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Chavez, Mabry, Lee Probable Nominees

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Artesia Fetes SWNM Scouts Monday

Artesia to make Artesia place for the weekly of the New Mexico Association was extended evening, when the Scouts of New Mexico and other oil fraternity met at an appreciation local men representing the Artesia Chamber of Commerce.

Who held their week-end here Tuesday, at Lovington, the regular place, at that time on the invitation, individuals can poll their names, as reported by Midland, Tex., of the group.

an informal of the Roof Garden of the hotel, with Chuck Astor, serving as toastmaster, was attended by 114 oil scouts and visitors from as far away as Oklahoma. The major scouts, who work of New Mexico fields, Midland, Tex., with Seminole, Tex., Lovington, Roswell, Carlsbad and Artesia.

However, the programs, made in the form of a well log, disclosed that Aston was the "tool pusher."

The banquet proper was the fourth of eight entries shown on the log, the first of which was "Sign Lease," at 4 o'clock. The second was "Staking location for the Chamber of Commerce, oil scouts No. 1," which was a pre-banquet get-together for the visitors and hosts.

"Rigging up" was the taking of photographs on the Roof Garden of the hotel, immediately after which came "Spudding and making hole," at the banquet proper, for which Tommy Karr, manager of the hotel, was listed as "pipeline foreman."

Entertainment was furnished by J. Bud Farrar at the piano during the meal and then by a group of young women for whom he had arranged. Listed as "testers," they were: Miss Carol Hensley, who favored with accordion solos; Miss Janie Dunnam, vocal solos, accompanied by Mrs. Carl Jorren, and Miss Pat Watson, piano and fire baton number, accompanied by Mrs. Jorren.

First on the list of "gassers," besides Toastmaster Aston, was

Emery Carper, former mayor of Artesia, who gave a short address of welcome.

Carol Mitchell of Midland, president of the New Mexico Oil Scouts Association, gave a short response and turned over the introduction of the oil scouts to Roger Harold of Seminole, Tex., vice president.

In behalf of the city, Mayor A. P. (Doc) Mahone, and in behalf of the Chamber of Commerce, Artie McAnally, president, presented Mitchell letters from the city and Chamber, inviting the oil scouts to make Artesia their regular meeting place. The association president, who read the letters aloud, assured the city and Chamber of Commerce that the invitations would be given consideration by the scouts.

The program listed Niven Baird, Jack Frost, Ralph Nix, Charles Gaskins, H. M. Blackburn, Ralph Petty, J. S. Ward, Clyde Parrish, and Artie McAnally as "troubleshooters," the committee which was responsible for the success of the appreciation dinner.

The idea was "hatched up" by Tom Watson, manager of the Chamber of Commerce, to whom many members gave the credit.

Mabry Leads



Thomas J. Mabry is leading in the race for the Democratic nomination for governor, crowding out William J. Barker and Burton Roach in a field of six candidates.

Refinery Fire Is More Spectacular Than Disastrous

A fire from a ruptured tube in the cracking furnace at the New Mexico Asphalt & Refining Company plant at 1 o'clock Wednesday afternoon was more spectacular than disastrous, although it did threaten the plant and created a hazard.

E. W. Allen, secretary of the company, said the loss could not be estimated accurately immediately, but that he thought it would not exceed \$5000. He said the strong south wind at the time of the fire made it a hazard to the entire plant, but that the blaze was extinguished without serious damage or without injury to anyone.

He explained rumors that employees of the refining company had been burned or otherwise injured in the blaze Wednesday afternoon probably were traceable to burns suffered at about 10 o'clock Wednesday morning by Edward Burl Pitts and Y. G. Partlow, when gas vapors from a hot oil pump burned their thighs painfully. The two men were treated by a local physician and then were hospitalized at Artesia Memorial Hospital.

Allen said the fire early Wednesday afternoon would not interrupt the plant, except as to the cracking furnace, in which the fire raged for more than half an hour, starting this morning.

No attempt was made immediately to extinguish the blaze, he said, but rather to control it and keep it as cool as possible, allowing it to burn itself out. Such is the method employed in refinery fires of that nature, he said, when oil, forced through pressure through a ruptured pipe, is burning.

Artesia firemen stood by in order to protect other property, while the refinery fire squad extinguished the blaze. It was the second time they were called to the plant within a week. The previous call was at 1:30 o'clock Sunday morning, when a ruptured tube caused a blaze without serious consequences.

Previously the same night, at 6 o'clock Saturday evening, the fire-

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Mrs. Brainard, Women's Civic Worker, Dies

Mrs. G. R. Brainard, a long-time resident of the Artesia community and for many years one of the leaders in club and civic affairs for women, died at 1:10 o'clock Sunday morning at her farm home eight miles southeast of Artesia, after failing in health the last nine years.

Mrs. Brainard, who was 79 years old, had sought comfort at the mountain home of hers and Mr. Brainard's in the White Mountains at Rudoso the last few summers. They had not moved to the mountains this year, because of the increasing seriousness of Mrs. Brainard's illness.

Her former pastor, Rev. W. B. McCrory of Hotchkiss, Colo., was in charge of the funeral services, which were at 3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon from the First Presbyterian Church of Artesia. He was assisted by Rev. Paul L. Brown, pastor. Burial was in Woodbine Cemetery. Pallbearers were Rex Wheatley, V. L. Gates, W. Leslie Martin, James Allen, A. P. Mahon, and Hugh Kiddy.

Mrs. Brainard is survived by her husband, three children, five grandchildren, and four great-grandchildren. The children are Ruth B., Mrs. J. W. Knorr, Roswell; Noble E. Brainard, Fort

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United American Veterans Chapter Being Formed Here

With the submission of a petition and 20 signatures, to national headquarters of the Disabled American Veterans, Cincin-Ohio, plans are nearing completion of a chapter of a chapter of the Disabled American Veterans of the first three veterans organizations—the American Legion and Veterans of Foreign Wars being the other two—recognition by the United States Congress.

It is commonly recognized that the activities in behalf of the veterans, their dependents, and of those who have made the supreme sacrifice on the battlefield, is looked upon as the unofficial duty of the organization.

men and women who have incurred in the service, through the degree of disability may not be commensurate. The one requirement is that it be a service.

include all persons, S.C.D., C.C.D., or other discharge, and disabled emergency of membership is not recognizable veterans of the

World Wars but to those of any and all wars in which this nation has engaged.

Alan R. Thompson has been selected as secretary and temporary finance officer, pending the granting of the charter. He said an organizational meeting will be held in the near future, at which time a name for the chapter will be made and officers selected.

He also wished to emphasize the fact that although a petition has been submitted for a charter, charter membership will not be restricted to the names of the petitioners. The national body will be requested to hold the charter open for 45 days and anyone joining during that time may become a charter member.

The petitioners are Garland Cross, C. G. Twilley, Sidney A. Smith, O. D. Conner, King P. Burtner, Ray D. Reyes, Felix T. Woosley, Alan R. Thompson, Flurry F. Elvin, Rufus E. Lee, Widd M. Boyce, William W. Dunn, J. L. Truett, Maxwell Johnson, Wade C. Cunningham, Donald Ousley, W. S. Boggs, Bud Boggs, William P. Smith, and Bill Dunnam. The last six are members of the Roswell chapter, but expect to become charter members of the local chapter when it is organized.

Thompson or any of the petitioners will be glad to give further information to eligibles, who might be interested in becoming charter members, he said.

Union Vacation Bible School to Close on Friday

The Union Vacation Bible School, which has been in session for the past two weeks at the Central School, will be closed with a picnic Friday noon and a program then at 7:30 Friday evening in the First Methodist Church.

Attendance awards will be issued to those who have been regular in attendance. There are some 220 enrolled in the school now.

Along with the program, which is to be offered on Friday evening, will be an exhibit of the work done by the students in the Vacation Bible School.

Activities of the Bible School included a study period properly suited to each age group, handicraft, recreation, music, a devotion led by the children, and a daily movie.

The public is invited to attend the program, which is to be planned and presented by the children on Friday evening.

No Time Changes in Mail Dispatch Is Contemplated

Although there have been some slight changes made in the arriving and leaving time of mail trains and which affects the closing time for mail deposited in the postoffice, no change in this time will be necessary if full and complete cooperation is given by the public, it has been announced by Postmaster J. L. Truett.

The closing time for mail depositing for evening dispatch has been at 7:30 p. m. and it has given ample time for the dispatcher to make train connections. This hour will remain the same if the cooperation necessary is given.

All mail must be deposited in street letter boxes and at the postoffice as early in the day as possible. No mail should be held for deposit until 7:30 p. m. unless it is an extreme emergency, it was explained. If all patrons hold their mailings until the deadline is crowded, the dispatcher cannot perform the impossible of doing a day's work in 30 minutes.

The public also was requested not to call the dispatcher asking if mail will go out because he will be too busy to answer the phone, answer questions or converse with the public. The public is urged not to call the office by phone after 5:30 p. m., which is the daily closing time for clerks to leave the office. After this hour, it was stated, only the dispatcher is in the postoffice and he does not have time to answer the phone, personal call or talk to visitors at the office.

The fact was emphasized that all of the time of the dispatch

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Representatives of VA Will Assist Vets in Artesia June 7 and 14

Arthur E. Day, contact representative for the Veterans Administration, with offices at Carlsbad, will be in Artesia Friday, June 7 and 14, to confer with veterans and their dependants having any claims to make or needing information.

He will be at the North Eddy County Veterans Advisory Committee office in the Artesia city hall on both days.

Any veterans or dependants having claims to make or otherwise needing assistance may contact the VA representative here on Friday of this week or next.

Board Members File Response; Suspension Hearing Is Today

The members of the Artesia School Board, who were to appear in Eddy County District Court at Carlsbad at 10 o'clock this morning to show cause why they should not be temporarily suspended from office pending the final outcome of proceedings to remove them from office, several days ago filed a response to the complaint filed by District Attorney G. T. Watts last month.

In their response, the board members allege "that the complaint is not legally sufficient and this action is not properly brought," citing thereafter their reasons.

The members, M. G. Schulze, Mrs. Landis E. Feather, W. Leslie Martin, Fred L. Jacobs, and Glenn W. Booker, give as reasons that the accusation (that the publication law has been violated, as set forth in the complaint) was not presented to the grand jury, was not presented in open court, and

REA Maintains Perfect Record in League Play

The REA softball team still leads the Artesia league with a perfect record of wins, as play goes into the third week.

Scores in games Tuesday evening: REA 16, Grayburg 8; high school 12, Asphalt 3.

Results of games last Thursday: REA 8, high school 3; Conoco 12, Asphalt 8.

Standings of the five teams to date:

Team	Won	Lost
REA	5	0
Grayburg	2	2
Conoco	2	2
High school	1	4
Asphalt	0	2

The REA team played two games the last week besides the league matchings. On Wednesday last week, REA defeated the Magnolia Oil Company team of Lovington 10-6 and on Friday blanked out Roswell 11-0.

Cub Awards and Promotions Are Given Friday

Awards and promotions were made to five Scouts Friday evening at the final pack meeting until July, held at the First Baptist Church.

They were: Donald Phelan, Wolf Badge; Donald Kiddy, Wolf Badge; Wendell Fischbeck, Bear Pin; Kirk Jordan and Hildreth Barker, graduation to Boy Scout status.

Although there will be no regular pack meetings during June, Cubmaster Walter Short asked that the regular den meetings be held and that the Cubs continue their work on achievements. He said each Cub is to keep in touch with his den mother and announced that swimming is to be taught this summer in the municipal swimming pool. The next pack meeting has been set tentatively for July 19, he announced.

Cubmaster Short said that the theme for June will be "Family Fun" and for July will be "Cub Circus Month," during which all Cubs are to work on anything connected with the circus, with achievements and electives to include skill and safety, strength, make believe, things that go, music, and drawing.

About 300 Cubs and parents were in attendance, much smaller than the attendance during the cooler months.

Girl Scout Camps To Be Held Here All of Next Week

The Girl Scout day camp for Intermediates and Brownies will open at 8:30 o'clock next Monday morning, June 10.

The Intermediate Scouts will gather at the Morris Field stadium bringing a properly filled application blank and a 30-cent registration fee.

Brownie Scouts will have their meetings at the First Methodist Church and will also be required to bring the application blanks and the registration fees, which are to cover the camp expenses.

The Intermediate Scouts will study primitive camping and the Brownies will have a course on fairy tales, which will include music, games, handicraft, nature, and stories.

The camp will be in session for six days starting Monday and running through Saturday. In order for a girl to receive credit for attendance, she must be present for at least four of the meetings.

There will be a registered nurse present each day to help with the health and safety program.

Only registered Girl Scouts and Brownies may attend the camp. As this will be the only opportunity offered the Brownie Scouts for a camp this year, they are particularly urged to attend.

Senate Nominee



Sen. Dennis Chavez is the apparent nominee on the Democratic ticket for senator, running in November to succeed himself. Incomplete returns indicate he has defeated Gov. John J. Dempsey for the nomination.

county commissioner of the third district by a vote of 1775 over 766 for E. W. Parchman.

Rep. Antonio M. Fernandez led the field of eight candidates for Congress in the state for one of the two nominations. Incomplete returns indicated that either Lt. Gov. J. B. (Jawbone) Jones or State Superintendent Georgia Lusk would receive the other nomination. The state vote: Fernandez, 16,098; Jones 12,179; Lusk 11,665; Cleveland 4817; Tackett 5905; Case 5507; Martinez 8508; Burke 7111.

Mrs. Lusk was far out in front in both North Eddy County and the county at large, with Jones taking second. J. L. Burke, Jr., was third in the county and Fernandez was fourth, while in North Eddy County their positions were reversed.

Joe M. Montoya is the probable nominee for lieutenant governor, polling 9078 votes to 8574 for Dr. M. S. Smith in a field of 10, according to returns from 436 precincts. In Eddy County and North Eddy County respectively the returns showed: Montoya 401, 49; Smith 695, 250; Lopez 131, 26; Stringfellow 88, 22; Monroe 222, 70; McCarthy 371, 131; Seefeldt 37, 22; Sena 15, 2; Krannawitter 161, 100; Clayton 815, 294.

Sidney J. Stone led the state for secretary of state with 13,355 votes, to 10,639 for Mrs. A. M. Romero and 5811 for Velma Dowdy. Eddy and North Eddy County votes: Stone 1672, 619; Romero 605, 132; Dowdy 549, 192.

In the Democratic state auditor race, Robert Castner led the state and county. State, county, and North Eddy tabulations: Castner 9187, 1311, 420; John A. Flaska 7260, 1047, 115; E. D. Trujillo 6120, 297, 113; Mrs. Blanche E. Lucero 5949, 514, 144.

Other state candidates, giving incomplete state and Eddy County and complete North Eddy County returns:

State treasurer—H. R. Rodgers, 8990, 1039, 330; R. L. Ormsbee 6798, 703, 243; John Bingham 6419, 897, 339; Ralph Gallegos 5682, 210, 52.

Attorney general—C. C. McCulloch, incumbent, 11,057, 814, 286; John D. Murphy 9395, 907, 265; William A. Watson 6930, 927, 362.

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Hyphenated Name Proposed to Honor War II Hero in Legion

The addition of the name of a World War II serviceman who gave his life for his country to the name of Clarence Kepple Post No. 41, the American Legion, was proposed by Dr. L. F. Hamilton, after his installation Monday evening as post commander for 1946-47.

Commander Hamilton suggested that whereas Clarence Kepple, the first local man lost in World War I, was honored by the post, it would be appropriate similarly to honor a hero of World War II.

He asked for no immediate action, but that the members of the post give the idea thought for consideration at a later meeting.

The other officers for the coming year, some of whom were installed and others of whom were absent:

First vice commander, Creighton Gilchrist; second vice commander, Fred Brainard; third vice commander, Calvin Dunn; sergeant-at-arms, Charles Baldwin; finance officer, Ray Bartlett; historian, Russell Floore; chaplain, John Simmons, Jr.; executive committee, Commander Hamilton, by virtue of his election as commander, and Steve Lanning, Fred Brainard, Howard Whitson, J. B. Muncy, Wayne Truett, and William Bartlett.

Commander Hamilton announced the appointment of Harry Gilmore as adjutant.

Delegates and alternates to the annual New Mexico department convention in Raton June 20-22 were elected at the meeting Monday.

The delegates: Commander Hamilton, Past Commander Charles Denton, Dee Donnell, J. B. Muncy, Oscar Samelson, Howard Whitson, Steve Lanning, Henry W. Etz, Harry Gilmore, Donald

S. Bush, Robert L. Williams, James A. Emery, Richard A. Stanley, Fred L. Jacobs, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bartlett, Bill Bartlett, Miss Abbie Durand, Creighton Gilchrist, John Simmons, Jr., and Alex McGonagill.

Alternates: Orville Durbin, Bob Fulton, Wayne Truett, J. E. Lauderdale, Ray S. Carter, Jr., H. D. Burch, J. B. Mulcock, Olin Woodside, Frank Smith, A. L. Bert, Fred Brainard, Bill Dunnam, Walter E. Chambers, Charles Flores, C. R. Vandagriff, Bill Keyes, Bob Ferguson, Charles Baldwin, Edwin Ward, Charles Bullock, and Lonnie Edmondson.

Howard Whitson, a past commander, was installing officer. He was assisted by Vice Commander E. M. Perry, who also presided at the meeting in the absence of Commander Charles Denton; G. D. Woodside, acting second vice commander; Oscar Samelson, past commander, and Lonnie Edmondson, acting sergeant-at-arms.

During the business session Whitson reported that Commander Denton and members of the building committee had recently held a conference in regard to the proposed new post building with a government official, who had given them some encouragement as to the possibilities that materials for a part of the structure might be obtainable, but that since the conference restrictions on nonresidential construction has tightened up and prospects are now not too bright.

After the meeting and installation of new officers, held in the Central School gymnasium, a social hour with dancing and cards was enjoyed by members and their wives and sweethearts and members of the American Legion Auxiliary and escorts.

Little Theater Play, 'Blythe Spirit,' To Be Presented Tonight, Friday

The Artesia Little Theater is giving its first performance in several years tonight, when it presents "Blythe Spirit." The curtain will go up promptly at 8 o'clock. It has been announced by Miss Dorothy Gilmour, president, that because of the nature of the play, the doors will be closed as the curtain rises and latecomers will be asked to remain in the hall until after the first scene is completed.

The play, "Blythe Spirit," is an improbable farce in three acts and was written by Noel Coward and has a cast of seven including: Dick Smith as Charles, Mrs. Ruth Lytle as Ruth, Nida Dunnam as Elvira, Russell Floore as Dr. Bradman, Mrs. Theda Smith as Edith, the maid, and Helen Perkins as Madame Arcati, a medium.

The play is based on the powers of the supernatural world and the difficulties that can arise when Charles finds the ghost of Elvira, his first wife, wandering about the house he now occupies with Ruth, his second wife, and as she is visible and audible only to Charles, he finds himself the center of great consternation on the part of Ruth, and high hilarity from Elvira's point of view.

"Blythe Spirit," originally produced in London, has enjoyed a long and quite successful run. It was seen by three members of the play staff while they were overseas with the armed forces.

There will be two performances, tonight and tomorrow night, both to start promptly at 8 o'clock, and advance ticket sales predict a success financially as well as in production.

Swimming Program for Summer Has Been Announced

The schedule for the summer program and program has now been announced by W. E. Kerr.

and physical education is slated to be the morning and afternoon, while the musical scheduled for the afternoon.

and physical education for boys under the F. L. Green opens at 11 in the mornings, five days a week. These will include play, softball, tennis, and playground special games. Gymnasium is scheduled for 11:12 to include basketball, tennis. Weekly special include stunt day, soap box derbies, kite and road race, and other features.

is scheduled for 10 o'clock and will include swimming. The Red Cross safety program will include life saving and sen-

ior life saving. Advanced swimming will be offered if desired. There is to be recreation from 9 o'clock to 10 one night per week consisting of dancing and party games.

The playground activities for girls from the age of 5 years will be underway from 8 o'clock to 11 o'clock on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday. These activities will consist of free play with balls, ropes, rings, ping pong, etc., in the gymnasium, acrobatic games such as dodge ball, running games, baseball, folk dancing and rhythmic games, story telling, and dramatics.

Swimming classes for girls will be held at 11 o'clock. Beginners are to swim on Tuesday and Thursday. All swimmers will swim on Friday when the hours will be used for informal swimming, giving the children an opportunity to practice the skills that they learn during their instruction periods. The fee for swimming each day will be 10 cents.

A life saving course for junior and senior life saving is being

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Our Yard Stick

ONE OF THE TRAGEDIES of this community and all other communities is the fact that we as individuals judge the conduct and action of others by our own yardstick of ethics.

It is unfortunate, we say, because of the fact that so often our own code or rules of ethics do not embody any principles of the Golden Rule.

And it is our honest opinion that frequently our judging of the conduct of other people, besides being extremely unfair, unjust, and, in many instances, downright dishonest, reflects on us more than it does on those we presume to judge.

But it has happened here and it has happened elsewhere. It will continue to occur in the days to come.

If it so happens that our big objective or goal in life is the acquiring of money, then all we see in the action or conduct of others is the securing of money.

When our objective in life is social prominence or prestige, then it is only natural for us to assume that the acts and conduct of another is to attain the same goal and objective.

Experience teaches us many things. We employ experience in reaching opinions or conclusions. But when we start out to try and determine why some other person acts or does certain things, we do not know the person; we are not familiar with all the circumstances and we do not endeavor to learn the individual or conditions. We immediately proceed to apply our own measuring stick, one which perhaps embodies only our own ethics, our goal, desires, and our own objectives.

If we only do things because of rewards, whether it is money or power or prestige, we presume that all others act for the same thing.

If we never do anything because it is the right thing, the just thing, the fair thing, the decent and honest thing—then naturally we presume that no one else ever takes steps or does certain things for those reasons.

We as individuals discuss American rights and privileges and the fact that this nation is a democracy and we exercise all of these, even sometime to extending over on the other fellow's liberty, and yet we shout the loudest about the things we don't like.

We condemn one high pressure minority group when they are doing things, which we oppose and join, praise and participate in another just such group when they are favoring us or when we favor them.

Community, state and national activities all remind us to a great extent of the conduct of a certain governor of one of the 48 states in the nation. He had held a hearing with a group of 10 business men. He had heard their pleas, which, in the final analysis, only requested for him to call an election to let the people determine a certain office holder. And, after listening to the pleas, he concluded the hearing by saying, "What you ask is the right thing, the fair thing, and the just thing to do, but you can't always do it in politics." And the plea was refused.

But we should be careful in employing our measuring stick in the judging of others and in condemning others. Far too often our measuring stick is a false one that does not contain the right principles and ideals of life. And our judging of others far too often proves a boomerang, which places us in a ridiculous light and position rather than the one we seek to condemn.—O.E.P.

What's Difference?

DURING WORLD WAR I many things were proclaimed.

The fact was emphasized that another war would never create millionaires; people were told both labor and capital would be conscripted as well as manpower.

But we had the same old story during World War II we had during World War I.

And conscription of men for the Army, the Navy, and the Marines still prevails, but the president of the United States is condemned and lambasted because he had the courage to do the one thing the American people wanted done—break a strike that was bringing disaster to the nation.

President Truman, in his address to the na-

tion, emphasized the fact that he had been and was a friend of labor. We believe his record as well as the record of the Roosevelt administration, bears out this fact.

But labor was not satisfied with all they had received—they wanted more. And when any group proceeds to hog the situation there is always trouble.

We believe America is sold on organized labor. We believe the nation wants the laboring man to have all his rights; to receive a fair wage; to have ideal working conditions; and desires to see his position improved in every way possible.

But America does not want to see this done at the expense of destroying industry or destroying the nation.

And we have never been quite able to understand why it is legal to draft men into the armed forces to fight that the way of American life may continue, why it isn't just as legal to draft men to work and save the nation.

The statement recently made by labor leaders "to compel free workers to remain on the job against their will by drafting them into the armed forces and making them subject to court martial if they refuse to slave labor under fascism" is amusing.

It isn't wrong to draft them into the armed forces to fight for their country; to leave their homes; to do duty in foreign nations or on foreign fields, but it is wrong to draft them to save the nation.

It just doesn't make sense to us. The fact is that we were in favor of the nation drafting its labor just as it drafted its manpower for its armed forces. If it is all right to draft men into the Army, it is just as right to draft them into the labor ranks to work.

And the worker will get the best of the deal because he receives better pay; remains at home; receives other benefits given to labor.

We firmly believe if our nation has the right to draft men for the armed forces then that it also has the right to draft labor for work. And we believe the American people feel exactly the same way about it.

We are further convinced that America approved President Truman's stand on the railroad strike; they admired his courage; and the action he took. And we feel he did more to restore confidence in the American government by this one step than any action he has taken since he became president of the United States of America.—O.E.P.

Start That Track Now

THE ARTESIA COMMUNITY made a good impression on all of Southeast New Mexico a few weeks ago, when we were host to a number of field and track teams at the first district meet in more than a decade.

There was but one criticism, and that was justifiable, that we had no permanent cinder track—at least a track which was not dusty. But that could not be helped because of the time element and the visitors all understood, because preparations were made in only a few weeks, with only a temporary set-up employed. No other city could have done better.

However, it must not happen a second year, or Artesia might lose the district meet in years to come.

As it is, we have an advantage over the other school towns, in that the resurrection of track and field events came from Artesia, when the Lions Club of this city made the proposal and then carried the brunt of the work in putting it over, including the finding of a location and the building of a track and digging of pits.

To the Artesia Lions goes the credit for the meet this year.

But to the community goes the problem of bringing future meets here and establishing Artesia as the annual site.

Should we forget all about the sport until next spring, we again will have nothing but a dirt track, with dust, to offer the district.

We are informed that a good cinder track takes many months of endeavor, that cinders sifted and a binder earth must be blended and spread properly, then dragged and watered and rolled regularly week after week for a considerable time.

Artesia must make plans now and do the work now—not next spring.—A.L.B.

Just Precautions

CONSIDERABLE CONCERN is being voiced here by the doctors regarding sanitary conditions, and more particularly, the elimination of flies.

The matter has been discussed at some of the local medical staff meetings and certain recommendations are to be made concerning the program.

Steps were taken last year to help eliminate flies when the now "famous cow" ordinance was passed. Other steps, of course, can and should be taken.

The finest program, however, is one that the ordinary citizens carry out themselves. They must do whatever is done in the final analysis. They can eliminate the flies by removing and destroying the breeding places of flies.

It isn't something, however, which can be half done or halfheartedly done. It is something, which requires the united effort of all citizens and all business people.

There is no epidemic threatened here. There are no cases of infantile paralysis reported. And the recommendations are merely being made in order that this not occur here.

Should an epidemic occur we would be acting and acting quickly. There would be nothing too great to be done. We would swing into action and continue in action.

It is far better and cheaper to swing into action to prevent an epidemic from occurring. We are not intimating that it will occur, but we know that flies carry disease germs, far too many to not consider destroying them, keeping them destroyed and keeping them down to a minimum. It requires work and effort, but it is worth it.—O.E.P.

What we are offering for sale regardless of how high a price we are asking is always worth twice as much. But when we are buying an article from the other fellow it is only worth half as much as he is asking.

Up and Down Main Street

CAN'T BE BOUGHT UP AND DOWN MAIN IS NOT EXPENSIVE

The kind of publicity which Artesia received during the past week as the result of two groups visiting here can't be bought. It just isn't for sale. We have reference to the reception accorded the fliers from Midland, Tex., at the airfield and the courtesy extended to the visitors from Clovis when they stopped to advertise their Pioneer Day celebration. When the fliers landed at the Artesia airfield they had been met by fliers from the local field. Some 500 were present to welcome them. The soft drinks and candies were made available to them and they were made to feel perfectly at home in Artesia. When they left they declared it was the finest and largest reception accorded them. They had been invited to stop at Artesia. It was not one of their scheduled stops. They had re-arranged their trip to include the New Mexico oil city. The reception for them had been organized and planned and the public responded and participated in the reception to the fliers. Naturally they felt that it was all very much worth while. They were glad they had come to Artesia and they will remember Artesia in the days and weeks ahead. The visitors here from Clovis, so we were told, did not find a very warm reception in another New Mexico city. Fact is, we were advised, they were told to move on when they stopped to play their music; shoot a firecracker or two, and extend an invitation to the citizens to attend and enjoy their celebration. But in Artesia the city was theirs. They parked their bus; were not told to move on; and were free to do as they pleased while in the city. They did not impose on the citizens or the people because this courtesy was extended to them. But they had not advised they were to be here, so not many knew they were here. However, they appreciated the courtesy extended to them.

Bert Bidwell looking for some copies of his Kansas City papers . . . Clarence Key headed for some coffee and willing to purchase a cup for a friend before returning to the Artesia Furniture company . . . Every one sorta relieved that the primary election is now over . . . Neil B. Watson and D. D. Archer going to Santa Fe early in the week for a special case before the Supreme court . . . Dorothy Gilmore boosting the Little Theater's play, which is to be given tonight and tomorrow night . . . Chuck Baldwin busy waiting on customers at Baldwin's . . . Newell Crouch showing the various kinds and sizes of straw hats at the Peoples Mercantile . . . John E. Cochran, Jr., walking toward his law office in the Carper building . . . Building work over the city has been slowed down some . . . Rev. C. A. Clark out early and inquiring about a sample ballot for the election held Tuesday . . . Austin Stuart declaring that Garland, his son, should be back in the states soon . . . Lawrence Bryan making deliveries of packages for the postoffice . . . Mrs. Mittie Hamill going toward the L. P. Evans store . . . Ray Carter returning from Carter's cafe to the pool hall . . . Owen Hensley busy at the Mid-West Auto Store . . . Bill Paris checking up on some printed forms he needs in his new business . . . Stanley Sutton headed down Main . . . Shirley Hager greeting friends as he enjoyed the morning coffee . . . John Shearman busy at the Sanitary Barber shop . . . Ardienne Fletcher playing the roll of errand boy for the girls at Marie's Beauty shop . . . Artie McAnally concerned about some post cards he needs to mail out to customers . . . Tom Watson busy with Chamber of Commerce projects . . . Chuck Aston needing a little more co-operation in one of his community jobs . . . That was Up and Down Main this week.

There is nothing, which impresses visitors any more than to be treated kindly when they visit a community. Let a stranger visit our city and find a welcome, courteous treatment and kindness extended to him and he doesn't forget Artesia right soon. On the other hand let some mistreat them or let them get the impression they have been mistreated and they shout this to the high heavens and lambast our city at every opportunity. To have a city and to live in a city, which creates the impression among strangers, that it is a friendly city is the finest kind of advertising. It is advertising, which can not be bought and it is very inexpensive. It takes only a little effort and energy on the part of our citizens. And our citizens are friendly, they are thoughtful of strangers and they seek to show strangers they are welcome in Artesia. Many of us will never know the time spent by local people showing visitors about our city. We never know how much time our real estate people show to those seeking locations here. We are not familiar with how many tickets for over-parking are torn up or destroyed by the local police force for those, who are strangers in our city. This, of course, is only as it should be. And we should join hands with others here in seeking to impress our visitors with the friendly spirit of our city and the wholesome welcome we extend to all visitors. We can create the desire of others to live in our community; to do things for Artesia; to help us in our civic and community programs merely because we have helped to make them feel at home. It is the finest advertising and the finest publicity in the world—this having folks talk about how friendly we are and the welcome we extend. As we stated in the beginning, there have been two outstanding examples of this fine spirit here. There will be others in the days ahead and all of these experiences will just help boost Artesia.

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Hospital News

(Crowded out last week)
The hospital has had a post-school siege of tonsillitomy this week and reports 10 children and one adult operations, all of which were without any unusual after effects. Admitted to the hospital for tonsillitomy were Durrelle and Dianne Thomas, Nancy Hamilton, Ernest Del Wimberly, Dewey Mack Sutton, Carl Jerome and Calvin Lynne Lamberson, Deanna Kay Stout, Albert Edward Sutton, Marsha Lee Golden, and James Murdock.

Of five new arrivals, four of them were boys. They were: To Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Whaley, on Wednesday of last week a boy, weighing eight pounds four ounces; the young one has not yet been named. Mr. and Mrs. James T. Powell, a son, who arrived on Thursday and has been named James Randall; he weighed five pounds one ounce at birth. Mr. and Mrs. John Andre have named their Friday boy John Junior and he weighed six pounds, four ounces. Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Butts have chosen Benjamin Nelson for their six-pound-ten-ounce boy born on Saturday. The newest bundle of joy is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Terrell of Locho Hills, who arrived on Sunday and

weighed six pounds and has been named Carl Kae. Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Day of Locho Hills have a daughter, Joyce Evelyn, who, at birth, weighed seven pounds four ounces. Mothers and babies are all doing splendidly.

Lonnie Reeves entered the hospital on Wednesday of last week, and, after receiving major surgery, was dismissed on Tuesday.

Robert Perkins has entered for medical treatment and is reported doing well.

Mrs. Jack Jones underwent minor surgery on Friday and has recovered satisfactorily.

Mrs. J. C. Prude of Hope came to the hospital on Friday for medical treatment.

Miss Jane Miller was admitted to receive medical treatment on Saturday.

Ivis Boykin underwent minor surgery on Sunday. He is reported doing very well.

Bobby Sanders of Locho Hills entered for medical treatment last Sunday and is responding quite well.

Mrs. Alvin White of Melrose has responded to minor surgery, which she underwent on Monday. James David Hill underwent major surgery on Monday and is doing nicely.

Robert Wayne Stahl was accepted on Monday and is quite responsive to treatment.

A. E. Rinker came to the hospital on Tuesday and received medical attention.

Mrs. Clarence Sheets underwent major surgery on Tuesday and is recovering satisfactorily.

Odell Parham required minor surgery yesterday and is much improved.

Mrs. L. E. Folkner is improving rapidly. Medical attention was started for her yesterday.

Mrs. Murvin Anderson was admitted on Wednesday of last week and has responded nicely to medical treatment.

Cottonwood Items

(Crowded out last week)
J. H. Sikes, a candidate for sheriff of Eddy County, was in the Cottonwood community on Tuesday of last week.

Paul Walinciak of Roswell was a visitor on Cottonwood Monday of last week.

Miss Mae Bannister, fourth and fifth-grade teacher at Cottonwood School, left on Friday to visit her family and friends in Loving. After a short visit she plans to go to Oklahoma for the remainder of the summer. She will return next fall to resume her teaching.

Miss Alice Norris is planning to spend her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Norris of Hagerman.

Kenneth Rogers, a son of Rev. and Mrs. Chester Rogers, received the scholarship award from the Lake Arthur High School, where he graduated this year.

Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Gahagan have gone to visit relatives near Fort Worth, Tex.

Commencement exercises for the eighth grade were held at Cottonwood School on Thursday evening of last week. After the professional the invocation was given by Glenn Shelton of Artesia. Miss Oneta Johnson gave an address, "I Am an American Day."

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After this, the eighth grade choral group sang a splendid arrangement of "Just a Prayer Away." Miss Barbara Bowman recited "A Psalm of Life," after which the entire class sang their graduation song. Miss Oleta Johnson spoke on "The Secret of Greatness." The students heard an inspiring address by Mr. Waller, the guest speaker. Presentation of the diplomas was made by V. J. Gahagan, principal of the school. Mr. Shelton closed the services with the benediction.

Harp's 'King of Nations' Played By Circus Band

"King of the Nations," one of E. L. Harp's military marches, was played by the Daily Brothers Circus band under the direction of Joe Rossi at Roswell Tuesday and in Carlsbad Wednesday of last week, it has been reported.

This is merely one of the numbers, which have been played by the well-known circus director and conductor. The same march has been played in programs several times over the United States. Mr. Harp was music instructor in Harp for three years and the Artesia school. He has resided in the city for over 20 years and is well known for his musical ability.

Snakes that are kept in cages at night have evolved features in the eye that enable them to see in dim light.

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Planes of Midland, Texas, Aerocade Are Snapped at Artesia Airport



Gable Photo

Members of the aerocade, Midland, Tex., on their way to Artesia Sunday afternoon, to participate in the world championship rodeo at Midland last week end.

The aerocade is lined up in front of the twin-motor Cessna, which served as flagship of the fleet of 14 planes of a number of makes. The Cessna was the only two-motor plane in the flight.

While the visitors from Texas were at the Artesia municipal airport, spokesmen declared the reception at Artesia was the best which had been accorded them in two days of good-will flying.

An estimated 500 local citizens turned out. Official greeters for the city and Chamber of Commerce were Chuck Aston, Charles Gasakins, G. Taylor Cole, and A. H. (Sug) Hazel.

The Army has built stills to reclaim cleaning fluid with only a 10 per cent loss.

In China, more than 500 years ago, a treatise on carbon black manufacture was published.

toward light manufacturing industries. New uses for the state's raw materials are being sought. The new foundation already has answered inquiries about production of sponge iron, fertilizer, furniture, wool products, baskets, peanut butter, jewelry, and novelties.

sheep, oil, potash, and copper, its almost limitless reserves of coal and nonmetallic minerals. Now the New Mexico Development Foundation, a nonprofit corporation, is backing an effort to encourage processing and manufacturing in the state. The foundation will seek to attract new industries, but it will not finance or develop them.

Emphasizing the state's vast supplies of such resources as zinc, mica, molybdenum, lithium, tantalum, Iceland spar, fluor spar, lead, and manganese, the foundation is directing its promotional efforts

HANGAR FLYING

Don SeEVERS was a guest at the airport Tuesday. SeEVERS represents the National Aeronautic Association and was guest speaker at the Rotary Club meeting on that day.

The Continental Oil Company Lockheed 12 flew into Artesia Monday from Ponca City, Okla., and left Wednesday.

A surprise guest at the airport this past week was E. P. (Doodle) Bullock. He is a former employe of the Hazel Flying Service before going to Las Vegas, where he has opened the Kaiser-Frazier dealership. He has constructed a large building for sales and shop work.

Mervin Worley and Gene Chambers flew Worley's PT-19 to Littlefield, Tex., by way of Springlake, Tex., Wednesday of last week.

Among the guests at the airport this week was Charley Boyd, airport operator of Santa Fe. Boyd is the Piper distributor for Northern New Mexico and was flying a new super-cruiser. He was weathered at Artesia and spent the night in the "Pilot's Roost," at the airport. His passenger was Judge William J. Barker, candidate for governor.

Miss Roberta Hazel of Cheyenne, Tex., spent last week at the airport as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Sug Hazel and Miss Frances Fuchs. Sug and Burle Hazel flew her home Saturday afternoon.

Al Meyers, CAA inspector for this area, will be in Artesia Thursday, June 13 and will assist anyone who desires to gain information or take a CAA examination. Claude McCausland of the Carlbad Flying Service brought two of his trainers to Artesia this week for 100-hour checks.

Walt Varner flew to Odessa Saturday in "Blue," the Cub cruiser at the airport. Varner had with him Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Fairley of this city.

"Red" Davidson and Joe Flynn returned this week from a flying tour. They attended the rodeo at Midland, and flew to Odessa, Kermit, and other points in Texas. The boys were flying the "Ramp Rat."

Merrill Sharp took his three-point cross-country Monday in the "Ramp Rat."

Hazel Flying Service has been presented a plaque by the Wing Scouts of Artesia. The plaque reads, "We, the First Group of Wing Scout Flights of the First Senior Scouts of the Girl Scouts of America in Artesia, New Mexico, this first day in June, 1946, do take this means of expressing grateful appreciation and appreciation to the Hazel Flying Service for all the pleasure and valuable knowledge extended them on these premises." Each scout signed this plaque. They also presented Mr. and Mrs. Sug Hazel a clever gift for their home and Herman Fuchs, who had instructed the girls throughout this course, was presented a smart overnight kit equipped with shaving set, comb, and brush.

Two Million in GI Loans Made To State Vets

Nearly \$2,000,000 in GI loans for homes, farms, and businesses have been issued New Mexico veterans without a single loss to the government or New Mexico lending institutions, R. E. Hamblen, loan guarantee officer for the New Mexico regional Veterans Administration office, announced. Hamblen said that with the week ending May 17 loans totaling \$1,986,744.67 had been made in New Mexico under the terms of the GI Bill and not a veteran had defaulted on his loan payments. At the same time, Hamblen pointed out that four veterans who borrowed a total of \$6980 to purchase homes and three others who made business loans amounting to \$4393.30 have paid their loans in full.

The major share of GI loans in New Mexico, Oamblen said, has been made to veterans desiring to purchase homes, with 407 loans totaling \$1,459,488 being processed for this purpose. Veterans entering business have accounted for 131 loans amounting to \$399,314.15, while 45 loans totaling \$127,952.52 have been made to veteran-farmers.

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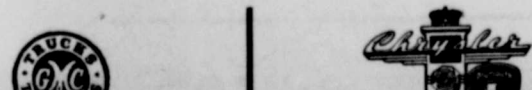
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CARROTS AND SQUASH—Cut carrots and zucchini or Italian squash in thin slices, and steam in just a bit of water until tender, about 10 minutes. Season with salt, pepper, onion juice and sprinkle with grated cheese to serve.

BROCCOLI—Season cooked broccoli with salt, pepper, and a tablespoon or two of orange juice. Top with grated orange rind to serve. Simply delicious!

GLORIFIED GREEN BEANS—For a pleasing new flavor, sprinkle green beans with a bit of nutmeg just before serving.

CREAMED RADISHES—Trim radishes leaving about 1 inch of stem. Cook uncovered in salted water to cover, 15 to 20 minutes or until just tender. Drain and add to white sauce. They are like the most delicate flavored turnips.

TOPPED ASPARAGUS—Cook asparagus stalks separately from tips. When tender, drain and mash stalks, adding a bit of evaporated milk and butter or margarine for a creamy consistency. Season and serve as a sauce over the asparagus tips.

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Poison Mixed With Food Will Combat Pests

"Chewing insects" — so called because they remove, chew, and swallow various parts of the plant or animal on which they feed—can be combated by covering or mixing their food with a poison, says Dallas Rierson, county agent. Materials such as fluorine and arsenic, commonly called "stomach poisons," he said, can be used to control these insects, which include such pests as cutworms, grasshoppers, grubs, and mature stages of most of the beetles.

Stomach poisons for general garden use may be prepared by thoroughly mixing one pound of calcium arsenate and five pounds of hydrated lime, one pound of cryolite, and five pounds of talc or bentonite, Rierson explained.

Arsenic sprays may be made by mixing three pounds of lead arsenate or calcium or zinc arsenate

to 100 gallons of water. Fluorine sprays are made up by using four pounds of cryolite or sodium fluosilicate to 100 gallons of water. Four ounces of soybean flour, calcium caseinate, or skim milk spreader will add to the sticking qualities of these sprays.

The county agent warned farmers and gardeners to wash vegetables thoroughly before they are eaten if arsenical and fluorine dusts or sprays have been used on them. He added, however, that rotenone dusts and sprays are made from ground roots of certain poisonous plants and are relatively non-poisonous to humans. On some insects, he declared, they act as both stomach and contact poisons.

Dairy Producers In State Make Butterfat Pay

In New Mexico \$193,924 was collected by 2820 dairy producers for milk and butterfat during the fourth quarter of 1945, C. V. Hemphill, state PMA director, said.

Roosevelt County producers topped production in all other counties with 25,822 hundredweights of milk and 82,942 pounds of butterfat for a share of \$32,175. Curry County producers were second and Bernalillo County third. Total amounts of milk and butterfat produced in New Mexico during the last quarter of 1945, for which payments have been made were 195,361 hundredweights of milk and 336,282 pounds of butterfat, Hemphill said.

Dairy production payments have, as their objectives, an increase in the production of milk and milk products through offsetting some of the increased production costs, Hemphill explained.

Rates for the fourth quarter of 1945 were 77 cents a hundredweight for milk and 17 cents a pound for butterfat. Rates for May and June are 55 cents a hundredweight for milk and 15 cents a pound for butterfat.

American textile experts are directing French and Belgian production of fabrics for U.S. forces in Europe.

USDA Is Urging Poultrymen to Step Up Culling

County Agent Dallas Rierson said that the U.S. Department of Agriculture is urging poultry producers to step up their culling rate during June and market non-producer and low-producer hens in the interest of feed conservation and more efficient use of feed that is available.

He pointed out that the recent rise in feed prices, including protein feeds, makes it more important than ever to do a good culling job in the interest of efficient egg production.

"The need for grain is so tremendous that we can't afford to waste it on hens that are loafing on the job," he said. "Our government is shipping boatloads of grain to help prevent mass starvation in war-wrecked countries. Three or four boarder hens will eat enough in a month to keep some hungry child or adult alive in a famine country for a month. And the feed poultry producers have available will be needed in the months ahead for their layers and growing chickens."

BALE TIE SUPPLY TO REMAIN SHORT

Relief—but no solution—for the bale tie shortage is contained in the announcement that mills which were closed down or running part time will get 2500 tons of surplus wire held by the WAA. This measure will permit capacity operation for 30 to 45 days. Other mills having raw materials to make their own wire are now running near capacity and will continue to do so if coal is available.

However, production during the first half of the year will still fall from 25,000 to 30,000 tons short of farmers' needs, estimated at 110,000 tons for the 1945-46 year. Production in 1945 was 105,000 tons—about twice the tonnage produced in any of the five years preceding the war, but still inadequate to meet farmers' needs.

CEILINGS INCREASED ON FARM MACHINERY

An increase of 5 per cent in the list prices of farm machinery has been authorized by the OPA. Ceiling on farm machinery repair and replacement parts remain unchanged. Therefore, according to the OPA, farmers will pay on the average 3 per cent more for new equipment and repair parts. Manufacturers will receive a net increase of 10 per cent, of which about half will be absorbed through dealer margins.

Ag Department Makes Housing Equipment Available to Farmers

Arrangements have been made by the Department of Agriculture with the War Assets Administration, whereby farmers will be given an opportunity to purchase a limited quantity of housing and feeding equipment needed for agriculture labor, said Dallas Rierson, Eddy County agent. Opportunities for making such purchases will be available for a limited time only.

If any farmer is interested in purchasing tents, cots, blankets, or feeding equipment to be used for farm workers, he should contact the county agent at once. "New Mexico is allotted enough equipment for 200 farm workers, so we must get our needs in now," Rierson said.

These canvas tents will house four workers to each tent and a few farmers could use them to an advantage during rush season. Also the blankets and cots could certainly help even where the farmer has housing facilities, Rierson said.

Lakewood 4-H Box Supper Is Held Friday

The Lakewood 4-H Club entertained with a box supper in the community on Friday. It was well attended and very successful.

The program preceding the supper was opened by the 4-H members giving the 4-H pledge. After this, Misses Helen Keyion, Peggy Mullins, and Ermagene Howard offered a charming number entitled, "The Poor Ole Slave." Miss Ruth Helen Pettigrew and Raymond Pettigrew joined in playing and singing "I Will Sing a Wonderful Story." To close the program, Miss Ermagene Howard recited "It Can Be Done."

The auctioning of the boxes, which caused much laughter and competitive bidding, was presided over by Roy Angell.

After the supper, a contest was held to select the ugliest man in Lakewood. Forrest Lee won over Jim Howell in the finals to take the prize—a cake of soap.

The Eddy County agent, Dallas Rierson, was present for the occasion and was accompanied by Mrs. Rierson.

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PRACTICAL FARM BUILDINGS

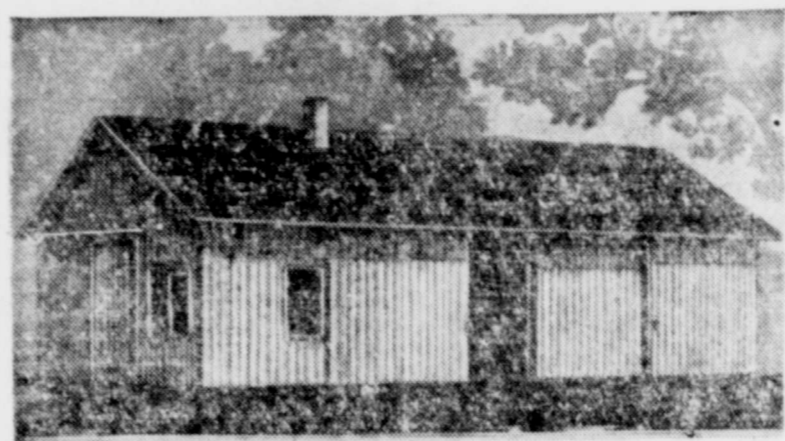
Farm Machine Shop

By W. J. Dryden, WNU Farm Editor.

Farm machinery can be made to last many additional years if it is systematically overhauled, repaired and repainted. In order that this work be accomplished it is essential that a proper machine shop be provided.

The size of the shop will be determined by the needs of the individual farmer. The Minnesota type shown on this page will prove satisfactory on most farms.

It is well that the farm shop be located with respect to other farm buildings. The type of building will

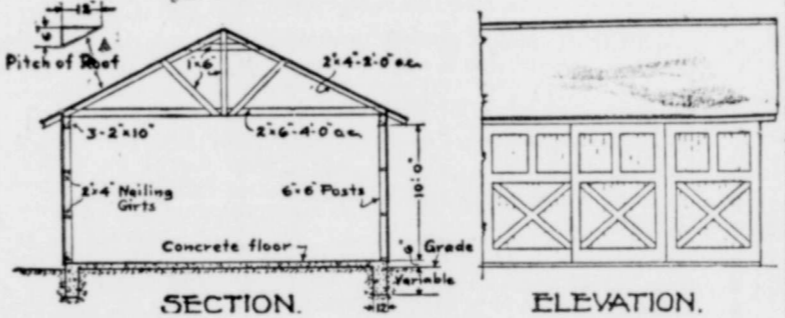


Machine shop should be large enough to permit farm machinery storage during repairs.

also influence the location. A combination shop and garage should be located a short distance from the back door of the house. If the farm shop is a part of a building used for sheltering farm machinery, it should be located between the horse barn and the road leading to the fields, to save time in handling the farm machinery.

The shop may be made of lumber or plywood, or sheet metal, or it may be of brick tile or concrete block construction. The foundation should be of concrete, extending about 18 inches into the ground. It should be 6 inches thick at the top

and 10 to 12 inches thick at the base. Concrete makes an ideal floor for the shop. It should slope about 1 inch in 10 feet toward the doorway. Driveway or rampway should be above the ground level and may be of concrete or gravel and soil.



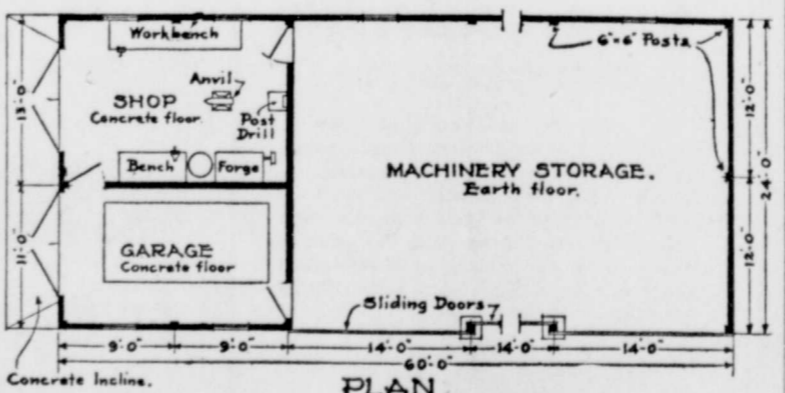
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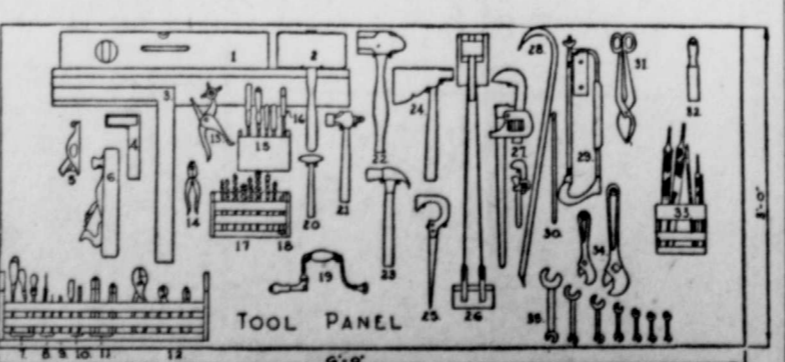
Vertical boards with battens will make an inexpensive covering and will last for years. Either vertical or horizontal drop siding may be used. If the shop is to be heated, the walls should be boarded on the inside or covered with plywood. It might be advisable to provide insulated walls.

The type of building will largely determine the shape of the roof. If the building is a combination machine shed and shop, a gable or broken gable roof will be the most appropriate. The roof may be cov-



Machine Storage May Be Added to As Desired.

ered with wooden shingles, galvanized iron roofing, composition shingles or roll roofing. The best grade of wooden shingles, if laid 4 or 4½ inches to the weather, will give splendid service. The galvanized iron roofing, if properly coated with



Conoco Colony

Mr. and Mrs. Ormond Loving and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Williams and families spent a few days in the Sacramento Mountains over Memorial Day and the week end.

Mrs. Ted Carder and her two younger children arrived here Sunday, after spending a three-week vacation with Mrs. Carder's father in Richmond, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Stewart and daughter left on Sunday for Abilene, Tex., to spend a two-week vacation visiting relatives.

Miss Wanda Jean Springer left Monday night for Ponca City, Okla., to visit friends and relatives for about a month.

Miss Zona Betow is in Fort Collins, Colo., visiting friends.

Mrs. Ed Gillespie and Mrs. Boone Barnett spent Monday in Roswell.

H. F. Betow is reported making satisfactory recovery from an operation performed in St. Joseph Hospital in Denver, Colo.

Mrs. B. J. Cline, 4-H Club local leader for Lakewood, has returned from a four-day trip to the first annual New Mexico 4-H Club leaders' short course, which was held May 21-24 at State Teachers College, Las Cruces. C. R. Hatch, state leader, presided.

On Wednesday afternoon, May 22, the ladies attended a tea at Rhodes Hall with the Dona Ana County Extension Clubs as hostesses. At this time the men made a conservation tour.

That evening a chuck wagon supper was held on the mesa east of the college.

During the course, group conferences were held on foods, clothing, home furnishings, poultry, dairy production, agronomy, horticulture, and breeding, feeding, and management of livestock.

The meeting closed with a banquet in El Paso at the Hilton Hotel on Thursday evening.

Expert Predicts Textile Industry In New Mexico

Herbert Whitehouse, superintendent of woolen mills at Minneapolis, Minn., and Lima, Ohio, declared on his return from a tour of this state's wool centers that New Mexico is ideal for the manufacture of woolen yarns. He said the establishment here of a yarn industry would be an invitation to manufacturers of knit goods and other woolen textiles, and would lead them to study the favorable factors present for their operations.

The establishment in this state of a yarn making plant should, Whitehouse believes, be a complete unit of scouring mill, carding and spinning plant, and dye works. Later, various weaving enterprises would follow, he believes.

Mr. and Mrs. Whitehouse, who

were on a vacation in New Mexico, expressed pleasure at what they saw at Gallup, Santa Fe, Las Cruces, Carlsbad, Artesia, Roswell, and Albuquerque. They made the tour as guests of the New Mexico Development Foundation, with Sidney M. Weil, managing secretary, as their guide.

The mills Whitehouse represents are the second largest producers of bed blankets in the United States, with an output of 50,000 blankets a week, Weil said. They are also producers of yarns.

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NOTICE
STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE
Number of Application RA-1381.
Santa Fe, N. M., May 24, 1946.
Notice is hereby given that on the 23rd day of May, 1946, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, H. A. Denton, State Engineer of Eddy, State of New Mexico, made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a permit to change location of shallow groundwater well RA-1381 from SW Corner of Lot 2, Block 5, Rose-

lawn Addition, Section 17, Township 17 South, Range 26 East, N. M. P. M., to a location in the SW corner Lot 5, Block 5, Roselawn Addition, Section 17, Township 17 South, Range 26 East, N. M. P. M., where applicant proposes to drill a shallow groundwater well 8 inches in diameter and approximately 200 feet in depth for the purpose of effecting a change in place of use of 15 acre feet per annum of shallow groundwater under File RA-1381, from 5 acres of land described as follows:

SUBDIVISION	SECTION	TOWNSHIP	RANGE	ACRES
Part West of Hwy. in Lot 1, Block 5, Roselawn Addn.	17	17 S.	26 E.	2.5
N $\frac{1}{2}$ of Lot 3, Block 5, Roselawn Addn.	17	17 S.	26 E.	2.5

to 5 acres of land described as follows:

SUBDIVISION	SECTION	TOWNSHIP	RANGE	ACRES
Lot 5, Block 5 of Roselawn Addn.	17	17 S.	26 E.	5

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

OPA Clarifies Slaughtering Regulations

Clarification of OPA regulations on the slaughter and selling of livestock to retail meat dealers was received last week when officials of the Chamber of Commerce took action to alleviate the local meat shortage which may become even more acute this summer under present quota restrictions on slaughtering.

C. Allen Davidson, slaughter control officer for the OPA, Albuquerque, in a telephone conversation with Tom Watson, manager of the Chamber, said that one method of securing immediate relief for local retail meat dealers was allowed under the ruling which permits farmers to sell dressed meat to dealers.

According to Davidson, "Farmers may sell or transfer within a six months period 3000 pounds of dressed meat—hogs, cattle, calves—to retailers."

Under this provision, livestock must be sold by a bona fide farmer and must be sold dressed and not on the hoof. Custom slaughtering of livestock is authorized, Davidson explained.

Efforts are also being made by the Chamber of Commerce to secure permits for additional slaughterhouse quotas. Much of the meat usually sold through local outlets has been obtained previously from the larger packers, local meat men said. With quota restrictions now in effect, those packers are unable to provide an adequate supply of meat to Artesia dealers.

Institutions in Area Cooperate With GI Loans

GI borrowers have found bankers and lending institutions throughout the New Mexico, Colorado, Wyoming, and Utah area willing to cooperate in the purchase of homes, farms, and businesses to the tune of more than \$10,000,000, it was announced by L. N. Rask, supervising loan guarantee officer for Veterans Administration Branch No. 13, after a survey conducted by VA officials.

Indication that the GI loans were in a healthy state was given by Rask's announcement that only approximately \$2000 of the \$10,000,000 is at present in default. This sum represents only four cases out of more than 2815 borrowers on record at the time the survey was made.

That GI's in this area are taking advantage of the opportunity to buy their own homes during the housing shortage is shown by the fact that \$9,205,000 of the total has been used to purchase homes, as against \$1,298,000 used to enter business. Those buying farms were an even smaller group, due to present land prices, since loans for this purpose totalled only \$312,900. Ten of the borrowers have already repaid their loans in full and, with the exception of the four cases noted above, all others are having no apparent difficulty in meeting their payment obligations on time, Rask said.

Since the recent changes in the regulations, which speeded up the procedure required to obtain a loan, applications and loans granted have increased tremendously, Rask added, and the next survey made is expected to produce even more imposing figures.

Figures on a national scale, recently issued in Washington, show that more than \$1,000,000 in loans already have been repaid in full by 492 borrowers.

First Informational Talk on Rotary Is Given by Barnett

The first of a series of informative talks on the aims and objects of Rotary International was given Tuesday of last week at the luncheon of the Artesia Rotary Club by Boone Barnett.

In the initial talk, Barnett took up the first of the four services, or aims and objectives, of Rotary, club, community, vocational, and international service.

Barnett explained that Rotary has been termed both a civic club and a luncheon club, both of which it is, in that participation in civic matters is instilled in members and that the regular meetings are at luncheons, but that in the main Rotary is a service club, the motto of which is: "Service Above Self."

CEILING BOOSTER TO MEET RISING COSTS

OPA has given mixed feed manufacturers permission to raise their ceiling prices immediately to reflect recent grain and feed ceiling increases. Previously, manufacturers had to select a "pricing day" to which their prices would be held for the current pricing week.

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Water Softener Business Opened By Ray Lewis
Ray F. Lewis, Jr., has announced the opening here on June 1 of the Culligan Soft Water Service Company, which has brought a new type of business and service to the Artesia community, the furnishing of soft water to subscribers on an apparatus rental basis.
The business is located at 113 South Third Street, in a new building just constructed by Fred Henderson, the north half of a two-story unit, the south half of which was built by W. E. Ragsdale. The two store buildings contain in structure and appearance, although constructed and owned by the two men.
Lewis explained that the Culligan Water Service Company will install for a customer for a small initial charge a water softener and then charge rental on softener tanks as used. He said that by the new method, which is proving popular in many communities, there is nothing to buy, no investment, and no work for the customer or client.
The company likewise is sales representative for other water softeners, for those wishing to purchase.
Lewis is an honorably discharged veteran of World War II, in which he was a pilot in the Army Air Forces.

Girl Scout Day Camps Will Be Week of June 10
Day camp for Girl Scouts of the Artesia area will be held Monday through Saturday, June 10-15, it was announced by leaders this week. The program will start at 8:30 o'clock each of the six mornings and will last for two hours.
The Intermediate Girl Scouts will meet at the stadium at Morris Field, while the Brownies, will meet in the yard of the First Methodist Church. Daily programs are being worked out, suitable to the age groups.
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Wheat totaling 63,146 bushels has been moved to elevators by producers in three major counties producing wheat in New Mexico, latest reports reveal.
C. V. Hemphill, state PMA director, in releasing the figures, said that approximately 100,000 bushels were expected to be delivered to elevators in New Mexico by May 25, the closing date for the acceptance of wheat under the Government's 30-cent bonus plan. National figures to May 9 reveal that 23,447,000 bushels had already been moved under this plan. Unofficial reports indicate that farmers have delivered another 15,000,000 bushels or more since May 9.

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Miss Winters Is Bride of Gilbert Kreamer

Miss Genevieve Winters, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Winters, was united in marriage at 10:30 o'clock Sunday morning, June 2, at the home of her parents in Sacramento to Gilbert Kreamer, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Kreamer of Weed.

Rev. L. G. Caraway of the Sacramento Methodist Church read the double-ring ceremony. Tall pink candles and pastel shades of snapdragons decorated the room, while twisted pink and white ribbons were used to form an aisle down which the wedding party marched to the arch of yellow roses.

The wedding music was played by Mrs. Charles Miller, who also accompanied Miss Wanda Harbert, who sang "I Love You Truly." Miss Harbert also acted as bridesmaid.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a wedding gown of white satin trimmed in silk net and white buttons and the bodice was fashioned with net yoke and long sleeves. The full skirt extended to the floor, while her fingertip veil was of silk net and was fastened to white flowers. She carried a bouquet of white and pink carnations. The bridesmaid wore a gown of pink satin and she carried a bouquet of pink and white snapdragons.

Chester Kreamer, brother of the bridegroom, was his best man.

Immediately after the ceremony a luncheon was served by the bride's mother. A three-tiered wedding cake adorned with a miniature bride and bridegroom was cut by the bride and bridegroom.

Immediately following the ceremony, the couple left for a week's honeymoon to El Paso and Elephant Butte dam. On their return they will be at home in Artesia.

The bride wore a light green suit with white accessories for her traveling attire.

The bride and bridegroom are both graduates of the Weed High School. The bridegroom has recently returned from the European war theater, where he served in the Air Corps.

Preston Means and Bride Are Honored On Saturday Night

Mrs. Nona Means gave a buffet supper on Saturday evening honoring her son, Preston, and his bride, the former Miss Alma Tidwell.

The supper was at the home of Mrs. Carl Lewis and the rooms were beautiful with decorations of summer flowers. The table was centered with a floral arrangement of roses and carnations.

Those who attended were Alma Tidwell and Preston Means, Miss Tidwell's parents and her sister, Elizabeth; Mrs. Ida Prude, Dorthis Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis P. Means, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Means, Hardin Means, John Prude, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lewis, and Mr. and Mrs. Finn Watson from Hobbs.

Juanita Russell Is Honored at Bridal Shower

Miss Juanita Russell, bride-elect of Clifton Perkins, was honored on Saturday evening at the home of Mrs. Bill Ellinger, when she was honor guest at a shower given by Misses Margaret Perry and Wanda Evert.

Seven young ladies greeted the surprised Miss Russell upon her arrival and presented her personal gifts. In addition, the group made her a gift of cups, saucers, and salad plates in her chosen Fostoria pattern.

Those present for the shower were Misses Nida Dunnam, Bruce Winters, and Edna Cave, and Mrs. Jackie Woodside, Mrs. Bill Ellinger, the hostess, and the honoree.

After the shower several young men and other couples arrived and spent the evening dancing.

Dainty refreshments and fruit punch were served by the hostesses to about 40 guests during the evening.

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Social Calendar

Friday, June 7

Business meeting of Artesia Shrine No. 2 of the White Shrine of Jerusalem, Central School Auditorium, 7:30 p.m.

Saturday, June 8

Nosebag picnic at Mae West Curve, 7 o'clock in the evening, for Brownies, Intermediates, Senior Service Scouts, and interested adults.

Girl Scout Day Camp Program committee meeting at Mrs. Fred Jacobs' home, at 1:30 p.m.

Monday, June 10

American Legion Auxiliary. Regular meeting, 2:30 p.m. at Artesia Woman's Club building.

Tuesday, June 11

Regular meeting of the Order of the Eastern Star at the Roof Garden, Artesia Hotel. Dinner at 6:30, followed by meeting and initiation at 7:30.

Thursday, June 13

The Past Noble Grand Club will meet with Mrs. Owen Hensley, at 7:30 p.m.

Golden Wedding of Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Floyd Celebrated Last Week

Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Floyd, pioneer residents of the Pecos Valley, celebrated their golden wedding anniversary last week at the ranch home of a daughter, Mrs. R. E. Bybee, east of Carlsbad.

A beautiful wedding cake, inscribed with the wedding date, made a centerpiece for the lovely dinner table.

All but a few of the descendants were present for the occasion and numbered five daughters, four sons, 15 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren. Two grandsons, members of the armed forces, were unable to be present.

The Floyds, well known in Artesia as ranchers and cattlemen, were among the early settlers of this community and arrived in a covered wagon in 1903.

Miss Linda Parrish Graduates This Week From Hockaday School

Miss Linda Parrish, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Parrish, graduated from the Hockaday School in Dallas, Tex., on Tuesday, June 4, in a beautiful outdoor graduation ceremony, which was the climax of a series of activities at the school.

Miss Parrish has been an outstanding student in school functions and has won distinction in athletics.

Miss Parrish will return to Artesia with her parents, who attended commencement.

CARD OF THANKS—

To our many friends who were so kind during the illness and at the death of our husband and father, we wish to express our deepest thanks. Mrs. Elva Willey and Becky Horton. 23-1tp

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Eastern Star Box Supper on Friday Is Huge Success

The Eastern Star box supper which was held on the Roof Garden of the Artesia Hotel last Friday night was well attended by "beautiful ladies, handsome men, beautiful boxes, and wonderful food," it was reported. Bill Linell auctioned off the luscious boxes and was successful in keeping the bids high.

The most popular entertainment offered was bingo. Everyone tried and many won prizes, which were donated by members.

The returns were quite satisfactory and the affair was marked down as a success.

Mrs. J. D. Josey Is Honored on Birthday By Mrs. Dale Thomas

Mrs. Dale Thomas was hostess Wednesday morning of last week at a delightful surprise breakfast honoring Mrs. J. D. Josey on her birthday. A pleasant hour was enlivened by the opening of the lovely gifts she received.

The impromptu affair was attended by Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Blocker, Mrs. J. M. Story, Mrs. F. C. Hartell, the honoree, and Judge Josey, the hostess, and Mr. Thomas.

We've never seen a woman's hat that was a perfect fit, but we've seen a lot that were convulsions.

We read the other day of a man who visited the cemetery every day to mourn over the death of his wife's first husband.

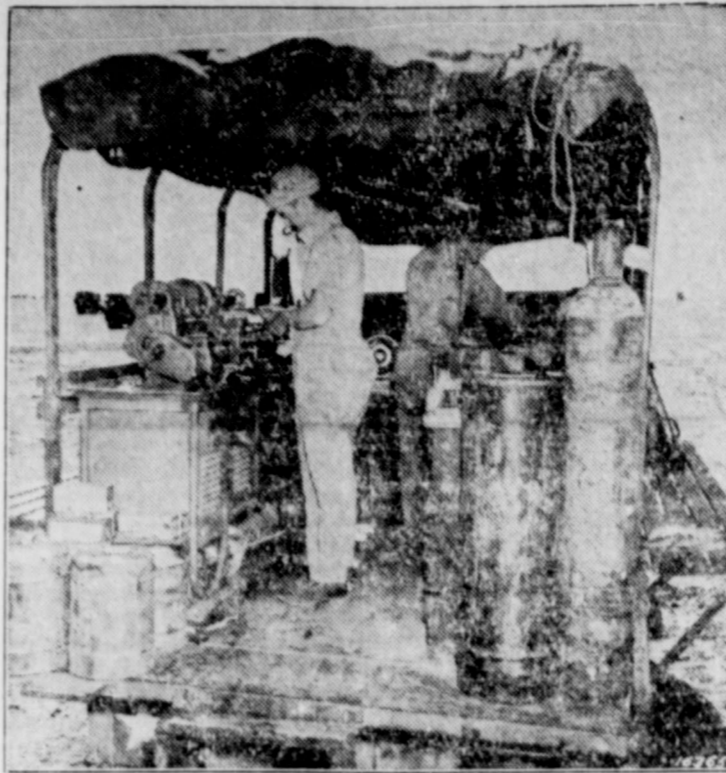
Nowadays when you criticize the maid she asks "Do you want to make the rounds of the employment agencies again?"

'Tis said of Reuther, "He went to college, but he also has brains."

Uncle Sam Says



Atom bombs will soon be exploding over the Pacific Ocean in a naval operation to assure your security. At first glance, there seems little connection between atom bombs bursting over a fleet of ships and your continued investment in United States Savings Bonds. Think a moment friend. Allotment of a portion of your current income for savings bonds is also an operation to assure family security. U. S. Treasury Department



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LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Greenwald, daughter Pat, and son, Isadore, visited with friends in Artesia Tuesday. They were enroute home to Crowley, La., from Roswell where their son graduated from the high school division of the New Mexico Military Institute on Tuesday morning.

Dale Fischbeck went to Roswell on Tuesday night to visit O. L. Wood, who is recuperating from an operation in a Roswell hospital.

Mrs. George Johnson, who underwent an operation at a Cairo, Mo., hospital recently, is reported making satisfactory progress and has been able to leave the hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Johnson are visiting Mr. Johnson's brother, J. H. Johnson, in Missouri.

Neil B. Watson and D. D. Archer, local attorneys, transacted business in Santa Fe on Monday.

O. L. Wood, who underwent an emergency operation at a Roswell hospital last week, is reported making satisfactory progress but is not expected to be able to come home before the middle or end of next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Folkerson and Miss Hoyt of Crowley, La., visited briefly with friends in Artesia Tuesday while enroute home after a trip to Roswell where they picked up Jennings Cleveland, who has been attending NMMI the past year.

Mrs. Luther Kitchell and two daughters, Ruby Jean and Dora Nell, of Albuquerque are visiting

Mrs. Kitchell's father, Charles Roody, and her brother, Calvin Dunn and his family.

Mrs. Henry Graham of Clinton, Ark., spent last week visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bradshaw. The Bradshaws took Mrs. Graham to Gasoline, Tex., where they visited Mr. Bradshaw's father, T. L. Bradshaw, before returning to Artesia.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Green and daughter and son, Miss Virginia and John Green, returned home Wednesday morning after a two-week vacation trip to Novinger, Mo., and other places in the Midwest.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bean and two daughters of San Bernardino, Calif., visited Mr. Bean's sister, Mrs. P. J. (Shorty) McCullough, and Mr. McCullough from Friday to Tuesday. From Artesia they went on to Texas to visit a week before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Neill and little son, Jackie, have arrived in Rochester, N. Y., without car trouble of any kind, it has been learned.

Douglas O'Bannon, Ernest Morgan, and Charles Baldwin returned home Friday night from El Vado Dam, where they had been on a fishing trip. O'Bannon was the lucky angler of the party, landing 4½ and 7½-pound trout, the latter the largest which had been caught in those waters this season up to the time the Artesia men came home.

There would be a lot more guilty pleas in court, if we had all women juries. Mere man can't fool one woman, much less twelve.

Hospital News

Mrs. R. N. Brown underwent major surgery last Wednesday and is recovering satisfactorily.

Sam Scarbrough entered for medical treatment on Wednesday and was dismissed on Thursday.

Mrs. A. H. Lowery is recovering rapidly following major surgery performed on Thursday.

Mrs. Raymond Madron was discharged on Sunday following minor surgical treatment on Wednesday.

Mrs. Willard Hope entered the hospital for medical treatment on Wednesday and was released on Sunday.

Ronald Holmes had his tonsils removed on Friday and went home the same day.

Mrs. Robert Harper entered the hospital on Friday for medical treatment and went home on Sunday.

Master Emery McPhaul was in for medical treatment on Friday and was released on Sunday.

Frank William Yates underwent major surgery on Friday and was discharged on Monday.

Jim Ferguson is in the hospital for medical treatment; is reported doing nicely.

F. E. Pennell received medical treatment on Tuesday.

Mrs. W. B. Shannon was brought to the hospital on Tuesday and is recovering nicely after undergoing surgery.

R. G. Wagner had his tonsils removed on Wednesday.

Mrs. Elizabeth Kersey suffered a leg injury and is in the hospital for attention.

Mrs. Bill Morgan came to the hospital for medical attention on Wednesday.

Y. G. Partlow and Edward Pitts received medical treatment for burns on Wednesday.

Misses Dora and Stella Brito underwent tonsillectomies on Friday and were taken home the same day.

Ohlon Guthrie underwent major surgery on Sunday and his condition is satisfactory.

Miss Frances Fuchs underwent a tonsillectomy on Monday and has recovered rapidly.

Mrs. E. M. Evans received medical attention on Wednesday and is responding nicely.

Seven new arrivals have kept the nursery busy this week. There are four boys and three little girls.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hamilton

have a son, Paul, Junior, who weighed eight pounds five and a half ounces and arrived last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wince Joe Bean also have a son, born on Saturday. He tipped the scales at seven pounds eight ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Sammons have a husky young son, who arrived on Sunday and weighed in at eight pounds 13 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Patterson have named their tiny son William Bruce. He made his arrival on Monday and weighed five pounds 13 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Rex Taylor have a little girl, Linda Caroline, who weighed six pounds six ounces. She arrived on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rodriguez have named their daughter Virginia. She was born on Tuesday, making her the newest arrival, and weighed six pounds, 14 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Eskew have not named their daughter, who was born on Saturday and weighed seven pounds four ounces.

The 1946 swim suits certainly reflect the material shortage. You'll see less suit and more gal at the beach. As some wag said, "The girls are bare-ing up beautifully."

All cloth from Army uniforms are in a DDT solution.

Gifts for Father

ON HIS DAY
Sunday, June 16

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- Botany Ties
- Belts
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- Billfolds
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Pastor Will Be Sunday



G. BENSON

G. Benson of Kansas... secretary for the Church Schools of the Nazarene and of the Artesia... the speaker at the 11 o'clock morning, June 9, announced by Rev. D. Benson was pastor of church in 1933, 1934, 1935 and is well known... attended the conference last year. He is a member of the Church School of the Nazarene... a promotional magazine to the interests of the church schools in the Church of the Nazarene... international headquarters at Kansas City, Mo., has more than 1,000 schools enrolled in some 16 folds... w Hats... d... FTS... MORE... LAPPED... ON... Comp... Meet... ARY JOB... LOW... pes... ANK BR... men... 5... 5... DULCI... Clothes... Co... Art...

er and humpless. An English scientist once remarked that the llama had some of the camel's properties and none of his deformities. The average llama weighs about 250 pounds and is approximately one-third the size of the Old World camel. The length of the body, which tapers like that of a greyhound, is about the same as its height, giving the animal a finely proportioned and exceedingly graceful appearance. The llama stands about four and a half feet high. Because of its swan-like neck, it appears much taller than it actually is.

Its eyes are black and limpidly soft; it has a long, somewhat pointed muzzle, a short mouse-colored snout, dilated nostrils, and erect ears, usually tipped with white. Its upper lip is cleft like that of the camel, the split being sufficiently wide when the animal is feeding to expose its teeth. Its lower lip is pendulous and its foot cleft, the forepart being armed with two enduring spurs, which aid it to get along on the precipitous mountain paths. Finally, its fleece is thick and coarse.

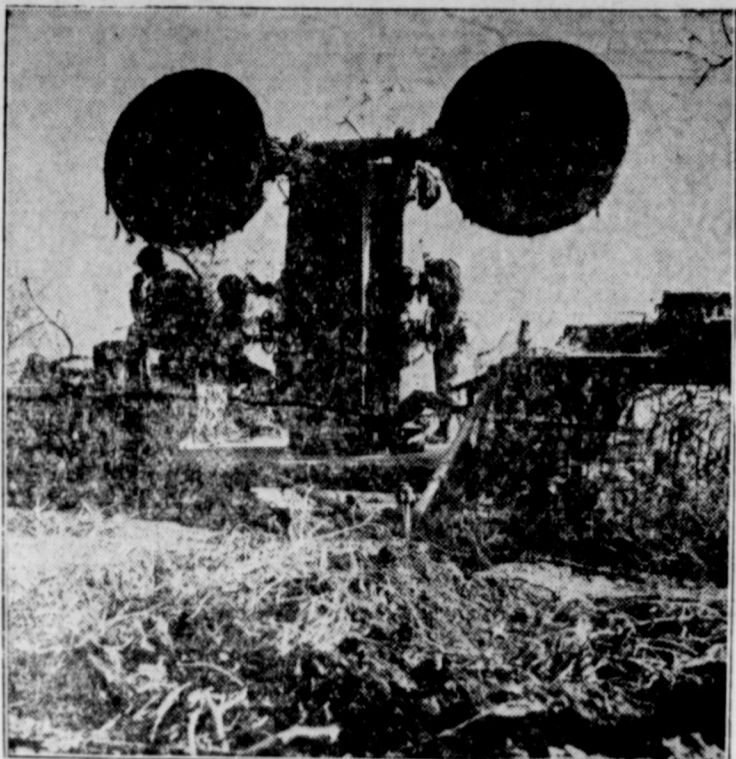
The llama has a tremendous personality. It asks for little or nothing, hardly ever drinks—a camel-like trait—and thrives on the poorest of grasslands. Although essentially patient and docile, it is one of the proudest and most self-respecting of animals. Noting the llama's air of disdain, it is not surprising to hear that should a pack animal be loaded with more than 100 pounds it will lie down and refuse to budge. Nor can the elegant creature be hurried on the trail. It tolerates its Indian attendant of necessity, but a stranger presuming to approach "the presence" is likely to find himself halted by a well-aimed spray of highly offensive saliva.

In coloring, the llamas vary from black to cream, passing through a variety of blacks and browns. They possess amusing ready-made pads on their front knees for kneeling when lowering themselves to rest. The number of llamas in existence today is estimated at two million in Bolivia, about a million in Peru, and another hundred thousand distributed through Ecuador, Chile, and Argentina.

They are owned almost exclusively by Indians, who alone appear to understand and manage them. They have a deep affection for the llamas which they decorate with ribbons and bells and fondle as we would dogs. In pre-colonial days everything pertaining to the llama was governed by strict regulations and the animal that gave the Indian clothing, food, and mode of transportation was treated as it deserved. Furthermore, without the llama the Incas would not have been able to enjoy a full religious life, for the animals were given a religious significance and they constituted the chief voice offering to the sun.

The Spanish conquerors, however, killed off countless llamas for their brains alone, and overworked and ill-treated the others. It is said that 300,000 of these animals formed the tremendous transport train to and from the rich Potosi silver mines shortly after the seizure of the country by the Spaniards. Llamas are still used today as carriers in the higher Andes, although the development of air transport and the building of new roads has naturally decreased their importance. The males are generally the carriers, while the females give milk and flesh. As a bearer of fleece the position of this animal is important and its pelts are also found for sale at practically every Indian market.

An inseparable companion of the Indian, the llama is found both in the country and in the town; it often guards its master's sleep and is reared with his children as if they were brothers. Together with the condor, it stands as the most typical exponent of the fauna of the Andes.



Released by U. S. War Department, Bureau of Public Relations. RADAR IN OPERATION—Draped with camouflage netting this SCR-547 radar stood guard against the Luftwaffe near San Pietro, Italy. The soldiers who operate this instrument are the scouts in the modern U. S. Army. An interesting field for scientific study as well as adventure is open to the young men who join Uncle Sam's armed forces now.

News Shorts

Talking at a Chamber of Commerce meeting in President Truman's home town, Victor V. Allen of Kansas City told of seeing this message carved on a desk in the junior high school at Independence: "Harry Truman X Bess Wallace." And in the corner of the same desk: "Harry and Bess." From the back of the room spoke up Vivian Truman, the president's brother: "Aw, they were carved there after Harry became president."

Checking cars in the police department's safety lane, officers at St. Joseph, Mo., found only 11 out of 96 cars able to pass the test. Among the 11 was a 1925 Model T Ford truck which did not reveal a single defect.

No one can accuse A. F. Matthias of Atchison, Kan., of owning a temperamental cigar lighter. His really works. Matthias left the lighter on the lower shelf of a window in his home. When a member of the family raised the window the lighter flipped open and set the house on fire. The fire department put out the blaze before much damage resulted.

If the lumber shortage is driving you nuts, consider the poor squirrels. Mill Operator Al Newlander of Albuquerque says timber is being cut, loaded, and hauled from the woods so fast that the other day a squirrel showed up in his yard on a truckload of lumber—none the wiser for his trip.

Philippines High Commissioner Paul V. McNutt proved himself a diplomat as he stepped from his plane at Seattle after a flight from the Orient, via Adak in the Aleutians. "After Manila, this cool climate is wonderful," he exclaimed. Then he smiled and added quickly: "After Adak, this warm weather is wonderful."

Police halted Tom Russell on a New York pier as he rushed to meet his British bride and 3-month-old son on the Queen Mary. "I've forgotten my bloomin' pocketbook," he shouted. His posing as a British sailor worked as far as a port where he saw his wife but couldn't get any farther. Deciding they would fare better with the Red Cross because of travel restrictions, Russell told his bride he'd try to make her train.

As she left the Pennsylvania station, Russell left Grand Central. They missed each other at Chicago and again at Kansas City—and finally met at his home in Parsons, Kan.

After Judge William V. Daly of Chicago sentenced Herman Plik, 53, to 20 days in jail for obtaining money under false pretenses, Plik fell to the floor and screamed: "I don't want to go to jail for 20 days." "Very well," Judge Daly responded as he ordered the bailiffs to remove Plik from the felony court room, "make it 30 days."

Whether a man must aid police in the arrest of a friend was the question before Judge J. M. Braude in Chicago. Matthew Bolsega, 31, was accused by Police-man Nicholas Roder of refusing to summon a patrol wagon while he was arresting the wife of a friend of Bolsega. Judge Braude said he was stumped on an immediate decision and continued a charge of disorderly conduct against Bolsega until May 22.

Two men were hospitalized in Syracuse, N. Y., recently while attending a nylon sale. Mere man should know by now that it's a woman's world.

Classified For Sale

FOR SALE—Just unloaded another carload of good used pianos containing such names as Kimball, Packard, Knabe, Howard, Hamilton, Emerson, and Chickering. These pianos are being reconditioned under expert supervision of Mr. Roy Anderson. They range in price from \$100 to \$1150. Easy terms. Ginsberg Music Company Roswell, N. M. 19-8c-26

FOR SALE—Hercules industrial type engine, 50-horsepower, completely overhauled. See Clyde Guy. 20-tfc

FOR SALE—Fryers, on foot or dressed. C. E. Wing, phone 381-R5 20-4tp-23

FOR SALE—One D-S-35 International long wheelbase truck. I also have winch trucks for heavy oil field hauling. K. J. Williams, phone 534-R. 17-tfc

FOR SALE—250 feet 8-inch, 8-round, seamless pipe; good as new. J. E. (Ted) Everts, phone 437-M. 5-tfc

FOR SALE—Popular and classical phonograph records. Watch for new records weekly. Roselawn Radio Service, 106 S. Roselawn. 37-4tp-40tfc.

FOR SALE—Dressed turkeys from Bryant Williams farm, Hope, at Artesia Locker Plant. 44-tfc.

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

FOR SALE—16-inch Caterpillar Tracks. Pat Fairey's Salvage Yard, North First Street. 21-2tc-22

FOR SALE—Full-size mattress. Phone 475-R. 18-tfc

FOR SALE—Small frame house, 12x24. See George Fisher, Hope, New Mexico. 21-3tp-23

FOR SALE—40 acres of land, four-room house, \$2600. G. I. Peden, 1 1/2 miles east of former POW camp. 21-3tp-23

FOR SALE—Blacksmith and welding shop, well equipped, price \$3500. Building can be leased. See Cliff Longbotham, Gilbert Hotel. 22-3tp-24

FOR SALE—New tile building, 30x36 feet. H. E. Hope, phone 546-J. 22-3tp-24

FOR SALE—Five-room and bath modern house, plastered walls, two lots, corner 11th and Grand, \$5250; with one lot, \$4700. Four-room house and three lots, electric, gas, pressure pump, windmill, storage tank, chicken house, and 15 shade trees, on Morningside, \$2100. W. E. Ragdale, 521 1/2 West Main St. 23-tfc

FOR SALE—Two bedroom house, good location, furnished or unfurnished, early possession. J. M. Morgan, 512 South Seventh St. 23-2tp-24

FOR SALE—Income property, eight-room house, trailer camp in connection. Mrs. Elva Willey, 102 East Grand. 23-4tp-26

FOR SALE—Four lots, two houses, three trailer houses; one house to be vacated at once. All located in 500 block on North Roselawn. See W. W. Parlow. 23-1tp

FOR SALE—1945 27-foot Continental house trailer, ceiling price, beautiful redwood finish, permanent bed. Call at 308 South Seventh St. 23-1tp

FOR SALE—Three Centrifugal pumps, 12" intake, 10" outlet. Otis Ramsey, phone 345, P. O. Box 1272, Monahans, Tex. 23-4tp-26

FOR SALE—New three-room frame house and five acres of land, three miles west on Hope road. \$2000. J. H. Boteler. 23-3tp-25

FOR SALE—One fullblood Guernsey milk cow, extra nice. Phone 433-R, or call at 901 W. Chisum any time except Sunday. 23-1tp

FOR SALE—1935 Plymouth coupe with a small pick-up bed; motor and tires are OK. Priced reasonably. L. E. Francis. 23-1tc

FOR SALE—Two-room house, North Eighth and Hank. Inquire at Dunn's Garage. Lewis Kerk. 23-1tp

FOR SALE—One set heavy half screen doors with two-way hinges. One set left-handed golf clubs. C. S. Smith, phone 506-J. 23-1tp

FOR SALE—One two-row Case cultivator; F30 tractor. Can be seen at Artesia Alfalfa Growers Assn. 23-tfc

FOR SALE—Fine, five-room residence, just completed, large corner lot, restricted neighborhood. Phone 81-J. 21-3' 23

FOR SALE—Pressure cooker, large size, 25 quarts. Phone 243. 23-1tp

FOR SALE—Two Franklin engines with 11-gallon fuel tanks, 4 miles northwest of Lake Arthur. Contact S. C. Bayless in Roswell, N. M. 23-4tp-26

FOR SALE—Venetian blinds made to order. Call Billy Albert, phone 557. 22-4tp-25

FOR SALE—Ranch on the Pecos, 200 acres deeded, irrigated pasture, 100 head cattle. For information write the owner, Box 12, Artesia. 22-3tp-24

FOR SALE—Fishing worms. See Vernon Haldeman, 2 1/2 miles southeast of Artesia. 22-2tc-23

FOR SALE—One six-room house, 506 East Chisum, 50x140-foot lot. See Manuel Zamora at Kemp Lumber Co., or call 14. 22-3tp-24

FRESH FISH—And hot tamales at 705 W. Adams. John Hudson 22-2tp-23

FOR SALE—Duplex apartment, three rooms, bath, and closet space both sides. Double garage and will give immediate possession. Call at 304 W. Washington, or phone 556-W. 22-2tp-23

FOR SALE—1942 30-foot Hobbs semi-stock trailer, complete with fifth wheel and brakes. Also one six-foot Massey Harris clipper combine. See Douglas O'Bannon. 8-tfc

FOR SALE—Electric fly traps. Beat DDT. McCaw Hatchery, 13th and Grand, phone 590. 18-tfc

FOR SALE—One three and one five-room house, each on 50-foot lot, in 800 block Richardson, of this city. Will sell together or separately. Mrs. Lee Glasscock, 310 Dallas. 22-tfc

FOR SALE—Fryers at Boone Jones farm, two and a half miles southeast of town. 22-2tp-23

FOR SALE—Gentle saddle horses, all kinds. See Mr. Carmen at Ropers Club. 22-tfc

FOR SALE—Two-bedroom house, completely modern, substantially built, recently redecorated inside and out, floor furnace, lots of shade, plenty of room for garden, chickens, and cow. Priced to sell. Address owner, Box 427, care of The Advocate. 22-3tp-24

FOR SALE—Four new 6-ply 5.50x18 prewar tires, wheels, and tubes, make me an offer; three good 8.25x20 used tires; new 16-inch electric fan, \$16; retreaded 6.00x16 tires with three extra plys, \$12.70. We now issue brake and headlight stickers. Sinclair Service Station. 21-3tp-23

FOR SALE—If you have anything in the way of property for sale, now is the time to sell. I have the buys. For any kind of real estate, give me your listings. If the price is reasonable, I can find you a buyer. H. A. Denton, office phone 356, residence phone 145-W, 205 1/2 Pershing Building. 21-tfc

FOR SALE—Three lots business property, 75 x 125 feet. Corner of Second and Texas Streets. \$8,000.00. Write J. O. Richards, Apt. 161, Thayer Apartments, Carlisbad, N. M. 17-7tp-23

FOR SALE—Sand and gravel. Screened sand, shot gravel, fine chat, straight cement sand and gravel, delivered anywhere. See C. W. Morgan for your sand and gravel needs. Phone 264-J or 78-W, 6 a. m. to 2 p. m. and 6 to 10 p. m. 17-tfc

WHOLESALE—Auto batteries guaranteed. Write for dealer prices, Box 507, Wilson Motor Co., phone 4091, Lovington. 23-2tp-24

REALTY SALES COMPANY 904 South First—Phone 703-R Good corner lot, fine business location, \$2500.00. 3-room modern frame house, 50x150-ft. lot, paving paid, \$3600.00. 3-room house, unmodern, 100x150-foot lot in Morning Side addition. \$1350.00. 4-room stucco house (2 bedrooms) gas and electricity. Water in kitchen, no sewer. Well and windmill. \$2250.00. 5-room stucco house, modern, garage, fenced in yard. Nice lawn and trees. \$7350.00. Fine acreage close to town. 10 acres, 5-room modern stucco house, lawn and trees. \$10,000.00. 5 acres west of town. 5-room modern stucco house, gas, electricity, water and phone. \$7000.00. 3-room modern house, good location. \$4250. 280-acre farm 3 miles from town. Water rights on 147 acres. 2 sets of improvements. 4-room modern house. 3 room unmodern house. Crop now in is valued at \$5000.00. \$15,000.00 down, balance in 10 years.

REALTY SALES COMPANY 904 South First—Phone 703-R 23-tfc

FOR SALE—Three choice lots on West Main. Phone 551 or 561. 23-1tp

FOR SALE—APARTMENTS—six 2-room apartments, fine location, will pay 20 per cent on investment. LOTS—Priced from \$375 to \$1600. Farms—ranches—tourist courts. E. A. HANNAH AGENCY 105 Roselawn, Phone 372-R 20-tfc

Uncle Sam Says



Sixty-three years ago this month, Americans discovered a new way of joshing a neighbor who invested his money unwisely: "Go buy yourself Brooklyn Bridge." Brooklyn Bridge had just been opened. Some people actually turned over their savings to confidence men who sold them the great New York span. I can say to you today: "Go buy yourself a bridge, and I would be giving you sound advice. The bridge I have in mind consists of United States Savings Bonds... a bridge between the present and your future." U. S. Treasury Department

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FOR SALE—Farms from \$10,000 to \$40,000; also three to seven-room homes in nice locations from \$3000 to \$12,000. Realty Sales Co., phone 703-R, 904 South First. 20-tfc

Wanted

WANTED—Someone to care for elderly lady. 710 Grand, phone 711. 23-1tp

WANTED—Would like job on ranch, 15 years experience. E. C. Wilcox, phone 1473-W, Roswell. 23-1tp

MAGAZINE & NEWSPAPER SUBSCRIPTION AGENCY—We can obtain nearly any magazine you desire. Write me for free booklet listing magazines & price. You can save. Charles H. Rounds, General Sales Service, P.O. Box 1092, Roswell, N. M. 19-8tp-27

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

WANTED—Mattresses and upholstery. We make lying easy. Artesia Mattress & Upholstery Co., corner Roselawn and Chisum. 5-20tp-26

WANTED—Housekeeper. Mrs. S. S. Ward, 505 Richardson. 19-tfc

WANTED—I cover buckles, buttons, belts complete, make button holes and shoulder pads. Mrs. J. W. Shildneck, 812 West Grand Ave., phone 498-W. 21-4tp-24

WANTED—Housekeeper. Two room furnished apartment and meals. Apply 302 Missouri, Mrs. W. R. Petty. 21-tfc

WANTED TO RENT—Couple wants four or five-room unfurnished house. Bob Johnson, phone 266-NR. 21-4tp-24

WANTED—A boy of 15 would like a job on a farm. Call at 315 N. Fourth St. 22-2tp-23

WANTED—Real estate listings (farms and homes). Realty Sales Co., phone 703-R, 904 South First. 20-tfc

WANTED—Ironing in my home. Two miles east on Lovington highway. Lillie Mobley, phone 388-R4. 22-3tp-24

WANTED—Ironing, 75 cents a dozen; 10 cents extra for shirts. Mrs. Lee Wilson, 501 1/2 E. Texas. 23-2tp-24

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AN OPEN LETTER

In keeping with the expressed wish of my late husband, Mr. S. W. Gilbert, who passed away May 12th, 1946, I have transferred his fire insurance agency to E. A. Hannah, who will manage it for me.

I am retaining my interest in the business and will very much appreciate your continued patronage and friendship.

I am sure Mr. Hannah will give you the very best service in all of your insurance requirements. He, like Mr. Gilbert, represents ONLY the very BEST of the many fire insurance companies—old, reliable, strong financial companies that have long records of honorable dealing with the public—Companies that pay their losses promptly and in FULL.

Sincerely yours, Signed: MRS. S. W. GILBERT

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To acquire and hold by purchase or otherwise real and personal property of every kind and character.

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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 processes against the corporation may be served is W. D. Girard, Jr., P. O. Box 814, Hobbs, New Mexico.

5. Filed in the office of the State Corporation Commission on March 11, 1946. No. 24089. Cor. Rec'd. Vol. 6, Page 7, at 9:30 A. 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 the County Clerk of Eddy County, New Mexico, 18 April 1946, at 1:00 P. M. Book 5, Page 114.

NOTICE
STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE
Number of Application R.A. 1302-S. Santa Fe, N. M., May 21, 1946.

Notice is hereby given that on the 22nd day of April, 1946, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, I, P. Johnson of Lake Arthur, County of Eddy, State of New Mexico, made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a permit to drill a 14 inch diameter shallow groundwater well approximately 200 feet in depth at a location in the NE 1/4 SW 1/4 (Lot 14) Section 5, Township 16 South, Range 26 East, N.M.P.M., for the purpose of supplementing Well R.A. 1392, on 134 acres of land with shallow groundwater rights, in Sections 4 and 5 of said Township and Range. Above mentioned lands have also claim to Cottonwood Creek rights.

Any person, firm, association, corporation, the State of New Mexico or the United States of America, deeming that the granting of the above application will be truly detrimental to their rights in the waters of said underground source, may protest in writing the State Engineer's granting of approval of said application. The protest shall set forth all protestant's reasons why the application should not be approved and shall be accompanied by supporting affidavits and by proof that a copy of the protest has been served upon the applicant.

Said protest and proof of service must be filed with the State Engineer within ten (10) days after the date of the last publication of this notice. Unless protested, the application will be given final consideration for approval by the State Engineer on the 1st day of July, 1946.

Thomas M. McClure,
State Engineer.

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 MESA RETAILERS, INC. (No Stockholders' Liability).

1. The amount of authorized capital stock is: 100,000 shares, no par value. (will not exceed \$100,000).

2. The amount of capital stock actually issued, and with which the corporation will commence business is: \$2,500.00.

3. The names of the incorporators and their post office addresses are:
William Hudson, Artesia, New Mexico.
Mildred Hudson, Artesia, New Mexico.
Ralph Petty, Artesia, New Mexico.

4. The objects and purposes of said corporation are: To engage in the business of the purchase

ROBERT C. MOSELEY, GREETINGS:
You will take notice that there has been filed in the District Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, a civil action numbered 9470 on the docket of said Court, wherein Flora Moseley is plaintiff, and you, Robert C. Moseley, are the defendant; that the purpose of said suit is to obtain a divorce and unless you appear, answer or defend herein on or before the 5th day of July, 1946, the plaintiff will pray for the Court for the relief prayed for in her complaint filed herein and judgment will be entered against you in said cause.

The plaintiff's attorneys are ARCHER & DILLARD, whose office address is Ward Building, Artesia, New Mexico.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal this 17th day of May, 1946.

Marguerite E. Waller,
Clerk of the District Court.

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF EDDY COUNTY, STATE OF NEW MEXICO.
IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF STEPHEN W. GILBERT, DECEASED.

No. 1302
NOTICE

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:
Notice is hereby given that an instrument purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Stephen W. Gilbert, Deceased, has been filed for probate in the Probate Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, and that by order of said Court the 25th day of June, 1946, at the hour of 10 a. m., at the Court Room of said Court in the City of Carlsbad, New Mexico, is the day, time and place set for hearing proof of said Last Will and Testament.

Therefore, any person or persons wishing to enter objections to the probating of said Last Will and Testament are hereby notified to file their objections in the

office of the County Clerk of Eddy County, on or before the time set for said hearing.

Dated at Carlsbad, New Mexico, this 29 day of May, 1946.

R. A. Wilcox,
County Clerk.
By Mrs. R. A. Wilcox,
Deputy.

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NOTICE
STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE
Number of Application R.A. 558 & RA 952 Cons. Santa Fe, N. M., May 21, 1946.

Notice is hereby given that on the 15th day of May, 1946, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, K. J. Williams of Artesia, County of Eddy, State of New Mexico, made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a permit to change location of Artesian Well RA 558 and RA 952 Cons. from present location in the SW 1/4 SW 1/4 of Section 20, Township 16

South, Range 26 East, N.M.P.M., to another location not more than 200 feet distant and within the same subdivision section, township and range, where applicant proposes to drill an artesian well 10 inches in diameter and approximately 950 feet in depth for the purpose of continuing to irrigate 149 acres of land in the SE 1/4 of said Section 20 with established rights under Files RA 558 and RA 952.

Old well is to be plugged.

Any person, firm, association, corporation, the State of New Mexico or the United States of

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT IN AND FOR EDDY COUNTY STATE OF NEW MEXICO.
Flora Moseley, Plaintiff,
—vs—
Robert C. Moseley, Defendant.
Case No. 9470.
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10-ft. Pieces	Tarpaulins	2-in. Medium Roll Blanket, 100 sq. ft.
12-ft. Pieces	Waterproof	Wall Heaters
	5x7, 12.41 oz., ea.	6-Burner, Circular
Butane Water Heaters	6x8, 12.41 oz., ea.	10-Burner, Circular
30-Gallon	6x9, 12.41 oz., ea.	METAL LOUVERS
20-Gallon	6x10, 12.41 oz., ea.	8x8 inches
	7x17, 12.41 oz., ea.	12x12 inches
Diamond Water Softeners	8x10, 12.41 oz., ea.	12x18 inches
28,000-Grain	8x12, 12.41 oz., ea.	Fairbury WINDMILLS
36,000-Grain	10x12, 12.41 oz., ea.	6-ft.
	14x20, 12.41 oz., ea.	8-ft.
Clothes Line Posts	16x36, 12.41 oz., ea.	10-ft.
Steel, Pair		12-ft., Ranch
5.00	Tents	14-ft., Ranch
	Waterproof	16-ft., Ranch
Pittsburgh Paints Highest Quality	8x10, 12.41 oz., ea.	18-ft., Ranch
Outside White, Gal.	10x12, 12.41 oz., each.	Also Tents
Flat White, Gal.	12x14, 12.41 oz., ea.	Redwood Wood Storage Tanks
Semi-Gloss, Gal.		5x5
Floor Enamel, Gal.	Tepee Tents	6x5
Waterproof Varnish, Gal.	10x10, 12.41 oz., ea.	6x6
Wartepar Enamel, Gal.		Johnson's Wax
Red Barn Paint Paste, Gal.	CEDAR POSTS	Paste Wax, Lb.
Gal.	6 1/2 ft., 3-in. top	Liquid Wax, Gal.
3.30	7 ft., 3-in. top	No-Buff Wax, Gal.
2.98	8 ft., 4-in. top	Floor Sealer, Gal.
Cementide Paint, Gal.	10 ft., 6-in. top	
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Keene's Cement, bag	Coleman	
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6.50		
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3.50		

PENDENCY OF SUIT OF NEW MEXICO... Hancock; F. J. Mobbs; William R. Swearingen; John McIlhenny; A. M. Fell; Aileen M. McGivney...

State Vets May Participate in Army Truck Sale... New Mexico veterans in the market for surplus Army trucks have been invited to participate in the biggest sale of new trucks yet staged by the War Assets Administration...

of all types. There are no passenger cars, jeeps, or station wagons offered at this sale. Veterans who attend the sale in person will find temporary housing at the sale site...

Four Agencies Process Vet Housing Program... Under the present regulations four agencies are authorized to process applications for housing or non-housing construction for veterans...

Pupil Cost in New Mexico Probably Will Be \$160 This Year... According to information published in the National Education Association Journal of May, the average public school cost per pupil for the continental United States was \$117.36 for the year ended June 30, 1943...

Each Day We Strive to Make Our Service Better... Let Us Care for Your Needs at the Time of Sorrow... Paulin Funeral Home... 409 W. Main Phone 707

Special colors and types of paint are used for Army convalescent hospitals as an aid in curing neuropsychopathic cases.

Parents... 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...

TRAILERS For Sale or Rent... WELDING... Portable Electric and Acetylene... 509 S. First PHONE 404-W

For Sale... Beautiful Little Modern Home... Forest Hill Addition... 100x140 Grounds... Beautifully Landscaped Throughout... Carl Wiese... 1102 Washington... See After 5 p. m.

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF EDDY COUNTY, STATE OF NEW MEXICO... IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF J. HISE MYERS, DECEASED. No. 1304 NOTICE TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an instrument purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of J. Hise Myers, deceased, has been filed for probate in the Probate Court of Eddy County, New Mexico...

EPISCOPAL SERVICES ARE LATER DURING SUMMER... Services at St. Paul's Episcopal Church have been changed for the summer months to 8 o'clock on Sunday evenings instead of 7:30 o'clock, it was announced by Rev. Joseph H. Harvey, vicar.

Shannon Arches, all steel, now available at The Advocate.

It's a Picnic to SAVE HERE!... Beside a babbling brook—or in your own home—picnic foods are good fun... grand eating... for the whole family. They're exciting! They're deliciously different! They're smacking-good snacks anywhere... and time. And we have picnic-pleasers by the basketful—a vast variety of these fine foods that puts ZING into appetizing menus. Get some today and discover what a picnic it is to save money when you shop where every price is a low price every day!

Wet Wash on Saturdays... MINIMUM PRICE 40c... Your Business Appreciated... PHONE 241-R

Are You Making Plans for a LONG VACATION TRIP This Summer... To drive, it is mighty important that you think of safety groups, automobile associations, and vehicle officials warn us that thousands of motorists reach their vacation spots unless they have their cars repaired. Wartime wear and tear will prove many of the cars on the road today.

ROSWELL SAND... We are now distributors for Roswell sand Shipped in by carload lots... Delivered - Any Amount - Anywhere - Any Time... C. W. MORGAN... B. E. NORTH CUTT... Phone 264-J

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Mrs. Brantley, Earliest Mayhill Settler, Dies

Mrs. Sarah Jane Brantley, 84, the earliest settler at Mayhill in Otero County and, with her late husband, the first vegetable grower in the mountains there, died at her home at Mayhill at 12:20 o'clock last Thursday morning after an illness of three weeks.

Funeral services were from the church of Christ at Mayhill at 3 o'clock last Thursday afternoon by Rev. Wilkins. Burial was in Mayhill Cemetery.

Mrs. Brantley is survived by seven children, M. D. Brantley, Hope; Mrs. T. M. Curtis and Mrs. Mamie Frizzell, Mayhill; Mrs. Betty Fleming, Pinon; Lee Brantley, Mayhill; Mrs. Nola Watson, Hagerman, and Elzie Brantley, Carlsbad.

There also survive Mrs. Brantley a sister and two brothers, Mrs. Mary Hardin, Abernathy, Tex.; John Doggett, Goldthwaite, Tex.; and Clete Doggett, Brownwood, Tex.

Mrs. Brantley was born in Texas Jan. 18, 1862. She moved to New Mexico in 1885, settling at what is now Mayhill. In the early days, when the nearest doctor was 40 miles away, on the Mescalero Indian reservation, Mr. and Mrs.

Fingers Crossed, As Advocate Sits Pretty for Paper

With the most critical newsprint shortage facing newspapers since the beginning of the war back in 1941, The Artesia Advocate has been fortunate enough to obtain its last shipment of paper and should be able to continue publication for the next five months with no cuts or reduction in the size of its paper.

Many of the daily as well as weekly publications have been forced not only to curtail the size of their papers but in some instances find it necessary either to reduce the amount of advertising or to eliminate advertising altogether.

The newsprint situation has been critical for some months, but a strike at one of the newsprint plants in Canada has brought about the condition, which prevails today. This mill, of course, is not able to provide any newsprint to the number of newspapers with which it had contracts to provide newsprint.

The Advocate has had an order for more than 90 days and was fortunate enough for this shipment to reach Roswell from Canada just two days before the railroad strike. The paper has now been delivered to Artesia and is in storage here.

This shipment of paper should be sufficient to provide newsprint for The Advocate for the next five months or possibly a week or two beyond this time.

If the Canadian situation clears up between now and that time no problem should be confronted five months from now. However, if the situation has not cleared then The Advocate may also be in the same position as many newspapers find themselves today.

Brantley hauled their produce, the first raised in the Sacramento Mountains at Mayhill, to El Paso by wagon.

Paulin Funeral Home of Artesia was in charge of the funeral services.

Death Comes to Mrs. Keener, 79, Last Thursday

Mrs. Martha Keener, 79, died at 9:20 o'clock last Thursday night at the home here of her daughter, Mrs. Perl Gresham, with whom she lived. She was ill only about a week.

The body was taken Sunday in the Paulin hearse to Pecos, Tex., for shipment to Gordon, Tex., where funeral services and burial were Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Keener, who was born in Georgia Feb. 6, 1867, came to Artesia from Gordon, Tex., two years ago to make her home with the daughter here.

There survive her eight other children, besides Mrs. Gresham, at whose home death came. They are Mrs. Ida De Witt, Artesia; Mrs. Eddy Parsons, Long Camp, Tex.; Bill and George Keener, Gordon, Tex.; Mrs. Carl Hall, Hagerman; Tom Keener, Odessa, Tex.; Mrs. Annie Stone, Fort Worth, Tex., and Arthur Keener, Long Camp, Tex. A brother, N. F. Whitley, Bradshaw, Tex., also survives.

Mining Employment In Potash Industry Shows Upward Trend

Reflecting an increase in employment in the potash industry, the number of workers in all manufacturing establishments in New Mexico in March totaled 8400 compared with 8200 for the previous month, the Bureau of Labor Statistics of the U.S. Department of Labor regional office in Denver announced. The March level likewise represents a gain of 400 workers over employment in the same month a year ago.

In all mining industries of the state, employment totaled 8800 in March, 200 less than in February, but 600 workers more than were employed in March, 1945. Of the mining industries, 2400 workers were employed in New Mexico metal mines during March compared with 2600 employees in February. In coal mining the pre-strike level of employment stood at 2000 in March. In the same month, 3500 workers were engaged in the crude petroleum and natural gas production industry while 900 workers held jobs in quarrying and nonmetallic mining.

Soft drink makers are planning to spend \$50,000,000 on postwar new plant construction.

Mitchell Points Out Strike Has Paralyzed Farm Unit Factories

Farmers throughout the nation have lost the use of thousands of tractors and even greater quantities of other farm machines as a result of a strike called at the plants of the J. I. Case Company, J. T. Mitchell of Joe Mitchell & Son, Artesia dealers, said this week.

Production has also been paralyzed on hundreds of thousands of dollars of needed replacement parts in addition to the tillage, seeding, and harvesting units which will never come off the assembly line, it was pointed out. The strike, called by the union last Dec. 26, is being prolonged at the Rockford and Racine, Wis., plants although employees at Rock Island and at Burlington, Iowa, have returned to work in full force.

Company officials rejected union demands for a 30 per cent increase on grounds that such a demand is unfair to its farmer customers who would have to foot the bill, Mitchell said.

Morgan Is Granted Water Franchise at Ruidoso Resort Town

H. N. Morgan of Artesia has been granted a franchise by the board of trustees at Ruidoso to operate the water system in that White Mountain resort town.

In the main the result of the franchise will be the connection of all existing water systems at Ruidoso to a six-inch main. Water for the system will be pumped from wells near the airport there to a storage tank in Grady Canyon, which will be 50 feet higher

than the fire lookout tower. Gravity flow will be used in the greater part of the community, but pressure pumps are to be provided for the higher elevation west towards the Indian reservation line.

Morgan is owner of the Caprock Water Company, which operates in the oil fields.

Poppy Sales of \$812 By Auxiliary Fall Below Record of Last Year

Poppy sales May 25 in Artesia by the American Legion Auxiliary fell somewhat below the sales on "Poppy Day" a year ago, as the women offered the memorial flowers on the streets to raise funds for rehabilitation work among veterans of World Wars I and II and the dependents of those who have died.

Mrs. Raymond Bartlett, poppy chairman, reported sales Saturday of \$812.50, as compared with \$850.41 a year ago, the record for the unit here.

The chairman and members of her committee expressed thanks to those who gave liberally in exchange for the poppies, which were manufactured by disabled veterans for the American Legion Auxiliary.

Locals

(Crowded Out Last Week)
Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Harris and daughter, Pattie B., left May 25 for their new home in Wichita Falls, Tex., where Mr. Harris is employed with the Continental Pipeline Company. They had made many friends here. Mrs. Harris and Pat went on to Sapulpa, Okla., where they will visit Mrs. Harris' parents before re-

turning to their new home. Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Torres left on May 23 for California, where they will spend a month. They planned to see their son, Leo Y. Torres, seaman second class, in Long Beach before he is moved to Washington and will spend some time with another son in Oakland. After this they will cover a great part of the state visiting friends and relatives.

Anise seed, now known as babies, is mentioned in the mouth of a snake in certain means of deciding is venomous or not.

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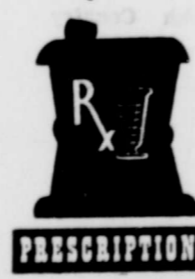
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ARCHES... 10 a. m. 11 a. m. 7:30 p. m. ...

Public cordially invited. —R. T. Rainwater, Pastor.

CHURCH OF CHRIST Seventh and Grand Sunday Bible study, 10 a. m. ...

Wednesday Ladies' Bible class, 3 p. m. ...

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH Sunday school, 9:45 a. m., Fred Jacobs, general superintendent. ...

Woman's Society of Christian Service, first Thursday, 2:30 p. m. ...

director; Mrs. Elizabeth Williams organist. Nursery for small children, for both Sunday school and morning service, with practical nurse in charge. ...

THE FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH Fourth and Grand Church School, 9:45 a. m. ...

Church of the Nazarene Corner of Fifth and Quay Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. ...

Loco Hills Baptist Church Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. ...

Preaching, 7:30 p. m. each Sunday. W. S. C. S., first Wednesday. ...

OUR LADY OF GRACE CATHOLIC CHURCH North Hill Mass Sundays, 9 a. m., Spanish sermon. ...

ST. ANTHONY CATHOLIC CHURCH Ninth and Missouri Mass Sunday, 8 a. m., English sermon. ...

SHERMAN MEMORIAL CHURCH (Oilfield Community) Sunday school at 10 o'clock. ...

PRIMER IGLESIA BAUTISTA MEXICANA Sunday school services, Tirzo Marquez, superintendent, 10 a. m. ...

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Corner of Grand and Roselawn Sunday Services: Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. ...

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH Corner Fourth and Chisholm Sunday Services Bible school, 9:45 a. m. ...

ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH 306 S. Seventh Street Holy Communion, sermon, first Sunday, 8 p. m. ...

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH Corner Sixth and Quay Bible School 9:45 a. m. ...

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH (Missouri Synod) Services every Wednesday evening at St. Paul's Episcopal Church, 306 S. Seventh. ...

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. ...

Worship service, 11 a. m. first and third Sundays. Epworth League, 6:30 p. m. each Sunday.

TRAIL DUST By DOUGLAS MEADOR ... [Illustration of a cowboy on a horse]

A new school of thought advocating the necessity of a poor memory is refreshing. Its principals deserve consideration since there is a smooth-mouth fact that more trivial than important incidents occupy our time. ...

SPANISH-AMERICAN METHODIST CHURCH Sunday school, every Sunday at 10 a. m., Mrs. Lucinda H. Martinez, superintendent. ...

Rich windows of diamonds and soft gold arrest many a hurried step on the city's wierd street. When soulless rain spills through the night's leaky roof and fears walk in pairs past the shadows and sounds, jewelry windows seem brighter. ...

Time is a sea of solvent which consumes all that falls into it. The mountain and a lover's promise perish like snowflakes that lay for an instant beneath the sun.

Wind like a tumbling wall pushed the cottonwoods from their places in the moving car lights and yellow leaves laced the darkness. Blinded and afraid, the small bird was unable to escape the impact of eternity. ...

My cowboy acquaintance who rolls a tamale-shaped cigarette without licking the paper, has an opinion that the men who look at their watches with the greatest frequency are not going anywhere.

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tered; more wretched than happy hours claim parts of our lives. Without remembering we are able to meet each instant with a whole-some aspect. There is no excess burden left in the attics of our souls.

Hang between the leafless limbs of perished years, the once gossamer web of ambition now sags with the dust of many failures; the weight of secret tears.

Apparently no one has foreseen the complication which may arise from the practice of West Texas counties paying bounty on the ears of coyotes. ...

How can we know the wealth of youth without having lived it? A child has no method to evaluate the worth of a coin until after it is spent.

RHEUMATISM and ARTHRITIS I suffered for years and am so thankful that I found relief from this terrible affliction that I will gladly answer anyone writing me for information. ...

"Home Sweet Home" is a nice motto if you have some place to hang it.

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