

# Chamber Commerce Feels Public Pulse

An effort to obtain the attitude of opinion of Artesia citizens, business people and professional men regarding the future of the Artesia Chamber of Commerce and their desires regarding the organization is being here by the officers, it has been announced by Artie McAnally, newly elected president.

It is very desirable, President Artie stated, that the directors and officers of the organization know what the members and prospective members want before much effort is put forth.

In order for the organization to operate and function as the citizens and members desire a full, qualified, and trained executive must be employed. In addition to the salary necessary for the operation of the office a working fund must be available.

It has been estimated that a fund of \$8000 to \$10,000 is needed to provide the proper man, to carry out a definite program, and to carry out the program.

Whether the members of the organization desire to create such an organization is not known. A questionnaire, which will give the answers to these questions, will be mailed to last page, please.

## Chamber of Commerce Questionnaire

Are you a member? Yes  No

Will you join? Yes  No

Do you feel Artesia should employ a full-time, qualified, and experienced secretary? Yes  No

If so, what amount of salary should be offered? \_\_\_\_\_

What will you be willing to pay into fund to pay this salary and provide operating fund for next year? \_\_\_\_\_

What objectives do you feel Artesia Chamber of Commerce should include in it's year's program? \_\_\_\_\_

Other remarks \_\_\_\_\_

Fill in and mail to Artesia Chamber of Commerce, Artesia, N. M.

## McAnally Heads Chamber, as Busy Civic Year Is Imminent

Artie McAnally, vice president of the Artesia Chamber of Commerce for the past year, was elected president at a special meeting of the board of directors at the hall last Thursday night. At the same time Arba Green, who served as secretary-manager for the past 10 years, tendered his resignation, with the request he be relieved of his duties as soon as possible.

Secretary Green volunteered to continue with the organization and charge of the office until such time as the Chamber of Commerce can obtain a secretary.

Huck Aston, newly elected director, was named as vice president of the civic organization, while Charles Gaskins was chosen treasurer. G. Taylor Cole, recently nominated by the board, was appointed by the directors to carry out the unexpired term of Carl Folkner, who has resigned because he is moving to Albuquerque to make his home.

Directors present for the meeting Thursday night included: McAnally, M. C. Livingston, Philip Petty, Gaskins, Aston, J. T. Judle, Howard Whitson and A. Archer, along with Secretary Green.

President McAnally will succeed Philip Petty as president of the chamber group. He announced he will call a meeting of the board here in the near future to discuss the various civic problems and to name committees for the new year.

Many important matters face the Chamber of Commerce during 1946 and the most important of these is the housing situation. The directors devoted considerable time to a discussion of this as well as other civic problems. The board hopes they can suggest a definite solution to the housing problem during the coming year.

They also discussed briefly the superhighway project and listed it as the No. 1 project in North Eddy County. The need for housing facilities here was listed as the No. 1 project in Artesia.

Every effort will be made during 1946 to take full advantage of every opportunity, which presents itself to Artesia, the directors declared.

Present plans call for the hiring of a full-time trained secretary to handle the affairs of the Chamber of Commerce. An effort also will be made to endeavor to secure at least 200 members of the Chamber of Commerce.

A full program of objectives is slated to be adopted and announced in the near future by the Chamber of Commerce.

In order to carry out such a program and to employ an experienced secretary it is going to be necessary to raise a budget of considerably more than has been raised in the past, officers stated. The organization to carry out an active program must have funds on which to operate and to accomplish the various undertakings.

Officers and directors not only expressed their appreciation to Secretary Green for his work, efforts, and accomplishments during the past 10 years, but they also expressed their thanks to him for his willingness to continue in the present job until such a time as they can obtain another secretary.

## First National Bank Deposits Near Six and Quarter Million

Bank deposits in the First National Bank of Artesia neared the six and one-quarter million dollar mark as of Dec. 31, according to the statement, which has just been issued by the Artesia banking institution.

Deposits in the local bank as of Dec. 31 totaled some \$6,162,415.58, or an increase of \$1,142,415 since June 30 when the last statement was issued showing deposits of \$5,020,000.

The bank deposits here actually passed the \$6,000,000 mark on Nov. 20, when they totaled some \$6,047,822 according to an announcement made at that time by President Ross Sears.

There has been a steady increase in the deposits as well as the number of depositors at the local bank for a number of years. The First National Bank is now all owned by Artesia and North Eddy County citizens, with not a single stockholder owning more than 50 shares of stock.

The controlling interest of the bank held by W. A. Waldrop until a few months ago and President Ross, who had formerly headed the bank, was again named president.

Not only does the bank have more than \$6,162,415 on deposit, but it has a surplus of some \$70,000 and has paid-in stock of \$100,000. Unpaid profits total \$1,078.64, following the payment of

a \$7.50 dividend per share at the end of the year. Another \$7.50 dividend had been paid in the middle of the year.

Cash and sight exchange at the local bank totaled \$2,595,008.08 Dec. 31. Cotton acceptances, advances, and CCC notes totaled some \$428,560.15. U.S. bonds and other bonds held by the bank amounted to \$5,092,773.49.

Loans and discounts totaled \$1,217,243.08, while stock in federal reserve bank amounted to \$4,650. Banking house, furniture, and fixtures are valued at \$18,827.44.

Besides President Sears, other officers of the bank are L. B. Feather, vice president; Fred Cole, cashier; William Linnell, assistant cashier. Directors are President Sears, Vice President Feather, Cashier Cole, J. T. Sively, Jess Funk, Charles R. Martin, J. H. Clements, Jr., and Neil B. Watson.

Capt. and Mrs. William C. Thompson, Jr., and little daughter, Barbara, arrived Saturday from Pittsburg, Kan., to visit the captain's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Thompson. Captain Thompson is on terminal leave for 98 days, which he had accumulated, and will be officially out of the service March 13. He entered the service June 1, 1942, and was overseas in the European theater two years and two months.

## Aged Artesian Seeks Return of \$32 Medical Fund

Mrs. Emma Collins, 83, of 115 West Richardson, is greatly distressed over the loss of \$32 in currency, which had been sent to her by her grandchildren for vital medical treatment, and she has made an appeal for its return.

"Please," she said this week, "return the small memo book left on the desk at the Modernistic Beauty Shop Dec. 29, between 11 and 11:30 o'clock."

The money, Mrs. Collins explained, had been carefully saved by her from amounts of a dollar up, sent to her by her grandchildren, in order that she could have the necessary medical attention.

She recalled laying down the memo book, in which were the bills, but it was gone when she returned for it.

If the currency is mailed to The Advocate office, identified only by a note, "For Mrs. Collins," it will be returned to her.

## First National Bank Officers Are Re-elected

All officers of the First National Bank of Artesia were re-elected at a meeting of the board of directors Tuesday afternoon, immediately after the annual meeting of stockholders, re-elected all directors, except Joe Nunn, who had asked that he be relieved of his duties and who was replaced by J. S. Ward.

The presidency of the bank remains in the hands of Ross Sears, by action of the board.

The other officers who were re-elected: Vice President, Landis B. Feather; cashier, Fred Cole; assistant cashier, William Linnell.

In addition, the board named another assistant cashier, Doyle E. Hankins.

Besides Ward, directors named were Sears, Feather, Cole, J. H. Clements, Jr., Jesse I. Funk, Charles R. Martin, T. J. Sively, and Neil B. Watson.

The stockholders' meeting was well attended and the stockholders heard a good report on the progress of the bank, as reflected in a report of conditions as of Dec. 31, as related in another story in this issue.

## Kaiser Resigns As REA Head; Wood Retained

G. E. Kaiser, manager of the Central Valley Electric Coop, Inc., who was on military leave during the war and recently was honorably discharged with the rank of captain, tendered his resignation Tuesday evening at a meeting of the board of directors of the cooperative.

He announced he was going to enter the electric appliances business in Artesia.

Otto Wood, who served as acting manager of the coop during Kaiser's absence, was retained as manager by the board.

The board made plans for additional membership extensions during the coming year, it was reported.

The board also announced plans are being made for a meeting of cooperative members this year.

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You Spare  
That They  
Can Wear?  
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## Proposes \$100,000 For Rent Houses

A proposal, which the sponsor would help solve the housing situation in Artesia, or at least improve it, has been presented for consideration here.

The proposal calls for the formation of an association of Artesia business and professional men as well as firms to put up funds for the construction of houses, which would be available for rent.

The suggestion made by a local property owner and businessman calls for 100 businessmen or 100 Artesia citizens to put up \$1000 each to create a fund of \$100,000. This would either be invested in the construction of rent houses

or would be used to borrow another \$100,000 and the entire \$200,000 would then be spent to build new rent houses.

Rent money would be used to pay the interest and pay off the loan.

If the members desired, it was explained, the \$100,000 could be used to buy sites and erect homes and then rent from these houses could be employed to construct new rent houses as fast as funds were available.

The sponsor emphasized the fact that the houses are not to be sold under any condition, but rather they would only be rented.

He expressed the belief that at least 100 persons, who would be willing to invest \$1000 in Artesia's future, could be found here. The plan, he explained, would not be a money-making proposition, but rather it would be an investment in Artesia.

The day would come, he stated, when the \$100,000 could be returned to those, who had put up the cash.

The plan has been briefly discussed here by the Chamber of Commerce and by various citizens and individuals.

The greatest need in Artesia for its future growth right now, it has been pointed out, is new

rent houses where people can live. And apparently, leaders declare, the only way these houses can be erected is for the money to be raised and the houses financed. Artesia, it was explained, stands to gain from new citizens and new residents.

So the project comes back to Artesia.

Two new building projects have been carried out here since the war started, but in both cases the homes were sold and not rented, it was explained.

The new project would build only rent houses.

The houses, it was stated, would not be sold but would be rented.

The belief was expressed that probably 10 to 15 local individuals here needing rent houses could put up \$1000 in such a movement where they could not purchase a new home. The belief also was voiced that local firms, who desire to bring in employees but who cannot find places for these employees to live, would be willing to invest in a rent house building program here.

It was pointed out that if this proposal does not win approval, it is possible that out of the suggestion other proposals will be made and that some program for the construction of needed rent houses can start.

## Councilman W. H. Gilmore, 71, Oil Business Pioneer, Is Dead

W. H. Gilmore, 71, a member of the Artesia City Council and a pioneer in the Eddy County oil business, died at 9:20 o'clock Saturday morning at Artesia Memorial Hospital, where he had been a patient nine days. Mr. Gilmore had been poorly many months.

Funeral services were from Bayless Chapel at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon by the Rev. S. M. Morgan, pastor of the First Baptist Church. Burial was in Woodbine Cemetery.

Honorary pallbearers were Mayor Emery Carper, City Manager P. V. Morris, County Commissioner Hollis G. Watson, a former mayor of Artesia; City Attorney Neil B. Watson, and Police Chief G. Kelley Stout, all of Artesia, and William Foster of the oil field.

The active pallbearers were City Clerk Tom Ragsdale and Councilmen A. C. Sadler, Walter Nugent, Landis B. Feather, Fred Brainard, and Frank Smith.

Mr. Gilmore is survived by his widow and two children, Lt. Harry B. Gilmore of Artesia, who is stationed at Fort Bliss, and Miss Dorothy Gilmore of Artesia. There also survive him two sisters, Mrs. Jules Weiss and Mrs. Leota Bouche of Los Angeles, Calif.

William Henry Gilmore was born at Effingham, Ill., Oct. 17, 1874, a son of William Henry and Anne Huots Gilmore.

His early life was spent in Illinois. At the age of 13 years he went to Montana, where engaged in the ranching business. There he was foreman of the V-Bar Ranch for many years.

On July 22, 1909, Mr. Gilmore and Miss Lois Bain were married in Billings, Mont. They shortly moved to homestead property close to Ryegate, Mont. From there they moved to Frog Lake, Alberta, Canada, to homestead on some of the rich farm land which had been opened up. There the first child, Harry, was born May 7, 1914.

In the fall of 1917 Mr. Gilmore and family moved to the Louscreek oil field near Lush, Wyo., and two years later to Casper, Wyo., where he was engaged in the hauling and contracting business. Their daughter, Dorothy May, was born there Jan. 2, 1921.

Four years later, in 1925, the family moved to the new oil field at Artesia, and Mr. Gilmore again went into the hauling and contracting business. During the 21 years of his life in Artesia, Mr. Gilmore saw the Eddy County oil fields grow from the first machine used, which he moved in, to the oil center it is today. Included in his contracts was the erection of the heavy equipment for the Conoco and Malco plants in Artesia, the old Pecos Diamond refinery across the Pecos River, and the now inactive small Artesia refinery.

During the last few years, Mr. Gilmore's chief interest has been in the city of Artesia. He was elected to the council in April, 1934, and served on that body until his death, taking a personal pride in many of the civic achievements. He was especially interested in sponsoring the paving projects and improvements to Artesia Memorial Hospital.

## Workers Organize To Aid Clothing Drive

Artesia and North Eddy County launched its Victory Clothing Collection Monday morning, Jan. 7, with the designation of depots and with the actual house-to-house canvass for clothing slated to be held Saturday, Jan. 26.

The general committee met here on Friday night at the office of the Artesia chairman, Judge J. D. Josey. Besides setting the dates for the pick-up and the designation of the depots they also selected committees to carry out the various phases of the clothing collection.

Depots for the delivery of clothing have been established at four places in Artesia, it has been announced by Mrs. Joe Nunn, chairman of this division of the collection. These depots are at the J. C. Penney Company store, the Alfalfa Growers Association store, the City Hall basement and the Artesia Locker plant.

Judge Josey pointed out to the workers assembled the purpose of the drive and emphasized the fact that every effort will be made to reach those who cannot reach the depots. He also explained that all types and kinds of clothing are desired, with emphasis being placed on the need for clothing for children. Shoes are being collected and there is a heavy demand for these, he explained.

Individuals also are extended an invitation to place a note or letters in the clothing they donate and these will go to the victims in the war-torn countries.

Every effort is to be made to collect 100,000,000 garments this year.

Depots for the deposit of clothing by individuals are to be established over North Eddy County and at a number of places in Artesia.

Mrs. Joe Nunn was named as the chairman of the collection supervisors and serving with her will be Mrs. L. A. Hanson, Calvin Dunn and Joe Phelan. It is hoped that depots can be established in Hope, Cottonwood, Atoka, Lake-wood, and Loco Hills. It is planned to set up depots at the J. C. Penney Company store, Alfalfa Growers' Association, at the city hall, and the Artesia Locker plant, and possibly at a few other places in Artesia.

Individuals, of course, are invited to bring their clothing to these places and leave it prior to the pick-up day program set for Jan. 26. Anyone, who cannot leave their clothing at one of the clothing depots can assemble it and have it ready when the actual collection gets under way here on Jan. 26.

Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts are invited to aid and assist in the

drive that particular day. They will be urged to help pick up the clothing for the cars or trucks, which are expected to cover the entire city.

The city is expected to be divided into sections for this collection with the drive slated to get under way at 1 o'clock Saturday afternoon, Jan. 26.

The various committees are expected to organize their work and to hold committee meetings. Then the general committee plans to meet again on Friday night, Jan. 18, and again on Friday night, Jan. 25. These meetings are to be held at 7 o'clock, with all of the features of the program to be checked. All members of the various committees are urged to be present for these meetings.

The complete list of the other committees named to serve as drive publicity, A. L. Bert and Orville E. Priestley; advertising, A. P. Mahone, Hugh Kiddy, and Mrs. Frank Thomas; education, Rufus Stinnett, Mrs. J. H. Walker, Mrs. Fred Jacobs, and J. Bud Farrar; shipping committee, Mrs. J. W. Shildneck and E. M. Perry. Judge Josey announced that several other members of the shipping committee would be named to aid and assist in the preparing of the boxes of clothing for shipment.

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## Save Cardboard Boxes for Packing Clothing to Ship

A request that local merchants and business houses save their cardboard boxes and cartons for the Victory Clothing Collection has been sounded here by Judge J. D. Josey, general chairman.

A plea for the boxes in which merchandise is received to be opened with care in order that they can be employed for packing of the clothing has been sounded.

Hundreds of these boxes will be needed to prepare the clothing for shipment from Artesia.

Boy Scouts are being requested to collect the boxes on Saturday mornings between now and Jan. 31, in order that they will be available when the packing of the clothing gets under way.

Those, who may desire to save their boxes and deliver them, can leave them in the basement of the city hall.

## Legion Initiates 24; New Hall Imminent

Clarence Kepple Post No. 41, American Legion, initiated 24 veterans of World War II Tuesday evening in the second largest class ever to be obligated here, surpassed only last November, when 30 men and women were initiated.

The initiates and other members of the American Legion were told in a report of Ray Bartlett, finance officer and a member of the building committee, that the post's building fund at this time has on deposit and in cash value of bonds owned and pledges a total of about \$36,000 towards the proposed \$50,000 American Legion building.

Howard Whitson, another member of the building committee, said they are working hard to get construction under way and that he believes it will be possible to start in three months or less, predicting that it will be completed by the next holiday season.

The floor plan will be practically the same as that pictured on a number of prints which have been on display throughout the city the last few months, he said. However, he added, a few features will have to be changed because of the unavailability of materials.

The 24 World War II veterans were obligated by Steve Lanning, a former post commander, who pointed out to them that the opening class of the American Legion constitution preamble, "For God and country we associate ourselves together," sets the organization in a class unique among veterans' groups, comparing it with the various ones in the countries which brought on the war—the "black shirts," "brown shirts," and others. They all had selfish

aims, the elimination of certain groups or races, whereas the American Legion stands "for God and country," without distinction of race, class, or political affiliation.

Those initiated were Harvey T. Marshall, Ernest F. Almanza, Herman P. Gillilan, W. J. Culbertson, Fred L. Zinn, Herbert Mathis, Edward J. Boans, James P. Martin, Monroe L. Vallejo, Charles J. Grayson, Howard E. Santo, Charles Culbertson, Richard Fore, H. D. Burch, Louis F. Hamilton, Oral L. Lusk, Earl W. Reneau, Lon Billips, Jerry Woosley, Joe Howell, J. N. Willis, James A. Emery, Aldwyer (Allen) Mills, and Sanders Mills.

The necessity of the post having an emergency fund or having access to some other emergency fund, in order to take care of veterans needing immediate medical or surgical attention and hospitalization was discussed.

It was pointed out that there are instances when there is not time to contact the Veterans' Administration, or when the patient cannot be moved from the community to a hospital maintained by the VA, or when local agencies handling funds for such cases cannot be contacted immediately.

Commander Charles Denton said he would contact the local chapter of the Red Cross, the Community Chest, and the Salvation Army to see if some solution cannot be worked out.

The commander appointed Herbert Mathis, Fred Brainard, and Alan Thompson as a committee to find ways to increase the funds available for the increasing work of the Veterans' Advisory Committee here.

## Classifieds Go on Cash Basis

In order to eliminate considerable and unnecessary bookkeeping on small accounts and to prevent these small accounts from running from month to month and not being paid, a cash in advance policy on classified advertising to all, who do not have regular accounts at The Advocate, is being inaugurated this week.

Amounts involved in classified advertisements, which run from 51 cents up to \$1 or even drop to a charge of 26 cents on a second insertion are not sufficient either to pay for the bookkeeping or the costs involved in billing those on these amounts.

In some instances these small accounts run over a period of even six months, the postage on mailing statements over such a period would involve 18 cents without considering other costs.

Classified ads will continue to be accepted over the phone and will be prepared for those, who do not have regular charge accounts, but they will not be inserted until the cost of the advertisement has been paid.

In this way there will be no charge made on these and when they are paid they will be published.

Those, who have regular charge accounts for display advertising, job printing, or office supplies, can have classified advertisements charged to their regular accounts.

Those, who use classified advertising consistently and have established an account on these, can continue to charge their classified advertisements.

It is hoped, of course, this new policy will not inconvenience anyone and the belief was expressed that the public would understand that costs and the expense involved is now proving greater than actual revenue from certain of these classified ads.

The cooperation of the public in carrying out this policy will be greatly appreciated.

## CLANTON McDONALD IS HONORABLY DISCHARGED

Clanton McDonald is here visiting his parent, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. McDonald. Mr. McDonald recently received his discharge from the service after spending 30 months in the finance department in the Pacific theater. He was discharged at Fort Bliss. His plans are to visit his parents about two weeks, after which he will return to El Paso, where he will be employed at the El Paso National Bank.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. McDonald also have with them at this time another son, Winston McDonald, who arrived home last Thursday.

## TO Discuss Purchase Of Girl Scout Camp At Meeting Monday

The possibility of the purchase of a site in the Sacramento Mountains for the Girl Scouts will be discussed at a general meeting of the Girl Scout Association at the city hall Monday evening, Jan. 14, called by Mrs. Raymond Bartlett, president.

The meeting is for all adult workers in the Girl Scout movement, Mrs. Bartlett said, and all interested are urged to attend.

Refreshments will be served at the conclusion of the meeting, she said.







**OFFICE 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 Director's Districts Nos. 1 and 4 for the purpose of electing Directors in each of said Districts.

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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.

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.

27.92 Acres; Subdivision NE 1/4, Section 14, Township 18-S, Range 26-E, 160.00 Acres;  
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 Any person, firm, association, corporation, the state of New Mexico, or the United States of America, deeming that the granting of the above application will be truly detrimental to their rights in the waters of said underground source, may protest in writing the State Engineer's granting of approval of said application. The protest shall set forth all protestant's reasons why the application should not be approved and shall be accompanied by supporting affidavits and by proof that a copy of the protest has been served upon the applicant. Said protest and proof of service must be filed with the State Engineer within ten (10) days after the date of last publication of this notice. Unless protested, the application will be given final consideration for approval by the State Engineer on the 28th day of January, 1946.  
 Thomas M. McClure, State Engineer 52-3tc-2

defendants against whom substituted process is hereby sought to be obtained, to-wit: Unknown Heirs of C. L. Tallmadge, deceased; B. G. Stegman, if living, if deceased, the unknown heirs of B. G. Stegman, deceased; and All Unknown Claimants of Interest in the Premises Adverse to the Plaintiff, Defendants.  
 Case No. 9226  
**NOTICE OF PENDING SUIT**  
 THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO to the aforesaid defendants against whom substituted 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 G. R. Weippert, 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 an to the property described in the Complaint in said cause, to-wit: Lots 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, and 16, in Block 2 of the East Main Addition to the Town (now city) of Artesia, Eddy County, 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 12th day of February, 1946, judgment will be rendered against you in said cause by default.  
 WITNESS my hand and the seal of the District Court this 17th day of December, 1945.  
 (SEAL)  
 (Signed) Marguerite E. Waller  
 CLERK OF THE DISTRICT COURT 51-41-2  
 Hunter, to old guide: "Have you ever been lost in the woods?"  
 Old guide: "Nope, but I was bewildered once for four days."  
 The soldier, playing left end on the camp football team, missed four easy passes. At half time he explained to the athletic officer, "I guess I'll have to get some glasses."  
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 Jessie I. Funk  
 W. Leslie Martin  
 J. H. Mullis  
 George D. Perrine 50-4tc-53

**NOTICE STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE**  
 Number of Applications: RA1176-S, RA1177-S & RA1177-B.S.  
 Santa Fe, N. M. December 18, 1945.  
 Notice is hereby given that on the 7th and 13th days of December, 1945, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session laws of 1931, Paul Terry of Artesia, County of Eddy, State of New Mexico, made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a permit to drill a 13 1/2 inch diameter artesian well approximately 1100 feet at a location in the SW 1/4 SW 1/4 NW 1/4 of Section 15, Township 18 South, Range 26 East, N.M.P.M., for the purpose of combining water from said well with water from Well RA-1176 for the proper irrigation of 78 acres of land under File RA-1176, with artesian rights, and described as follows:  
 SUBDIVISION S 1/2 NW 1/4, SECTION 15, TOWNSHIP 18-S, RANGE 26-E and  
 SUBDIVISION S 1/2 W 1/2 NE 1/4, SECTION 15, TOWNSHIP 18-S, RANGE 26-E, 78 ACRES.  
 Application is also made for permit to combine water from said proposed well with water from artesian well RA-1177 and RA-1177-B, for the proper irrigation of lands with rights under RA-1177 and RA-1177-A, described as follows:  
 Subdivision NE 1/4 NE 1/4, Section 15, Township 18-S, Range 26-E, 28.23 Acres;  
 Subdivision SE 1/4 NE 1/4, Section 15, Township 18-S, Range 26-E,

IN THE DISTRICT COURT IN AND FOR EDDY COUNTY, STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
 G. R. Weippert, Plaintiff,  
 -vs-  
 Lorena Mae Tallmadge, impleaded with the following named defendants against whom substituted process is hereby sought to be obtained, to-wit: Unknown Heirs of C. L. Tallmadge, deceased; B. G. Stegman, if living, if deceased, the unknown heirs of B. G. Stegman, deceased; and All Unknown Claimants of Interest in the Premises Adverse to the Plaintiff, Defendants.  
 Case No. 9226  
**NOTICE OF PENDING SUIT**  
 THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO to the aforesaid defendants against whom substituted 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 G. R. Weippert, 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 an to the property described in the Complaint in said cause, to-wit: Lots 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, and 16, in Block 2 of the East Main Addition to the Town (now city) of Artesia, Eddy County, 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 12th day of February, 1946, judgment will be rendered against you in said cause by default.  
 WITNESS my hand and the seal of the District Court this 17th day of December, 1945.  
 (SEAL)  
 (Signed) Marguerite E. Waller  
 CLERK OF THE DISTRICT COURT 51-41-2  
 Hunter, to old guide: "Have you ever been lost in the woods?"  
 Old guide: "Nope, but I was bewildered once for four days."  
 The soldier, playing left end on the camp football team, missed four easy passes. At half time he explained to the athletic officer, "I guess I'll have to get some glasses."  
 "Glasses!" roared the officer. "You're too far gone for glasses! What you need is radar!"

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 Having sold my farm and planning to leave the Valley, I will sell at the place, 300 yards southwest of Smith Bros. Service, Lake Arthur, on  
**Monday, Jan. 14**  
 Starting Promptly at 10 a. m., the Following Property

- LIVESTOCK**  
 2—Black Horses, 5 and 6 years old, 1500 Lbs.  
 1—Black Horse, 4 years old, 1400 Lbs.  
 1—Bay Horse, 9 years old, 1200 Lbs.  
 1—Black Horse, 9 years old, 1200 Lbs.  
 2—Mules, smooth mouth, 1200 Lbs.  
 4—Jersey milk cows, 4 years old fresh this month.  
 1—Jersey milk cow, 7 years old, fresh this month.  
 8—Cold blood yearlings, good.  
 11—Feeder Hogs
- FARM MACHINERY**  
 1—John Deere two-row cultivator  
 1—Avery two-row cultivator  
 1—One-row cultivator  
 1—Rock Island two-row planter  
 1—McCormick row binder  
 1—Stalk Cutter  
 1—S by 24 Leveller  
 1—Spring-tooth Harrow  
 1—Sulky Plow  
 1—Palvriser  
 1—Model T chassis with hitch  
 1—two-section harrow  
 1—John Deere lister  
 1—John Deere turning plow
- HOUSEHOLD GOODS**  
 1—Irving piano, excellent condition  
 1—8-piece dining room suite, good as new  
 1—Rocking chair  
 1—Pair cot springs
- MISCELLANEOUS**  
 7—or 8 tons bundled hegari  
 Approximately 1000 Lbs. 4-H Club Certified cotton seed  
 1—ABC washing machine  
 1—Daisy churn  
 Approximately 100 young White Leghorn hens and about 80 mixed heavy hens  
 1—8-cow capacity separator,  
 1—10-gallon cream can  
 2—5-gallon cans  
 Doubletrees, singletrees, sweeps, forks, hoes, shovels, etc.

Many Other Items Too Numerous To Mention  
**TERMS OF SALE ARE CASH**  
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 Lunch Will Be Served By The Baptist Ladies of Lake Arthur  
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# Society

## Rebekahs and I. O. O. F. Have Joint Installation on Monday Evening

A joint installation of Sunrise Rebekah Lodge No. 9 and Artesia I. O. O. F. Lodge No. 11 was held Monday evening at the I. O. O. F. Hall.

Officers of the I. O. O. F. Lodge installed were: Claude Garrett, noble grand; Ernest McGonagill, right supporter to the noble grand; Joe Lewis, left supporter to noble grand; Adamson Willis, vice grand; Abe Conner, warden; Herbert Howell, conductor; Ward Cave, chaplain; Denver Langford, right scenic supporter to vice grand; Walter Amstutz, left scenic supporter to vice grand; Frank Thomas, inside guardian; Pete Coffman, outside guardian; Jack Hastie, secretary; and W. S. Hogsett, treasurer.

Rebekah officers installed were: Mrs. Frita Keith, noble grand; Miss Ina Cole, right supporter to noble grand; Mrs. F. E. Pennell, left supporter to noble grand; Mrs. Buford Gray, vice grand; Mrs. B. B. Thorpe, right supporter to

vice grand; Mrs. Pete Coffman, left supporter to vice grand; Mrs. Dave Brandel, chaplain; Mrs. C. E. Roach, right supporter to chaplain; Mrs. Perry Triplitt, left supporter to chaplain; Mrs. Owen Hensley, past noble grand; Mrs. W. F. Ratliff, right supporter to past noble grand; Mrs. Charles McNabb, left supporter to past noble grand; Mrs. Earl McDorman, warden; Mrs. J. W. Thomas, conductor; Mrs. Hazel Talbot, inside guardian; Mrs. Don Shira, outside guardian; Mrs. E. M. Wingfield, secretary; Mrs. C. Bert Smith, treasurer; Mrs. Homer G. Borland, musician; and Mrs. F. E. Pennell, staff captain.

The installing officers were Ernest McGonagill, district deputy marshal; Mrs. W. S. Hogsett, district deputy president; Ward Cave and Mrs. Frank Thomas, grand marshalls; Lee Drennan and Mrs. G. B. Dungan, grand secretaries; and Lee Drennan and Mrs. J. T. Henry, treasurers.

## Order of Eastern Star Installs New Officers on Tuesday Evening

Mrs. Dale Thompas was installed as worthy matron of the Order of the Eastern Star, when a public installation ceremony was held Tuesday evening at the Masonic Hall, after a private meeting. Mrs. F. E. Pennell presided during the business session. Mrs. H. H. McDonald presented the outgoing worthy matron, Mrs. Pennell and the outgoing worthy patron, J. D. Josey, lovely gifts from their officers and substitutes who served with them during their service year.

Mrs. Pennell presented gifts assisted by Mrs. Louie Burch and Mrs. Kenneth Williams, to her officers, substitutes, committee members and new members, who had been initiated during the past year.

During the presentation of gifts, the retiring of old officers, and installation of new officers, Mrs. Dale Thompas, worthy matron; J. D. Josey worthy patron; Mrs. Owen Hensley, associate matron; J. D. Smith, associate

patron; Miss Ina Cole, conductress; Mrs. Clarence Roach, associate conductress; Mrs. Pat Gormley, secretary; Mrs. W. S. Hogsett, treasurer.

Appointive officers installed: Mrs. D. M. Schneberg, organist; Mrs. H. H. McDonald, marshal; Mrs. Donald Teed, chaplain; and the five star points of the order: Mrs. Johnny Cockburn, Adah; Mrs. Louie Burch, Ruth; Mrs. Warren Ratliff, Esther; Mrs. Harold Kersey, Martha; and Mrs. J. D. Thorpe, Electa; and Mrs. Marshall Rowley, warden, and Fred Jacobs, sentinel.

After the installation ceremonies, J. D. Josey presented Mrs. Dale Thompas, new worthy matron, a bouquet of beautiful flowers in behalf of the new officers who were installed at that time.

Mrs. Thomas presented Mrs. Pennell a lovely present.

Mrs. Arba Green, who has retired after serving as secretary the last six years for the chapter, was the recipient of a gift from Mrs. Pennell, who represented officers and substitutes.

Mrs. Stanley Blocker presented Mrs. Pennell a past matron's pin in behalf of the Artesia chapter. Mrs. Pennell served delicious refreshments during the social hour.

## Tell Betrothal Of Jean Johnson, S-Sgt. Thalman

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Johnson announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Helen Jean, to S/Sgt. George Lee Thalman, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Thalman, at a lovely breakfast Sunday morning at the Johnson residence.

Miss Johnson will become the bride of Sergeant Thalman at 5 o'clock Sunday, Jan. 20, at the First Methodist Church, with the Rev. C. A. Clark, officiant.

Low crystal bowls of red and white sweetpeas, in keeping with a Valentine theme, and hand-painted placecards with "Jean and George, Jan. 20," inscribed, provided decorations for the beautifully appointed breakfast table.

Young Misses who served were Patsy Montgomery, and Jo Ann Johnson, sister of the bride-to-be.

Those who comprised the guest list and offered their congratulations were Mrs. E. B. McCrory, Miss Florence Jenkins, Miss Betty Jane Everts, Miss Louise Archer, Mrs. J. D. Woodside, Miss Meredith Martin, Mrs. Orville Durbin, Miss Marjorie Clowe, Miss Thelma Hancox, Miss Mary Jo Lochridge, Miss Dorothy Linell, Miss Virginia Watson, Miss Peggy Hamill, and Mrs. George Thalman.

## Newlyweds Are Honored Monday On Hotel Roof Garden

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Groseclose, who were married Saturday evening, were honored with a wedding dinner by Mr. and Mrs. Don Jensen at 9 o'clock Monday evening on the Artesia Hotel Roof Garden.

The honorees were presented a lovely set of pottery.

From a table lighted by red and white tapers in single candle holders, a large wedding cake topped with a miniature bride and groom was cut by Mr. and Mrs. Groseclose in the traditional manner.

Guests who attended were Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Jensen, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Jensen, Mr. and Mrs. John Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Woods, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Magnusson, Miss Mae Bramblett, Miss Gladys Morgan, Bob Cornett, Mrs. Micky Grant, Ernest Dunn, Mrs. Etta May Edwards, and Bob Dunn.

Loco Club Has New Year Party at Camp Last Thursday

The Loco Club of Loco Hills celebrated the incoming year with a party last Thursday evening at the Texas-New Mexico Camp. Games of bridge, "forty-two", rummy and Chinese checkers were played.

Refreshments of coffee and cookies were served to Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Cranford, Mrs. Emmett Goodrich, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Jones, Mrs. Johnnie Lambley, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Neill, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Roosevelt Blanton, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Dick Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Dorsey, Mr. and Mrs. Faye Dennis, Mr. Jim Cook, Mr. and Mrs. Melton, Mr. and Mrs. Curley Barton, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Blanton, Miss Nata Lou Ward, Miss Mitzi Mills, and Mr. and Mrs. Hershel John.

## Mrs. Rogers, Atoka Hostess, Is Showered Tuesday Afternoon

Mrs. Charles Rogers was hostess at her home Tuesday afternoon, when the Atoka Woman's Club met. Mrs. Howard Gissler presided over the business session.

Lovely birthday gifts were presented to Mrs. Rogers.

Members who attended and showered Mrs. Rogers with gifts were Mrs. Howard Gissler, Mrs. Elsie Kissinger, Mrs. Earl Darst, Mrs. J. W. Bradshaw, Mrs. W. M. Van Horn, Mrs. J. W. Roland, Mrs. Herman Green, Mrs. Alvin Payne, Mrs. Sid Wheeler, and Mrs. Nevil Muncy.

A guest at the meeting was Mrs. Russell Rogers.

A refreshment plate was served at the conclusion of the meeting.

## Social Calendar

Friday, Jan. 11  
Central Parent-Teacher Association at Central School, 3 p. m.  
Garden Club Meeting at the city hall, 2:30 p. m.  
Monday, Jan. 14  
Meeting of Coke-Ette Society at the home of Miss Sue Booker.  
Regular meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary at 7:30 p. m., Duration Hall of the First Baptist Church. Guest speaker will be Steve Lanning. There is to be the largest initiation class in local Auxiliary history.

Thursday, Jan. 17  
The Presbyterian Women's Association will meet at the church for observation of the 75th anniversary of foreign missions and 38th anniversary of the local women's organization.

Women's Society of Christian Service: Ellis Circle, at the home of Mrs. H. G. Ellis with a luncheon at 1 p. m.  
Stewart Circle will meet at the First Methodist Church, 2:30 p. m.

## Miss Alexander, Former Artesian, Weds on Coast

Miss Carolyn Alexander, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Luke Alexander, of Long Beach, Calif., former residents of Artesia, became the bride of John S. Syska, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Syska, of Seymour, Conn., when the wedding was solemnized at Lakewood Village Church at Long Beach, Calif., Dec. 24. It has been learned here.

The double ring ceremony was performed by Chaplain W. R. Hall.

The altar was beautiful with a background sparkling with silver stars. Silver Christmas trees were made lovelier by the soft light shed from the lighted tapers of the candelabra.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, was gowned in white taffeta and net, with a fingertip length veil; she carried gardenias and pink rosebuds on a white Bible. She wore a single strand of pearls, a gift of the bridegroom.

Mrs. Pauline Ward, sister of the bride, was matron of honor. She was dressed in a blue sheer dress and wore a corsage of pink rosebuds.

The bridegroom was attended by J. W. Alexander, U.S. Navy, and usherettes were Inez Ward and Angie Mae Ward.

Mrs. Syska attended grades seventh to eleventh in the Artesia schools, after which she moved with her family to Long Beach in October, 1943. She was graduated from Wilson High School there and the last several months has been an employe in the offices of Pan-Pacific Industries, Inc.

Mr. Syska recently received his honorable discharge from the Marine Corps, after serving four years as a member of the First Raider Battalion.

Luke Alexander, Jr., the bride's brother, and family of Hope were present during the wedding and reception that followed.

The reception was given at Community Hall, with Mrs. Luke Alexander as hostess, assisted by Mrs. R. B. Jordan, Mrs. Joe Tolk and Mrs. W. R. Hall.

After a honeymoon trip to Santa Barbara, Calif., the couple is at home at 3722 Chatwin, Avenue, Long Beach.

## Coke-Ettes Elect Norma Hancox Head On Monday Evening

Miss Norma Hancox was elected president of the Coke-Ette Society, when an election of officers and an important business meeting was held at the home of Miss Shirley Sherwood Monday evening.

Other officers elected were: Miss Betty Bruce, vice president; Miss Patricia Watson, secretary; Miss Rosemary Murphy, treasurer; Miss Janie Dunnam, reporter, and Miss Jo Ann Johnson, business manager.

Refreshments of soft drinks and cake were served after the election and business session.

The next meeting will be held Monday, Jan. 14, at the home of Miss Sue Booker, it was announced.

## Mrs. Corbin Is Feted by Story League Tuesday

The Artesia Story League met at the home of Mrs. Mark A. Corbin Tuesday afternoon, Jan. 8, and feted Mrs. M. Anderson Corbin. After a brief business meeting a program, "Memories," which had been arranged, was presented by Mrs. Curtis Bolton and Mrs. Sam Stewart, aided by Jo Nell Roberts and some of the members of the club.

The program portrayed the life of Mrs. M. Anderson Corbin from babyhood, her school days, courtship, marriage, and motherhood. Each phase of her life, as it was depicted, was given with appropriate music.

After the program she received a lovely shower of gifts.

Mrs. Harold Kersey and Mrs. Mark Corbin, hostesses, served a beautifully appointed tea from a lace-covered table. The centerpiece was a floral arrangement surrounded by small baby dolls and ferns with white tapers in crystal holders.

Mrs. Curtis Bolton presided at the tea table.

Mrs. S. Bradley is convalescing at home after a week at Artesia Memorial Hospital, following slight stroke suffered during the holidays. Her daughter, Mrs. Roy Wright of Las Cruces, is here, to be with her mother until she is about again.

Capt. and Mrs. John D. Josey, Jr., and Mrs. J. D. Josey, Sr., and son, Harvey, left Wednesday morning for San Angelo and Austin, Tex., to visit relatives. They will return here in about a week.

## Fifty Years of Married Life in Valley Is Observed by Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Adams

Fifty years of residence in the Pecos Valley dates one as a pioneer, while 50 years of married life is noteworthy anywhere, but when a couple marries in the Pecos Valley and lives here to celebrate the golden wedding anniversary, it is unusual nearly to the degree of being unique, in the opinion of friends of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Adams of Lakewood, who completed 50 years of married life in the Pecos Valley on New Year's Day.

They were guests of honor at the home of their daughter, Mrs. J. E. Howell, and family of Lakewood at a combination golden wedding-New Year's dinner, attended by four of their children and families, while three other children, all of California, were unable to be present.

The three daughters and families and son who attended the dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Howell and sons, Howard and Richard, Lakewood; Elvin Adams, at home; Mr. and Mrs. Wicher Angell, Artesia, and their two daughters, Helen Neely and Mrs. Lewis Fulton, and the latter's son, Donald, Carlsbad, and Mr. and Mrs. Baxter Heard and daughter, Janice, Artesia.

The other three children of Mr. and Mrs. Adams are Mrs. Cleo Dohy, El Monte, Calif., and Mrs. Mildred Adams and Lloyd H. Adams, Long Beach, Calif.

At the home on Seven Rivers of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Cook, Miss Sarah Cook, and R. G. Adams were married New Year's Day, 1896 by D. Burditt, a justice of the peace at the frontier town of Seven Rivers. The bride had come to the community with her parents when she was 14 years old. She was born at Kerville, Tex. Mr. Adams, a son of Texas pioneers, came to the valley when he was a young man.

Today Mrs. Adams is 66 years old and Mr. Adams is 76. They are the parents of the seven children mentioned and they have eight grandchildren and a great-grandson.

For many years they ranched in the Seven Rivers-Lakewood community and only two years ago did Mr. Adams retire.

## Children Entertain Monday for Father, A. R. Compary

A. R. Compary was feted when his daughters, Mrs. Henry Worthington and Mrs. F. O. Aston, and the latter's husband honored him with a surprise party on his birthday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Aston Monday evening.

Card games of bridge and pitch were played during the evening, with Mrs. Compary holding high score, in the bridge game. Mrs. Ella Wooten won high score at the pitch table.

Guests enjoyed refreshments of fruit cake and whipped cream.

Those who attended and showered Mr. Compary with birthday gifts were Mr. and Mrs. Dave Bunting, Mr. and Mrs. G. Kelley Stout, Mr. and Mrs. Louie Burch, Mrs. W. J. Cluney, Mrs. Florence Hill, Lt. Laviathia Nelson of the Army Nurse Corps, Mrs. Ella Wooten, Mrs. A. R. Compary, and the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Aston and Mrs. Worthington.

## Entertain Fidelis Class Last Friday at H. A. Campbell Home

Mrs. H. A. Campbell was hostess and Mrs. H. K. Ripley assisted her as cohostess, when the Fidelis Class of the First Baptist Church held its monthly social last Friday, at the home of Mrs. Campbell.

Delicious refreshments of chicken salad sandwiches, stuffed olives, and pie and coffee were served to 16 members present.

Those who attended were Mrs. W. S. Hogsett, Mrs. J. H. Holcomb, Mrs. Eddie Atwood, Mrs. J. C. Gressett, Mrs. C. C. Grimlan, Mrs. V. A. Lane, Mrs. J. T. Mitchell, Mrs. Charles Reynolds, Mrs. J. C. Vandevanter, Mrs. H. L. Wilkinson, Mrs. Otto Wood, Mrs. Philip Kranz, Mrs. W. R. Francisco, Mrs. Charles Houghton, Mrs. H. K. Ripley, and Mrs. H. A. Campbell.

John A. Mathis returned home Friday from Patchogue, N. Y., where he visited his daughter, Mrs. O. W. Wicks, and family over the holidays. He was gone 18 days and flew to New York from Kansas City on the trip east and from there to Amarillo on his return.

Capt. John D. Josey, son of Judge and Mrs. J. D. Josey has arrived from Fort Douglas, Utah for a two weeks visit here with his parents.

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## Presbyterian Women Review Study Book At Meet Thursday

Members of the Presbyterian Women's Association met at the church last Thursday with 18 in attendance.

Mrs. William Linell reviewed the first part of their study book, "The Cross Over Africa." Mrs. Rex Wheatley had charge of the worship service.

Mrs. D. C. Blue and Mrs. Raymond Bartlett served delicious refreshments of salad and coffee to the members who were present.

## F/O Marvin Russell, Returned to the United States

F/O Marvin Russell, who returned to the United States from Calcutta, India, was met by his wife and children at the airport. He has signed up for an extension of service for a year and a port after a 45-day leave at Artesia, Calif., for further assignment.

Ernest Dunn, son of Mrs. Groseclose, recently completed his naval training at boot camp in San Diego, Calif., to serve as a storekeeper. He arrived in Artesia last Thursday and returned to San Diego Wednesday to receive further orders.

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AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON DECEMBER 31, 1945.  
(Published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency Under Section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes.)

ASSETS	
Loans and discounts	\$1,645.84
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	1,839.64
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	230.11
Corporate stocks (including \$4,650.00 stock of Federal Reserve bank)	4.88
Cash balances with other banks including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	2,595.98
Bank premises owned \$6,700.00, furniture and fixtures \$12,127.44	18.82
<b>Total Assets</b>	<b>6,333.48</b>
LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	5,202.58
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	347.47
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	466.70
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	116.62
Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.)	29.00
<b>Total Deposits</b>	<b>\$6,162,415.56</b>
<b>Total Liabilities</b>	<b>\$6,162,415.56</b>
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Capital Stock:	
Common stock, total par \$100,000.00	100.00
Surplus	70.00
Undivided profits	1.07
<b>Total Capital Accounts</b>	<b>171.07</b>
<b>Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts</b>	<b>6,333,486.63</b>
MEMORANDA	
Pledged assets (and securities loaned) (book value):	
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed, pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities	515.00
Other assets pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities (including notes and bills rediscounted and securities sold under repurchase agreement)	50.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>565.00</b>
Secured liabilities:	
Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law	\$551,838.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>551,838.00</b>

State of New Mexico, County of Eddy, ss:  
I, Fred Cole, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

FRED COLE,  
Cashier

CORRECT—Attest:  
ROSS SEARS,  
L. B. FEATHER,  
CHAS. R. MARTIN  
Directors.

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### December Caverns Travel Indicates All-Time 1946 Record in Prospect

The Carlsbad Caverns broke a record in December, with 1,304 visitors registered for the month, while the total for 1945 was 12,237, the greatest number since 1941.

The visitors during the month and year came from all of the United States, the District of Columbia, and Hawaii, as well as from



### Anderson urges Parity Income As Farm Goal

"Parity income" is what agriculture needs for the long pull, Secretary Anderson told the annual convention of the American Farm Bureau Federation at Chicago. As spelled out in the Agricultural Adjustment Act, "parity," as applied to income, is "that per capita net income of individuals on farms from farming operations that bears to the per capita net income of individuals not on farms the same relation as prevailed during the period from August, 1909, to July, 1914."

"Farmers should have a fair share of the national income," the secretary said, "proportionate to the percentage of the national population on farms, adjusted for the relative costs of producing and living on the farm under modern conditions . . ."

"Within this big goal, the parity prices of given commodities

should . . . make a pattern of prices, which, multiplied by output, would yield a fair share of the national income. Further, parity prices in any case should be such as would promote the most efficient use of our agricultural resources — and "efficient use" means production of needed crops and livestock, and stimulation of conservation-type farming."

### ALUMNI OPEN DRIVE FOR WAR MEMORIAL

Conversion of the University of New Mexico Alumni Association's war history fund into a loyalty fund under which alumni of the university will contribute to a permanent memorial in honor of 107 former students known to have lost their lives in the war, was announced by Gino J. Matteucci, president of the association.

The memorial will include a plaque erected on the campus listing those who died.

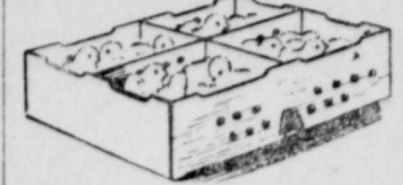
Total number of alumni of the university who have served in some branch of the armed forces is approximately 3312.

Capt. Robert O'Neal, chief of Indiana State Police detectives, doesn't know how to interpret a Christmas greeting received from an inmate of the Indiana prison. O'Neal's investigation of a bur-

glary last summer led to a sentence of 10 to 20 years for the man. Written in ink on a conventional Yule card was: "Thinking of you this Christmas. Wish you were here."

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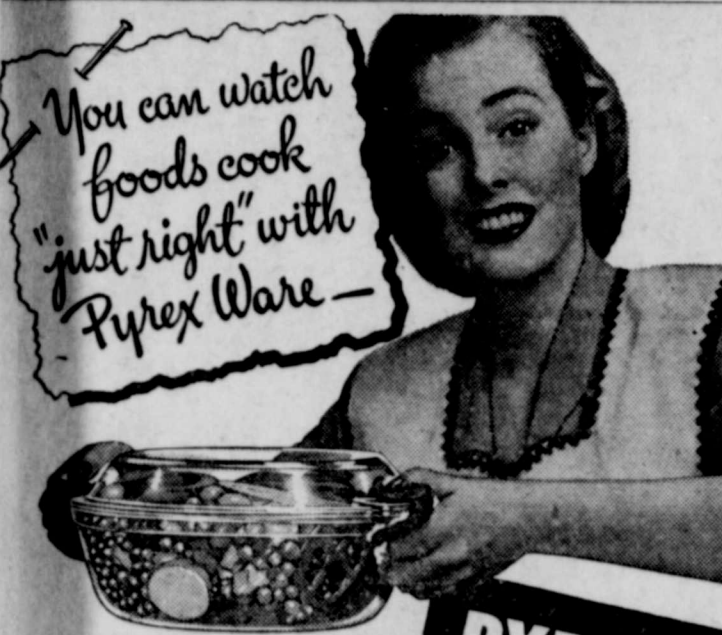
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14 foreign countries in December and Alaska and 45 foreign countries during the year.

With the December total of 17,304 far surpassing the previous last-month figure of 9234 in December, 1940, as postwar vacationing and travel takes on an ever-increasing pace, indications are that an all-time record will be made in 1946.

During 1945, the National Park Service was host to 48,200 members of the armed forces, of whom 3162 visited the underground wonders in December, all escorted through free of charge.

Even with travel restrictions in force the greater part of 1945 and with tire rationing in effect through the final day, although gasoline rationing went off a few months ago, National Park rangers clocked 46,975 cars at the entrance to the Carlsbad Caverns.

As usual, Texas led the monthly and yearly parade of visitors, registering 3500 and 60,004 respectively, while California was second, with 3340 and 24,504. New Mexicans were next for the year, registering 17,376, but dropped to fourth place in December, with 830 visitors while Illinois took monthly third with 850.

It is interesting to note that one visitor from Germany was registered the latter part of the year, while other scattered foreign countries represented at Eddy County's worldwide crossroads by

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### AAA Committeemen Take In Stride Transition From War to Peace

AAA farmer committeemen took in stride the transition from war to peace which began in 1945. They carried their war jobs to a successful conclusion and immediately plunged into the job of helping farmers to adjust to the new conditions of peace.

The year ends on a note of "stop, look, and listen." Farmers are taking inventory of the changes which the war brought about on their individual farms and in agriculture as a whole. They are particularly interested in what those changes mean for the future.

may follow than under similar circumstances 25 years ago. For one thing, Congress has provided floors under the prices of most farm products to ease the shock of war-to-peace conversion. More important farm legislation now on the books and action programs now in operation give farmers the tools they need to keep and extend the gains made during the last 12 years.

While the impact of the war upon farming has been far-reaching, there is less concern for what

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| 1 Air Compressor with 1 HP motor, air hose and chuck             | 1 Set heavy blocks with about 100 feet 3-4-inch rope   |
| 1 2-Row John Deere Planter                                       | 1 Metal Concrete Mixing Board  |
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ation and Domestic Allotment Act, provide the machinery to make farm production responsive to market demands, to conserve land and water resources to insure crops against natural hazards, and to assist farmer in obtaining their fair share of the national income.

The farmer-committeemen organization which makes this machinery run handled its assignments smoothly during the past 12 months. State, county, and local committees helped farmers: To carry out more soil and water conservation practices than ever before under the Agricultural Conservation Program; To protect more crops of more farmers than ever before under the federal crop insurance program; To produce, guided by goals, the volume and the kinds of food needed to finish the war and help feed hungry people abroad; to increase, through special payments, flaxseed production 59 per cent above 1944, and to maintain the harvest of hay seeds above normal; to stimulate the output of badly needed dairy, beef, and lamb products through special production payments from Commodity Credit Corporation funds; to obtain surplus war trucks and other scarce equipment.

In August, the entire AAA organization was consolidated into the newly established Production and Marketing Administration. The new AAA setup, known as the Field Service Branch, gives AAA committeemen new opportunities for service in the fields

of farm marketing and food consumption.

#### SUMMONS AND NOTICE OF PENDING SUIT

STATE OF NEW MEXICO to Mabel Garrett, impleaded with the following named Defendants against whom substituted service is hereby sought to be obtained, to-wit: the following named Defendants by name, if living; if deceased, their unknown heirs: Mabel Garrett, Hattie Garrett, the unknown heirs of Charlie C. McDaniel, deceased, and Anna B. Thorp, deceased; and all unknown persons claiming any right, title or interest in or to the premises involved in this cause adverse to Plaintiff,

GREETINGS: You and each of you are hereby notified that Beatrice B. Woelk has filed suit against you in the District Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, in cause No. 9253 on the Civil Docket, for the purpose of quieting title in fee simple in said Plaintiff to the property described in the Complaint in said cause, more specifically described as follows, to-wit:

The west 10 feet of lot 9 and all of lot 11, Block 39 of the Artesia Improvement Company Addition to the Town, (now City) of Artesia, New Mexico.

Plaintiff alleging that she is the owner of said lands and improvements thereon in fee simple.

WHEREFORE, you and each of you must appear and plead in

said cause on or before the 1st day of March, 1946, or you will be in default and Plaintiff will proceed to secure the relief sought by her Complaint, and you and each of you will thereafter be forever barred and estopped from claiming or asserting any right, title, lien, or interest in or to said real estate.

FRAZIER & QUANTIUS, whose address is 123 West 4th Street, Roswell, New Mexico, are attorneys for Plaintiff.

Witness my hand and seal at Carlsbad, New Mexico, this 7th day of January, 1946.

(SEAL)  
Marguerite E. Waller  
Clerk of the District Court  
By Virginia I. Lucas,  
Deputy

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### County Has Big Home Repair Job Next Few Years

More than \$583,000 is expected to be spent during the next five years by Eddy County home owners on remodeling and repair work.

The year 1946 promises to inaugurate one of the greatest years in American history for home repairs and modernization, according to estimates released by the Title Council of America. "Few developments will contribute more to employment and general prosperity in any community," according to R. E. Jordan, chairman of the council's residential construction committee.

Because of lack of materials and manpower during the war, majority of the county's 6,207 dwelling units are in need of some kind of repair or remodeling work, he said. Kitchen improvements and modernization of bathrooms, installation of tiled showers and in some homes addition of a second bath top the nation's list of most wanted major improvements, Jordan said.

Outside paint jobs are needed on more than 50 per cent of homes, and addition of rooms and construction of porches also rank high in remodeling plans, according to the report. New roofing and heating plants are required by many dwellings.

Home owners in New Mexico

will spend an estimated \$13,695,000 and those of the nation more than \$5,500,000,000 for major repairs in the next five years, according to Jordan. Ample funds, at low interest charges are available for such work through commercial banks, savings associations, credit unions, mutual savings banks, he said.

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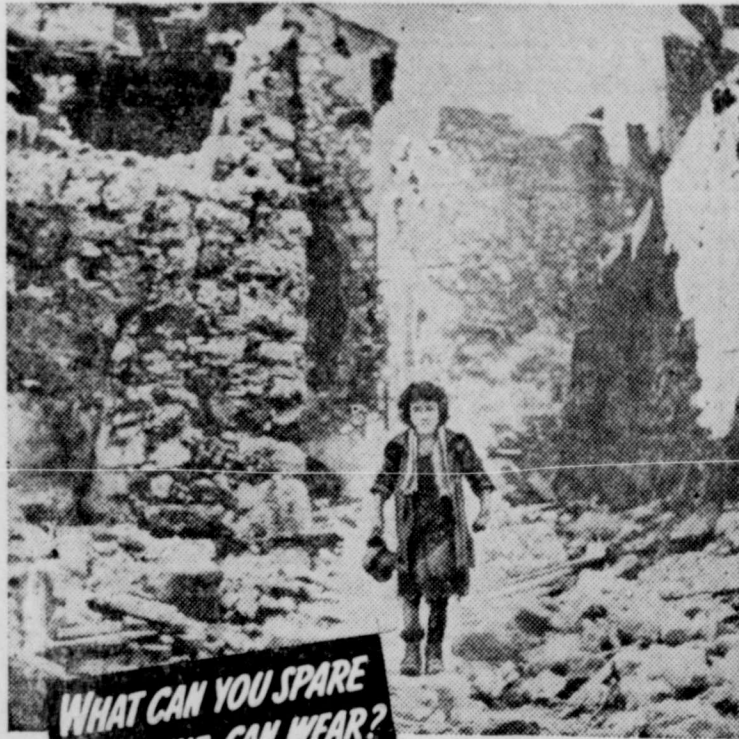
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Rev. 3:20

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### A plea for an understanding of a basic Christian truth

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### Colton Discusses Getty-Barber Area of Eddy County Oil Fields

RAYE E. COLTON, Sc.D. This is the fourth in a series of articles written exclusively for The Advocate by Dr. Colton on the geology and production of the Eddy County oil fields. In this article he discusses the Getty-Barber area. The stratigraphy as revealed by drilling in the Getty-Barber area of Eddy County reveals a thin mantle of windblown sand, and gypsum which conceals all Permian formations except along the eastern margin of the area, deep wells have been cut in the Permian rocks, and recent sediments (Quaternary) have filled these trenches.

Along the west-east trend of pools in the Getty-Barber area, oil is produced entirely from porous limestones in the Yates formation. Porosity and fluids are generally found at the contact of a limestone with an overlying sandstone. The main producing zone is below the fifth sand, at or very near the base of the Yates formation. The stratigraphically highest occurrence of oil is at the base of the second sand, about 80-100 feet below the top of the formation. A few wells in the

Getty-Barber field produce from below the third and fourth sands. No reported commercial production has been obtained from the sandstone members themselves along the main trend of the area.

North of the area that produces oil from limestone, the Getty Company's No. 2 Cook-Ironides well has established an area of possible production from sandstone members of the Yates formation. This well, located in SW NW 8-20-29, was drilled in June, 1934, to a depth of 1597 feet. It was later plugged back to 1160 feet and completed as a 10-15 barrel pumper, after shot from sand pay at 1100-1124 feet. This well may not be considered as being the commercial category, as it has not produced regularly. A third producing zone in this area of Eddy County is the Ocotillo silt member of the Tansill formation which produces gas in the Wills & Abell No. 1 Hale, located in 12-20-30.

**OIL AND GAS**

Oil from the limestone trend of the Getty-Barber area has a gravity ranging from 19-24 degrees A.P.I. It is black, and it possesses a sulphur content of about 2 percent and a low cold test. The topped gasoline content is low, not exceeding 15 percent, but the asphalt content runs as high as 40 percent.

Except by the deep test drilled by the George F. Getty Oil Company, and discussed elsewhere in this series of articles, all wells in the Getty-Barber area of Eddy County have been drilled with cable tools, usually with spudgers or National machines. Ten-inch or 12-inch casing is generally set at shallow depths, to shut off caving beds found near the surface. Eight-inch casing is usually set at the top salt at depths of 400-600 feet and cemented with 50 sacks of cement. If oil is encountered, seven-inch casing is run above the pay at depths of 1300-1800 feet and cemented with 50 sacks.

The average drilling time for a well in this area of Eddy County which produces is between four and five weeks, including six days of shutdown while cement sets on two strings of casing. Most of the wells are completed without acid or shot.

**FUTURE POSSIBILITIES**

Additional pools of oil should be found in depositional structures of the Getty-Barber area, along the limestone trend in fault line. Oil from the Yates formation should be found in stratigraphic traps north of this trend. A study of the log of the Getty No. 7 Dooley well indicates that this area of Eddy County is underlain by approximately 10,000 feet of Permian sedimentary rocks, and it appears reasonable to assume on the basis of the study, that oil occurs somewhere in structural or stratigraphic traps in this thick section of early Paleozoic strata.

**GRAYBURG-JACKSON POOL**

The Grayburg-Jackson pool of Eddy County is located in 17-30-31. It lies about midway between Artesia and Lovington. The east boundary line of the area is the



THIS Yugoslav girl murmurs "America" as a relief worker slips a sweater over her shoulders and her sister awaits her turn for clothing given by the American people. Round-up everything you can spare for the Victory Clothing Collection for overseas relief Jan. 7-31.

Eddy-Lea County line. Nearly all of the wells are in a strip two sections in width across the middle of the two townships. Four wells in 24-17-29 are, from the viewpoint of geology, a part of the Jackson-Grayburg pool. Sub-

Colton Discusses 1-8 continued — surface connection between the Grayburg-Jackson and Maljamar pools has been shown by recent drilling in 17-31.

The oil was discovered in the Flynn, Welch & Yates No. 1 Jackson permit in the NE 13-17-30. The test was completed in March, 1929, for an initial production of crude oil of 260 barrels daily, natural flow from a depth of 3560 feet. This discovery had the tendency to cause some additional drilling in this area, but major development did not take place until a few years ago.

Active drilling began in 1935 and has continued to date. In December, 1941, a total of 173 wells were producing daily production of approximately 15,000 barrels under the allowable clause of producing regulations governing New Mexico oil fields.

The surface materials of the area consist of caliche and wind-blown sand. These are overlaid by red sand and shale 400-600 feet in thickness, the upper part of which is Triassic (Mesozoic) in geologic age, and the lower Permian (Paleozoic) Age.

Subsurface contours show the local structure to be an eastward plunging nose. Numerous terraces

of New Mexico for a permit to change location of Shallow Groundwater Well RA.1398 from SW 1/4 NW 1/4 of Section 2, Township 17 South, Range 26 East, N. M.P.M., to a location in the N 1/2 NE 1/4 NE 1/4 of Section 12, Township 17 South, where applicant proposes to drill a shallow groundwater well 13 inches in diameter and approximately 200 feet in depth for the purpose of effecting a change in place of use of 240 acre feet per annum of water under File RA.1398 from 80 acres of land described as follows: Subdivision: S 1/2 NW 1/4, Section 2, Township 17S., Range 26E., 80 acres. to 80 acres of land described as follows: Subdivision: East 10 acres of NW 1/4 NE 1/4; South 10 acres of

NE 1/4 NE 1/4; West 30 acres of SE 1/4 NE 1/4; and East 30 acres of SW 1/4 NE 1/4 all in Section 12, Township 17S. Range 26E. Total 80 acres.

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 13th day of February, 1946.

Thomas M. McClure  
State Engineer

According to a Japanese legend, the island group of Japan was formed when Izanabi, a god, thrust his heavenly jeweled spear into the deep. As he withdrew it, the shower of drops that fell from the spear were transformed into land.

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PLANE BANKS AND TURNS TO THE RIGHT.

SAY, THE CONTROLS ARE BACK TO NEUTRAL AND WE'RE STILL TURNING! HOW DO WE FLY STRAIGHT AGAIN?

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| 2 Electric Brooders 100 chick size | 4 Harrows                               |
| 2 1000-gallon Water Tanks          | 1 Spring Tooth Harrow                   |
| 1 1000-gallon Wagon Tank           | 1 Stalk Cutter                          |
| 3 Good Tractors                    | 1 Row Binder                            |
| 2 Tractor Mowers                   | 1 Gang Stag Plow for Tractor            |
| 2 Dump Rakes                       | 1 P & O Plow                            |
| 1 Chevrolet Truck                  | 2 Cotton Sprayers                       |
| 12 foot Combine                    | 1 Cotton Duster                         |
| 1 Papec Silage Cutter              | 6 Team Cultivators                      |
| 3 Cotton Wagons and Frames         | 2 Team Mowers                           |
| 3 Cotton Trailers on rubber        | Several sets Harness                    |
| 2 Alfalfa Seed Bunchers            | Number of Cotton Hose                   |
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<b>SUNKIST, NAVAL ORANGES</b> - - - - - Lb. 12¢	<b>Bread</b> 1 Lb. Loaf 10¢
<b>SPUDS</b> - - - - - 10 Lbs. 45¢	

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<b>Canned Meat-Tang, Spam</b>	<b>SILVER FOAM SOAP</b> - - - - - Pkg. 29¢
<b>HUNTS PRUNE PLUMS</b> - - - - - Can 24¢	<b>BABY FOOD</b> - - - - - 3 Cans 20¢
<b>CIGARETTES</b> - - - - - Carton 1.49	<b>PURPLE PLUM JAM</b> - - - - - 1 Lb. Jar 29¢

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Students to pass their written examination for their private pilots' licenses were Harold Taylor and A. L. (Pot) Bert.

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A free class in ground school for all pilots is being organized. Don Marshall will instruct and the subjects to be covered in this class are meteorology, navigation, civil air regulations, and aircraft maintenance.

A. L. Bert has invented some maneuvers of his own, which he faithfully practices each and every time he flies. Marshall Rowley, Stanley Carper, and Glenn Booker are keeping their planes at the airport preparatory to moving their hangar from the old municipal field to the new municipal airport.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Fuchs and family flew to Lovington Friday evening to visit Mr. Fuchs' brother.

Just before returning to Texas Tech. Paul Whelan painted the inscription, "The Full House," on NC-4224 and repainted the inscription on NC-24665, "The Ramp Rat." He planned on putting the "Wabbit" on the side of "The Full House," but was too busy working on his private license.

Gene Sherwood was flown to the Williams ranch Monday of last week, where he has spent the second week of his Christmas holiday. The cows at the Williams ranch are so used to Gene flying over that they move over out of his landing strip when they see him coming.

Harold Taylor is working industriously to obtain his private license.

The Civil Air Patrol, which had temporarily disbanded, has reorganized. Any person who is interested may join free of charge. The CAP, as it is known, has quite a large unit in Artesia. The commanding officer, chosen Wednesday night of last week was Hugh Barron, who has several hundred hours of flying time and is well qualified for the office. Among the advantages offered by the CAP are: flying time, ground school, Red Cross course, and observer time in aircraft military courses.

est to cadets and senior members. M. W. Pilcher of Lovington flew a Piper cruiser to Artesia Saturday in order that he might take the written examination for his private license. He passed with an excellent grade and hopes soon to take his flight check. Elliott Barker, state game warden, flew into the Artesia Municipal airport Sunday. He had hired a ship in Carlsbad to fly him up and down the river to make a survey of the duck situation in the Pecos Valley.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF EDDY COUNTY, STATE OF NEW MEXICO IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF SALLIE M. ATTEBERY, DECEASED. No. 9247 NOTICE OF TIME FIXED FOR HEARING PROOF OF WILL TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Notice is hereby given that an instrument purported to be the Last Will and Testament of Sallie Milford Attebery, deceased, has been filed for probate in the District Court of Eddy County, New Mexico and, by order of said Court, the 5th day of February, 1946 at the hour of 11 o'clock A. M. at the Court room of the District Court in Carlsbad, Eddy County, New Mexico is the day, time and place set for hearing proof of said Last Will and Testament and Petition of John Richard Attebery for admitting the same to probate and appointing him executor thereof. THEREFORE, any person or persons wishing to enter objections to the probating of said Last Will and Testament or the said Petition are hereby notified to file their objections in the office of the Clerk of the District Court in Carlsbad, Eddy County, New Mexico on or before the time set for hearing.

while his assistant was cutting another's hair, when fire broke out in the building. With the tonorial jobs half finished, the barbers fled. Likewise the customers. When and if the customers return, the barbers say they'll finish up.

DATED at Carlsbad, New Mexico this the 3rd day of January, 1946.

Marguerite E. Waller Clerk of the District Court 2-4-5

WORLD NEWS BRIEF FORM

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

Dr. F. L. Durham arrived at a home near Dearborn, Mo., 10 minutes too late to deliver a daughter to Mrs. Cecil Foster, but just in time to discover a fire in the home. The doctor bundled the mother and baby in blankets, and as the flames destroyed the farmhouse, rushed the mother and infant to a St. Joseph, Mo., hospital, where both are reported doing nicely.

In Boise, Idaho, Barber David Brewer was shaving a customer

George M. Lisatz, 47, told District Judge Harvey L. Neelen of Milwaukee that when he told some men in a tavern at 1 a. m., that he had no place to sleep they suggested he turn in a fire alarm and he would be assured a night's lodging. He said he followed their suggestion and turned in an alarm and was given a place to sleep in jail. Judge Neelen said he would be sleeping in the jail for the next 30 days, the sentence for turning in a false fire alarm.

At Camp Anza, Calif., soldiers who had to spend Christmas at the processing camp because transportation home wasn't available ate turkey just as if it were Mom's best. The 23,000 GI's consumed 11 tons of turkeys, and among other trimmings — 7200 pounds of potatoes, 3600 pounds of nuts, 3600 pounds of candy, and 3900 pounds of mincemeat.

Municipal Judge Francis Borelli of Chicago told Henry Mason, a junk peddler, that he was going to free him on a charge of blocking traffic with his push cart. Mason, however, said he wanted a jury trial. Judge Borelli explained: "You can go home. You're free." "I want 12 good men to hear my case," Mason insisted. Judge Borelli set his hearing.

Cowboys on the Western ranges of the U.S. Grazing Service have taken to the air. Flying cowboys now are employed to locate herds of wild horses and drive them toward round-up centers. Approximately 100,000 mustangs have been rounded up from grazing districts in 10 Western states since 1943. Fewer wild horses on

The range mean more room for cattle and sheep. In Kansas City, Police Sgt. Galvin has the watch back he lost while directing traffic in a snow-covered street during President Truman's Christmas visit. A woman found the timepiece after a car had ground it into the icy slush as Galvin cleared the way for a presidential procession. "It will make a fine keepsake," commented the sergeant.

Daniel A. Wedge of Aurora, Ill., says he always intended to join the Odd Fellows Lodge, but he never got around to it. So officers of the fraternal organization went to Wedge's home and enrolled him as a social member. They said they believed Wedge, who is 104, is the country's oldest lodge member.

The Minneota, Minn., village council has hung up a "help wanted" sign for a justice of the peace. In an election, 33 residents received votes for the office, which was left vacant on resignation of P. M. Berg, justice for 40 years. The write-in candidates have told the council they don't want the job.

Did You Know That we specialize in things that are hard to get? See us for your HOME FURNISHINGS Mac's TRADING CENTER "OF COURSE" We Buy, Sell, or Trade 304 W. Mermod St. Carlsbad, N. M.

The head of the sperm is about one-third of the body.

Political Announcements

RATES: Strictly cash with District Offices County Offices Senator and Representative Probate Judge Surveyor County Commissioners Precinct Offices The following candidates submit their announcements, to the action of the Democratic Primary. For Sheriff: DWIGHT LEE Carlsbad

Montgomery WATCH SHOP Over U. S. Postoffice Artesia, N. M. EXPERT WATCH REPAIRING Watches Diamonds Jewelry J. L. MONTGOMERY

A "Look at the Books" OR "A Finger in the Pie"?

Which is the UAW-CIO really after? Is it seeking facts—or new economic power? Does it want to know things—or run things?

These questions concern you as well as General Motors.

For years the facts about General Motors have been made public.

In spite of this, the UAW-CIO demands a chance to look at our books, with the hint that we could meet Union demands "if the truth were really known."

We have firmly declined to recognize this as a basis for bargaining:

1. The Full Facts are Published

How much General Motors takes in each year—how much it pays employees—how much it pays to stockholders—how much it pays in taxes—how much net profit we make—and many other facts are plainly stated in annual reports and quarterly reports.

These are broadcast to 425,000 stockholders from coast to coast—sent to newspapers and libraries. Additional copies are free for the asking.

2. All Figures are Thoroughly Checked

Every General Motors annual statement is audited by outside auditors. Similar figures are filed with the Securities & Exchange Commission.

Does the UAW-CIO honestly believe that General Motors would or could deceive these experts?

3. Basis of Collective Bargaining is Defined

The Wagner Act lays down the rules for collective bargaining. These cover such areas as rates of pay, hours of work, working conditions.

No mention is made of earnings, prices, sales volume, taxes and dividends. These are recognized as the problems of management.

4. Something New has been Added

The obvious fact is that the UAW-CIO has gone beyond its rights under the law—and is reaching not for information but for new power—not for a look at past figures, but for the power to sit in on forecasting and planning the future.

A "look at the books" is a clever catch phrase intended as an opening wedge whereby Unions hope to pry their way into the whole field of management.

It leads surely to the day when Union bosses, under threat of strike, will demand the right to tell what we can make, when we can make it, where we can make it, and how much we must charge you—all with an eye on what labor can take out of the business, rather than on the value that goes into the product.

5. This Threatens All Business

If the Union can do this in the case of General Motors, it can do it to every business in this land of ours.

Is this just imagination? Union spokesmen have said, "The Union has stated time after time that this issue is bigger than just an ordinary wage argument, that it is bigger than the Corporation and bigger than the Union."

For Labor Unions to use the monopolistic power of their vast membership to extend the scope of wage negotiations to include more than wages, hours and working conditions is the first step toward handing the management of business over to the Union bosses.

We therefore reject the idea of a "look at the books" not because we have anything to hide but because the idea itself hides a threat to GM, to all business, and to you, the public.

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WHAT CAN YOU SPARE THAT THEY CAN WEAR?

All that's left of their hearth and home is what you see in this picture.

Among the things they desperately need to start a new life is clothing. What can you spare that they can wear?

Goal of the Victory Clothing Collection is 100,000,000 garments, plus shoes and bedding. If your contribution seems negligible, bear this in mind: Every garment you give means one more human being saved from cold or sickness or possibly death. Your spare clothing will be distributed free, without discrimination, to victims of Nazi and Jap oppression in Europe, the Philippines, and the Far East.

Dig into your attics, trunks, and closets today... dig out all the clothing you can spare... take it to your local collection depot now.

What YOU Can Do!

- 1 Get together all the clothing you can spare. 2 Take it to your local collection depot immediately. 3 Volunteer some spare time to your local committee.

Dig Out Your Spare Clothing TODAY

- overcoats, topcoats, suits, jackets, pants, shoes, dresses, skirts, gloves, caps, sweaters, robes, underwear, pajamas, bedding

The more you do the better you'll feel

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For Sale

FOR SALE — 70 White Wyandotte pullets, just starting to lay. C. E. Terrell, South Roselawn, next to last house on west side of street. 52tc

FOR SALE — Tractor, Farmall-20, regular; tractor cultivator, tractor mower, disc, border maker, ditch V, four wheel trailer, two-wheel trailer, two milk cows with young calves, float, two hay rakes, wagon, horse, set harness, stalk cutter, one row; row binder, grader, horse cultivator, 185 bales of hay, and 1933 model Chevrolet car. R. G. Sanders, three miles north of Artesia. 52-4tp-3

FOR SALE — 1941 Chevrolet truck, stake bed, 8.00x25 tires in good condition. Will sell at ceiling price. R. G. Gooden, southeast of Artesia. 2-1tc

FOR SALE — Studio couch, 803 South Third Street. 2-1tp

FOR SALE — Three-piece living room suite, prewar, desk, Victrola, dressers, tables, chairs, ice chest, oil range, folding couch, etc. Phone 330. 2-1tc

FOR SALE — 1941 Farmall H with two-way equipment; also two-way plow and mower. Roy Ingram, Cottonwood. 2-2tp-3

FOR SALE — Heavy corrugated 32-gallon garbage cans with lids, \$2.50 delivered. Phone 360-W. 2-2tp-3

FOR SALE — Four-room house with furniture. 704 W. Texas, phone 764-M. 2-1tc

FOR SALE — 1937 Ford coupe, five good tires and good motor. 810 Texas. 2-1tp

FOR SALE — Gas heating stove. Daniel, 311 1/2 Chisum. 2-1tp

FOR SALE — Small new house 8 by 12 feet; built in furniture, gas and lights. Ideal for trailer space. \$275. 806 Dallas. 2-1tp

FOR SALE — Allis-Chalmers tractor and cultivator, late '36 model. See at J. S. Worley Farm, 7 miles southeast of Artesia or phone 381-R3. 2-3tp-3

FOR SALE — Five-burner Ivanhoe oil cookstove, in good shape. Frank Barton, quarter mile south of Victory Courts. 2-1tp

FOR SALE — Fryers at 806 South Second Street. 2-1tc

FOR SALE — Living room suite, twin bunk beds, maple finish, and two almost new mattresses. 506 W. Richardson. 2-1tc

FOR SALE — Car Radio, in good condition, \$15. Ousley's Radio Shop, at Hall Auto Parts. 2-1tc

FOR SALE — One two-way John Deere breaking plow, horse-drawn; one John Deere planter, two-row; one F-12 Farmall tractor with breaking plow and cultivator, and one two-row Massey Harris horse drawn cultivator. Three miles north, first house east of railroad. 2-4tp-5

FOR SALE — One 30-foot Hobbs semi-trailer, and 1938 Chevrolet truck with new motor. See Douglas O'Bannon, Cottonwood. 2-3tp-4

FOR SALE — Three-room cabin and two lots in Sacramento Mountains, price \$500. J. W. Burrows, Garden Courts. 2-1tp

FOR SALE — Jersey cow, fresh first of February, and one Superflex oil heater. Phone 382-R2 or see at first house across from dip on Hope highway. 2-2tp-3

FOR SALE — Corner lot, Ninth and Grand, paving paid. Andy Anderson. 2-2tp-3

FOR SALE — Used Hotpoint electric range. Howards Electric Service, 1209 W. Main, phone 762-M. 2-2tp-3

Wanted

WANTED — Couple with no children desire to rent or lease two or three room unfurnished house. Permanent residents of Artesia. Would consider unfurnished or furnished one. Phone or call The Advocate, Phone No. 7. 1-3tp-3

HOME WANTED — I now have my family and my household furniture here. I need a four or five room rent house or I need to buy a home. Entitled to all privileges under GI bill including loan on home. See me or phone me. Paul Dillard, Phone 555 or 203. north of Artesia. 1-3tp-3

WANT TO RENT — Permanent resident of Artesia wants to rent or lease four or five room house. Needed immediately. See or Phone Shirley Hager, Jones and McLaughlin, Phone 549 or 719-J. 1-3tc-3

WANT TO RENT — Permanent family wants apartment or house, furnished or unfurnished. Phone 60. 1-2tp-2

WANTED TO RENT — Two or three-bedroom house. \$30 bonus or reward. L. F. Cross, Sinclair Service Station. 43-1tc

WANTED — Well qualified stenographer. Long hours, hard work but pay commensurate. Write FNB Giving qualifications, Box 427, Artesia, N. M. 44-1tc

WANTED TO BUY — Used furniture of all kinds. We pay highest prices. Artesia Furniture Co., 203-5 West Main, phone 517. 22-1tc

WANTED — Two-bedroom house to rent by permanent family. Call C. C. Nelson at Nelson-Pounds Food Store, phone 76. 39-1tc

WANTED — Dressmaking and alterations, machine button holes, buttons and buckles covered and belts made. Phone 708-R or call at 808 South 4th St. Monday Through Thursday. 46-1tc

WANTED — Will care for children at my home by week or hour. 406 W. Chisum. 2-2tp-3

WANTED — We do plowing, team work, and hauling; and also have plenty of fertilizer. Call Bill Gibson, phone 3. 2-2tp-3

WANTED — Housekeeper, full time, room and board, good salary. Two children. Mrs. Thelma Newberry, Safeway store. 2-1tc

WANTED — Middle-aged woman for light house work mornings. House adjoining Skinnie's Drive-In. 2-1tp

WANTED — One small radiant gas heater and small gas cooking stove. Phone 161. 2-1tc

WANTED TO RENT — Permanent family wants apartment or house, furnished or unfurnished. Phone No. 15, Room 405. 2-2tp-3

WANTED — Have good position open for young lady. She should be unmarried, age 17 to 23, high school graduate, and some typing ability. Contact Al Woelk, manager, Western Union. 2-1tc

WANTED — Maid, part or full time; or man and wife, man to work on farm and wife to assist in my home, living quarters available. W. R. Hornbaker, phone 383-J4. 2-3tp-4

As Donnell's Observe Golden Wedding



Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Donnell, who celebrated their golden wedding anniversary Saturday evening, Dec. 29, at their lovely housewarming are pictured above, seated with their children and grandchildren. Standing behind them, left to right are: Robert Shelton and Mrs. Shelton, a granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donnell, Dallas, Tex.; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Leighton of New York City, son-in-law and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donnell; Mr. and Mrs. Dee Donnell, Artesia, son and daughter-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Donnell, and John Donnell, son of Dee Donnell. In front of Mr. and Mrs. Donnell, left to right, are their grandchildren, Celia and Christopher Leighton, children of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Leighton.

Dwight Lee of Carlsbad Comes Out for Sheriff

Dwight Lee of Carlsbad, former sheriff of Eddy County, this week authorized The Advocate to announce he will again seek the office of sheriff, the first person in the county to announce for any office.

He will be a candidate, subject to the Democratic primary on Tuesday, June 4.

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Will Discuss Proposed Military Training at Auxiliary Meeting

The proposed compulsory military training legislation will be discussed at the monthly meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary by Steve Lanning at 7:30 o'clock Tuesday evening at Duration hall of the First Baptist Church.

Mrs. H. R. Paton, unit president, urged that all members of the unit, candidates for membership, and other eligible women be present to hear the discussion of this important subject.

It was announced there will be the largest initiation class in the history of the unit to be obligated at that time.

Lower Cottonwood (Ora Buck)

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Prentice have returned to their home on Cottonwood after spending the Christmas holidays with their children in Texas.

The regular meeting of the Cottonwood Community Club will be at the home of Mrs. M. A. Whatley Tuesday, Jan. 15, with Mrs. Leslie Bayless as hostess.

Members present were Mrs. Bert Bidwell, Mrs. J. J. Clarke, Mrs. W. J. Cluney, Mrs. Pat Gormley, Mrs. B. E. Kennedy, Mrs. J. Hise Myers, Mrs. J. W. Nellis, Mrs. J. M. Story, Miss Katherine Walterscheid, Mrs. Jeff Hightower, and the hostess. Mrs. Bayless served a delicious salad course after the games.

Mr. Jeff Hightower won high score honor.

First Afternoon Club Enjoys Bridge of Roof Garden of Hotel

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Miscellaneous

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FOUND — A watch. Owner may have same by identifying and paying for ad. Dr. Pepper Bottling Co. 2-1tp

LOST — Springer Spaniel puppy, 10 weeks old, brown ears, head, and back, rest white. Reward. R. L. Gill, 607 Missouri. 1-1tp

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WE MAKE A specialty of Federal Housing Administration (FHA) Loans. If you plan to build a new home in Artesia and want a FHA loan it will pay you to see us. We can arrange such a loan in the shortest possible time and at a very minimum of expense. Chaves County Building and Loan Association, P. O. Box 806, Roswell, New Mexico. E. A. Hannah, 411 West Main Street, Artesia representative. 46-1tc

LET US DO YOUR tree surgery work, tree and shrub planting, fill in that yard, level it, make your flower beds or help improve the appearance of your home. Now is the time to plant those trees or shrubs. Just write us, H. L. Jurney and Sons, P. O. Box 24, Artesia, and we will call and see you. 50-4tp-53

FOR FERTILIZER DISTRIBUTORS, ditchers, farm trailers, see Willis Welding & Blacksmith Shop, North First. 51-7tc-5

CARS FINANCED — L. F. Cross, 210 S. First St. 2-1tc

Mrs. T. E. Johnson Is Hostess Last Week to Kongenial Kard Klub

Mrs. T. E. Johnson was hostess Wednesday evening last week, when the Kongenial Kard Klub met at her home and enjoyed an evening of playing bridge.

Mrs. G. Kelley Stout won high score. Mrs. Bert Bidwell, second, and Mrs. Dave Bunting, low.

Mrs. Johnson served refreshments of fruit cake with whipped cream.

Those who attended were Mrs. Bert Bidwell, a substitute, and Mrs. W. J. Cluney, Mrs. Glendon Robinson, Mrs. G. Kelley Stout, Mrs. Dave Bunting, Mrs. Earl McDorman, Mrs. A. R. Compary, and the hostess.

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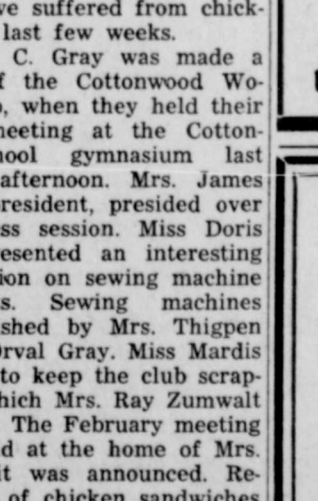
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THE WESTERNER

George Atkins — Paul Cobble "IT PAYS TO PLAY"

NEW BAPTIST PASTOR DUE AT LOCO HILLS

The Rev. Earl Whitfield, new pastor of the First Baptist Church at Loco Hills, and Mrs. Whitfield are expected to move to Loco Hills this week, from Fort Worth, Tex., where the pastor has been at the Baptist Seminary.

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TOP TUNES At The Record Shop 53c each

- Symphony Come To Baby Do Hubba Hubba It's Been A Long, Long Time Till The End of Time That's For Me Time's A Wastin Chickery Chick Missouri Waltz Beautiful Ohio At The Fat Man's Hong Kong Blues Homesick That's All It's Dawn Again Drip Drip Drip Blue Danube Waltz A Door Will Open Body and Soul Bess You Is My Woman Nevada That's It All The Things You Are All Or Nothing At All As Long As I Live Let It Snow Fishin For The Moon

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EVANGELIST'S ILLNESS POSTPONES REVIVAL

A revival meeting at the Cottonwood Methodist Church, to have opened Monday of this week, has been postponed until a later date, because of the illness of the evangelist, the Rev. W. J. Wiley.

Regular services will be held at the church at 10 o'clock Sunday morning it was announced.

The light transparent fabric called gauze is said to have been made originally in Gaza, Palestine, from which it derives its name.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for the many deeds and words of kindness and sympathy during the illness and at the death of our husband, father, and brother, W. H. Gilmore. Mrs. Gilmore and family; Mrs. Jules Weiss, Mrs. Leota Bouchie, 2-11c

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### "SPANISH MAIN"

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT IN  
AND FOR EDDY COUNTY,  
STATE OF NEW MEXICO

J. M. Jackson, Plaintiff,  
-vs-  
Lorena Mae Tallmadge, impleaded  
with the following named defendants  
against whom substituted  
process is hereby sought to be  
obtained, to-wit: The First State  
Bank of Artesia, New Mexico, a  
corporation; The First State Loan  
Co., Artesia, N. M., a corporation;  
J. O. Hammond; J. W. Armstrong,

if living, if deceased, the unknown  
heirs of J. W. Armstrong, deceased;  
C. B. Harriss, also known as  
Charles B. Harriss, also known as  
Charles B. Harris, also known as  
C. B. Harris, if living, if deceased,  
the unknown heirs of C. B. Harris,  
also known as Charles B. Harris,  
also known as Charles B. Harris,  
also known as C. B. Harris, deceased;  
William B. Harris, if  
living, if deceased, the unknown  
heirs of William B. Harris, deceased;  
Nancy I. Harris, if living,

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if deceased, the unknown heirs of Nancy I. Harris, deceased; Paris G. Hoffman, if living, if deceased, the unknown heirs of Paris G. Hoffman, deceased; J. P. Dyer, if living, if deceased, the unknown heirs of J. P. Dyer, deceased; W. N. Traylor, if living, if deceased, the unknown heirs of W. N. Traylor, deceased; A. M. Bowles, if living, if deceased, the unknown heirs of A. M. Bowles, deceased; H. P. Larsh, if living, if deceased, the unknown heirs of H. P. Larsh, deceased; Samuel W. Meyer, also known as S. W. Meyers, if living, if deceased, the unknown heirs of Samuel W. Meyer, also known as S. W. Meyers, deceased; Carl Durr, if living, if deceased, the unknown heirs of Carl Durr, deceased; Blanche Durr, if living, if deceased, the unknown heirs of Blanche Durr, deceased; Unknown heirs of C. L. Tallmadge, deceased; and, All Unknown Claimants of Interest in the Premises Adverse to the Plaintiff, Defendants.

NOTICE OF PENDING SUIT  
THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO to the aforesaid defendants, against whom substituted 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 J. M. Jackson, 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:

W 1/2 of SW 1/4 of Section 21; SE 1/4 of Section 25; NE 1/4 of NE 1/4 and S 1/2 of NE 1/4 and SE 1/4 NW 1/4 and W 1/2 of NW 1/4 of Section 26; and N 1/2 of NE 1/4 of Section 27, all in Township 17 South, Range 25 East, N.M.P.M., and E 1/2 of SW 1/4 and W 1/2 of SE 1/4 of Section 33, in Township 18 South, Range 26 East, N.M.P.M.

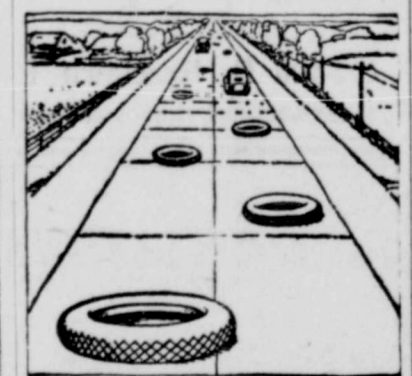
The plaintiff's attorney is D. D. Archer, whose post office address is Artesia, New Mexico. You and each of you are hereby further notified that unless you enter your appearance in said cause on or before the 12th day of February, 1946, judgment will be rendered against you in said case by default.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of the District Court this 18th day of December, 1945.  
(SEAL)  
Marguerite E. Waller  
Clerk of the District Court.  
51-41-2

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF EDDY COUNTY, STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF JOSEPH B. ATKESON, DECEASED.  
NO. 1252

NOTICE TO CREDITORS  
The undersigned Willie D. Atkeson has qualified as executrix of the estate of Joseph B. Atkeson, 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 27 day of December, 1945, or the same will be barred.

(s) Willie D. Atkeson  
Executrix  
52-41p-3



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Dig into your attics, trunks, and closets today... dig out all the clothing you can spare... take it to your local collection depot now. If you doubt the need for it overseas, ask the boys who've been there!

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- 3 Volunteer some spare time to your local committee.

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National Chairman

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 Sunday school services, Tirzo Marquez, superintendent, 10 a. m.  
 Preaching, sermon by pastor, 11 a. m.  
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 Rev. Donaciano Bejarano, Pastor.

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

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.  
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 C. A. Clark, Pastor.

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**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.  
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 Rev. Francis Geary, O. M. C., Pastor.  
 Rev. Stephen Bono, O. M. C., Assistant.

**CHRISTIAN SCIENCE**  
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 "Sacrament" is the subject of the lesson-sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, January 13, 1946.  
 The Golden Text is: "What shall I render unto the Lord for all His benefits toward me? I will take the cup of salvation, and call upon the name of the Lord." (Psalms 116:12,13)  
 Among the citations which comprise the lesson-sermon is the following from the Bible: "And He took the cup, and gave thanks, and said, 'Take this, and divide it among yourselves' . . . And He took bread, and gave thanks, and brake it, and gave it unto them, saying, 'This is my body which is given for you; this do in remembrance of Me.'" (Luke 22:17,19)  
 The lesson-sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Our Eucharist is spiritual communion with the one God. Our bread 'which cometh down from heaven,' is Truth. Our cup is the cross. Our wine the inspiration of

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 Public cordially invited to worship with the congregation.  
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**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

**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. Watter, Evangelist.

**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.

**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.

**ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH**  
 Corner Fourth and Chisholm  
 Sunday Services  
 Bible school, 9:45 a. m.  
 Morning worship, 11 a. m.  
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**NEW POLICY ON CLASSIFIED ADS**

A new policy of cash-in-advance on classified advertising to all, who do not have a regular charge account so that these charges can be placed on their regular statements, is being inaugurated this week by The Artesia Advocate.

Revenues derived from classified advertising do not justify or pay the costs of bookkeeping on these small accounts.

Classified ads will continue to be taken over the phone and will be prepared for publication. However, they will not be published until the advertisement is paid.

Those with regular charge accounts, of course, can continue to have their classified ads charged. The regular and consistent classified advertisers with charge accounts on these also can continue to enjoy credit on these ads.

The cooperation of the public on the new policy is requested. Please don't request a classified advertisement to be charged unless you have a regular charge account.

**The Artesia Advocate**

**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.

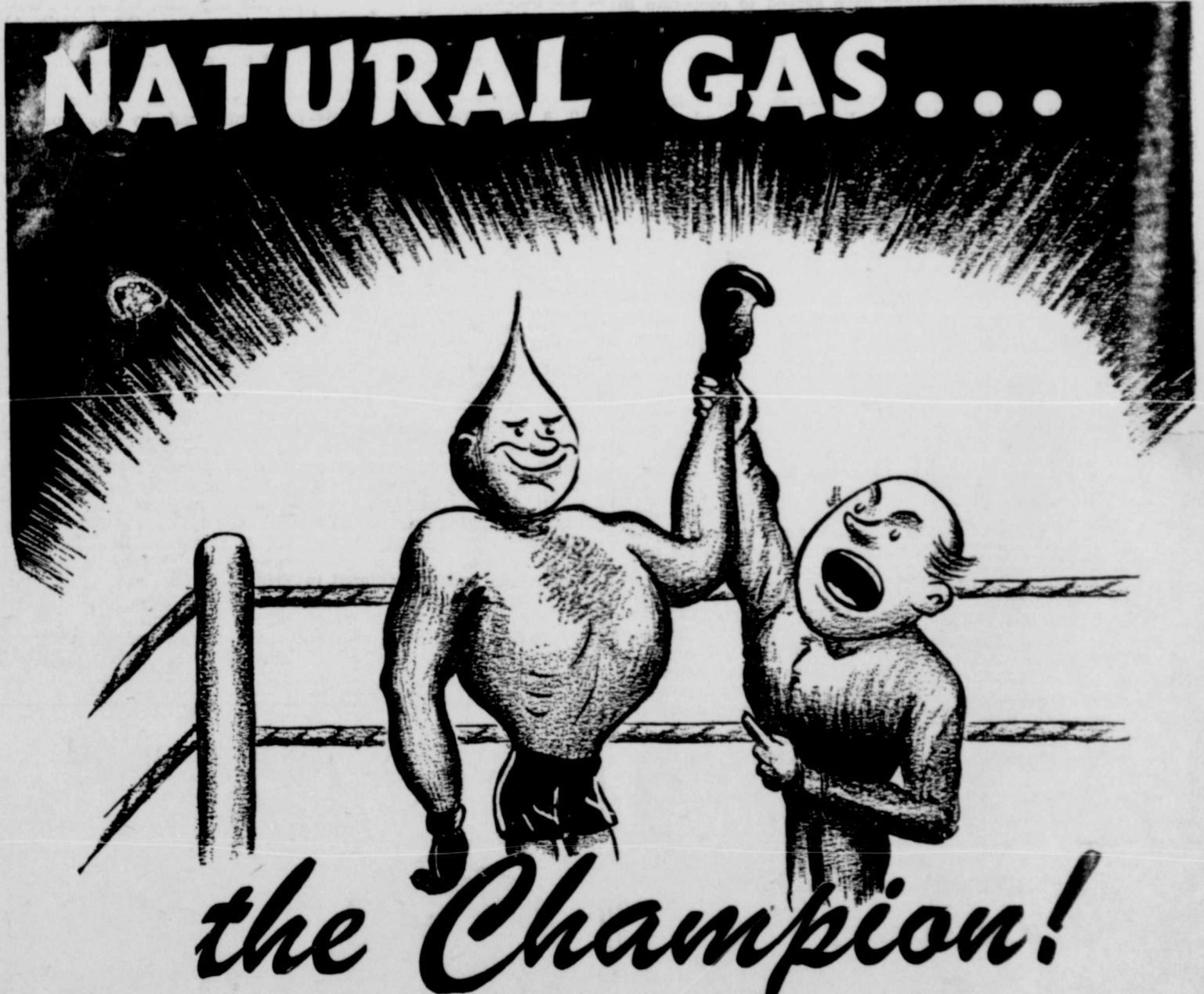
**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
 Corner Grand and Roselawn  
 Sunday Services:  
 Bible School, 9:45.  
 Morning Worship, 10:50.  
 Baptist Training Union, 6:30.  
 Evening Worship, 7:30.  
 S. M. Morgan, Pastor.

**IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
 (Missouri Synod)  
 Services every Sunday morning at St. Paul's Episcopal Church, 306 S. Seventh.  
 Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.  
 Services, 10:45 a. m.  
 Rev. H. F. Ramelow, Pastor.

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

**OUR LADY OF GRACE CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
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 Mass Sundays, 9 a. m., Spanish sermon.  
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### Truett Declares Postoffice Need Is Artesia's Greatest

With all the demands for more, new, and larger quarters or a new building prevailing, J. L. Truett, postmaster, declares the postoffice's need of more space is probably greater than anyone else's. At least it seems that way, he explains, with the increase in customers and clients at the local office.

For weeks now a line has formed at the general delivery window here for the greater part of the day. The lobby is filled to overflowing. This, Postmaster Truett declared, is largely due to the increase of approximately 50 per cent in the number receiving mail at the general delivery window.

The increase is being shown over the entire office. The demand for postoffice boxes grows daily and it would take at least 300 postoffice boxes to accommodate the waiting list for them, he explained.

He declared that if it were possible to obtain another building to help take care of the general delivery he would do that. The only solution for the time being, he stated would be the release of postoffice boxes by citizens over the city who can have their mail delivered to their homes. This, he quickly pointed out, would not solve the problem, but it would probably aid the situation.

It is going to be mandatory, Postmaster Truett declared, for those on both city and rural routes to have mail delivered to their homes where this can be done. In this connection he urged all, who are on these routes, to con-

struct their mail boxes and erect them. The mail then can be delivered to their homes and they will not have to fight the present congestion at the postoffice to secure their mail at the general delivery window.

By having their mail delivered to their homes it will help eliminate the present general delivery window load and make it possible for patrons to get into the postoffice to their boxes and to the windows to transact business.

Artesia, of course, is included in the list of cities to have new postoffice buildings erected, but the proposed postoffice, to cost approximately \$100,000, will not be sufficient to meet the need or provide the additional space, which should be provided.

Many civic leaders here have emphasized the fact that the postoffice to be erected should be twice the proposed size in order to provide for the present need and to take care of the growth of Artesia.

Several postoffice buildings are to be erected over the state when appropriations are available to take care of offices erected some years ago but now too small.

Hopes are entertained that the postoffice built here will not only be ample for the present but will take care of the city's growth for the next 15 to 20 years, as well as needed federal offices.

The proposed building, it has been pointed out, will not do that.

And the present postoffice building is far too small now to take care of customers and to serve the public.

### Hope Noses Out Bulldogs There in Fast Photo Finish

In a photo finish, the Bulldogs of Artesia High School dropped a rough, fast basketball game to the Hope Yellowjackets 31-30 at Hope Tuesday evening.

Coach F. L. Green's basketeers led the Yellowjackets 30 to 27 with less than 50 seconds of playing time remaining in the ball game.

Artesia started slow, using a weak, previously untried zone defense that failed to click for the Bulldogs. The locals showed very little spark during the entire first half.

The Hope High cagers were out in front 6 to 4 at the end of the first quarter. Coach J. R. Moore's Jackets really turned on the heat during the second stanza. Moore's lads played good defensive ball, holding the Bulldogs to one free throw during the period, and gathered in 12 points, leaving Artesia on the short end of a lopsided 18-5 half-time score.

Green shifted his lads into a man-for-man defense at the beginning of the third stanza. The Bulldogs set a killing pace with Bill Bolton, Artesia guard, leading the way.

Bolton opened the scoring with a pretty bucket from the floor. Junior Parker, Bulldog forward, followed with a fast basket and Bill House, Black and Orange center, scored from the floor. Everett Lapsley, Green forward, payed off on a free toss and Bolton repeated with a basket while the ball was in play.

With less than five minutes of the third period played, the locals were trailing by only four points. Green's man-for-man defense worked like a charm and the Jackets connected for only three points in the period.

Bolton made a free throw, Lapsley sank a pretty basket from the side, and House scored on a pivot shot from close in. The Bulldogs pulled ahead 23 to 21 at the end of the period.

Howard Forister, Hope forward, tallied first in the final period, hitting the pay-off rim on a pivot shot to tie up the ball game 23-23. Bolton payed off for the Bulldogs with a field goal and Forister sank a free throw for Hope.

Bob Kincaid, Jacket guard, connected on a pretty dribble-in basket from the side and Hope went ahead 26 to 25. Parker tied up the ball game once again with a free throw and followed with a pretty angle shot from the side and Artesia led 28 to 26.

House and Lapsley made two foul tosses count and Artesia raised the margin to four points. Aubrey Kincaid, Hope forward, made one of two free throws with the foul being called on House.

Forister scored for Hope from underneath the basket. Alfred Wilburn, Jacket forward, broke through the Artesia offense, stole the ball, dribbled half the length of the floor, and scored on a pretty crisp shot seconds before the game ended, to win the game.

Bolton and Lapsley gathered in eight points each to tie for high scoring honors for the Bulldogs. Both made three field goals and two free throws.

Kincaid led in game scoring

### Warns Stickers, Drivers' Licenses Are Past Due

State Cop Bill Lewis was around this week looking over cars and warning dilatory operators that the new brake and light inspection stickers were due Jan. 1 and that the new drivers' licenses should have been obtained by the same date.

And he intimated that within a very few days he and other officers will start following up their check-ups with tickets requiring offenders to "tell it to the judge."

"There has been some delay in the release of the 1946 license tags Lewis said, because the metal for their manufacture was received only recently, although ordered months ago, and their production was not started until Dec. 27. It is hoped they will be available by Feb. 1, he said.

### Rotary Backs the Clothing Drive, Has 'Home Week'

It was "old home week" for the Artesia Rotary Club Tuesday noon, when the weekly luncheon meeting was held on the Roof Garden of the Artesia Hotel, the first time in a number of months.

A brief program was given over to support of the Victory Clothing Collection Campaign now in progress, with Rufus Stinnet stressing that 100,000,000 garments are to be collected in this nation for the war victims in the devastated countries. Of the national quota, 10,000 garments are hoped to be collected in North Eddy County. And it is planned to send a letter—short, simply written, and personal—with each.

Orville E. Priestley reported that garment collection stations in Artesia have been established at the city hall, the J. C. Penney Company store, the Artesia Alfa Growers' Association office, and the Artesia Locker plant. On the afternoon of Saturday, Jan. 26, there will be a house-to-house collection made by Boy Scouts, he said.

The enormity of the need for the clothing, shoes, bed clothing, and baby clothes was stressed by the Rev. C. A. Clark, who said, for example, that in Poland there are 400,000 children who lost both parents in the war and that there are 700,000 who lost one parent.

B. N. Muncy, Jr., club president, named Frank Smith, Clarence Fischbeck, and the Rev. C. A. Clark as a committee to work with the general community committee.

with 10 points, scoring five baskets from the floor.

Coach Green's cagers will take the floor against the Deming High School basketeers here in the Artesia High School gymnasium, Friday evening, Jan. 11. The varsity game is slated for 8 o'clock. Portales will meet the Bulldogs on the Artesia floor Saturday evening and the Artesia team will play Lake Arthur there Tuesday.

answer, if properly filled out and mailed in by citizens, members, and business people, is being published in this issue of The Advocate.

If the citizens will voice their ideas, then the directors can make their plans, form the necessary committees and launch an active program here.

It is believed that Artesia is now ready for a full-time trained and qualified executive to carry on the Chamber of Commerce work. To secure such a man, of course, will require a real salary. But if the Chamber of Commerce is to carry out a program similar to that in other cities of the state, then such a man must be secured.

Artesia, is was pointed out, has grown rapidly the past few years. It is believed that the organization is now ready for a real civic program and to raise and provide the funds necessary for carrying on such a program.

However, it was stated, the attitude of the public, their interest and their willingness to put up the necessary funds will determine whether this should be or is done.

For that reason the questionnaire seeking definite information on a number of points is being published with the request that everyone fill out one of the questionnaires and mail it to the Chamber of Commerce office.

Arba Green, who has served for 10 years as secretary-manager of the civic organization here, has tendered his resignation and his place must be filled if the members and citizens want an active organization. Mr. Green is continuing to serve until such a time

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as another secretary can be employed or until a definite decision is reached regarding the Chamber of Commerce.

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### V. S. Welch Brings in Only New Eddy County Producer

A single producing oil well was completed in the Eddy County fields the last week, while operators staked three new locations.

The completion was the V. S. Welch, State 4, NE SE 20-17-28. It was drilled to a total depth of 1998 feet, plugged back to 1934 feet, and flowed 35 barrels of oil in seven hours, through open two-inch, after shot.

New locations: Forest E. Levers, Levers 2-B, NE NE 34-16-29; Dublin & Franklin, State 1, NE SE 3-17-29; Harris G. Eastham, Jr., Colglazier 2, SW NW 21-20-30.

Drilling Report

Harvey E. Yates, Yates-State 1, SW NE 32-18-30. Drilling at 3285.

Forrest E. Levers, Levers 1-B, SE NE 34-16-29. Total depth 3028; plugged back to 2675; testing.

Grayburg Oil Co., Keely 10-A, NW NE 24-17-29; deep test. Drilling at 2305.

Western Production Co., Keely 24-C, SE SW 25-17-29. Total depth 3221; running 7-inch.

Sanders Bros., Leonard 13-E, NW SE 4-17-30. Drilling at 2650.

Aston & Fair, State 31 No. 1, NW NW 5-18-27. Total depth 525; waiting on cement; bailed two barrels per day at 523-25.

American Republics Corp., Robinson 7-B, SE NW 35-17-29. Drilling at 2070.

Fred Brainard, Brainard 3-A, SW NW 5-18-27. Drilling at 1205.

L. H. Wentz, State 1-C, NW SW 27-17-29. Total depth 2997; bridged back to 2818; swabbing.

W. A. Sudderth et al, Wills 1-A, NE SW 14-20-28. Total depth 965; plugged back to 930; shut in for gas well.

McKenney & Schrock, State 1, SE NW 21-20-28. Total depth 565; preparing to run 7-inch.

Flynn, Welch & Yates, Gissler 1-B, NE NE 11-17-30. Drilling at 2534.

Crabb & Crouch, Cowan 1, NW NE 1-21-28. Total depth 1590; shut down for repairs.

Robert McKee, State 6, SE SE 32-17-30. Total depth 3698; plugged back to 3600; testing.

Yates-Continental, Mullis 1, SE

SW 21-15-29, Chavez County. Total depth 5023; waiting on orders.

Skelley Oil Co., Dow 9-B, NW SW 17-17-31. Total depth 2139; rigging up pump.

Danciger Oil & Refining Co., Turner 21-B, SW SE 20-17-31. Drilling at 2100.

Suppes & Suppes, Johnson 9-B, SE NW 34-16-31. Drilling at 4223.

Nash, Windfohr & Brown, Gissler 7-B, NW NE 11-17-30. Total depth 3052; cleaning out after shot.

Johnston, Nipper & Brown, Vickers 1, NW NW 24-20-28. Total depth 905; shut down for orders.

A. H. Hover, Hastie 13, SW SE 18-17-28. Drilling at 386.

Skelley Oil Co., Lynch 4-A, NW SE 22-17-31. Drilling at 2365.

Aston & Fair, State 30 No. 1, NE NE 30-17-28. Total depth 1871; shut in for storage.

A. H. Hover, Hastie 8, SW SW 18-17-28. Total depth 562; shut in for storage.

Allen & Fair, State 6-A, SW NW 36-17-29. Total depth 3259; testing.

Hadlock & Jarrell, Wells 1, SW SW 9-20-28. Drilling at 1095.

Schuster & Messinger, Anderson 1, SW NW 31-19-28. Total depth 1605; plugged back to 1022; shut down for orders.

Carper Drilling Co., Johnson 5-B, NE SW 34-16-31. Drilling at 135.

Rutter et al, Ohio-State 1, SE SE 21-20-28. Total depth 616; drilling plug on 7-inch.

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### Roswell Baptist Pastor to Hold Meeting Here

Dr. A. A. DuLaney, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Roswell, will conduct an evangelistic meeting at the First Baptist Church of Artesia starting Sunday, Jan. 13, and continuing through Sunday, Jan. 20. It has been announced by the Rev. S. M. Morgan, pastor.

The evangelistic speaker will be assisted in the meeting by Joseph Daniel, minister of music at the First Baptist Church of Roswell. He is a splendid speaker, one of the finest in the state, the Rev. Mr. Morgan said. He came

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