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Program of Work Explained in Full

Workers Needed Next Tuesday Industrial Survey of City

A full explanation of the program of work for 1946 of the Artesia Chamber of Commerce was presented at the regular monthly meeting of the members here last Thursday noon.

President Artie McAnally discussed each one of the objectives for the year and explained committee heads had been named with full authority to select their own members of the committee. He also emphasized the fact that full and complete cooperation of members will be required to accomplish the various objectives.

One of the projects, which is expected to be carried out first, is the business industrial survey. Charles Gaskins heads this committee and every effort is to be made to secure 40 volunteer workers and to make this survey on Tuesday, April 23.

Manager Tom Watson explained that information, which can be secured in the survey, is needed in the office of the Chamber of Commerce here not only for local people but for the many inquiries, which are received daily.

He explained it is the desire of the organization to obtain full data as to the number of business firms and industries; the names and listing of their various products; the number of employees; location of the firms; telephone numbers; any plans for the branching out in these products or merchandise; names of owners and managers and a list of the employees if this list is not too large.

Those willing to aid and assist in the obtaining of this information on Tuesday morning, April 23, are requested to contact the Chamber of Commerce office here.

Chuck Aston in a brief talk to (Turn to Page Ten Please)

Responsibility for National Guard We'll Armory Seen for Artesia

Artesia may have a National Guard unit and an armory for its use, it was indicated in a speech by Mayor A. P. Mahone at the meeting of the Chamber of Commerce here last night.

General Andrew told Mayor Mahone several new armories are to be constructed in the state, provided a sufficient number of men enlist, to be constructed from federal funds.

Mayor Mahone said the general asked him if he thought Artesia would wish one of the units and whether he believes a large enough number of physically fit men from 18 to 45 years would be interested in enlisting.

While sounding out the community, Mayor Mahone in the meantime has notified General Andrew he believes Artesia will be interested and that the men can be enlisted here.

District Meeting of Catholic Women in Artesia Is Success

Quarterly district meeting of the National Council of Catholic Women was very successful and was attended from out of town by five priests and about 100 women.

The meeting was held at the home of Mrs. J. Leslie James, first vice president of the National Council of Catholic Women, who spoke on the importance of the youth movement and obligations to the youth of today.

Mrs. P. R. McKee of El Paso, diocesan president, held a round-table discussion on the problems and plans for this district.

The Rev. Fr. L. E. Gaynor of El Paso, diocesan moderator of the National Council of Catholic Women, cited what he had accomplished in the youth movement in El Paso.

It was announced the spring convention for the El Paso diocese will be held at Marfa, Tex., May 6, while this district was invited to Carlsbad for the next meeting, to be held there Oct. 1.

After closing prayer by Father Hugh of Hobbs, guests were invited to have refreshments from a beautifully appointed tea table, presided over by Mrs. John J. Clarke, Sr., and Mrs. Joe Phelan, who were assisted by Miss Catherine Walterscher, Mrs. John J. Clarke, Jr., Mrs. Walter Nugent, and Mrs. Earl Baker.

Services Are Held For Mrs. Bigler's Mother In Albuquerque

Funeral services for Mrs. Edward Spitz of Albuquerque, 94, mother of Mrs. E. N. Bigler of Artesia, were held at Albuquerque Monday last week.

Mrs. Bigler and daughter, Mrs. Clint Lytle, had gone to Albuquerque the Friday prior to see their mother and grandmother, and were there at the time of her death Sunday of last week. She had enjoyed unusual health for one of her age and was not thought to be seriously ill.

Bulldogs Are Speeding Up for District Field-Track Meet

Members of the Artesia High School Bulldog track and field team, the first squad of its kind in a number of years, are showing up well in all but one of the 14 events to be held at the district meet at Artesia Saturday of next week, April 27.

Coach F. L. Green said this week he will have at least two strong contenders to place in every event except the high hurdles, and it is possible some team members may develop rapidly for that.

Showing up especially well in practice for all events entered are Jimmie Watkins, Joe Watson, Bill Fleming, Donald Blankenship, Jimmie Blue, Ralph Knowles, and Jack Robinson.

Bulldogs who are probable contenders in the various track events on April 27: 100-yard dash, Joe Watson, Bill Fleming, Jimmie Watkins, Dan Booker, Everett Hardesty, Richard Forest, Blankenship; 220-yard dash, Watkins, Booker, Everett Jones, Ralph Knowles.

The 440-yard run, Raymond Woodside, Melburn Johnson, Bobbie Black, Lewis Richardson; half mile, Woodside, William Houghtaling, Hardesty, Jack Robinson.

One mile, Robinson, Woodside, Houghtaling, Booker; low hurdles,

Students in Music Profit At Clinic Here

Music students of the Carlsbad, Eunice, and Artesia schools had a profitable day here Saturday at an invitational district music clinic conducted by Ralph R. King, associate professor in music and band conductor at Eastern New Mexico College, Portales.

From that standpoint the clinic was considered a decided success, but the fact measles and other causes kept away band members from six other schools was disappointing.

The Carlsbad and Eunice students, accompanied by their respective instrumental teachers, Miss Charlene Powell and George Bartholomew, and the Artesia students, whose director is J. Bud Farrar, showed enthusiasm at the morning and afternoon clinic sessions at Central School and at the concert in the auditorium of Artesia High School in the evening, all under the direction of Conductor King.

Numbers worked on at the morning and afternoon sessions were presented at the concert. Overtures were "Pacific Moon," "Grand Festival," and "Crusaders of Liberty." The marches, all by John Phillip Sousa, were "El Capitan," "Stars and Stripes Forever," and "Semper Fidelis."

At the concert, Jack Frost, general chairman for the Lions Club, presided as master of ceremonies. The visiting student musicians, the guest conductor, and other visitors were welcomed by Mayor Emery Carper for the city, Tom Watson, manager of the Chamber of Commerce, for that body; C. D. Marshall, high school principal, for the school system, and D. D. Archer, president of the Lions Club, for the sponsoring organization.

During the afternoon a twirling clinic was held by J. Bud Farrar. From the competing twirlers, William Wood of Eunice and Helen Batie and Pat Watson of Artesia were selected to work out a special maneuver, which they presented at the evening concert.

Many Artesians Hear Iturbi in El Paso Concert

Upwards of 35 people from the Artesia community were in El Paso Saturday to hear Jose Iturbi. Artesians who attended said standing room was sold and that several hundred seats were placed on the stage, leaving only room for Iturbi and his piano.

Among those known to have attended the concert were Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Caskey and son, Bruce; Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Miller and daughter, Sylvia; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cole, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Pearson and nephew; Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bartlett.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith, Mr. and Mrs. B. N. Muncy, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Carper, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Rowley and daughter, Marsha; Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Caudle, Mr. and Mrs. Neil B. Watson, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hayes, Dr. and Mrs. D. M. Schneberg.

Mrs. Creighton Gilchrist, Bill Bartlett, Mrs. I. L. Spratt, Mrs. E. Roberts, Mrs. Mary Baird Taylor, Miss Maxine Bunting, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Booker and daughters, Sue and Kay; Mrs. G. Taylor Cole, Mrs. Mary Lou Goddard, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Halde-man.

Mrs. Howard Whitson and daughter, Mary Margaret; Mrs. Ross Sears and daughter, Sally; Tommy Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Hensley and daughter, Carroll; Edgar Mitchell, Mrs. E. C. Jackson, Mrs. E. M. Perry, Mrs. Niven Baird and son, Niven, Jr., and Mrs. Earl Baker.

Lions See Movie, 'This Is Germany,' At Weekly Luncheon

A special movie, "This Is Germany," was shown Wednesday noon at the weekly Lions Club luncheon by Army recruiters from the recruiting office at Carlsbad.

It depicted the history of Germany from the 30 original states, through their knitting together under Prussia and the nation's aggression over the years, in an effort to analyze the workings of the German mind.

The recruiters, Staff Sergeant Lancaster, in charge, and Staff Sergeant Romero, and Sergeant Honaker, were guests of the Lions.

Mahone Sworn in as Carper Receives Praise

A. P. (Doc) Mahone, Artesia's new mayor, was sworn in at a meeting of the Artesia City Council Monday evening and the retiring mayor, Emery Carper, stepped down after seven years of active service to the community, one as a councilman and six as mayor.

After the oath of office had been administered to Mayor Mahone by Neil B. Watson, city attorney, Police Judge J. D. Josey, who was re-elected at the recent municipal election, and the councilmen re-elected or elected at that time were sworn in. The councilmen taking the oath were Frank Smith, Walter Nugent, Fred Brainard, and H. D. (Dude) Dunn, re-elected, and Ralph Pitt, who was elected for the unexpired two years of the term of the late W. H. Gilmore and had been serving on appointment until the election.

The "key to the city" was presented Mayor Mahone by former Mayor Carper, who spoke highly of his successor and asked of the council members the same whole-hearted cooperation he has enjoyed. The key was made by Bert Bidwell.

A tribute was paid to the former mayor by Mayor "Doc" for the (Turn to Page Three Please)

About 40 Acts Are Ready for Amateur Contest Here Tonight

About 40 entries have been made for the amateur contest to be staged at 8 o'clock this evening in the auditorium of Artesia High School for students of all ages.

The contest is being sponsored by the Artesia Lions Club in connection with the music clinic held last Saturday and the district field and track meet and tennis tournament to be held here Saturday of next week, April 27, also sponsored by the Lions.

Proceeds from the contest this evening will be used towards financing the other events.

Contestants are being divided into three age groups, the youngest taking in boys and girls up to 10 years old, the second for those 10 to 14, and the third for those 14 and up.

Likewise three classifications of numbers have been designated, vocal, instrumental, and miscellaneous, such as stunts, readings, and the like.

The Lions Club is offering a prize for the number judges best in each of the three classifications in each age group. In addition a grand prize is to be given to the contestant or team judged the best in the show.

Besides vocal numbers, entries have been made for piano, and accordion solos, band, readings, twirling, imitations, and various stunts.

Fred Cole, a past president of the Lions Club, will preside at the show as master of ceremonies. The names of the judges were not announced.

Although it is hoped to raise a considerable amount of money to help defray the track meet expenses, the admission prices for the amateur show were held down, so as to encourage a good turnout. Student tickets will be 20 cents and adult tickets, 40 cents.

Shirley Hager, chairman of the amateur contest committee for the Lions Club, expressed hopes there will be a large attendance this evening.

After the regular amateur program, a film, "Battle of Britain," is to be shown through the courtesy of the Army recruiting office at Carlsbad. The public is invited to remain for the movie.

Mexican Labor Program Will Be Discussed Tonight

The Mexican labor program will be discussed at an important meeting at the Artesia city hall at 8 o'clock this evening, it was announced by Dallas Rierson, Eddy County agent.

A representative of the Farm Labor Administration office is to be here to explain the labor situation and the program for the use of Mexican agricultural labor this season.

Rierson urged all farmers of the community to attend.

Tickets on Sale For Track Meet Benefit Dance

The campaign for the sale of dance tickets for the Lions Club benefit dance at the Central School gymnasium Saturday night, April 27, is now under way.

The proceeds of the dance and the sale of the tickets will be used to help pay the expenses in connection with the holding of the track meet. The Lions not only are providing all of the medals, cups, and awards, but they went to considerable expense building the track here, as well as building equipment for the track.

All of the members of the club have tickets for sale and they can also be purchased at many places of business here, including The Advocate office.

At 11 o'clock on Saturday night during the dance a brand new, beautiful Electrolux is to be given away. The box is now on display at the Southern Union Gas Company here.

Only those who purchase tickets for the dance, of course, can participate in this phase of the special program here.

All desiring to purchase tickets for the dance can contact any of the members of the Lions Club.

Folk's Shows to Be Sponsored by American Legion

Folk's Celebration Shows, sponsored by the local post of the American Legion, will arrive in Artesia Tuesday, April 23, for a full week. They were originally scheduled to play here this week but postponed their engagement one week.

The carnival is reported only recently out of Memphis and is reported to have an outstanding midway beautifully lighted. They announce they have 10 riding devices, eight shows, 30 concessions, and two outstanding free acts. The free acts are presented at 10 o'clock each night.

The show will be located three blocks north of Main Street on the Roswell highway.

The company winters in Albuquerque.

YOUNG CURRIER TO BE ASSOCIATED WITH FATHER

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Currier and little son, Mike, formerly of Sherman, Tex., have arrived in Artesia to make their home. They have purchased a residence at 804 South Sixth Street.

Mr. Currier is to be associated with his father, George E. Currier in Currier Abstract Company.

Special Services Mark Easter Season

Artesia will begin the observance of the Easter Season here with a special candlelight service at 7:30 o'clock Thursday evening at the First Christian Church and then carry through special Good Friday Services, Sunrise Services, Easter morning and special services on Sunday.

The Catholic Church has held its special services during the week and holds special services Good Friday and special Masses on Easter Sunday.

Besides the Good Friday Community Services and the Sunrise Services here, there also is to be presented two Easter cantatas, one Easter play, and special sermons and messages by the ministers. "Calvary" is to be presented at 7:30 o'clock Sunday evening at the First Methodist Church by the choir. "The Story of Easter According to St. Matthew" will be presented at the First Baptist Church at 11 o'clock Sunday morning. The Easter play, entitled "Into Thy Kingdom," will be presented at 7:30 o'clock Sunday evening at the First Christian Church.

The Easter Sunrise Services are set for 5:30 o'clock Easter morning in the Morris Field stadium. The prelude will be "Whispering Hope" and "I Know That My Redeemer Liveth" by the high school orchestra. Call to worship will be Psalm 113:1-6 by Betty Blue. This will be followed with the Hymn, "Christ Arose." Betty Blue also will lead in the responsive reading. The Artesia Choir Club will offer the anthem, "Prayers, the Lord Is Risen Today." Prayers will be given by Teddy Jane Archer, Mary Jo Jacobs, Sue Jones, and Robert Painter.

The second anthem of the Artesia Choral Club will be "O Morn of Beauty." The sermon will be delivered by the Rev. Kenneth H. Tuttle, pastor of the First Christian Church. The closing hymn is to be "The stride of Life," while the Rev. Mr. Tuttle will pronounce the benediction. The high school orchestra will play "There Is a Green Hill Far Away" as the postlude.

A three-hour Union Good Friday service will be held at the First Christian Church tomorrow, Friday, starting at 12 o'clock and continuing through 3 o'clock.

The program is to open with the hymn, "Must Jesus Bear the Cross Alone?" and will continue then with seven separate divisions during the three hours and with seven different leaders.

The Rev. Kenneth Tuttle, pastor of the First Christian Church, is to have charge of the first period and will discuss the Word of Forgiveness — "Father Forgive Them, for They Know Not What They Do."

The Rev. Dan D. Jones, pastor of the Church of the Nazarene, will speak the Word of Salvation — "Today Thou Shalt Be With Me in Paradise."

The Word of Filial Love — "Woman Behold Thy Son—Behold Thy Mother," is to be discussed by a minister to be supplied.

The Rev. C. A. Clark, pastor of the First Methodist Church, is to discuss the Word of Atonement — "My God, My God, Why Hast Thou Forsaken Me?"

The Word of Agony—"I Thirst," will be the topic of the Rev. Paul Brown, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church.

The minister is to be supplied then for the Word of Victory—"It is Finished," and the Word of Reunion—"Father Into Thy Hands I Commend My Spirit."

The closing hymn for the special services is to be "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name."

Following this the benediction is to be pronounced.

It is hoped and expected that the observance of the dark hours — Christ's hours on the cross — (Turn to Page Nine Please)

Two Boys Overlooked In Story of Spring Grid Practice Game

In the story last week about the practice game between the "Orange" and "White," two teams chosen from boys who were out for spring practice, aspirants to next fall's Bulldog grid squad, the name of Barry Wood as one of the players was inadvertently omitted.

And although Bill Fleming did not play in the game, having injured a shoulder the evening prior to the game, which was played on Friday, April 5, Coach Alan Thompson said he should have been mentioned, as he was there in spirit.

Wood, who is in the eighth grade, played end two full quarters in the game on the "White" team and gave a good account of himself. Both he and Fleming were out for practice during the entire spring football practice period.

In the practice game, the "White" team was victorious over the "Orange" 12-7.

Relative Honor of Physician, Laundryman Debated at Rotary

In a hilarious program, Dr. C. Pardue Bunch and Howard Whitson debated on "Which Is the More Honorable Profession, That of a Physician or a Laundryman?" at the weekly luncheon meeting of the Rotary Club Tuesday noon.

Although the subject was not thoroughly cleared up, the Rotarians and guests enjoyed one of the best lighter-vein programs given in many months.

B. N. Muncy, Jr., president; Chuck Aston, president elect, and Frank Smith, a past president, all were absent, attending the Rotary district conference in El Paso. W. E. Kerr, a past president, presided.

ARTESIA MASONS TO MEET THIS EVENING

The regular monthly meeting of the Artesia Masonic Lodge will be at 7:30 o'clock this evening, Thursday, on the Roof Garden of the Artesia Hotel, the temporary lodge hall.

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48 Years Service

Forty-eight years in one's chosen profession of faithful and loyal service is a long time. A fine record.

Rev. C. A. Clark, pastor of the First Methodist church, completes 48 years in the Methodist ministry on April 24. He was licensed to preach April 24, 1898 at Peaster, Texas and has been preaching ever since. He celebrated one of his outstanding birthdays in March of this year.

During these long years of service he has been pastor of large and small churches with large and small congregations. He helped found the Methodist Orphans home in Oklahoma and served as head of this institution for six and a half years. He served the Prescott, Arozano church for six years. His 48 years have been spent in the Arizona, New Mexico, Texas, and Oklahoma Confederates.

He comes from a family of ministers having had four brothers in this profession and three sisters, who married ministers.

Reverend Clark is serving his third year as pastor of the local church, having served at Hobbs prior to coming to Artesia.

Reverend Clark does not confine his activities to his church work or his church program despite the fact he has approximately 600 members on his roll here and a tremendous job. He is also active in Chamber of Commerce work; a member of the Rotary Club; an active and honored Scoutmaster, who participates in all phases of the scout program.

He is a worker in all lines of endeavor and is not only extremely popular and an outstanding leader in his own church but is honored and respected by those of all faiths and even those not actively associated or connected with any church.

He has been a long and faithful service and in two years he will reach the 50-year mark or service in the church and humanity.

And we are sure that all of Artesia and all his friends everywhere including the workers and leaders in his own church join with us in extending hearty congratulations to him on his 48 years of faithful service in the Lord's work.—O. E. P.

Mail Deliveries

EVERY EFFORT IS BEING MADE here to extend the city mail deliveries.

Very definite regulations are set up by the postal department regarding this service. Sidewalks must be available, houses must be numbered and mail boxes must be erected.

If we desire and want the mail delivered then must provide these three things.

And certainly they will be a fine thing of the city whether we have or want the delivery. There are many sections, even old residential sections of the city, where sidewalks should be built. And if you don't believe the houses need to be numbered just go out and do a little hunting for a particular number on a city street or avenue.

The carrying out of the regulations in order to extend the city mail delivery routes will also be a fine thing for Artesia as a city.—O. E. P.

A Living Memorial

A SPORTS-MINDED FRIEND has brought up a question, which is worthy of a little thought, the providing of sports and recreational facilities in the community, to be built as a war memorial.

He stresses the value of play and the waste of leisure time which prevailed during the war, when many people failed to keep fit. One reason there was not more play in this and other communities was the lack of facilities for everyone.

The Artesia community does not have enough sports and recreation facilities for everyone, small children, youths and adults.

Our friend brings up the point that there are not children's playgrounds located within a quarter to a half mile of every child. There is far from the prescribed acre of public recreation land to each hundred of population. There is no community center building. And our one splendid swim-

ming pool is not within reasonable walking distance of everyone.

He goes even further, mentioning a municipal golf course, facilities for tennis, badminton, more softball and baseball, volleyball, basketball, horse shoes, archery, table tennis, skating, a shooting range, casting pool, and other sports.

In short, our friend claims we do not have enough places for all to play and get exercise, and we agree.

And we think that his idea that sports and play facilities could be made into a war memorial for the gallant boys from this community who were lost.

Statues and the like can and do serve as memorials in many places. But what better war memorial than recreational facilities and grounds, which will encourage participation in sports and recreation and serve youth, returning veterans and their children, and the people of all ages and walks of life, making for a more healthful, happy Artesia?—A. L. B.

Here's a Wise Man

THE REGIONAL ROUND-UP of the Western News Service declares that a gold medal should be awarded J. W. Johnigan of Ozona, Tex., for his courage.

It seems that recently his plane flew into a garage roof in that city, after which Johnigan issued a statement blaming his own foolishness and recklessness and not the fault of flying.

As the service says, his statement will do more to improve flying than all other safety devices invented this year.—A. L. B.

Not the Majority

THE MERE FACT that certain things are done in this community or that certain things aren't done doesn't mean that the majority so will it, rather it means that perhaps a small minority has spoken the loudest.

This is frequently the case. The average individual may do a little complaining about certain situations or certain conditions but that doesn't mean they will speak out loud; that they will become involved in a definite movement; or take any definite action to accomplish a given purpose.

The average individual desires and wants to go along in the pathway offering the least resistance. That, we believe, is true of most people. Now then we have those individuals, who love to get into arguments, discussions, or even open fights to accomplish given purposes. But they are usually very limited. The pathway of least resistance is the course chosen by the average individual.

The attitude of the normal and average person is that it isn't worth the effort — so they just pay little or no attention and the result is that many things, which the majority may actually want and desire done is not done because a minority has spoken out loud and long in protest against the movement.

And we realize that frequently the majority are discouraged by the minority from speaking out for the thing, which they may desire to have done.

And this same minority, which may want to dominate, control and dictate a given situation takes full advantage of the fact that the average person prefers to escape an argument.—O. E. P.

Summer Program

ARTESIA'S PUBLIC SCHOOLS have the finest and probably one of the best in the nation.

Not only has a physical education program been worked out but a music program as well.

The program was inaugurated here last summer. The interest was fair but not as good as it should have been. The number of students participating was not as large as school officials had a right to expect.

This year it is hoped and expected that the number of pupils taking part will justify the program and will prove that such a program is wanted, is used and is given the consideration it should receive.

It is our sincere hope that there is a record enrollment of boys and girls for the program.

The instructors did an outstanding job last summer. They can do even a better job this summer because of last year's experience. Mrs. Flora Thompson will have charge of the girls' athletic program. F. L. Green will have charge of the boys' physical education program; and J. Bud Farrar will have charge of the music program.

We are hopeful that parents will take even a greater interest this year than they did last year. The greatest help they can give, of course, is seeing their boys and girls take full advantage of the program being offered for their children.

Let's make the most of this fine program, which is provided for our boys and girls through our municipal schools.—O. E. P.

Far More Serious

IT IS OUR SINCERE HOPE that the extension of the sewer lines and water lines here will provide both water and sewer facilities for every home or residence in Artesia.

We don't know of a finer thing that can be done for the sanitation of the city than the complete elimination of all toilet facilities, which are not connected to the sewer lines. There is no greater danger to the health of the citizens of this community than the improper disposal of all sewage of this city.

Perhaps the removal of the cows and livestock from the residential districts was a fine move along sanitary lines. Maybe it helped eliminate flies.

But the proper disposal of all sewage here and a strict sanitary program and its strict enforcement for all food handlers also is far more important.

The city is now in a position to eliminate this hazard, which has existed here in regards to sewage disposal, and we feel sure that it will be carried out to its completion for the full protection of all citizens.—O. E. P.

Time Handles It

IT IS RATHER AMAZING what the element of time can and does do.

It discloses that many things were never nearly as serious as they may have seemed.

It shows up individuals, who perhaps claim to be one thing but who turn out to be something else.

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Up and Down Main Street
WE CAN ASK WHY UP AND DOWN MAIN BUT NO ANSWER

Many years ago an English writer and philosopher wrote a line, which is quoted frequently. That line was "Man's inhumanity to man." And we today wonder about that. We ask that question. We wonder why man's inhumanity to man. We wonder about it in the national affairs and world affairs. We wonder why greed and selfishness comes first. We wonder why large nations want to impose on smaller nations. We question why one country wants to dictate over another. We wonder why treaties are not kept; why the word of man has little value. And we all know that all men are selfish and greedy. We know the only difference is the degree of that greed or selfishness. But we do not need to go beyond the bounds of our own nation, our state, our county or our city. We say things every day which makes us wonder and ask why man's inhumanity to man. We wonder why we do little mean things, which hurt others. We wonder why we tell untruths. We wonder why we make exaggerated or false statements. Why we accept rumors and gossip as the truth. We wonder why we take advantage of our fellow man; why we impose upon him; why we seek to take advantage of him. Yet we do these things. We have always done them. They were being done years ago when the famous English author first discussed "man's inhumanity to man." And the world hasn't changed much. We go to almost means or ends to have our way; to get what we want; to improve our standing or our position. We are not concerned about what happens to the other person but only what happens to us. And yet those of us, who do the things to hurt others cry the loudest when these things are done to us.

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It is rather amazing what the element of time can and does do. It discloses that many things were never nearly as serious as they may have seemed. It shows up individuals, who perhaps claim to be one thing but who turn out to be something else. It heals wounds, brings about understanding where misunderstandings prevailed. The only unfortunate part is the fact that many of us do not appreciate and realize this. All of us have seen people become highly excited about a situation or a condition — perhaps unduly excited. A short time afterwards it had all been forgotten and passed by.

Maybe a few scars had been left but on the whole the atmosphere had cleared and we had come to realize that the condition was not near as important as it had seemed.

We, of course, need to learn this lesson. We need to learn that time does many things, even more than we realize. It is very wise to let time take care of the tasks, which it does so well.

You just can't get away from the old idea "if and individual is given enough rope, he hangs himself."—O. E. P.

Soil Analysis Is Not Answer to Farm Problems

"Soil analysis is not the answer to all our farm problems, and in most instances the information determined by farmers cannot be determined by soil analysis alone. For example, it is difficult and almost impossible to recommend the best crop to grow or what fertilizers should be used all that's known."

These observations were made recently by Don Brown, assistant agronomist of New Mexico State College, who points out that research over a period of 100 years has shown that the idea of determining exact fertilizer needs from a chemical study of the soil is wrong.

Chemical tests, he points out, do not necessarily show the degree of availability of plant food or the ability of the plant to use different nutrients. Research results or the experience of practical farmers may far better be taken as guides when it comes to judging fertilizer needs than the results of the study of one soil sample.

With soils which have a high alkali content, it is frequently necessary to determine if there's too much alkali content or soluble salt for the growing of certain crops. Experience has shown, Brown says, that most crops will show injury with the kinds of salts, condition of soils, and nature of the crop.

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Maybe a few scars had been left but on the whole the atmosphere had cleared and we had come to realize that the condition was not near as important as it had seemed.

We, of course, need to learn this lesson. We need to learn that time does many things, even more than we realize. It is very wise to let time take care of the tasks, which it does so well.

You just can't get away from the old idea "if and individual is given enough rope, he hangs himself."—O. E. P.

Soil Analysis Is Not Answer to Farm Problems

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The other oven, proofer, and some other pieces of equipment, which are moderately new and high in efficiency, have been moved from the bakery's former location at 402 West Main.

Adjacent to the retail store in the front is a private office for Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Ross, owners. Large, well-equipped washrooms for men and women employes are provided in the lay-out.

The wrapping department is just behind and adjacent to the retail store, handy also to the wholesale delivery door on the east side of the building.

When the bakery is installed, the floor will be raised to eliminate the steps which were ranged for the former location. The floor is to be of tile.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross, who are planning to open the new bakery as the Artesia Baking Co., are practical. The move is to be completed by the end of the month.

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Artesia Auto Co., Wrecker Service
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and each of you said defendants, from having or claiming any lien upon or right, title or interest in or to said land adverse to the plaintiff, and to forever quiet and set at rest the plaintiffs' title to a fee simple estate therein.

Methodist Rolls Increased 114 In Campaign Some 114 new members have been added to the membership rolls of the Methodist Church and it is expected that this number will be increased more between now and Easter Sunday, April 21, it has been announced by the Rev. C. A. Clark, pastor.

Interruptions in Electric Service Will Be Shorter Shorter interruption probably less frequent interruptions in electric and power service for Artesia is anticipated as a result of a change in the substation serving the city.

breakers, which operate the automatic switch, which "kicks-out" or "cuts-off" the current in the case of an emergency, too much power, or during a storm, etc. The breaker will kick off and on four times. After it has kicked out the fourth time it must be reset before it will operate again.

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On-Job Training In Agriculture Is Offered Vets A survey to determine just how many New Mexico veterans would be interested in taking on-the-job training in agriculture under the provisions of the GI Bill of Rights is being conducted by the Agricultural Extension Service of New Mexico State College. In order to sample former servicemen's interest, questionnaires will be sent discharged soldiers in San Miguel, Socorro, Curry, Chaves, and Dona Ana Counties. The questionnaires explain that if enough veterans desire the training, it will be arranged for and offered free by the college in cooperation with the Veterans' Administration and the New Mexico Department of Vocational Education. Veterans' preferences for types of training and the time of class meetings will also be considered. Response from the survey conducted in the sample counties will, it is expected, indicate the extent of interest all over the state. Veterans who receive questionnaires in the selected counties were reminded that they do not obligate themselves in any way by replying.

MIKE SEDBERRY Candidate For Democratic Nomination For SHERIFF Primary Election June 4 The chief deputy seeks a deserved promotion... your support will be appreciated. (Paid Political Advertising)

STUDENT Amateur Contest Benefit of the District Track Meet Thursday, April 18 8:00 P. M. High School Auditorium COME--fun for everyone--COME Admission: Students 20c Adults 40c COOPERATING MERCHANTS Artesia Furniture Co. J. C. Penney Co. King's Jewelry Baldwin's Coney Island Cafe McClay Furniture Store Leone's Studio Ross Baking Co. Carter's Cafe Star Grocery Artesia Pharmacy Schmitt's Variety Mallory Shoe Shop R. S. Carter Iverson Tool Co. L. P. Evans Store Club Cafe J. E. Roberts W. F. Hinde Oscar Samelson Southern Union Gas Co. Guy Chevrolet Co. Brown Mercantile Co. Western Auto Supply Co. The Hub Clothiers Palace Drug Store Jensen & Son Mann Drug Co. Prior Rubber Co. Artesia Radio Shop Nelson-John Office Supply Co. Artesia Building & Loan Assn. Brainard-Corbin Hardware Co. Artesia Alfalfa Growers Assn. Hopkins Firestone Dealer Store Artesia Laundry & Cleaners McCall-Parson Drug Artesia Locker Plant Marie's Artesia Floral & Gift Shop Ocotillo Theater Artesia Auto Co. Artesia Hotel Midwest Auto Supply Co. Southwestern Public Service Co. Cantina Bar

Society

Pre-Nuptial Shower Honors Maxine Bunting

Mrs. Louie Burch and Mrs. A. R. Compary complimented Miss Maxine Bunting with a wedding shower Tuesday evening at the Woman's Club house.

Miss Bunting, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Bunting, will become the bride of Glen Farmer at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the First Methodist Church.

Miss Bunting, who was brought to the shower by Mrs. F. O. Aston, Jr., and Mrs. Henry Worthington, was met at the door by Mrs. Compary, who presented her a corsage of pastel colored sweet-peas and led her to the seat of

honor, decorated with a large bowl of pink crepe paper, down a path of crepe paper streamers of pink and yellow, the color scheme of the occasion.

Bouquets of mixed colored flowers decorated the candlelight room.

At either end of the fireplace mantel tall white tapers stood in single sterling candleholders and lighted an attractively decorated table covered with pink and yellow crepe paper and appointed by a large number of wedding gifts.

A large serving table, lace covered, was decorated with a centerpiece of mixed spring flowers in a low china bowl lighted by tapers in crystal holders on either side, and appointed with a crystal service at one end and a crystal punch bowl at the other. Individ-

ual white cakes trimmed with yellow wedding bells were served with the punch. Mrs. Dave Bunting, mother of the bride-elect, presided at the punchbowl. Dainty pink napkins presented to the guests were inscribed "Glen and Maxine," in gold lettering.

About 45 guests were present for the occasion.

Pink and Blue Shower Honors Mrs. Hurt at Loco Hills Party

Mrs. William Hurt was honored at a lovely pink and blue shower at the home of Mrs. Charles Dungan of Loco Hills.

Bingo was played preceding the presentation of gifts. Delicious refreshments of pineapple salad and cheese sandwiches were served with punch from a beautifully appointed table centered with bridal-wreath and lighted by pink tapers tied with blue ribbon.

Those who were present during the occasion and brought gifts were Mrs. Mabel Dennis, Mrs. Ann Dungan, Mrs. George D. Dixon, Mrs. N. G. Barton, Mrs. J. L. Briscoe, Mrs. W. G. White, Mrs. B. W. Williams, Mrs. J. D. Walker, and Mrs. Walter Newton.

Persons who sent gifts but were unable to attend were Mrs. K. G. Miller, Mrs. Foy D. Davis, Mrs. G. Z. Floyd, Mrs. Cliff Loyd, and Miss Billie Jean Barton.

Mrs. F. E. Murphy Is Hostess Thursday to Homemakers' Circle

Mrs. F. E. Murphy was hostess at her home last Thursday, when the Homemakers' Circle enjoyed the day quilting and a covered-dish luncheon at noon.

During the afternoon Mrs. J. D. Josey led in a devotional period, after which she read and commented on several Scripture verses.

Mrs. F. P. Turner presided over a prayer.

Members who attended were Mrs. A. G. Bailey, Carroll Brown, F. P. Turner, M. W. Evans, J. D. Josey, H. L. Muncy, O. S. Matteson, J. M. Story, F. E. Murphy, J. C. Floore, Lillian McNeil, and Rose Andrews of Moline, Ill., who is here visiting her sister, Mrs. Nancy Eipper.

JANE ANTHIS INITIATED INTO ALPHA DELTA PI

Miss Jane Anthis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Anthis of Artesia, was initiated into Alpha Delta Pi sorority at Oklahoma A. & M. College, Stillwater, March 30.

Miss Anthis is a freshman in the School of Arts and Science at the college, and is a member of Kappa Phi Epsilon, Pan-Hellenic Choir, and the Young Women's Christian Association.

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Miss Bunting Is Honored Friday At Bridal Shower

Miss Maxine Bunting, bride-elect, was honored with a shower at the home of Mrs. Creighton Gilchrist Friday evening. Mrs. Gilchrist was assisted by Mrs. Henry Worthington, Mrs. F. O. Aston, Jr., and Mrs. Edmond Runyan.

Miss Bunting upon arriving walked down the reception room door down an improvised path, outlined with pastel colored crepe paper streamers, to the guest-of-honor chair.

Following the opening and displaying of many beautiful and useful gifts, delicious refreshments of dessert sandwiches and dainty confections were served with clear punch filled with colored floating ice cubes, from an attractively decorated lace-covered table appointed with a crystal centerpiece and lighted by white tapers in double crystal candle holders.

Mrs. J. N. Hightower presided over a crystal punchbowl.

Bouquets of cut spring flowers decorated the candlelight rooms. More than 35 guests were in attendance.

Senior Play at Lake Arthur to Be on Friday

The curtain has gone down on the final rehearsal of the hilarious comedy, "Here Comes Charlie," the Lake Arthur Senior play, which will be presented in the Lake Arthur School auditorium at 8 o'clock Friday evening, April 19.

The comedy was written by Jay Tobias, famous for his exciting and side-splitting plays.

The cast is as follows: Nora Malone, cook at the Elliott home; Maxine Buckner; Officer Tim McGrill; Nora's sweetheart, Alline Hill; Mrs. Fanny Farnham; Larry's aunt by marriage, Naomi Hedges; Larry Elliott, a young businessman; Melvin Pearson; Ted Hartley, his old-time college pal; Kenneth Rogers; Vivian Smythe-Kersey, Larry's fiancée; Joyce Mills; Uncle Alack Twigg, in charge of Charlie, Charles Foster; Charlie Hopps, Larry's ward; Vera Mae Smith; Mrs. Caroline Smythe-Kersey, Vivian's mother; Lynn Pearson, and Mortimer Smythe-Kersey, Vivian's brother, Mary B. Kimbrough.

Social Calendar

Monday, April 22

Meeting of the Past Matron's Club with Mrs. J. M. Story, 2:30 p. m.

Rainbow Girls will meet on the Roof Garden, 7 p. m.

Tuesday, April 23

Regular meeting of the Order of Eastern Star on Roof Garden, initiation and refreshments, 7:30 p. m.

Tuesday-Thursday, April 22-24

State convention, Federated Women's Clubs at Roswell Woman's Club.

John A. Mathis, Sr., plans to leave Artesia Monday to spend about 10 days at Hot Springs, N. M.

Sewers Needed To Make Dresses For Red Cross

An appeal was made this week by Mrs. Sallie Lanning, sewing chairman of the North Eddy County chapter of the Red Cross, for volunteers to sew 156 girls' dresses, sizes 8, 10, and 12, for foreign relief.

The material is here, all cut and ready for sewing, Mrs. Lanning said. It was late in arriving here, so the sewing program for the chapter is behind schedule, and Mrs. Lanning asked that volunteers step forward promptly and then complete the sewing as rapidly as possible.

The material may be taken home for the sewing operations. It has been requested that the basting thread be allowed to remain in the garments, as it is very scarce in the war-torn countries and can be used by the people there.

Mrs. Tarbuton, Recent Bride, Is Shower Honoree

Mrs. Carl Dingley complimented with a coffee from 9 to 11 o'clock Tuesday morning in honor of a recent bride, Mrs. Kester Tarbuton, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Watson, with about 25 guests present.

Coffee and doughnuts were served from a lace-covered table, appointed with a silver coffee service and a centerpiece of blue iris and a white broad wreath. Mrs. Dingley presided.

Spring flowers decorated other parts of the house. Shortly after their marriage at Springfield, Tex., Mr. and Mrs. Tarbuton arrived in Artesia, Mr. Tarbuton's home before he enlisted in the Navy.

Mr. and Mrs. Tarbuton will be at home in Artesia, where Mr. Tarbuton is an employee in the Continental Oil Company refinery.

Mrs. G. Taylor Cole Is Hostess Last Week To Kongenial Kard Klub

Mrs. G. Taylor Cole was hostess Wednesday evening of last week when the Kongenial Kard Klub enjoyed an evening of playing bridge.

Mrs. A. R. Compary was receiver of high score, Mrs. Tom V. Watson held second high and Mrs. G. Kelly Stout received low score.

Delicious refreshments of pie and whipped cream with punch were served to Mrs. Louie Burch, Mrs. Earl McDorman, Mrs. G. Kelley Stout, Mrs. S. E. Chipman, Mrs. Dave Bunting, Mrs. A. R. Compary, and the hostess, Mrs. Cole.

Mrs. Watson served as a substitute for the club.

Engagement Announced Of Miss Tanner and Seaman Walter White

Lt. and Mrs. Foster F. Shappy have announced the engagement of their daughter, Evelyn Bernadette Tanner, to Walter W. White, seaman first class, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. White of Loco Hills.

Artesia has been the home of Miss Tanner, the last six months. She is a former resident of Plattsburg, N. Y.

Seaman White, who is at present stationed at San Diego, Calif., is formerly of Cross Plains, Tex. The wedding date as yet has not been set.

LOCALS

Richard H. Westaway of Carlsbad visited friends in Artesia on Monday morning while enroute to Santa Fe.

D. D. Archer and A. M. Archer returned last Friday from Temple, Tex., where A. M. Archer had undergone further medical attention. He is reported showing improvement although still wearing a cast on his back. He hopes to be able to get out and around soon.

Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Clarke left Monday morning for Houston, Tex., where they plan to visit Doctor Clark's sister. From there they plan to go on to Louisiana to visit in New Orleans and other Louisiana points including Plaquemine, Doctor Clarke's old home.

Dr. M. S. Smith, candidate for lieutenant governor and from Clovis, was a business visitor in Artesia on Tuesday in behalf of his candidacy.

Mrs. Billie Crouch spent the last week at Kansas City, Mo., where she visited friends and relatives.

Word has been received by Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Webb that their son, Gayle D. Webb, seaman second class, is confined to a naval hospital at San Diego, Calif., from rheumatic fever. Seaman Webb recently visited his parents in Artesia.

George Nixon plans to leave Friday for the Concho River below San Angelo, Tex., for about three weeks of fishing and relaxation.

Sgt. Edgar S. Bishop of Berkeley, Calif., a former Artesia boy, who served 18 months in Europe with the Finance Section, 42nd Infantry Division, was honorably discharged at Fort Bliss last Thursday and came on to Artesia to visit relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Spencer, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Bishop, and Mrs. Lillian McNeil and son, Charles, and family. He served in the Army 37 months. The former sergeant left Sunday for his home, by way of El Paso, where he planned to visit relatives a few days. He was born and reared in Artesia and moved to Berkeley in 1938 with his parents, B. A. Bishop and the late Mrs. Bishop, and his sister and

brother, Beth and Burton Bishop.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Ellis of 801 Richardson have been called to Bartlesville, Okla., on business and left this morning, to be gone a week or 10 days.

S. Bradley, who suffered a stroke about three weeks ago, is doing nicely and is now able to be about. He was associated with the Roselawn Barbers since coming here in about 1926. Mrs. Bradley, who suffered a stroke in January, is able to be up part of the time.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Schulze returned Monday from Clifton, Tex., where they attended a family reunion and visited with friends and relatives. They left Artesia last Thursday.

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 by presenting him an order for a
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A letter, signed by the mem-
 bers of the City Council and the
 city employees and read by City
 Attorney Watson informed former
 Mayor Carper of the gift and ap-
 praised him of their feelings in
 his retirement from the official
 capacity. It read:

"With this meeting you are re-
 tiring from office as mayor of the
 city of Artesia for the years 1940
 to 1946.

"The members of the City
 Council and the city employees
 realize very well that you have
 devoted a great deal of time and
 attention to the city of Artesia
 and that you have given your very
 best as mayor. The members of
 the City Council and city em-
 ployees who have had the pleas-
 ure of working with you deeply
 appreciate your very fine services
 and the spirit of cooperation you

have given and shown at all times.
 "We feel that you have made
 one of the best mayors that the
 city of Artesia has ever had and
 we want to show our appreciation
 for your service in a small way.
 Accordingly we have made ar-
 rangements for you to select a
 gun at the L. P. Evans Store and
 we enclose a certificate for that
 purpose and we hope that you
 will select one that will give you
 as many hours of pleasure as you
 are entitled to for your work.

"We feel that the city of Ar-
 tesia, New Mexico, has made
 great strides and substantial prog-
 ress under your leadership and
 we know that the citizens of Ar-
 tesia will join with us in thanking
 you for a good job well done.
 We also want to invite you to
 come and have a coke with us at
 one of our homes."

The certificate mentioned in
 the letter entitles the former may-
 or, who is quite a sportsman and
 hunter, to select "a shotgun or
 rifle, not in payment for his splen-
 did service to the city . . . but as
 a small token of appreciation and
 recognition of his splendid ser-
 vices and his many fine qualities
 as a citizen, from the members of
 the City Council and employees of
 the city who have appreciated
 working with him during his time
 of service."

Former Mayor Carper in turn
 expressed his appreciation for the
 wholehearted cooperation of the
 members of the council and the
 great majority of the citizens of
 Artesia. "Without that coopera-
 tion," he said, "it would have been
 very difficult to accomplish any-
 thing."

Mayor Mahone said he accepted
 the responsibility of the office,
 but "I expect you 'boys' to tell
 me what to do. I must depend
 on the City Council to keep the
 city going, but I accept my part
 of the responsibility."

He said he was proud of the op-
 portunity to serve the city of Ar-
 tesia, to which he feels he owes
 a debt. "I have always enjoyed
 Artesia and have always felt that
 I had the key to the city," Mayor
 Mahone said.

Former Mayor Carper requested
 of Councilman Fred Brainard, an
 amateur wood worker, to make for
 the new mayor a gavel from a
 piece of West Virginia hickory,
 which he, Carper, brought from
 the Eastern state. This is to be
 presented later.

Councilman Albert Richards,
 who also is fire chief, thanked the
 outgoing mayor for his coopera-
 tion with the Fire Department
 and his assistance in the depart-
 ment's progress.

**Summer Program
 Is Offered Again
 For Children Here**

With one of the finest summer
 programs presented by any school
 system anywhere again to be of-
 fered in Artesia during the sum-
 mer months, civic leaders are
 hopeful there will be an outstand-
 ing enrollment here this year.

The Artesia school board has
 again insured the summer pro-
 gram by the employment of Mrs.
 Flora Thompson, girls' physical
 education director; F. L. Green,
 boys' physical education director,
 and J. Bud Farrar, band and or-
 chestra director.

The program was inaugurated
 here last year and proved an out-
 standing success, despite the fact
 that not as many students took
 advantage of the summer program
 as it was hoped might. Confidence
 has been voiced, however, there

will be a record enrollment for
 the summer months here this
 year.

School officials are urging par-
 ents to plan now for the enroll-
 ment of their children in the
 course and it is hopeful complete
 and full cooperation will be given.

Although the complete program
 has not as yet been announced,
 there will be instruction offered
 for both boys and girls in physical
 education and for both boys and
 girls in band and orchestra work.

The complete schedule of class-
 es and the hours will be announc-
 ed prior to the closing of school
 here.

The program offered in Artesia
 has already attracted considerable
 attention over the state and some
 effort was made last year to adopt
 a similar plan. It is expected that
 some of the other cities in the
 state will offer such a program
 this year.

The success of the program,
 however, depends on the interest
 taken by parents and students
 and it is hoped there is a greater
 interest this year.

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**Rigging Up for
 New City Well Is
 Now Under Way**

Rigging up is now in progress
 and drilling of a new city well
 to provide even pressure and bal-
 ance the water supply in the nor-
 thern part of the city is expected
 to be under way soon, it has been
 announced by P. V. Morris, city
 manager.

The new well is to be located on
 the back lot located at the corner
 of Chisum and Fifth Street. The
 location is near the old spring,
 which at one time flowed, and it
 has been described as one of the
 ideal spots where a good well
 should be found.

The well is to be drilled to a
 total depth of 1050 feet with 200
 feet of 13 3/16 inch pipe to be
 set and some 800 feet of 10-inch
 pipe.

Prior to the preparing for drill-
 ing operations, the city extended
 the water mains from Main Street
 to Chisum. The mains were then
 extended on Chisum east to First
 Street and west to Tenth Street.
 The mains will be extended on

to the location of the well.

It has been estimated that prob-
 ably two or three weeks will be
 required to drill the well unless
 night tour are also worked.

The new well is expected to
 provide additional water and to
 take care of the growing need
 here. This will mean there is a
 well in the north section of the
 city to serve North Artesia while
 the other well in the South part
 of the city will serve that section.

**CHICK OUTPUT
 WILL BE LOWER**

The output of chicks by com-
 mercial hatcheries this year will
 be much less than last year's rec-

ord hatch, a survey by the USDA's
 Bureau of Agricultural Economics
 indicates.

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 tions, opportunities and values, let us show
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Libby's MIXED 19 Oz. can	Vegetables ... 20¢
Campbell's CHICKEN 10 1/2 Oz.	Soup 17¢
Campbell's VEGETABLE 10 1/2 Oz.	Soup 13¢
Libby's Whole Kernel 20 Oz. can	Corn 15¢
Highway Cut 19 Oz. can	Green Beans .. 17¢
Hostess Delight FRUIT 29 Oz. can	Cocktail 32¢
Petite 29 Oz. can	Peaches 23¢
Rainbow 10 Oz. bot.	Sweet Relish 19¢
Kraft Pimento 5 Oz. gls.	Cheese Spread 19¢
Harper House 29 Oz. can	Pears 31¢
Price's COTTAGE 16 Oz. box	Cheese 22¢
	12 Oz. bot.
	Pear Juice ... 14¢
New West Qt. bot.	Apple Juice ... 32¢

Nabisco GRAHAM 1 Lb. box	Crackers 20¢
Pirate Gold GRAHAM 1 Lb. box	Crackers 19¢
Macaroni & Cheese Pkg.	Kraft Dinner ... 9¢
Nabisco SHREDDED 12 Oz. box	Wheat 12¢
Kellogg 5 1/2 Oz. box	Rice Krispies ... 12¢
White House 38 Oz. gls.	Apple Butter ... 32¢
American Whole DILL 16 Oz. gls.	Pickles 16¢
Torreda 12 Oz. gls.	Chili Peppers ... 14¢
Post's 12 Oz. box	Grapenuts 14¢
Post's 12 Oz. box	Grapenut Flakes 14¢
Schillings Pure 1 Oz. bot.	Vanilla 20¢
Beverly 16 Oz. gls.	Peanut Butter .. 31¢
Emerald Bay 18 Oz. can	Spinach 15¢
Gold Dish Fancy 20 Oz. can	Peas 17¢

Rosedale GREEN 19 Oz. can	Lima Beans ... 15¢
Southwood Buttons 4 Oz. can	Mushrooms ... 45¢
Del Monte Diced 16 Oz. can	Carrots 14¢
Betty Crocker PEA Pkg.	Soup Mix 9¢
Del Monte Diced 16 Oz. can	Beets 12¢
V-8 18 Oz. can	Cocktail 15¢
Sunny Dawn 46 Oz. can	Tomato Juice ... 23¢
Libby's 46 Oz. can	Tomtao Juice ... 24¢
Libby's 20 Oz. can	Apple Sauce ... 22¢
Valley Gold Halves 29 Oz. can	Apricots 28¢
All American 10 Lb. bag	Flour 55¢

Drop o' Lemon 2 Oz. bot.	Lemon Juice ... 9¢
Del Monte 15 Oz. box	Raisins 12¢
Canterbury Orange Pekoe 4 Oz.	Tea 22¢
Lipton's Orange Pekoe 4 Oz.	Tea 26¢
Sugary Sam 29 Oz. can	Yams 24¢
Full o' Gold 18 Oz. can	Orange Juice ... 18¢
Canned Meat 12 Oz. can	Spam 34¢
Gerber's Asst. 4 1/2 Oz. can	Baby Food 7¢
Nob Hill 1 Lb. bag	Coffee 25¢
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HANGAR FLYING

The weather has been excellent at the airport this week and every afternoon besides flying,

games of both croquet and horse-shoes are in progress. Representatives of Black & Marshall Oil Company of Great Bend, Kan., were visitors at the

airport Monday. They were flying a twin-engine Beechcraft. Vernon Wintheiser placed his order this week for a new Piper Cub. He finds a plane helpful in

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conducting his business, and has flown for several years.

W. Tulk took his first ride in a plane this week with Sug Hazel. "Tuffy" Carson was a new student at the airport this week. Olin Woolridge and Charley Waller of Roswell flew down to Artesia Wednesday afternoon of last week for a visit. Woolridge and Waller used to fly with Sug Hazel in Roswell.

Modena Longbotham and Ramon Davidson flew to Roswell Wednesday afternoon of last week.

Everyone interested in attending the New Mexico Airmen's Association meeting to be held in Roswell May 4-5 is asked to contact Mrs. Sug Hazel at the Artesia

municipal airport. At this gathering to be held in Roswell the program will consist of the following: 4 to 6 o'clock Saturday, May 4, business meeting, applications accepted for new membership and the like, headquarters at the Nickson Hotel; 6 to 7 o'clock cocktail party, Nickson Hotel, 8 o'clock to midnight, dinner and dance. Sunday morning, May 5, a breakfast has been arranged at the Bottomless Lakes for all who care to attend. A landing strip has been scrapped at the lakes so one can either fly or drive out. All members and guests are cordially invited. It is requested that Artesia make a good showing of pilots on this occasion.

Gene Sherwood and Mary Belle Walker flew to Roswell last Thursday morning to distribute posters advertising the high school senior play.

Herman Guillian of Loco Hills and Bill Waldron of Artesia received their student permits this week.

Al Meyers, of Albuquerque, CAP inspector, was in Artesia Friday. Meyers licensed Glenn Booker's AT-6 and Sug Hazel's BT-13. Bob

Ehle passed the test for his engine and mechanics instructor rating.

Mrs. Oscar Samelson flew to Roswell Saturday morning in the Ramp Rat.

The Continental Oil Company Lockheed 12 flew into Artesia Friday from Ponca City, Okla., and departed Saturday noon.

Mervin Worley departed Monday for the Piper Aircraft factory in Pennsylvania. Worley will make

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Easter Services—

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will be marked by a record attendance for this Good Friday service.

Methodist Cantata

An Easter Cantata at 7:30 o'clock on Sunday evening will feature the special Easter services of the First Methodist Church. The church also is participating in the Sunrise Easter services at Morris Field on Sunday morning, as well as taking part in the Good Friday services at the First Christian Church on Friday afternoon. The Rev. C. A. Clark, pastor, is to bring a special Easter message at the 11 o'clock services Sunday morning, when he discusses "The Evidences of the Resurrection."

Besides the special Easter message, Easter anthems will be offered by the choir and there will be special organ and chime music for Easter morning.

The Easter Cantata, "Calvary," by Henry Wessel, will be presented by the Methodist choir at 7:30 o'clock on Sunday evening under the direction of Mrs. Glenn Caskey.

Some 12 special numbers will be offered with the opening number, "Father, Forgive Them," with the solo by H. O. Miller, and the choir. "Today Shalt Thou Be With Me in Paradise" will be sung by Glenn Caskey and the choir.

"Woman Behold Thy Son," will be a duet number by Mrs. Donald Bush and Glenn Caskey and the choir. "My God, Why Hast Thou Forsaken Me?" will be a solo by V. F. Lowery and the choir.

Glenn Caskey and the ladies' chorus will offer "Father Into Thy Hands."

H. O. Miller also will sing, "It Is Finished," while Mrs. Frank

Smith will offer "As It Began to Dawn." Miss Nancy Jordan sings "Fear Not" and the choir will offer "Behold, I Tell You a Mystery."

A trio is to sing "Consider the Lilies," while the final selection, "Christ the Lord Is Risen Today," will be sung by the choir.

Members of the choir are: Sopranos, Mmes Frank Smith, Owen Haynes, Donald Bush, R. E. Stewart, Nola Mae Phillips, Bill Gray, and W. R. Prince, and Misses Nancy Jordan, Sue Booker, Jamie Dunnam, Mary Dixon, and Lou Ell Wheelan.

Altos are Mmes. F. G. Hartell, Dale Thomas, W. A. Dunnam, B. A. DeMars, J. R. Miller, George Thalman, Ted Maschek, and J. D. Roberts, and Misses Louise DeMars, Lucille Hobbs and Virginia Green.

Tenors are V. F. Lowery and H. O. Miller while Joe Foster and Glenn Caskey are the basses.

The public is invited to attend any or all of the services at the First Methodist Church.

Christian Church

Easter will be featured in four of the services of the First Christian Church here besides the church participating in the Good Friday services and the Easter morning sunrise services, it has been announced by the Rev. Kenneth Tuttle, pastor.

The first of these services will be a candlelight communion service at the church at 7:30 o'clock on Sunday evening.

A short dramatization, entitled "The Easter Story," will be presented before the general assembly of the Sunday school at 9:45 o'clock by the members of the Junior Christian Endeavor Society.

The choir has prepared several special Easter selections for the morning worship hour. At that time the pastor will speak on the subject, "The Splendor of the Dawn." The ordinance of Christian Baptism will be administered at the close of the morning church service.

Then at 7:30 o'clock on Sunday evening at the regular evening worship hour, an Easter play, "Into Thy Kingdom," by Dorothy Clarke Wilson, will be presented. The cast of characters is as follows: Joseph Caiaphas, Kenneth H. Tuttle; Adina (Joseph's wife), Mrs. Earl Darst; Malchus (Joseph's servant), Robert Painter; Nicodemus, Sam Stewart; Tamah, Mrs. Sam Stewart; Jabal, Roddy John; Reba, Dulcie Borland; and a Roman Captain, Johnny Lanning. Mrs. Kenneth H. Tuttle is director of the play.

The public is invited to any or all of these services.

Catholic Services

Holy Week, which is the climatic closing of the season of Lent, will be observed by the Catholics of this city at St. Anthony's Church. On Holy Thursday, Good Friday, and Holy Saturday the traditional services, which date back to the very beginning of Christianity will be held.

The morning services were scheduled for 8 o'clock Thursday and Friday and at 7 o'clock Saturday. The evening services will be at 7:30 o'clock Thursday and Friday. Good Friday services will also be conducted at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

Confessions will be heard from

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The following candidates submit their announcements, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary.

- For State Representative From Lea County
DUDLEY BRAND
Hobbs
For Sheriff:
DWIGHT LEE
Carlsbad
J. H. (JIM) SIKES
Loving
MIKE SEDBERRY
Carlsbad
For County School Superintendent
R. N. THOMAS
Carlsbad
For County Assessor:
MRS. RICHARD H. WESTAWAY
Carlsbad
For County Commissioner, Dist. 2:
HOLLIS G. WATSON
Artesia
For County Commissioner, Dist. 1:
J. S. (BOOG) WINDHAM
Carlsbad
For County Commissioner, Dist. 3:
E. W. PARCHMAN
Loving
R. L. (BOB) JAMES
Malaga
For Justice of Peace, Prec. No. 6
J. D. JOSEY
Artesia

4 to 5 o'clock Saturday afternoon and from 7:30 to 8:30 o'clock that evening.

On Thursday morning the services were in honor of the institution of the Most Holy Eucharist. In the evening there will be a Holy Hour in honor of the Most Blessed Sacrament. On Friday morning the services will consist of the unveiling and veneration of the cross, followed by the Mass of the Pre-Sanctified.

On Good Friday afternoon the Way of the Cross, a memorial service of Christ's Passion will be said by the faithful. Again in the evening at 7:30 o'clock the same service will be had, followed by a sermon. On Holy Saturday morning the following ancient Christian liturgy will be held: The Blessing of the New Fire, the Paschal Candle, Easter and Baptismal Water, Mass, and Communion.

On Easter Sunday morning, Masses will be offered at 6:30 o'clock at the hospital; 8 o'clock at St. Anthony's Church, and at 9 o'clock at Our Lady of Grace Spanish Church. The public is cordially invited to attend any of these services.

Baptist Cantata

"The Story of Easter According to St. Matthew," an Easter cantata by Lorenz, will be presented by the choir of the First Baptist Church at 11 o'clock Easter morning.

The cantata will be under the direction of Mrs. Fred Cole, with Mrs. Helen Henson as accompanist.

The choir will be assisted by the Rev. S. M. Morgan, pastor, as reader, and a hymn choir.

The program: "Take Up Thy Cross," Henry Young and choir; "Jesus, I My Cross Have Taken," Miss Melen Beaty and hymn choir; "Prophecy of Easter Week," Wesley Sperry; "Palm Sunday," choir; hymn choir echoes, "All Glory, Laud and Honor."

"Conspiracy of the High Priest and Judas," reading; "The Last Supper," Mrs. Clyde Dungan; "Gethsemane," David Simon, solo, and Miss Dorothy Gilmore, solo, and Mrs. Clyde Dungan, duet, and choir; hymn choir echoes, "Go to Dark Gethsemane."

"The Arrest," reading; "The Accusation and Verdict," Mrs. G. L. Boone and choir; hymn choir echoes "In the Hour of Trial."

"Peter's Denial," reading; "Judas Repentance," choir; "Pilate and the Multitude," Henry Young and choir; "The Death," choir; "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross," Helen Beaty and hymn choir.

"Resurrection," women's trio, Mrs. S. M. Morgan, Mrs. G. L. Boone, Mrs. Dell Walters, choir; "Worship of the Risen Christ," Mrs. Fred Cole and choir; "The Easter Benediction," choir.

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Patricia Ruth White, Roswell, Gray Thomas, Artesia, Are Wedded

Miss Patricia Ruth White of Roswell and Gray Thomas, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thomas of Artesia, were married Sunday at the First Methodist Church parsonage at Carlsbad. Their only attendants were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Conley of Roswell.

Mr. Thomas recently received an honorable discharge from the Army. He spent two years overseas, serving on Ie Shima and Okinawa.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas are at home in Artesia.

Jack Hastie Honored Sunday in Observance Of Birthday April 16

Jack Hastie, who celebrated another birthday on April 16, was honored with a birthday dinner by the Old Timers organization at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ward Cave Sunday, April 7.

The dinner was given on Sunday, since Mr. and Mrs. Hastie will be in Arizona on his birthday.

Present to honor Mr. Hastie and enjoy the dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Cave and daughters, Edna

and Ethel; Mrs. Nellie Cogsdell, Mrs. Beulah Jones, and Mr. and Mrs. Hastie. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Spencer also were to have attended, but he has only recently returned from the hospital following a major operation and had not recovered sufficiently to be present.

Velma Springer Is Honored by "Hangar Gang" on Birthday

Miss Velma Springer was honored with a surprise birthday party Wednesday afternoon of last week at the home of Miss Nida Dunnam, with Miss Edna Cave and Miss Wanda Lunsford as hostesses.

A beautiful white birthday cake topped with an airplane and wind-sock was served with delicious sandwiches and soft drinks. An evening of enjoyment was spent dancing.

Those who were present included Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ehle, Raymond Davidson, Gilbert Elvin, Eugene Risley, Bob Blount, Overton Heidel, Cletha Jane Newton, Wanda Jean Springer, Nida Dunnam, Wanda Lunsford, Edna Cave, and the honoree, Velma Springer, all members of the "Hangar Gang."

"GET MINE" TACTICS ROAD TO DISASTER

Competitive efforts by different groups of people to break through price and rent controls will lead to disaster for all, in the opinion of Paul Porter, OPA administrator.

"Since the beginning of the war," Porter says, "the whole success or failure of price control has depended in large measure upon the maintenance of a reasonable balance of gain and loss among different economic groups — labor, business, agriculture, landlords, and others."

He deplored the tendency of economic groups to "eye each other" instead of looking at the national interest. This is tragic, since with a little more tolerance for the other fellow, there can be plenty for all, Porter said.

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MISS MONROE
DAUGHTER BORN
 Mrs. James D. Monroe
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 section at Artesia
 hospital last Thursday.
 Sandra Jean and
 weighed six pounds five
 ounces was born to
 Mrs. I. F. Wooton on
 Wednesday at Artesia
 Memorial Hospital.

DAUGHTER BORN
WEDNESDAY
 After weighing nine
 ounces was born to
 Mrs. Ensey Wednesday
 at Artesia Memorial Hospital.

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 Parrish, who entered
 hospital Wednesday of
 last discharged Monday
 after medical attention.
 C. Golden underwent a
 operation Wednesday of
 and is reported doing
 well.

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 len is being treated at
 for a fracture of his
 leg. He is improving nicely.
 O'Bannon was dis-
 charged from the hospital Tues-
 day after medical attention.

James Moore entered
 hospital last Thursday and
 was discharged after receiving
 medical attention.

attention is being given
 to W. Davis, who arrived
 at hospital last Thursday.
 He entered the hospital
 and was released
 after medical attention.
 L. Foust underwent a
 operation Friday. She is
 doing well.

Lee Fortenberry entered
 hospital Friday and was re-
 leased after receiving
 medical attention.

attention is being given
 to W. Wilson, who entered the
 hospital Friday.

Rosalie Rinker underwent
 operation last Friday.

Vernon Beaver, a patient
 at hospital, is recovering from
 operation.

operation was perform-

ed on Mrs. J. I. Exum, who entered
 the hospital Saturday. She re-
 ceived her release Wednesday.
 Mrs. I. F. Wooton is receiving
 medical attention.
 Mrs. D. D. Mann is receiving
 medical attention.
 Bobby Daniels has received
 medical attention at the hospital
 since Tuesday.

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 new. J. E. (Ted) Everts, phone
 437-M. 5-tfc

FOR SALE — Wood twin beds
 with box springs and matching
 mattresses; also small kitchen
 sink, new, with fittings, and few
 pairs of red barn paint. 212 S.
 Roselawn, after 5:30 p. m.
 15-2tp-16

FOR SALE OR LEASE — Skinnie's
 Drive-In. If really interested
 and have the money, see Skinnie.
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FOR SALE — Fairbanks-Morse
 home-size pressure pump of one
 HP with 60-foot pipe, 60-gallon
 pressure tank, all in good con-
 dition. W. R. Hornbaker, phone
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 dairy alfalfa, loose, could de-
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FOR SALE — Oil tanks and trail-
 ers, also used International
 truck parts. I also have winch
 trucks for heavy oil field hauling.
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FOR SALE — Popular and classi-
 cal phonograph records. Watch
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 Radio Service, 106 S. Roselawn.
 37-4tp-40-tfc

FOR SALE — One new 1000-watt,
 110-volt, 60-cycle gasoline pow-
 ered light plant, made by D. W.
 O'Neil & Sons. Taylor's Appliance
 Service, 307 S. Roselawn. 41-tfc

FOR SALE — 1937 Studebaker
 coupe, in good shape, Fred
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 13-4tp-16

FOR SALE — Registered cocker
 spaniel puppies, blondes and
 blacks. Donald Fanning, nine
 miles southeast of Artesia.
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FOR SALE — House at 804 Wash-
 ington. Call at 710 Washington
 or Sanitary Barber Shop. 15-2tp-16

FOR LEASE FOR OIL AND GAS
 320 acres. S½ of NE¼ Sec. 9, T
 16, R. 25; SE¼ Sec. 9, T. 16, R.
 25; S½ of NW¼ Sec. 10, T. 16,
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 North Market, Wichita, Kansas.
 15-4tc-18

FOR SALE — Cabin at Artesia
 Sacramento Camp, completely
 furnished, modern. Chuck Aston,
 phone 450. 15-tfc

FOR SALE — Surveyor's transit,
 also leveler. G. D. Woodside,
 820 S. Second, phone 760. 15-4tc-18

FOR SALE — Four-room house
 and 7 lots located in Morning-
 side Addition. See H. L. Journey.
 16-4tp-19

FOR SALE — 1936 Harley-David-
 son motorcycle, new tires, good
 motor. See J. G. Wallace, 508½
 East Mosley. 16-1tp

FOR SALE — Five-acre tract,
 three-room stucco house, kitch-
 enette, bath, lights, and gas. Also
 has fine well, soft water, new
 pressure pump, 82-gallon tank
 and pump house. Land can be cul-
 tivated or cut into town lots. Four
 blocks off Main Street, within city
 limits. Will sell acre tracts or
 as whole. Apply stucco house,
 end of North 10th, or North 9th
 facing Adams St. 16-2tp-17

FOR SALE — House and lot at
 903 Dallas Avenue. Phone 446-M.
 16-2tp-17

FOR SALE — Baby play pen and
 swing. Phone 285, Montgomery
 Watch Company. 16-tfc

FOR SALE — Full-size mattress,
 one six-tube Zenith radio table
 model, and one BB-gun, and two
 pounds of BB's. Phone 475-R. 16-tfc

FOR SALE — Delta jigsaw in ex-
 cellent condition. Phone 442-W.
 16-1tp

FOR SALE — Two-piece prewar
 living room suite. Can be seen
 at 509½ Quay St. 16-2tp-17

FOR SALE — Three window
 frames and screens; 100 used
 bricks; and one closet door. E. D.
 Cox, Lake Arthur, N. M. 16-2tp-17

FOR SALE — Dahlia bulbs. Mrs.
 Lee Francis, phone 159. 16-1tc

FOR SALE — Acreage, two miles
 on Hope Highway. Clarence Por-
 ter. 16-3tp-18

FOR SALE — House and lot,
 partly furnished or unfurnished,
 at 818 S. Second. Phone 335-M.
 16-1tp

FOR SALE — Four-room house
 on Missouri. Call 360-W. 16-1tc

FOR SALE — 1930 model Ford
 coach, \$140; baby electric washing
 machine, \$15. Ulas Golden, 706 S.
 Second, phone 579-W. 16-1tp

FOR SALE — Frame house, seven
 rooms and bath, to be moved,
 \$2850; four-room and bath Stucco,
 to be moved, \$1750, possession in
 20 days. Houses across street from
 Bryan's Courts, Wallace Box, Rt.
 1, Box 166. Reason for selling,
 will build courts on ground.
 16-2tp-17

FOR SALE — John Deere tractor,
 with cultivator; David Bradley
 tractor plow; small, portable
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 one-cylinder gasoline engine. Eu-
 gene Boans, 901 Richardson. 16-1tp

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 chine, motor, and tools. Inde-
 pendent Pipe & Supply. 16-1tp

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 vocate office. W. J. Neill, Box 202,
 Artesia. 16-1tp

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FOR SALE — Five-room modern
 house, 10 acres land, 9 acres in
 alfalfa, small orchard, 9-acre water
 right, two electric pumps. Leonard
 Howell, half mile west on Hope
 highway. 15-2tp-16

FOR SALE — Console model Phil-
 co radio, 11 tubes, excellent
 condition. Blocker's Electric Shop.
 15-tfc

FOR SALE — Frame house, 12x
 24. See George Fisher, Hope, N.
 M. 15-2tp-16

FOR SALE — 1936 Dodge sedan,
 ceiling price; 28-inch boys' bi-
 cycle, \$25; 22 Remington Special,
 \$27.50; Majestic radio, \$25; milk
 goat and Billy; and steer calf.
 John Knowles, quarter mile west
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 Fleming, phone 259-W. 16-tfc

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 tween ages of 18 and 35; also girl
 for fountain work. 16-2tc-17

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 cern needs office employee cap-
 able of taking dictation and per-
 manent. Work is in Artesia and per-
 manent. Write, giving full expe-
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 FOUND — Black horse, 16 hands
 high, white face, both hind feet
 white, branded "K" on left shoul-
 der, smooth mouth. If not claim-
 ed within 30 days of April 11,
 1946, will be sold at public sale.
 Will McKinney, Box 94 Artesia.
 15-4tp-18

CONDENSED FINANCIAL STATEMENT
OF THE CITY OF ARTESIA, NEW MEXICO

	Balance 7-1-45	Receipts to date	Disb. to date	Balance 3-1-46
Water Fund	9,924.22	50,552.32	53,955.51	6,521.03
Revenue Bond Fund	7,013.80	39,794.35	39,890.81	6,917.34
	16,938.02	90,346.67	93,846.32	13,438.37
GENERAL FUND				
	Balance 7-1-45	Receipts to date	Disb. to date	Balance 4-1-46
General Fund	14,770.75	44,446.80	34,037.05	25,180.50
Fire	4,312.73	2,000.00	476.81	5,835.92
Curb & Gutter	7,201.57	527.96	65.66	7,663.87
Blacktop	5,279.97	1,682.84	2,508.28	4,454.53
	31,565.02	48,657.60	37,087.80	43,134.82

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NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF SUIT THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO: Amy Henry, defendant, impleaded with the following named defendants against whom substituted service is hereby sought to be obtained, to-wit: Amy Henry,

Sterling P. Henry, Jr., Anna May Henry, and Nella B. Henry Sullivan; and the following named defendants by name if living, if deceased their unknown heirs, to-wit: Lots Ferson Minor, May Ferson Stevens; and the unknown heirs of the following named deceased persons to-wit: Sterling P. Henry, deceased, R. D. Ferson, deceased, Ralph Thornton Ferson, deceased; and ALL UNKNOWN CLAIMANTS OF INTEREST IN THE PREMISES ADVERSE TO THE PLAINTIFF, GREETING: You, and each of you are hereby notified that an action has been commenced and is now pending in the District Court of Eddy County, New Mexico wherein Lillie Jackson is plaintiff and you, and each of you, are defendants, said cause being No. 9382 on the civil docket of said Court. That the general object of the

action is to quiet title in the plaintiff against all claims of the defendants in the following described tract of land situate, lying and being in the County of Eddy and State of New Mexico, to-wit: The south 50 feet of Lots 2 and 4 in Block 9 of the Blair Addition to the Town (now City) of Artesia, New Mexico, as the same appears on the official plat thereof, subject to a mortgage dated December 1, 1944, made by John H. Roberson and Fannie Belle Roberson, his wife, to J. N. Foster and assigned to Beatrice Blocker, said mortgage appearing of record in the office of the County Clerk of Eddy County, New Mexico in Book 57 of Records of Mortgages, at Page 69, and to bar and forever estop you, and each of you, said defendants from having or claiming any lien upon, or right, title or interest to the above described premises adverse to the plaintiffs, and to forever quiet and set at rest the plaintiff's title to a fee simple estate thereon. If you, or any of you defendants, fail to enter your appearance in said cause on or before the 10th day of May, 1946, judgment by default will be rendered in said cause against each of you so failing to enter your appearance, and the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the Complaint. Plaintiff's attorney is Neil B. Watson, and his post office address is Artesia, New Mexico. WITNESS my hand and the seal of said Court on this 22nd day of March, A. D., 1946. Marguerite E. Waller Clerk of the District Court (SEAL) 13-4c-16

NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF SUIT THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO: HARRY G. PECK, defendant, 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, to-wit: HARRY G. PECK, also known as HARRY T. PECK, CORA E. PECK, ETHEL BERT A. CLAYTON, EUGENIA C. CLAYTON, CHARLES J. SHORETT, BARBARA SHORETT, F. M. SMITH, UNA F. SMITH, and OLIN F. RAGSDALE, and ALL UNKNOWN CLAIMANTS OF INTEREST IN THE PREMISES ADVERSE TO THE PLAINTIFF, GREETING: You, and each of you, are hereby notified that an action has been commenced and is now pending in the District Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, wherein Alfred Mermis is plaintiff and you, and each of you, are defendants, said cause being No. 9392 on the civil docket of said Court. That the general object of the action is to quiet title in the plaintiff against all claims of the defendants in the following described parcels of land and real estate situate, lying and being in the County of Eddy and State of New Mexico, to-wit: Beginning at a point 794.28 feet East of the Southwest Corner of the Northwest NE/4 Section 18, Township 17 South, Range 26 East, N.M.P.M., as a starting point; thence West 58 feet, thence North at right angle 150 feet; thence East at right angle 58 feet; thence South to the point of beginning, being a tract of land 58 feet by 150 feet, known as Lot one of the Cowan Subdivision, being subject to a certain mortgage executed on March 1, 1946, appearing of record in Book 57 at Page 15 of the Mortgage Records of Eddy County, New Mexico, in favor of R. E. Stewart, which plaintiff recognizes as a valid and subsisting lien against said property. And to bar and forever estop you, and each of you, said defendants, from having or claiming any lien upon, or right or title to the above described premises adverse to the plaintiff, and to forever quiet and set at rest the plaintiff's title to a fee simple estate therein. If you, or any of you defendants, fail to enter your appearance in said cause on or before the 10th day of May, 1946, judgment by default will be rendered in said cause against each of you so failing to enter your appearance, and the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the Complaint. Plaintiff's attorney is Neil B. Watson, and his post office address is Artesia, New Mexico. WITNESS my hand and the seal of said Court on this 22nd day of March, A. D., 1946. Marguerite E. Waller Clerk of the District Court (SEAL) 13-4c-16

NOTICE OF PUBLICATION Pursuant to Section 32-238, New Mexico Statutes Annotated, Codification of 1929, notice is hereby given of the filing in the State Corporation Commission of New Mexico of a certificate of Incorporation of ARTESIA GARDENS, INC. 1. The amount of authorized capital stock is: 200 shares, with the par value of \$200.00 per share. The amount of capital stock actually issued, and with which the corporation will commence business is: \$2,200.00. 2. The names of the incorporators and their post office addresses are: Emery Carper, Artesia, New Mexico; H. G. Watson, Artesia, New Mexico; Robert Bourland, Artesia, New Mexico; L. B. Feather, Artesia, New Mexico; William H. Bullock, Artesia, New Mexico; Walter P. Luck, Artesia, New Mexico; N. M. Baird, Artesia, New Mexico; Neil B. Watson, Artesia, New Mexico; W. W. Batic, Artesia, New Mexico; Stanley L. Jones, Artesia, New Mexico; B. E. Spencer, Artesia, New Mexico. 3. The objects and purposes of the said corporation are: To buy, sell, lease and to deal in real estate of every kind and description, on a commission basis or otherwise. To lay out and plat townships and additions and sell the lots and tracts therein for residential purposes. To own, operate and lease farms and farm lands. And as more fully set forth in the Articles of Incorporation. 4. The Principal place of business of the corporation is Artesia, New Mexico and the name of the statutory agent therein and in charge thereof upon whom process against the corporation may be served is Emery Carper, Artesia, New Mexico. 5. Filed in the office of the State Corporation Commission on March 27, 1946. No. 24123 Cor. Rec'd Vol 6, Page 9 at 2:15 p. m. STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION OF NEW MEXICO By George W. Armijo, Chairman Certified copy of Certificate of Incorporation has been recorded in the office of County Clerk of Eddy County, New Mexico, 1946, at 8:30 A. M. Book 5, Page 106. 15-1tc

NOTICE STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE Number of Application RA-1258, RA-1668 and RA-1258S. Santa Fe, N. M. April 3, 1946 Notice is hereby given that on the 2nd day of March, 1946, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, B. E. Green of Artesia, County of Eddy, State of New Mexico, made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a permit to drill a 12 1/2 inch diameter shallow groundwater well approximately 200 feet in depth at a location in the NW 1/4 SW 1/4 NE 1/4 of Section 32, Township 16 South, Range 26 East, N. M. P. M., for the purpose of supplementing Well RA-1258 for the proper irrigation of 82.98 acres of land under File No. RA-1668 A and RA-1258 Comb., described as NW 1/4 NE 1/4 of said Section 32, being 30 acres, and 52.98 acres under file RA-1258, described as W 1/2 SW 1/4 of said Section 32. All lands involved are

also West of Santa Fe R. R. 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

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NOTICE OF PENDING SUIT THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO to Unknown heirs of Joseph T. Goodale, deceased; impleaded with the following named defendants against whom substituted service is hereby sought to be obtained, to-wit: Unknown heirs of Joseph T. Goodale, deceased; Unknown heirs of John J. Fox, deceased; the following defendants by name, if living, if deceased, their unknown heirs; James Chisum, Walter P. Chisum, also known as Walter Chisum, and his wife Inez Chisum, W. J. Chisum, and his wife Lena Chisum, William F. Evans, Morris J. Farris, William Robert, Brittan Hadley, and All Unknown Claimants of Interest in the Premises Adverse to the Plaintiff, defendants, Greeting: You are hereby notified that a suit has been filed against you, and each of you, by Robert L. Vogel, as plaintiff, in the District Court of the Fifth Judicial District of the State of New Mexico,

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 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.
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 Sunday School, 7:15 p. m., Wednesday evening.
 Services 8 p. m.
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LAKE ARTHUR-COTTONWOOD METHODIST CHURCHES
Cottonwood
 Sunday school, 10 a. m. each Sunday.
 Worship service, 11 a. m. second and fourth Sundays.
 Ladies' Aid, third Thursday.
 Sunday school, 10 a. m. each Sunday.
 Lake Arthur
 Sunday.
 Worship service, 11 a. m. first and third Sundays.
 Epworth League, 6:30 p. m. each Sunday.
 Preaching, 7:30 p. m. each Sunday.
 W. S. C. S., first Wednesday.
 Chester Rogers, Pastor.

OUR LADY OF GRACE CATHOLIC CHURCH
 North Hill
 Mass Sundays, 9 a. m., Spanish sermon.
 Confessions every Saturday, 4 to 5 p. m., and before Mass Sunday mornings.
 Franciscan Fathers in charge.
 Rev. Francis Geary, O. M. C., Pastor.
 Father Stephen Bono, O. M. C., Assistant.

ST. ANTHONY CATHOLIC CHURCH
 Ninth and Missouri
 Mass Sunday, 8 a. m., English sermon.
 Mass weekdays, 8 a. m.
 Confessions every Saturday, 7:30 to 8 p. m., and before Mass Sunday mornings.
 Franciscan Fathers in charge.

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

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

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

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
 Corner Fourth and Chisholm
 Sunday Services
 Bible school, 9:45 a. m.
 Morning worship, 11 a. m.
 Evening worship, 8 p. m.
 Weekly Services
 Tuesday prayer meeting, 8 p. m.
 C. A. Program, Thursday, 8 p. m., special music and songs.
 The public is invited to attend each service.
 R. L. FRANKS, Pastor.

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

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
 Corner Sixth and Quay
 Bible School 9:45 a. m.
 Worship Service, 11 a. m.
 Christian Endeavor, 6:30 p. m.
 Evening worship, 7:30 p. m.
 Mid-week Bible study, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.
 Official board meets first Monday of each month, 8 p. m.
 Visitors welcome at all services.
 —Kenneth H. Tuttle, Pastor.
 Visitors welcome at all services.

SPANISH-AMERICAN METHODIST CHURCH
 North Hill
 Sunday school, every Sunday at 10 a. m., Mrs. Lucinda H. Martinez, superintendent.
 Preaching service, every other Sunday at 3 p. m., by the pastor.
 The pastor also will be in Artesia the second Wednesday in each month to visit members and friends, and there will be a service on the same night at 7:30 p. m. at the church.
 We ask all members and friends please to take notice of the new schedule, and to be present at Sunday school every Sunday morning and learn the Sunday when the pastor will be here at 3 p. m. to preach. Do not forget our radio devotional over KAVE every Monday at 8:30 a. m.
 The public and all visitors are welcome to our services which are all in Spanish.
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 Morning worship, 11 a. m.
 Evening services, 7:30 p. m.

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 Young People's Endeavor, Friday, 7:30 p. m.
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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. Walter, Evangelist.

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. J. R. Miller, president.
 Wesleyan Service Guild, first Monday, 7 p. m., Mrs. Leona French, president.
 Official board, second Tuesday, 7:30 p. m., A. P. Mahone, chairman, Glenn Caskey, secretary.
 Choir rehearsal each Wednesday evening, 7:30, Mrs. Glenn Caskey, director; Mrs. Elizabeth Williams organist.
 Nursery for small children, for both Sunday school and morning service, with practical nurse in charge.
 C. A. Clark, Pastor.

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

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
 Corner of Fifth and Quay
 Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
 Morning worship service, 11 a. m.

March Visitors to Eddy County's Caverns Double Record of 1941.

The Carlsbad Caverns are continuing to break all records for visitors, according to the latest report from Col. Thomas Boles, superintendent.
 The report shows the 22,852 visitors registered during March, as compared with 11,966 in March, 1941, the previous record third month, nearly double.
 The visitors came from all of the United States, Alaska, the district of Columbia, Hawaii, and 15 foreign countries. Exactly 1000 New Mexicans viewed their state's greatest wonder among many wonders, while Texas led the parade with 4793.
 Geographical distribution of visitors by states and territories:
 Arkansas 176, Alabama, 110, Alaska 8, Arizona 154, California 3310, Colorado 670, Connecticut 90, Delaware 31, District of Columbia 52, Florida 208, Georgia 150, Hawaii 15, Idaho 138, Illinois 1320, Indiana 440, Iowa 534, Kansas 720, Kentucky 79, Louisiana 264, Maine 46, Maryland 59, Massachusetts 189, Michigan 945, Minnesota 598, Mississippi 71.

receive help for the longest period of time, Roy F. Hendrickson, UNRRA deputy general reports.
 On the other hand, there is a good chance that coming harvests in Poland, Yugoslavia, and Czechoslovakia will afford temporary lightening of the food supply burden this year, he said.

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Locations Are Made by Malco and Leonard in Eddy County Oil Fields

No new production was brought in this week in the Eddy County fields, but operators staked two new locations.

They were: Malco Refineries, Inc., Bynum 1, SE NW 8-20-25; Leonard Oil Co., State 14, NE SE 28-17-29.

Drilling at 100. Barney Cockburn, A. N. Etr 6, NW SW 26-16-30. Drilling at 620; 8 1/4-inch cement- ed at 515.

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Artesia Sales Receives Maytag Specifications

Announcement of special features and specifications of the new Maytag home freezer have been received by Artesia Sales Company, Maytag dealer in Artesia.

The new product, which is described as "not just another freezer but a complete kitchen unit," has six cubic feet net capacity of locker space with an operating temperature of zero Fahrenheit in all climates. It will hold 300 pounds of meat or 180 pounds of fruit and vegetables, or an average of 240 pounds of mixed packages, including meat, fruit, and vegetables.

A convenient defrosting pan is located on top of the unit so that heat from the compressor speeds defrosting of foods and keeps this operation out of the kitchen sink. The lid is counter-balanced for ease in operation and stays in position when up.

JOHN FLOREZ ARRIVES AT MEMORIAL HOSPITAL. A son, John, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Florez at Artesia Memorial Hospital Friday.

N-O-W A-V-A-I-L-A-B-L-E. Smith Machinery Co. of Roswell, New Mexico has just received a shipment of OLIVER ANN ARBOR AUTOMATIC HAY BALERS. Operated by one man instead of a crew. Either write or call at SMITH MACHINERY COMPANY. 512 East Second Street Roswell, New Mexico

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Artesia Beauty Shop to Open Here Saturday

Announcement of the opening Saturday, April 20, of the Artesia Beauty Shop at 114 South Fifth Street, was made this week by Mrs. James Buck and Marjorie Collins, owners, the latter of whom will be the manager.

The business is new and is to be located in the new building just completed by Clyde Roberts, who is occupying the frontage at 112 South Second for his barber shop.

The shop is efficiently arranged with booths for three operators, and it is beautifully decorated. For the present there will be two operators, Miss Collins and Miss Evelyn Floyd, formerly of Memphis, Tenn., a sister of Mrs. Curtis Sharp of Artesia. She operated a shop of her own 12 years and the last two years was a demonstrator of a cold wave.

Mrs. Westaway Seeks Re-election As Assessor. Mrs. Richard Westaway, Eddy County assessor, this week announced herself a candidate for re-election, subject to the Democratic primary, to be held Tuesday, June 4.

She is seeking election on the same basis as would any employee in private business, that of knowledge of the job, experience and efficiency.

Miss Linda Parrish, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Parrish of Artesia, is spending the spring recess from the Hockaday School, Dallas, Tex., as a guest of her cousin, Miss Gail Potts, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Morton W. Potts, Fort Worth, Tex. Miss Parrish, a prep school student, will resume her studies Monday.

W. A. Sudderth who sustained four fractured ribs in an automobile accident Monday night of last week, is recovering nicely and is going about his business, somewhat painfully, however. He was blinded by a spotlight while driving on the Lovings highway 10 miles east of Artesia, and swerved and applied his brakes, and his car was struck from behind by another.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Anthis had as their house guests last week their daughter, Miss Jane Anthis, a student at Oklahoma A. & M. College, Stillwater. Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Rohlf, Guthrie, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Krafczik and daughter, Bessie, Laramie, Wyo., and Mrs. David Warden, Salt Lake City, Utah.

Homer Val Bratcher was honorably discharged from the Navy at Terminal Island, San Pedro, Calif., on April 6, after serving since Sept. 21, 1943. At the time of his discharge he was a machinist's mate second class.

NOTICE OF BOND SALE. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that sealed bids for the purchase of Municipal Hospital Bonds of the City of Artesia, Eddy County, New Mexico, in the principal amount of \$90,000.00 will be received and publicly opened at the office of the City Clerk of said City in Artesia, New Mexico, on the 10th day of May, 1946, at the hour of 7:30 P. M.

Said bonds shall bear interest at a rate not to exceed two and one-half percent (2 1/2%) per annum, payable semi-annually and shall be in the principal amount of One Thousand Dollars each, serial in form and maturity and numbered from one upwards consecutively. The various annual maturities shall commence not later than the third year after the date of issue of such bonds, and shall not run for a longer period than

twenty years from the date of issue. Bidders shall specify: (a) The lowest rate of interest or premium, if any, above par for which said bidder will purchase said bonds, and (b) The lowest rate of interest for which the bidder will purchase such bonds at par.

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ARTESIA MUNICIPAL SCHOOLS SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES FOR MARCH 1946. Fund RECEIPTS: Maintenance 22,819.52; Direct Charge 9,544.50; Interest 114.84; Sinking 883.69; Total Receipts 33,362.55. EXPENDITURES: Maintenance 917.70; General Control 12,342.35; Instructional service 1,108.85; Operation of plant 2,129.30; Auxiliary Agencies 16,498.20; Total 20,260.11.

NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF SUIT. THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO: R. B. Sleaze, defendant, impleaded with the following named defendants against whom substituted service is hereby sought to be obtained, to-wit: E. S. Long, Eva Morosi, Reba Mae Long, C. J. Long, Jr., Joyce Lou Long, Charles Lee Long, Joy Lavone Long; and the following named defendants by name if living, if deceased their unknown heirs, to-wit: Jessie E. Smith, Lillie Belle Smith, J. J. Reece; and the unknown heirs of the following named deceased persons, to-wit: Joseph T. Goodale, Deceased, John R. Rogers, Deceased, J. H. Long, Deceased, C. J. Long, Deceased; and Unknown Claimants of Interest in the Premises Adverse to the Plaintiff. GREETING: You, and each of you, are here-

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