NE 1/4 SE 1/4 of

Section 32, Township 16 South, Range 26 East, N. M. P. M., for the purpose of developing a sufficient underground supply for 160 acres of land with underground water rights File RA-1532, and described as E 1/2 SE 1/4 of Section 32, and the W 1/2 SW 1/4 of Section 33, all of Township 16 South, Range 26 N. M. P. M.  
 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 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 last publication of this notice. Unless protested, the application will be given final consideration for approval by the State Engineer on the 15th day of January, 1946.  
 Thomas M. McClure  
 State Engineer  
 50-31-52



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**NOTICE STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE**  
 Number of Application RA-1547 S2 Santa Fe, N. M., Dec. 7, 1945.

Notice is hereby given that on the 2nd day of Nov., 1945, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, Byrnie A. Shofner of Artesia, County of Eddy, State of New Mexico, made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a permit to drill a 12 1/2 inch diameter shallow groundwater well approximately 200 feet in depth at a location in the Northwest Corner of the W 1/2 SW 1/4 of Section 19, Township 17 South, Range 26 East N. M. P. M., for the purpose of combining the water therefrom with that of Well RA-1547 in order to develop a sufficient shallow groundwater supply for the proper irrigation of 80 acres of land under License RA-1547 and described as the W 1/2

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THE SCREAMING EAGLE—that's the nickname of the 101st Airborne Division—holds the Distinguished Unit Citation for the epic defense of Bastogne in the Belgian bulge operation against a vastly superior foe. It was the first time in the history of the American Army that a unit larger than a regiment received the award. Paradoxically the airborne troops traveled not by plane, parachute and glider, but by Army trucks, in rushing to the front for their most historic battle. Although completely surrounded, the Division held firm against the fiercest Nazi attacks and refused to surrender. It was credited with being one of the greatest single factors which blunted the enemy's drive.  
 The Division was activated in August, 1942, and sailed in September, 1943, its component units at that time being the 321st and 507th Glider Field Artillery Battalions; 502d, 508th Parachute Infantry Regiments; 377th Parachute Field Artillery Battalion, and 401st and 427th Glider Infantry Regiments. It trained in England until the opening of the European campaign, June 6, 1944.  
 On D-Day the 101st made its airborne landing in France and began its march across Normandy. Strong resistance was met near Ste Marie du Mont but the Division fought through to Carantou and on D-Day plus six liberated that French city. It went into action again in December, this time to write a memorable chapter in American military history. Its assignment was to hold against the mighty winter effort of General Von Runstedt in the enemy push designed to shove the Allied forces back and roll into France once again. In a short time the Division was cut off from other units, ammunition and blood plasma had to be dropped from the air and the enemy asked it to surrender. Maj. Gen. (the Brig. Gen.) Anthony C. McAuliffe, who commanded the 101st at Bastogne, gave the classic answer, "Nuts!" The Germans renewed their attack but the Division held steadfast and was reached by the 4th Armored, causing the enemy to recoil.  
 In February, 1945, the 101st was placed in the Seventh Army in action near Strasbourg and by March had plunged into vital areas of the Reich. In April it speeded toward Hitler's Berchtesgaden retreat and in towns near there captured high ranking Nazi officials. By the war's end the Division had reached Berchtesgaden itself. Maj. Gen. Maxwell D. Taylor commanded the Division in the European theater.  
 The shoulder patch is a black badge with a black arc streaming above. On the badge is a white screaming eagle. Appearing on the arc in white, is "Airborne."

SW 1/4 of said Section 19.  
 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 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 last publication of this notice. Unless protested, the application will be given final consideration for approval by the State Engineer on the 17th day of January, 1946.  
 Thomas M. McClure  
 State Engineer  
 50-31-52

**NOTICE OF ELECTION OF DIRECTORS FOR DISTRICTS NOS. 1 AND 4 OF THE PECOS VALLEY ARTESIAN CONSERVANCY DISTRICT**  
 WHEREAS, it is provided by Section 5 of the Election Code of the Pecos Valley Artesian Conservancy District that the Board of Directors thereof shall publish notice of the time and place of holding an election for Directors of the Pecos Valley Artesian Conservancy District.  
 NOW THEREFORE, the undersigned members of the Board of Directors of the Pecos Valley Artesian Conservancy District, do hereby proclaim and give notice that an election will be held in Districts Nos. 1 and 4 for the purpose of electing Directors in each of said Districts.  
 The time, place, election officials and the manner of holding said election, and the rules and conduct thereof, shall be as follows:  
 Time: January 12, 1946.  
 Hours of Voting: 9 o'clock, A. M., to 6 o'clock P. M.  
 Polls or Location of Ballot Boxes:  
 District No. 1: Office of the Artesian Well Supervisor, Court House, Roswell, New Mexico.  
 District No. 4: Office of E. C. Jackson, Main Street, Lake Arthur, New Mexico, and City Hall, Artesia, New Mexico.  
 Election Judges:  
 District No. 1: Guy Rowe, E. C. White, C. E. Smith.  
 District No. 4: Lake Arthur: E. C. Jackson, Carrol Jackson, John Haven.  
 District No. 4: Artesia: Mrs. Mary Jane Gray, Mrs. Helen Collins, Mr. Alf Coll.  
 Nomination of Candidates:

Candidates for Directors in the respective Districts shall be nominated and their names printed upon the official ballots by nominating petitions filed in the office of the Pecos Valley Artesian Conservancy District, at the Court House in Roswell, New Mexico, at least three days prior to the date set for the election. Any petition containing the signature of not less than twenty-five qualified electors in the District in which it is sought to nominate a candidate, filed within the time above provided, shall be sufficient to nominate such candidate.  
 Qualifications of Candidates: Directors, at the time of their election, must be free holders in the District from which elected.  
 Qualification of Voters: Directors shall be elected by the popular vote of the owners of real property situated in the respective Districts.  
 Boundaries of District No. 1: All property within the boundaries of the Pecos Valley Artesian Conservancy District North of Second Street in the City of Roswell, and north of the township line between Townships 10 and 11 South, N. M. P. M.  
 Boundaries of District No. 4: All property in the Pecos Valley Artesian Conservancy District between the North section lines of Sections 8, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, and

18, Twp. 14 S., Rge. 25 E., Chaves County, N. M., and South Section line of Sec. 7, Twp. 17 S., Rge. 27 E., and Sections 7, 8, 9, 19, 11 and 12, Twp. 17 S., Rge. 26 E. and Sections 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, Twp. 17 S., Rge. 25 E., Eddy County, N. M.  
 Said Election will be held and conducted in accordance with the Election Code of the Pecos Valley Artesian Conservancy District, copies of which code may be had upon application to the Clerk of the District Court of Chaves County, New Mexico, or obtained from the office of the Pecos Valley Artesian Conservancy District in the

Court House in Roswell, New Mexico.  
 Dated this the 6th day of December, 1945.  
 Signed: M. Y. Monical  
 Jessie I. Funk  
 W. Leslie Martin  
 J. H. Mullis  
 George D. Perrine  
 50-41c  
 Farmer Abe Brown is hunting some joyriding tractorists. They went into Brown's cornfield last night, unhitched his tractor and drove the tractor all over the field. Tractor tracks criss-crossed over the field and wide swaths of corn were laid to the ground.

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Johnson's Wax Paste Wax, Lb. — .45 Liquid Wax, Gal. — 2.50 No-Buff Wax, Gal. — 2.50 Floor Sealer, Gal. — 2.75	35-lb. Smooth, 108 sq. ft. — \$1.45 45-lb. Smooth, 108 sq. ft. — 1.75 55-lb. Smooth, 108 sq. ft. — 2.25 90-lb. Green Slate, 108 sq. ft. — 3.00	The Perfect Joint System 60-Foot Package — \$1.25 250-Foot Package — 3.00
Tents Waterproof	WELL CYLINDERS	Fairbury WINDMILLS
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**Social Calendar**

day, Dec. 14  
The Garden Club will hold its Christmas party at 2:30 p. m. at home of Mrs. Clyde Roberts.  
Tuesday, Dec. 19  
Congenial Kard Klub will have turkey dinner at the home of Mrs. A. R. Comrary.  
Wednesday, Dec. 20  
The Mattie Gissler Circle and the Besse Jeffery Circle will meet at 8:30 p. m. at the church.  
The Women's Society of Christian Service of the Christian church will have a missionary singing at 2:30 p. m. at the church there will be an exchange of gifts.  
Friday, Jan. 8  
The First Afternoon Bridge Club will hold its next meeting at the home of Mrs. A. B. Coll with a red dish luncheon.

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**Woman's Club Cookbook Makes Fine Yule Gift**

There remain only about 75 copies of the Woman's Club cookbook offered for sale here.  
The number may be even less, it was stated by Mrs. H. R. Paton, chairman of the committee.  
But the cookbook makes an ideal Christmas gift and will be deeply appreciated by relatives of local citizens and former residents of Artesia.  
Copies of the cookbook can be secured at The Artesia Advocate office or they can be secured from Mrs. Paton.  
The club is hopeful that the few remaining books can be sold before the end of the year and that the project can be completed.

**OPERETTA** — "Christmas For Others." Central School Auditorium, Friday, Dec. 21, 1:30 p. m. No admission. 50-2tp-51

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# Society

**Choral Club's Annual Christmas Vesper Service to be at 5 o'clock Sunday, First Presbyterian Church**

The Artesia Choral Club will present its annual Christmas vespers concert at 5 o'clock Sunday afternoon, Dec. 16, at the First Presbyterian Church. The Christmas carols by organ, piano and violin will start 15 minutes before the concert or at 4:45 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

The concert will be under the direction of Geneva Smith Ross, with Vergine Russel Gates as organist; Edna Carper, pianist; and Lewis Story as violinist.

The program will open with Christmas carols by organ, piano and violin. "Christmas Lullaby," will be sung by Mrs. Fred Cole. The processional will be "Adeste Fideles," "Christmas Hymn," by Spricker, will be offered with Mrs. J. T. Caudle, Mrs. J. L. Spratt, Mrs. Stanley Carper, and Mrs. Rex Wheatley providing the echo voices.

This will be followed with "Glory to God in the Highest," by Pergolesi, and "He Shall Feed His Flock," by Handel, with Mrs. Paul Brown and Mrs. Donald Bush as soloists. "The Christmas Story" will be given by Mrs. Rex Wheatley and this will be followed with "Crucifixus," from "B-Minor Mass,"

by Bach, and "I Wonder as I Wander," an Appalachian carol arranged by Niles, with Mrs. I. L. Spratt as soloist, and "Carol of Russian Children," from "White Russia," arranged by Gaul.

Two Czech Christmas carols, "Strangers Say a King Is Born," and "Sleep Baby, Sleep;" "Deck the Hall," a Welsh Christmas carol, arranged by Erickson, and a solo by Mrs. Paul Brown will follow.

"Gesu Bambino," by Pietro Yon, will be given, with Mrs. Clyde Dungan as soloist. "Lo, How a Rose e'er Blooming," by Praetorius, will be presented, to be followed by "Christmas Song," by Adams, and "The Shepherd's Story," by Dickinson, with Mrs. Fred Cole as soloist.

The recessional will be "Hallelujah Chorus," by Handel, by organ and piano. Ushers for the program will be Ralph Shugart, L. E. Francis, Johnny Bert Lanning, and Robert Painter. Lighters of candles are to be Carol Hensley, Mary Nell Montgomery, Betty Blue, June McDorman, Nadine Ross, and Pat Robinson.

**Sgt. John Conner of Famed 200th And Miss Wanda Bryan Are Wedded**

Miss Wanda Bryan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bryan, became the bride of Sgt. John R. Conner, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Conner, when a wedding of interest was solemnized at 5 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the First Methodist Church, which was decorated in an all-white theme.

The vows of the double-ring ceremony were exchanged in the soft candlelight before an altar with two huge baskets of white carnations on either side and flanked with fern and lighted by candelabra holding aloft the traditional seven white tapers. The Rev. C. A. Clark, pastor of the Methodist Church, officiated.

Serving the bride as maid of honor was Mrs. Jack Conner, sister-in-law of the bridegroom.

Sgt. Thomas B. Bryan of the U.S. Marine Corps and brother of the bride, attended the bridegroom as best man and ring bearer.

The bride, given away by her father, was lovely in a three-piece gray wool pinstripe suit with winter white and black accessories. She carried a white Bible, loaned her by her cousin, Miss Betty Jo Bryan, topped with an orchid with white satin streamers.

For something new, she wore pearl earrings; something old, a beautiful aged silver stud pin worn beneath the lapel of her top coat; something borrowed was the white Bible she carried, and for something blue, a pair of blue saffron aged silver stud pin also served as a good luck token.

Mrs. Jack Conner was dressed in a moss green suit with black accessories and wore a corsage of pink roses.

Misses Dorothy Dunnam, Dorothy Castleberry, Betty Montgomery, and Dulcie Borland assisted as ushers and were dressed in suits of delicate pastel shades.

Mrs. Tom Bryan, mother of the bride, chose to wear a powder blue suit with black accessories, and Mrs. A. F. Conner, mother of the bridegroom, wore a black suit with black accessories. Their shoulder corsages were of white gardenias.

A program of nuptial music was furnished by Miss Helen Battie, who sang "Because" preceding the ceremony and "Till the End of Time," as the bride and bridegroom walked out of the church.

The bride came to Artesia during the month of February of this year with her parents from Hobbs, where she attended the schools and was graduated from Hobbs High School. She was born at Roswell.

Sergeant Conner was reared in Artesia and graduated from Artesia High School. He was a member of the famous 200th Coast Artillery and was returned Oct. 2, to the United States from Japan, where he was a prisoner of war three and a half years. He expects to receive his release from the Army in the near future.

**Betrothed Couple Honored at Dinner On Monday Evening**

Miss Wanda Bryan and Sgt. Johnny Conner, who were married at 5 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the First Methodist Church, were honored with a dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. Castleberry Monday evening.

Those present at the dinner were Miss Dorothy Castleberry, Miss Dorothy Dunham, Roy Castleberry, Miss Betty Lou Montgomery, Miss Dulcie Borland, Bill Dunn, Mrs. R. E. Castleberry, Miss Nora Wymuth, Mr. and Mrs. T. Castleberry, and the honorees, Wanda and Johnny.

**Final Service Club Dance to Be Saturday**

The final dance at the Artesia Service Club will be held Saturday evening for members and former members of the armed forces, sponsored by the AWVS.

The clubroom is to be closed Jan. 1, after having been the site of many entertainments during the war years for men and women in uniform, conceived, financed, and maintained by the people of the Artesia community for that purpose.

Although in no way connected with the USO and not receiving any funds from that organization, the Artesia Service Club has served the same purpose in the community, in which there were not enough persons stationed in the armed forces to warrant a club maintained by the USO. In fact, the Artesia service club has been erroneously referred to time and again as the USO by people of the Artesia community.

Under the guidance of Mrs. H. R. Paton, who was elected chairman of a committee representing the several service organizations and other groups of this area, formed at the request of Mayor Emery Carper, the club has been one of the bright spots in Artesia for visiting servicemen and servicewomen here on furlough and leave, either residents of North Eddy County, or those stationed at posts in this vicinity.

The final function of the Artesia Service Club Saturday bids to be a gay one, with the Christmas spirit prevailing. An orchestra has been engaged.

Everyone in uniform is invited, as well as wives, and sweethearts of servicemen, and men wearing what the former Army and Navy men term "The Homing Pigeon" or "The Ruptured Duck"—the honorable discharge emblem—and their "dates". Club hostesses will also be present.

"Christmas in Music" To Be Theme Evening Presbyterian Hour

"Christmas in Music," will be the theme of the "Friendship Hour" to be held at the First Presbyterian Church at 8 o'clock Sunday evening, Dec. 16, it was announced by the Rev. Paul L. Brown, pastor.

The church choir, under the direction of Mrs. M. C. Ross, will lead the worship through anthem, solo, and carol. The public is invited to this service of worship and fellowship.

The "Friendship Hour" at 7:30 o'clock Sunday evening, Dec. 23, will be held in the form of a family night. A service for the children is being planned.

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**Nearly 200 Enjoy 'Hangar Dance' Saturday Night**

Nearly 200 guests, mostly fliers and members of their families, enjoyed a "hangar dance" Saturday evening in the administration building of the Artesia Municipal airport as guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. (Sug) Hazel, operators of Hazel Flying Service.

Besides dancing to a small orchestra, the guests vied with each other for a number of prizes, including two leather flight jackets.

Refreshments were served during the evening.

Guests from out of town included Mrs. Hazel's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. O. Hammond, and Mr. and Mrs. George Allison, Mrs. Estelle Stancliff, Mrs. Mary McCullough, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Burkstaller, Mrs. Herman Burkstaller, Miss Joyce Sloan, and Mrs. Helen Jewett, Roswell.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sides, Mr. and Mrs. John D. Carr, and Mrs. Claude McCausland, Carlsbad; Mrs. B. F. Hines and party, Hobbs; and Mr. and Mrs. Keigh McCrary, Santa Fe.

Mrs. J. W. Nellis is Hostess to First Afternoon Bridge

Mrs. J. W. Nellis entertained the First Afternoon Bridge Club Tuesday afternoon, when they played five rounds of bridge and exchanged Christmas gifts around a brightly decorated Christmas tree.

Guest of the afternoon was Mrs. Walter Nugent.

Members present were Mrs. Bert Bidwell, Mrs. Lester Bayless, Mrs. J. J. Clarke, Mrs. W. J. Cluney, Mrs. A. B. Coll, Mrs. M. W. Evans, Mrs. Pat Gormley, Mrs. Jeff Hightower, Mrs. A. B. Kedy, Mrs. J. Hise Myers, Kathryn Walterschied and Mrs. Nellis, hostess. Mrs. Myers held high score.

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Women's Society of Christian Service Meets on Thursday
Members of the Women's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist Church met last Thursday at the church with Mrs. Reed Brainard, Mrs. Max Ratliff, Mrs. W. F. Williams, Mrs. George Frisch, and Mrs. Joe Foster as hostesses.
Mrs. R. J. Miller, president, presided over the business meeting, after which Mrs. I. C. Dixon gave the devotion of "The Church Gives to Us."
An interesting program, "The Theme of the Church," was presented in the form of a play, which Mrs. Howard Stroup directed. Those who had parts in the play were Mrs. Stroup, Mrs. Bill Bullock, Mrs. Don Butts, Mrs. Royal Butts, and Mrs. Loren Bowen.
At the close of the meeting, light refreshments were served to about 35 members present.

Auxiliary Has Yuletide Party Here on Monday

Members of the American Legion Auxiliary met Monday afternoon at the Artesia Service Club, where they enjoyed an interesting session at which Mrs. H. R. Paton, president, presided. Mrs. Alex McGonagil, national committeewoman from New Mexico, who attended the national conference held recently at Chicago, gave a talk which covered her trip and events that happened during the conference.
Mrs. Jess Shildneck and Mrs.

Francis Painter, who represented the Auxiliary, delivered two baskets filled with food to families in Artesia. It was announced. Announcement was also made that five boxes of food will be delivered to families at Christmastime.
Following the business session a treat was given those present, when Mrs. Shildneck led the group in Christmas carols and Miss Betty Blue gave a reading, "One Christmas Eve," By Langston Hughes.
Mrs. Shildneck, Mrs. Calvin Dunn, Mrs. R. D. Wright, Sr., and Mrs. Roger Durand were hostesses at the Christmas party. Gifts were exchanged and refreshments of pumpkin pies and whipped cream

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IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF

PAUL D. THOMAS, DECEASED.  
No. 1192  
NOTICE OF HEARING ON FINAL ACCOUNT AND REPORT  
THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
TO: Lillian Farr Thomas, Paul F.

Thomas, Anne Thomas, and all unknown heirs of Paul D. Thomas, Deceased and all unknown persons claiming any lien upon or right, title or interest in or to the estate of said decedent, GREETING:

the interest of each respective claimant thereto or therein, and the persons entitled to distribution thereof.

MONS EDWARDS, DECEASED.  
No. 1251  
NOTICE TO CREDITORS  
The undersigned C. L. Bowen has qualified as administrator of the estate of Clarence Clemmons Edwards, deceased.

and each of you, by Alvin R. Dowell, and Lizzie J. B. Jackson, as plaintiffs, 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 Plaintiffs' unencumbered fee simple title and estate in and to the property described in the Complaint in said cause, to-wit:

Commission to be affixed at the City of Santa Fe on this THIRTIETH day of NOVEMBER, 1945 A. D.  
Eugene Allison, Chairman  
(SEAL)  
ATTEST: Cosme R. Garcia, Clerk  
49-21-50

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Lillian Farr Thomas, ancillary executrix, 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 January, 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 his estate, and

WITNESS MY HAND AND the seal of said Court on this the 21 day of November, 1945.  
R. A. Wilcox  
County Clerk and ex-officio Clerk of the Probate Court  
(SEAL) 48-41-51

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF EDDY COUNTY, STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF CLARENCE CLEM-

MONS EDWARDS, DECEASED.  
No. 1251  
NOTICE TO CREDITORS  
The undersigned C. L. Bowen has qualified as administrator of the estate of Clarence Clemmons Edwards, 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 29 day of November, 1945, or the same will be barred.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT IN AND FOR EDDY COUNTY, STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
Alvin R. Dowell, Mary E. Dowell, and Lizzie J. B. Jackson, Plaintiffs,  
VS.  
L. W. Martin, if living, if deceased, the unknown heirs of L. W. Martin, deceased, impleaded with the following named defendants against whom substituted service is hereby sought to be obtained, to-wit: Unknown heirs of H. T. Boyd, also known as Henry Thomas Boyd, deceased, and All Unknown Claimants of Interest in the Premises adverse to the Plaintiffs, Defendants

Case No. 9205.  
NOTICE OF PENDING SUIT  
THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO to the aforesaid defendants against whom substituted service is hereby sought to be obtained. GREETINGS:

You are hereby notified that a suit has been filed against you,

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# WILL THERE BE A STEEL STRIKE ?

Not if the CIO abides by its pledged word, given only last spring

**Question:** What would be the general effect on the country of a steel strike?

**Answer:** Over 40 percent of all the factory workers in the country earn their living by making steel into useful products for American life. A shut-down of the steel industry would be a disastrous blow to reconversion and would cause a serious loss in both wages and industrial production at a time when they were most needed.

**Question:** Is it true that the Steelworkers Union has pledged itself not to strike?

**Answer:** Yes. Every contract which the Union has signed this year with the various steel companies has a clause wherein the Union agrees not to strike during the life of the contract.

**Question:** Are those contracts still in effect?

**Answer:** Yes they were signed in the spring of 1945 to run until October, 1946.

**Question:** Who signed for the Union?

**Answer:** Its international officials — Philip Murray, Van Bittner, Clinton Golden and others — and the local Union heads at the various plants.

**Question:** Is there no "escape clause" by which either side could end the agreements?

**Answer:** No. The Union demanded a fixed, long-term contract and got it.

**Question:** Why did they want a long-term contract?

**Answer:** In the Union's own words before the War Labor Board, "The Union's request for a termination date of October, 1946, is not made capriciously or pressed here for bargaining purposes. It represents the considered view of the Union that only such a term will adequately serve the needs of stability."

**Question:** Did the recent strike vote violate the contracts?

**Answer:** No. Only an actual strike would violate them.

**Question:** Haven't there been strikes already during the life of the contracts?

**Answer:** Yes. There were 998 strikes in steel plants during the past year alone. They were mostly local strikes which the Union characterizes as "wildcat," but they meant a big loss in production.

**Question:** Does the end of the war justify changing the contracts?

**Answer:** No. The bond was sealed on both sides and should be kept whether times be good or bad. The steel companies are continuing to live up to these agreements. If a strike is called, it will be in clear violation of the existing contracts.

**A strike in the face of existing contracts would shatter any confidence in the validity of union agreements in the steel industry.**

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IT IS HEREBY CERTIFIED that there has been filed for record in the office of the State Corporation Commission of the State of New Mexico on the twenty-eighth day of November A. D. 1945 at 2:00 P. M.  
CERTIFICATE OF DISSOLUTION  
of  
THE WILMER OIL CO., OF NEW Mexico

The WILMER OIL CO. OF NEW MEXICO, a corporation organized under the laws of New Mexico; and a duly executed consent in writing that said corporation be dissolved; and this Commission being satisfied that all of the requirements of Section 54-501, New Mexico Statutes Annotated, Compilation of 1941, relating to the voluntary dissolution of corporations have been duly complied with;

NOW, THEREFORE, upon the filing with this Commission of an affidavit showing that this Certificate has been published as required by law, the said corporation shall be dissolved.  
The principal office of the said corporation in this state is in Artesia, New Mexico, and the name of the agent in charge thereof and upon whom service may be made is R. A. Shugart, P. O. Box 426, Artesia, New Mexico. (21310)  
In Testimony Whereof, the State Corporation Commission of the State of New Mexico has caused this certificate to be signed by its Chairman and the seal of said

### Mrs. Blocker Buys Floral And Gift Shop

Ateberr's Floral and Gift Shop at 408 West Main has been sold by Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Ateberr to Mrs. C. R. Blocker, who is operating as Artesia Floral and Gift Shop. The transaction was made as of Dec. 1.  
Although this particular type of business is new to Mrs. Blocker, she is an experienced business woman, having published The Artesia Advocate from 1940, at the time of the death of her late husband, until last April 1.

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## WISHING ONE AND ALL A MERRY CHRISTMAS

AND A Happy and Prosperous New Year

**John A. Mathis**  
MANAGER

Union Life Insurance Company



### Coffee Shop in Hotel Opened by Dallas People

The Artesia Hotel Coffee Shop was opened last week by Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Turner, after it had been closed a number of weeks. Mr. and Mrs. Turner come here highly recommended as restaurant operators from Dallas, Tex., where they have been the last year and a half. They originally lived in Fort Worth.

It is their plan, they said, to please the public with good food, but to serve it at reasonable prices.

In addition, Mr. and Mrs. Turner hope to be operating the Roof Garden in the near future. It is not ready for use at this time, however.

When it is ready for occupancy and service, they will be able to take care of meetings of civic organizations and others needing an eating and assembly place for large crowds, they said.

Mr. and Mrs. Turner expressed their belief in the development and future of Artesia and said they hope to make this their permanent home.

### Are Nineteen New Books at Public Library

Nineteen new books are now available at the Artesia Public Library, it was announced by Mrs. Nellie Hartell, librarian. They are:

"Ever After," Elswyth Thane; "The High Road," Faith Baldwin; "Dark Sails," Helen Topping Miller; "The World, the Flesh and Father Smith," Bruce Marshall; "The Egg and I," Betty MacDonald; "Desert Island Decameron," H. Allen Smith.

"Daisy Kenyon," Elizabeth Jane-way; "Not in Our Stars," Greene; "My Felicia," Brisco; "The Shenandoah," Davis; "High Barbee," Nordhoff; "The Silver Inkwell," Whitney; "The Gauntlet," Street; "So Much as Beauty Does," Muriel Elwood; "Heart Wood," Dinnes; "Together," Brucker; "Remember Without Wanting," Nichols; "Beloved Gipsy," England; "Three O'clock Dinner," Pinckney.

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### STARS IN SERVICE



### AAA Committeemen Have Big Job Ahead Of Them in 1946

When the AAA committeemen sit down with his neighbor to make farm plans for 1946 an important question will be, how much conservation can be obtained with available funds? More conservation for each dollar spent is the aim of the 1946 Agricultural Conservation Program.

That is one reason why more responsibility is being shouldered by the community committeemen. They know local conditions. They know the farmers. They know the conservation needs. It is up to them to make available funds go as far as possible in helping farmers to conserve farm land and water resources. Farmers are discouraged from applying for payments for "routine" practices — the things he would have done anyhow.

Each county will be given so much money to assist its farmers in conserving the soil. AAA county and community committeemen will make the final decisions on how much money is to be spent. How much conservation the United States gets for each dollar spent will be up to them.

### POULTRY SITUATION IS DIFFERENT NOW

Consumers are being urged to make up for war-created shortages of poultry now by helping to eat up the big supply of meat chickens and turkeys that were produced in large numbers this year to meet anticipated full-scale military and civilian requirements for poultry and eggs.

USDA marketing experts say that there is need to move into market channels for immediate consumption or storage about 40 per cent more than the normal flow of fowl at this season if laying flocks are to be reduced sufficiently to avoid excessive egg production in 1946, 20 per cent more turkey than the quantity marketed in the same period last year, and at least 25 per cent more broilers, fryers, and roasters than were sold in civilian trade channels during the same period last year.

TO DEVELOP PROGRAM FOR COTTON DISPOSAL  
Secretary of Agriculture C. P. Anderson has appointed sever rep-

representatives from the American cotton industry to serve on a cotton export advisory board. The board will help work out a program to dispose of surplus U.S. cotton, including about 2½ million bales of government-owned cotton, mostly short staple. Outlets may be found in European and Far Eastern countries. The secretary seeks "a program that will help clear away the surplus that hangs over this country's cotton industry."

Thanks to an appendicitis attack, Pvt. George Barela, 21, of Silver City, N. M., is home four days ahead of the GI's with whom

he started back to the United States aboard the Andrew Furuseth, a liberty ship. Barela, grinning and well on the way to recovery, arrived on the navy troopship Lejeune, to which illness caused his transfer. The vessel carried 4563 other servicemen with which it sailed from Le Havre, France.

### STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS NOVEMBER, 1945

FUND	RECEIPTS	DISBURSEMENTS
Administrative	\$ 2336.54	\$ 899.65
Maintenance	17727.72	12818.36
Direct Charge	6879.70	1303.60
Emergency	3515.53	
TOTAL	\$29659.49	\$15021.61

—Mrs. R. N. Thomas — Co. SUPT. of Schools 50-1t

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But getting them home is far more than a matter of discharge papers or a holiday leave—there's the problem of getting them to wherever home is. Tens of thousands are now in California ports waiting to get home.

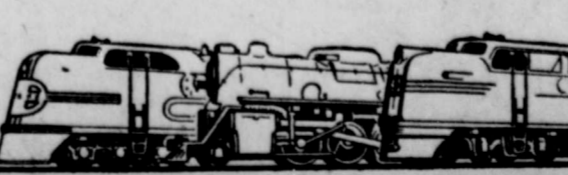
The Army and Navy tell us that better than a half million service personnel will be returning in December. That means 17,000, on the average, must be taken care of each day.

Our trains are already overcrowded. We don't want to disappoint a single soldier, sailor, marine, coast guard, man, Wac, Wave or Spar we can possibly find space for.

So won't you help us to do our share in playing Santa Claus to them by postponing your trip until after the holidays—unless it has to be made.

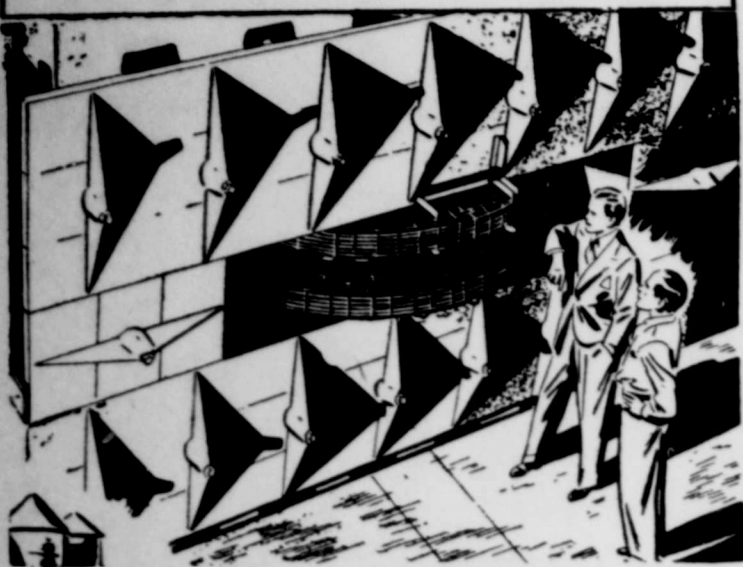
You'll get—we'll bet—a little glow out of knowing that you're making it possible for somebody in the service to be home. So again we ask, in all friendliness, won't you postpone your trip until we can serve you in the traditional Santa Fe manner.

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Under a reorganization of Soviet government agencies dealing with agriculture, the People's Commissariat of Industrial Crops in the Soviet Union has been created to control production of cotton, flax, hemp, silk, cork, tobacco, tea, citrus fruits, sugar beets, soybeans and other oilseed crops, and rubber bearing plants. Marketing and distribution of these products will continue to be administered by special commissariats.

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SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES FOR NOVEMBER, 1945

RECEIPTS		Amount
Maintenance		\$29,592.64
Direct Charge		3,453.16
Interest		547.63
Sinking		4,176.09
<b>Total Receipts</b>		<b>\$37,769.52</b>
EXPENDITURES		Amount
Maintenance		\$ 1,257.54
Instructional Service		12,471.30
Operation of Plant		856.51
Auxiliary Agencies		1,891.09
<b>Total</b>		<b>\$16,476.44</b>
DIRECT CHARGE		
Insurance		1,214.74
Rent		
Improvement of Grounds		
Repairs to Equipment		3.43
New Equipment		967.41
Repairs to Buildings		15.15
<b>Total</b>		<b>2,200.73</b>
SINKING		5,000.00
INTEREST		192.50
<b>TOTAL EXPENDITURES</b>		<b>\$23,869.67</b>

I certify that the above statements of receipts and expenditures for the month of November, 1945, for the Artesia Municipal Schools is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
Signed: W. E. Kerr  
Secretary, Board of Education  
50-11.

**Oil Discovered at Dayton Below Artesian Water Flow Back in 1909**

By RAY E. COLTON, Se.D.  
Petroleum Geologist

In this, the third of a series of articles written exclusively for The Advocate by Dr. Colton, he goes further into his discussion of the reservoir rocks.)

Continuing the discussion of the reservoir rocks of the Artesia area, it has been found that the porosity of the producing zones is believed to be due largely to the solution of inclusions in the anhydrite and of some of the dolomitic formations by underground water. There is conclusive evidence of circulation of water in close proximity to the producing zones. Previous drilling in the Artesia field has passed through strata both above and below the pays in which the dolomite formations have been honeycombed by solution in which a considerable amount of travertine has been deposited. Large samples of this material have been obtained where wells were shot.

In a well on the lease of the Williams Petroleum Company in 17-18-28, several hundred feet of oil vanished from the hole when the drill passed into one of the honeycombed formations.

In local areas of the Artesia district the producing horizons seem to occupy a definite place in the stratigraphic column, as in section 28-18-28. A few miles away in section 4, only a small showing

is encountered at this horizon, and the principal pay zone is about 300 feet lower in the dolomite. In section 27, an intermediate condition is found, the upper horizon producing in one well, the lower horizon in another, and a third stray sand in another.

**OTHER POOLS IN EDDY**

The Dayton pool is located in the southeastern part of township 18-26. It lies west of the Pecos River and south and east of the town of Dayton. The producing area includes sections 15, 24, 25, 26, and 35, which lie in the flood plain of the Pecos River. The limits of production are not entirely defined, but as dry holes have been drilled among producers, future production will probably be found to be spotty. It corresponds with the Coleman, Tex., field in spotty production. The first producing oil wells in the state of New Mexico were in the Dayton pool of Eddy County. Two oil wells and a gas well were drilled there in 1909. Oil came from below the Artesian water of the area. Although these original wells flowed appreciable amounts of oil, they were not commercial producers. The water could not be shut off because of poor cementing techniques in the early days. Fifteen more wells were drilled in this township between 1912 and 1940. Most of these encountered shows of oil below the water, but none was completed as an oil well. The deepest was the National Exploration No. 2 Dayton, drilled to a total depth of 4046 feet in 1919.

The discovery well of the present producing Dayton pool of Eddy County was the Basset & Birney No. 1, located in SWSW 26-18-26. It was spudded May 5, 1940, drilled to 2545 feet, plugged back to a depth of 1182 feet, and completed Sept. 3, 1940, for an estimated two barrels of oil daily from pay zone topped at a depth of 930 feet. Since the completion of this well, eight more oil wells, a gas well, and several dry holes have been completed. Initial production from the Dayton pool ranges from 2 to 100 barrels of oil daily.

The first formation encountered beneath the cover of alluvium is the Seven Rivers, which has been truncated leaving only the basal 200-300 feet. The Queen sandstone, next below, is about 360 feet in thickness, and the Grayburg formation is about 300 feet thick. These formations are underlain by 1350 feet of San Andreas dolomite beneath which lies a thin section of the Glorieta sandstone and an unknown thickness of Yeso and older geologic formations. All of the wells drilled in the Dayton pool encountered Artesian water in the lower Queen or upper Grayburg formations.

The local structure of the Dayton area appears to consist of a series of small domes located on the eastward regional dip. Both structural and stratigraphic interpretations are at present hampered by the lack of information from cuttings and other essential data, principally geophysical.

The wells of the Dayton pool produce from two zones of strata, one a sandstone near the middle of the Grayburg formation, and the other from a porous dolomite from the upper part of the San Andreas formation. Oil from the Grayburg formation is sweet and that obtained from the San Andreas formation contains sulphur. The specific gravity of the oil recovered ranges to about 36 degrees A. P. I. Baume.

The wells of the field are drilled with spudders. Two strings of casing are used, the oil string being cemented below the Artesian water flow. All of the oil wells flow pipeline oil.

Although the limits of production from the present producing depths of the Dayton pool have not been fully defined, and deeper possibilities of production have been only partly tested, it appears probable that the Dayton pool will

never be a large commercial producer as compared with the Artesia field. The acidizing of shows such as are encountered in most of the deeper tests in the San Andreas and other limestones, and the introduction of other improved completion methods may make possible extension of the present producing area.

**THE GETTY-BARBER AREA**

The Getty-Barber area includes township 20, ranges 29-30. It lies about 15 miles northeast of Carlsbad. The first oil in this area of Eddy county was discovered in July, 1927, by the drilling of the George F. Getty Oil Company's well No. 2, Rawson, located in SESE 14-20-29. Because of mechanical difficulties encountered during drilling, this well was not completed as a producer.

In November, 1927, the same company's No. 2, Dooley, a south offset to the No. 2 Rawson, was completed for an initial production of 100 barrels of oil daily from a depth of 1368 feet. From 1928 to 1935 the George F. Getty Oil Company drilled six additional wells in the area, including the No. 7 Dooley, which was drilled to a depth of 6683 feet and is the deepest hole drilled in Eddy County.

It was not until February, 1937, that the Barber pool was discovered by the drilling of a well in NWNE 20-20-30. This was followed in December, 1939, by the discovery of the PCA pool by a well drilled in SE NW 15-20-30. During September, 1940, a gas well drilled in SE SW 12-20-30 proved the Hale pool for gas production.

(The stratigraphy of the Getty-Barber area will be discussed in another issue of The Artesia Advocate. — Ray E. Colton)

**Are to Discuss Farm Production Goals for 1946**

Farm production goals for 1946 will be discussed at a meeting at State College Dec. 19. C. V. Hemphill, state director of the field service branch, Production and Marketing Administration announced. The state goals recommended by the meeting will be considered in the light of national requirements and local conditions. With goals from other states, they will be submitted to Secretary Anderson, who will then determine final national goals. The final state goals are expected to be announced shortly after the first of the year. Attending the meeting will be representatives of Department of

Agriculture agencies making up the State USDA Council, and representatives of State Agricultural College, farm organizations, and other interested groups.

This will be the fourth year in which production goals have been set for all major crops and livestock and livestock products, Hemphill said.

"When the first goals program was announced in the fall of 1941, and then the totals were raised after Pearl Harbor, some people doubted that farmers could reach them, but they did," Hemphill said. "With goals serving as guides, farmers went all-out in adapting their farming methods to fit requirements."

This first postwar year, Hemphill explained, it will be more important than ever to examine requirements carefully and then produce according to the need. Because much of the world faces starvation, a year of full production probably will be asked of farmers. Undoubtedly, however,

shifts toward peacetime production will be recommended for some crops, although wartime-size demands will continue for others.

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FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Corner Grand and Roselawn Sunday Services: Bible School, 9:45. Morning Worship, 10:50. Baptist Training Union, 6:00. Evening Worship, 7:00. S. M. Morgan, Pastor.

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FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH Bible School 9:45 a. m. Worship Service, 11 a. m. Christian Endeavor, 6:30 p. m. Mid-week Bible study, Wednesday, 8 p. m. Official board meets first Monday of each month, 8 p. m. Visitors welcome at all services.

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LAKE ARTHUR-COTTONWOOD METHODIST CHURCHES Cottonwood Sunday school, 10 a. m. each Sunday. Worship service, 11 a. m. second and fourth Sundays. Ladies' Aid, third Thursday. Sunday school, 10 a. m. each Lake Arthur Sunday.

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 Youth Fellowship, 6:30 p. m. Mrs. B. A. DeMarrs, Dr. and Mrs. C. Pardue Bunch, sponsors. Woman's Society of Christian Service, first Thursday, 2:30 p. m. Mrs. R. J. Miller, president. Wesleyan Service Guild, first Monday, 7 p. m. Mrs. Leona French, president. Official Board, second Tuesday, 7:30 p. m. A. P. Mahone, chairman. Glenn Caskey, secretary. Choir rehearsal each Wednesday evening, 7:30. Mrs. Glenn Caskey, director; Mrs. Elizabeth Williams 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, 9 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.

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

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES 613 West Main. "God, the Preserver of Man," is the subject of the lesson-sermon which will be held in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, December 16, 1945. The Golden Text is: "The Lord shall preserve thee from all evil: He shall preserve thy soul. The Lord shall preserve thy going out and thy coming in from this time forth, and even for evermore." (Psalms 121:7, 8). Among the citations which comprise the lesson sermon is the following from the Bible: "My help cometh from the Lord, which made heaven and earth. He will not suffer thy foot to be moved: He that keepeth thee will not slumber. The lesson-sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook: "The history of Christianity furnishes sublime proofs of the supporting influence and protecting power bestowed on man by his heavenly Father, omnipotent Mind, who gives man faith and understanding whereby to defend himself, not only from temptation, but from bodily suffering." Visitors always welcome.

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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, 7 p. m. Wednesday Ladies' Bible class, 3 p. m. Mid-week service, 7 p. m. Robert A. Waizer, 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. J. D. Walker, Sunday School Superintendent. 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.

Carlsbad Chamber Members Confer Here on Highway

A large delegation of the members of the Carlsbad Chamber of Commerce met here with the highway delegation of the local Chamber of Commerce on Monday night of last week, when highway plans were discussed. A. H. Hoyer, chairman of the local committee and president of the New Mexico-Texas Highway Association promoting the proposed superhighway, presided at the dinner held at the Club Cafe.

Chairman Hoyer discussed the highway and the various plans for it. Members of the Carlsbad civic organization discussed their phase of the proposed route and expressed themselves as being in favor of the construction of a superhighway across Southern New Mexico. The movement for the construction of the superhighway was launched here by the Artesia Chamber of Commerce at the insistence of several such organizations in Texas towns. Following the launching of the movement, conferences were held in New Mexico and later in Texas, where the organization to promote the highway was formed.

Full assistance and cooperation from Carlsbad was assured by those in attendance at the meeting here. Among those in attendance from Carlsbad were Hardin McAdoo, president of the Chamber of Commerce, Victor Minter, secretary-manager, and Elmer Moss, Gib Foster, J. R. Robinson, Art Jackson and Herb Spencer.

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'Fun Frolic on Nov. 28 Nets the Legion \$8000

At the December meeting of the American Legion Tuesday last week, it was reported the "Fun Frolic" Wednesday evening, Nov. 28, should net around \$8000, including the sale of dance tickets, games, and money left over from the barbecue served earlier in the day, as returned veterans were feted by the Artesia community.

With cash in the bank and the cash value of War Bonds earmarked for the American Legion building fund, the profits from the celebration should bring the total for the proposed building to about \$34,000, it was reported.

At the meeting, the membership had a rising vote of thanks for J. B. (Bun) Muncy and P. V. Morris, pointed out as the two members of the post who did the most towards making the day a success, and it was voted to send Dwight Lee, commander of the post in Carlsbad, a letter of appreciation for his assistance, especially in staying up all night to see that the barbecue was cooked and ready for the

many guests. Many others contributed much, it was pointed out. The regular January meeting, which would fall on New Year's Day, were the custom of first Tuesday carried out, will be postponed to a date to be announced later, it was announced by Commander Charles Denton. An initiation ceremony will be held at that meeting.

Dale Sheldon, a trainee in the naval ROTC at the University of Illinois, went a long way to get meat for a barbecue for students in men's residence hall. On leave to his home in Upton, Wyo., Sheldon bagged a 175-pound deer, and

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The American people show today a new concern for public health in devastated Europe, and it has been done on our part in the field of organized action. The Pan American Sanitary Bureau, an organization standing comes into the light. Many years before the Good Neighbor policy was heard of, the

bureau was engaged in the great task of preventing the spread of disease in the Americas. Through such important and practical activities as improving international disease reporting, draining of swamps for the riddance of mosquitoes, killing disease-carrying rats, disinfecting drinking water, rushing aid by airplane to an epidemic area, or helping victims of flood or earthquake, the bureau has created feelings of friendship and respect that are deep and lasting. The bureau itself was created primarily to protect commercial interests. At the turn of the century, infectious diseases and consequent quarantines and clos-

ing of ports interfered with trade and business in such a way that it was thought advisable to establish an organization which would try to remedy such conditions. At the second Pan American conference, held in Mexico City in 1902, the Pan American Sanitary Bureau was created as an independent office, housed in the building of the Pan American Union and co-operating closely with its divisions, but distinct from it. Financed by contributions from each country in proportion to its population, the bureau has gone way beyond its original aims and is today the oldest international health body in existence. Not only does it seek to prevent diseases and thus eliminate quarantines, but it secures reports on sanitary conditions, educates the people to control scourges and diseases and acts as consulting center in health matters. It strives, in one word, to develop efficient urban and rural sanitary services in the American republics.

With the aid of a competent headquarters staff including doctors, editors, writers, librarians, research workers and stenographers, a service of field experts among whom are physicians, public health hygienists, sanitary engineers, veterinarians, nurses, entomologists and laboratory workers, and with the cooperation of national and local officials, the Pan American Sanitary Bureau is waging a great battle for health. Thanks to its efforts and to the campaign it started in 1930 in Peru and Ecuador, plague, for instance, has almost disappeared from those two countries where

it was more prevalent than anywhere else in Latin America. In accordance with its policy of aiding health departments to act independently in an efficient way, the bureau so well trained health officials in Peru that they were, in turn, able to assist other countries in plague research and control. The work done by the Pan American Sanitary Bureau in connection with the Concepcion, Chile, earthquake in 1939 is another remarkable example of excellent results achieved by this office. While the radio in the city of Concepcion was still reporting the catastrophe, more than 500 air miles from Washington, the bureau cabled its offer of services of doctors and engineers. Chile answered, "What we need most is pure drinking water; send us chlorine." Within two hours the bureau had secured the chemical and a top priority to send it by plane. Meanwhile the bureau's engineer in Chile had left Santiago by air for Concepcion. Just four days after arriving he reported that the emergency drinking water supply was safe and abundant. In the fight against malaria—the scourge which is said to cause more deaths than any other disease—the bureau has again proved successful. The malarialogists on its malarial

committee have been active in both the theoretical and practical fields. From detecting dangerous stagnant water, probable breeding site for mosquitoes, to making a complete list of the species of this insect that carry malaria in our continent, the committee has worked well and efficiently. Still another activity of the Pan American Sanitary Bureau is the protection of tourists traveling from one area to another. Again, nurses are being trained, hospital courses established, sanitary engineering classes organized and scholarships awarded to Latin American medical students who come to the United States to study health work. Every four years a health conference is held in one of the

large cities of the United States or Latin America. Here the officers of the Sanitary Bureau are elected and the work of this office and its problems are discussed. A few of the subjects taken up at the most recent conference in Rio de Janeiro were continental defense and public health, nutrition, child care, sanitation in air transportation, school hygiene, and rural sanitation. The Pan American

sanitary code, in existence since 1924, and which each country swears "to enforce to prevent the spread of disease and promote the health of the whole hemisphere," is — it is interesting to note — the first treaty to be ratified by all the American republics.

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A 30 per cent increase in New Mexico automobile fatalities through the first eight months of 1945 as compared with the same period last year is reported by the Drivers' License Division of the Revenue Bureau. Director J. B. Mitchell announced 107 persons died and 520 were injured in 1080 accidents through August this year, compared with 82 dead and 494 injured in 1120 accidents in 1944.

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**Lower Cottonwood**  
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Mrs. R. D. Lambrt of Missouri, who was visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. Johnson, and family, left for her home Friday.  
Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Malone of Upper Cottonwood have started work on their new house.  
Mr. and Mrs. Z. Pate of Lake Arthur left recently to make their home in California.  
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Chambers, who have been residents on Cottonwood the last 12 years, are planning to move to a farm near Artesia. Their son, Eugene, who was recently discharged from the Army, will assist at the farm.

The new stoves for the Cottonwood Methodist Church were installed Friday and Saturday.  
Mrs. Henry Taylor of Anson, Tex., arrived last Thursday evening to make her home in the Cottonwood community and to assist her husband in their store.  
Mrs. I. P. Johnson, who has been ill, is much improved.  
The Dance Club will hold a dance at the Cottonwood School gymnasium Friday evening.  
Mrs. Tom Terry entertained the Cottonwood Woman's Club at her home last Thursday with an all-day meeting and Christmas party. A delicious covered-dish luncheon was served from a lovely appointed table at noon. Mrs. Orval Gray had

charge of the business meeting held in the early afternoon. Mrs. Ray Zumwalt, secretary, read the minutes of the last meeting and also of the meeting of the Eddy County Council of Extension Clubs, after which Miss Doris Mardis, home extension agent, gave a fine demonstration on how to make different articles from felt material. During the social hour, members and children present drew numbers for an exchange of gifts from a beautifully decorated Christmas tree. It was announced that the January meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Ray Zumwalt. Members who attended the all-day treat were Mrs. Ray

Zumwalt, Mrs. Jess Funk, Mrs. H. V. Parker, Mrs. Bill Ross, Mrs. E. B. Green, Mrs. W. C. Gray, Mrs. Robert McCaw, Mrs. Arch Horton, Mrs. R. D. Lambert, Mrs. Harold Green, Mrs. Orval Gray, Mrs. Charlie Buck, Miss Doris Mardis, and Mrs. Terry.

**HANGAR FLYING**

An item of most interest this week concerns the "hangar dance" given Saturday night at the airport. Many out-of-town guests were present. Music was furnished by Ralph Brown and his boys. Winners of the awards presented at the dance were Mrs. Estelle Stanciliff, David Abbott, June Rowley, Chuck Baldwin and A. L. Bert.

S. S. Sutton passed the written examination for his private license this week. R. L. Withers passed both his written and flight check for his private license. Withers was formerly a Navy pilot.

New students this week were Harold Taylor and Bill Sweet. Sweet comes over from Hobbs to take flight from Sug because his father, Cecil Sweet of Fullerton Oil Company, Hobbs, was one of Sug's students several years ago.  
Pilots or prospective pilots, who are interested, should attend the air show at El Paso this week end. Guests from many states and from Mexico will attend.

CAA Inspector Al Meyers will be in Artesia Dec. 13. Returned Army or Navy pilots who desire their licenses, which are issued to them through CAA, should bring their credentials to the airport on this date and they will receive their licenses, after taking a brief test on the current Civil Air regulations.

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The loan was that of Otho N. Giles, honorably discharged veteran, who purchased a house at 709 West Missouri Avenue in Artesia from A. W. Boyce.  
When it became known the house was for sale, Dunnam and Giles persuaded Boyce and the Chaves County Building & Loan Association, Roswell, to participate in this loan as an experimental loan.  
While there has been some unnecessary delay, Dunnam said it hasn't all been due to the Veterans' Administration. He said he

and the loan agency were just about as guilty of that offense as the VA.  
Future loans, in his opinion, can be closed much quicker now that the trail has been blazed.

An increase of 134,099 in cattle shipments through October over the same period last year was reported by Sam McCue, secretary of the New Mexico Cattle Sanitary Board. Shipments in October were 211,359, compared with 211,811 last year, and included: Las Vegas 12,754, Tucumcari 31040, Roswell 4639, Gallup 6526, Santa Fe 14, Las Cruces 7999, Carlsbad 20, Clovis 17,111, Silver City, 6904, Hobbs 1528.

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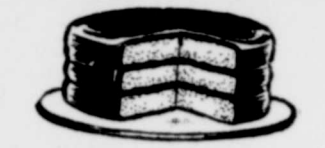
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## "LOVE LETTERS"

### Appeals to Public for Support Of Returning Vets' Problems

Editor, The Advocate: You have been most generous in donating space in your valuable publication for the public interest of any cause or movement which would promote the future welfare of our city and inhabitants, and for that reason I do not like to call upon you for more space, but the problem concerning returning veterans in this community is so vital and pressing, I must do so.

It wasn't so many months ago, you will remember, when we were patting the boys on the back, urging them and encouraging them to go out and enter the fray. Time and time again we assured them if they would only do that when they came back we'd do everything within our power to see that they reentered civilian life in their proper niche.

All of that was while the cannons were roaring; torpedoes were

sinking ships; machine guns were rat-a-lat-tat-tat, and 160,000 of the finest youth in the world were dying and 750,000 more of them were being maimed, blinded, and otherwise disabled.

Almost with the suddenness of the dropping of the atomic bomb the war ended. All of us began yelling and shouting, "Send our boys home!" They began to come. A mere trickle at first, but with each passing week the stream increased in volume until now it is veritably at the flood stage.

But what about those glowing promises of help and assistance we made to these very same boys? Are we going to keep 'em?

We don't want them to have to come home and fight another battle for their rights after having fought for ours in foreign lands?

About a year ago, the local post of the American Legion, with the cooperation of city officials and financial support of the businessmen, opened an office in the city hall to render assistance to veterans, their dependents, men and women in the service and their dependents. Practically everything done for our boys and girls in this community, until the past two months, could be handled through that office. And it was.

There is one thing that office force could never do and that was manufacture jobs. It could help, aid, assist, and advise with pension and allotment claims, hospitalization, insurance claims and information, educational and rehabilitation advice, information on GI farm, home, and business loans, but still the personnel simply could not wave a magic wand and have jobs appear instantly.

While the businessmen, Rotary Club, the Clarence Kepple Post of the American Legion and Auxiliary, and some individuals con-

tributed an abundance of money, and offered to contribute more and more, the whole doggoned community went to sleep on the question of securing jobs.

It was easier to go out and get a contribution of a couple of hundred dollars than to get a job for a returning veteran. And this job business, folks, is the most important phase right now to the re-entry of the veteran into his rightful place in society.

We called a meeting for Friday night, Nov. 30, of townspeople and businessmen to come out and help us formulate plans to solve that problem. When the meeting was suggested, we seriously doubted that the assembly room in city hall would be large enough to hold the outpouring of those who would be anxious to help. Our fears proved groundless. A mere handful of the faithful were there.

The chairman of the employment committee, A. P. (Doc) Mahone, was one of the few committee chairmen present. He not only contributes of his time and efforts, but he lays the cold hard cash on the line to help keep the office open.

"Doc" says we've got to have jobs for these boys. He wants every businessman who wants to fill a job to talk to him and hire a veteran, if possible, and if he cannot get hold of "Doc" or his committee, call the office in city hall, afternoons, until Jan. 1, after which time it is hoped the office will be kept open all day. The phone number is 559-W and is listed under Veterans' Advisory Committee.

"Doc" Mahone has asked us also to call attention to employers the fact that many of these veterans, if hired to fill jobs or learn a trade, can get part of their pay from the government, which lifts some of the financial burden of training new help from the shoulders of employers.

We want every employer, who will take one of these boys for training, to call us and get more information. We also want every employer who needs a man to call us and give a veteran the first chance at it. We may not have a man to fit your particular job and we assure we won't try to put just "anybody" off on you, but we do want to give a vet the first chance.

How about it, Artesia? You are the finest little city in the world. You have a reputation of doing the right thing. We are betting you do it this time and in a big way since it is brought to your attention.

Start that old phone ringing and although I'm only supposed to be on the job in the afternoon, due to a slight disability, if you've got a job for a vet, call me out of bed at any hour of the night and I'll do my best to see that you get a good man. These boys want work. Let's give it to them. Thanks — Bill Dunnam, advisor, Veterans' Advisory Committee and secretary, S. S. reemployment committee-man.

Order Those Christmas Cards at Advocate now to Save being disappointed.

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### Old Tack Goes Into Biology And Heredity

(Old Tack, the Tactless Texan of The Amarillo News, spun this yarn the other day, claimed by him to have been picked up in Washington, D. C.)

The third world war was declared and bombs were dropped all over the world until there wasn't anything left but one little green spot away, away down in the South Seas some place. Everything else absolutely blasted out, everything living and growing.

But when the exploding stopped two monkeys began blinking their eyes on this remaining inhabitable spot. They were all that was left. They had been unconscious and were coming out of it. The only two things alive in the whole world.

One monkey was male. The other was female. The male monkey began looking around. His face brightened up when he saw the second monkey. And then he looked at her good and saw that she was a female. And his brow became furrowed with serious thought and wonder.

The female monkey began to perk up which means she began talking. She asked the male monkey why he first seemed so glad to see her and then to appear depressed.

"I've just been wondering," he said, "whether the two of us will have to start this whole goldarned thing all over again."

Social Security forms and systems—The Advocate.

### WHAT'S WHAT IN NEW MEXICO

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

New Mexico's matching ratio for federal highway aid allotments would be increased by the proposed transfer of 10,000,000 acres of public domain, the public roads administration said today. A spokesman told a reporter that the New Mexico allocation for each of the first three postwar years was \$6,411,849, based on the consideration that 27 per cent of the state's land area was represented by unreserved and unappropriated public lands.

A temporary permit authorizing survey and construction of the New Mexico state police radio ground station at a point on the Sandia range was received from the U. S. forest service this week.

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acting State Police Chief A. M. Martinez announced. The temporary special use permit is the final approval necessary before actually starting work on the state police radio system, Martinez said.

Transfer of 10,000,000 acres of public domain to the state might cost New Mexico more than \$1,000,000 in federal road funds. Such was the warning voiced by

Gov. John J. Dempsey during the opening sessions of the U. S. Senate subcommittee hearing in Albuquerque at which U. S. Senator Carl Hatch of New Mexico, is presiding. Dempsey's opinion differs sharply with that of State Land Commissioner John E. Miles, who retorted that the governor's calculations were based on a "temporary" manner of allocating federal road funds.

### DEER HUNTERS

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