

Highway No. 285 Is To Remain West Of Pecos

Best Of Luck To 1948 Seniors

Artesia Advocate

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New Fire Zone, Sanitary Codes Passed

Boundaries Set And Materials Defined By City Ordinance

The Artesia City Council at the regular meeting Wednesday evening of last week amended a previous fire zone ordinance to create and define an inner fire zone and to provide requirements for the construction of buildings within the zone.

According to the ordinance, the inner fire zone is composed of Main Street and to the alleys north and south from the intersection of East Main with the "refinery road," just east of the Iverson Tool Company property, to Sixth Street on the west; Texas Avenue to the alleys north and south and from First to Sixth Street, and on Quay Avenue to the alleys to the north and south from First to Fifth Street.

The ordinance recites that it shall further apply to new construction for business purposes on Quay from Fifth to Sixth Street. Provision is made for the use

within the inner fire zone are described in a publication of the new ordinance, which appears elsewhere in this issue.

The ordinance also provides for the removal of any existing frame building which might hereinafter be damaged by fire, decay, or otherwise to an extent more than a fourth of its value, as appraised by a board of three competent appraisers selected by the City Council. In such case it may not be repaired, remodeled, altered, or reconstructed.

Extensions or additions to existing structures of buildings within the zone are to be made in accordance with the requirements of new structures.

The ordinance also makes several provisions for the use of sidewalks by contractors or others holding building permits during the construction period.

One provision is that half of a sidewalk adjoining a building lot may be used for storage of materials and equipment, provided the remaining half is protected by a

Eating, Drinking Places Must Meet Health Requirements

An ordinance regulating the inspection, grading, regrading, and placarding of eating and drinking establishments within the city of Artesia and its police jurisdiction and adopting the terms of the 1943 edition of the U.S. Public Health Service ordinance in regard to the sanitary code was passed Wednesday evening of last week by the Artesia City Council.

The ordinance will become effective five days after official publication, which is made in this issue of The Advocate, but it specifically states that after 30 days from the date it takes effect, which will be next Tuesday, "no restaurants shall be operated within the city... except grade 'A,' grade 'B,' or approved itinerant restaurants."

Under the Public Health Service ordinance regulating eating and drinking establishments, the regulations and terms of which the new ordinance adopts, a grade "A" establishment is one which passes the highest of sanitary requirements. Such establishment will be permitted to display an "A" card for the public to see.

A grade "B" place is one which does not pass the highest of standards, but which is sanitary and is permitted to operate.

The ordinance points out that when any restaurant fails to qualify for one of these grades or as an acceptable itinerant restaurant, the health officer is authorized to suspend the permit, or to degrade the restaurant and permit its operation for a temporary period not exceeding 30 days.

No restaurant is to be issued an occupation license until the proposed location and sanitary facilities have been inspected and approved by the health officer.

A penalty of not less than \$10 or more than \$50 is provided in the ordinance adopts, a grade "A" es-

In a memorandum to Gov. Thomas Mabry from State Highway Engineer Burton Dwyre it was indicated that the location of new construction of the Artesia-Carlsbad highway, which has been the subject of much controversy, will remain essentially where the highway is at present.

Although half a million dollars has been allocated for the improvement of State Highway 285 between Artesia and Carlsbad, progress has been held up because of a proposed construction of a new reservoir by the government south of the site of Lake McMillan, which would inundate part of the present right-of-way.

Because of the delay, which it was thought might stretch out over a period of years, the proposition was made by Carlsbad civic leaders that the highway cross the Pecos River at Carlsbad to La Huerta, and cross the river again south of McMillan.

Protests were filed from Artesia, and the Seven Rivers and Rock Arroyo communities to that routing of the highway, and the great cost of

building two river bridges was pointed out.

Carlsbad leaders countered this with the fact that maintaining the present right-of-way or establishing a new one in the same general location would cross a considerable distance of the land which would be inundated by construction of the proposed reservoir.

In his report to Governor Mabry, the state highway engineer indicated that the present route has the approval of the War Department, which has assured the State Highway Commission it would assume the cost of future work which might become necessary by way of raising the highway or relocating it because of the building of the dam and reservoir.

State Highway Engineer Dwyre's memorandum to Governor Mabry: "We have received from the War Department maps showing the proposed location of the flood control dam, and the area of the reservoir back of this dam. With this information we are now compiling figures which we will need for making a location survey of

the road project. Also, we have written the Bureau of Reclamation for a statement from them as to what we may expect in the way of a right of way easement across the government lands within the area of their reserve. The location of our present road traverses approximately eight miles of this land.

"We have a statement from the War Department to the effect that they would be agreeable to us leaving our highway in its present location, and that the War Department, under present laws, would assume the cost of any future work which might be necessary in the way of raising the highway or relocating it because of the building of the dam. If the Bureau of Reclamation will grant us an easement along the location of our present highway through their lands, then it would be the recommendation of this office that we not consider the proposed new location up the east side of the Pecos River to the McMillan Dam. The building of the proposed flood control dam will back water (continued last page this section)

Artesia Seniors To Graduate On Friday

Commencement for the graduating seniors of Artesia High School will be in the school auditorium at 8 o'clock Friday evening, with Dr. E. H. Fixley, professor of school administration in the College of Education at the University of New Mexico, delivering the commencement address.

At baccalaureate exercises Sunday evening, Rev. Ralph A. O'Dell, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, who delivered the sermon, told the seniors they are graduating with certain helps which should be of service to them on their future journeys.

However, he told them, speaking on, "Untrodden Ways," the way they must take is not easy, that the world is not easy on those who try. Hardships, he said, are the things which make great men and women.

Rev. O'Dell pointed out that the rules are already laid down for a well-rounded life which each will see safely through, if he but reads and studies the Word of God.

Miss Shirley Sherwood and Clay-

Fike, juniors, who were chosen by the members of the senior class to lead the procession, will again lead as the graduates enter the auditorium in the commencement procession Friday evening.

Ushers likewise are being furnished by the junior class, which is in charge of decorations.

The list of graduates will be found on another page in connection with pictures of the seniors.

The commencement program: Processional, Augusta Spratt; invocation, Robert A. Waller, evangelist of the Church of Christ; music, "Colors," by Moore-Klemm, girls' glee club.

Commencement address, Dr. E. H. Fixley; presentation of awards, F. L. Green, high school principal; music, "This Is My Country," by Jacobs, girls' glee club; presentation of diplomas, Artie McAnally, president of the Board of Education; benediction, Evangelist Waller; recessional, Mrs. Spratt.

It has been requested that members of the audience remain at their seats during the recessional.

Chief Warns About Licensing Of Dogs Here

Police Chief O. T. Lindsey this week issued two warnings, one to owners of unlicensed dogs, which may be picked up and destroyed, and to boys shooting "nigger shooters" and air rifles.

Dog licenses are far past due, Chief Lindsey said, and licenses must be obtained promptly, if the owners do not wish their dogs impounded and then destroyed if not redeemed.

There now is a resident veterinarian in Artesia, the chief pointed out, so it should not be difficult for dog owners to comply with the ordinance requiring the immunization against rabies of dogs before licenses may be issued.

As to the boys with their air rifles and slingshots, Chief Lindsey said the police have had a number of complaints and some boys have been apprehended. Their indiscriminate use must stop, the chief said.

Loco Boy Scouts Attend Council Camp at Lincoln

Boy Scout Troop 69 of Loco Hills represented the Gateway District at the Eastern New Mexico Area Council Camp-o-ree at Camp Baca near Lincoln, an honor awarded at the district Camp-o-ree on the Pecos River east of Artesia April 16-17.

The Loco Hills took third place among nine troops in activities at Camp Baca.

Eagle Scout Alton Unangst was in charge of the Boy Scouts attending, who were James Briscoe, Carol Cokeran, Emery and Johnny McPhaul, Freddie and Rayford Starkey, Johnnie Nivins, Billy Thorpe, Connie Snow, Clement Taylor, Lou McKinstry, Gayle Richardson, Ozell Roberts, and Douglas Whitefield.

Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Unangst and Mrs. J. L. Briscoe accompanied the boys to the camp. They were joined by their scoutmaster, Jack Whitaker, and Mrs. Whitaker and their mascot, Darla Jean Whitaker for the final day's activities Sunday.

F. M. McGinty Is Named Manager Southern Union



F. M. (Bill) McGinty

F. M. (Bill) McGinty of Clovis has been named city plant manager of the Southern Union Gas Company at Artesia, according to an announcement today by H. N. Oldham of Carlsbad, Southeast New Mexico district manager of Southern Union.

McGinty comes to Artesia from Southern Union's sales department at Clovis. He first became associated with Southern Union in 1937, when he was employed in the accounting department of the company's Dallas office. He was absent from the company four years during World War II while he served in the Army.

He is married and the father of two young daughters. McGinty has been active in religious and civic work in Clovis. He is a member of the Clovis First Baptist Church, the Clovis Country Club, and the American Legion.

McGinty succeeds Charles T. Gaskins, who has resigned to enter private business.

Gaskins, who was town plant manager of Artesia almost 13 years, had been a Southern Union employe since 1930.

J. C. Floyd, 36, Lakewood, Dies Last Thursday

Jefferson Calhoun Floyd of Lakewood, 36, died at 3:30 o'clock last Thursday morning at Artesia Memorial Hospital, after an illness of nine days.

Funeral services were from Paul in Chapel at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon by Rev. John W. Eppler, pastor of the Church of the Nazarene. Burial was in Woodbine Cemetery.

Palbearers were William H. Shafer, Ernest Shafer, Sr., Ernest McConagill, Bill Brown, E. P. Tatum, and Henry Hamilton.

Mr. Floyd is survived by his widow, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley I. Floyd of Lakewood, and three brothers and five sisters, Robert Floyd, Lakewood; Richard and Dale Floyd, Mrs. R. A. Bybee, and Mrs. E. B. Hughes, Carlsbad; Mrs. W. J. Gushwa, Elida; Mrs. Otis Bybee, Pratt, Kan., and Mrs. Albert Gruhkey, Amarillo, Texas.

Mr. Floyd was born Oct. 17, 1911, at Dayton. On May 8, 1934, he married Velma Smith at Portales. They had no children.

He was a member of the Church of the Nazarene.

More Than Hundred Awards Are Made On "Recognition Day"

At the third annual "Recognition Day" exercises for pupils of Park School Tuesday afternoon, 119 achievement awards were presented by W. G. Short, principal, in a public program in the high school auditorium.

Laura Lou Smith received a special award, a Charles Palmer Davis medal, from the American Education Press, Inc., for excellence in the study of current affairs. The medal was presented in memory of Davis, who founded the school newspaper, Current Events, in an effort to encourage students to study domestic and foreign problems.

Mrs. G. C. Kinder, school nurse, who is retiring after a number of years of service, was presented a cosmetic traveling bag by the Park School pupils in recognition of her splendid work.

The program: "Star Spangled Banner," audience; invocation, Robert A. Waller; "Pledge of Allegiance," audience, led by Barry Hager; "Oh! Susannah" and "Swanee River," Raul Torrez, Austin Starr, and Joe Chavez.

"Sonatina in G," Mary Ann Beard; "Aloha Oe," Phil Kranz; "Bells of St. Mary's," Eva Aliniz and Louis Campanella; remarks, Tom Mayfield, superintendent of schools; "Papaya Tree" and "Cherry Tree," sixth-grade chorus; presentation of awards, Principal Short; recessional, Billy Cox.

The recognition awards for the various fields of activities:

Play ability and sportsmanship, Ernest Gumbrey, Henry White, Fred Sanders, Johnny Riddle, Janette Sessum, Petrita Baca, Phil Kranz, Carl Lane, Louis Campanella.

Originality and creativeness, Marshall Martin, Larry McCaw, Lanelle Haynes, Willa Green.

Leadership, Marshall Martin, Larry Wehant, Marilyn Saikin, Laura Lou Smith, Louise Beatty, Banc, Perry Zumwalt, Louis Campanella, Phil Kranz.

Vocal music, Patricia Henderson, Betty Burch, Bobbie Jo Hansen, Austin Starr, Larry McCaw, Jay Mitchell, Sharon Hayes, Donald Sperry, Laura Lou Smith, Billy Vandeventer, Louise Beatty, Louis Campanella, Eileen Marshall.

Art, Claire Collins, Bobby Jo Hansen, Marshall Martin, James Holcomb, John Dowell, William Cox, Barton Jones, Harvey How- (continued last page this section)

Artesians Will Have Part In Carlsbad Rodeo

Carlsbad's first rodeo in eight years is scheduled for June 5-6, when a "rip-snorting, she-s-a-Westerner," four-per or man a n c e show will be staged by the Elks Lodge for benefit of the Carlsbad school lunch fund.

Jerkdawn steer roping, one of rodeo's most thrilling events, will headline a list of contest events and outstanding specialty acts.

Rodeo festivities will open at 10 o'clock Saturday morning, June 5, with a huge parade. Rodeo performances are booked for 2 and 8 o'clock each of the two days.

In the parade will be the colorful Eddy County Sheriff's Posse, including 25 members from Artesia; Reeves County Sheriff's Posse from Pecos, El Paso Sheriff's Posse, Will Rogers Range Riders of Amarillo, scores of cowboys and cowgirls, vehicles, and floats.

Carlsbad rodeo boosters on a good-will, rodeo booster trip to (continued on last page)

Game Protective Meet Postponed To Next Tuesday

A meeting of the new Artesia chapter of the Game Protective Association, which was announced for Friday evening at the previous meeting, Tuesday of last week, has been postponed until 7:30 o'clock next Tuesday evening because of commencement tomorrow evening, it was announced by Clarence E. Fischbeck, president.

Homer Pickens of Santa Fe, assistant state game warden, has been invited to attend the meeting, but it is probable a previous engagement will not permit his presence. However, it was indicated he will be here for a later meeting.

President Fischbeck urged that all members and others interested in sportsmanship and the preservation of game and fish attend the meeting Tuesday, at which time membership cards are to be issued and matters pertaining to the completion of organization will be discussed.

Mail Delivery To Be Extended In Artesia July 1

Jesse L. Truett, Artesia postmaster, announced this week that extension of city delivery has been authorized for that part of the city north of Chisum Avenue to the north city limits including Mosley Adams, Hank Church, Bush, Lolita Champ Clark, Easy, Cannon, Cleveland, Kemp, State, Higgs Combs, and North First Streets, all that part of Chisum, Texas, Adams and Main Streets east of the Santa Fe tracks, South First from Center Street to Bruce Road and Center Street to the west city limits.

All the area described will be served by a mounted route with one complete delivery daily. (continued last page this section)

New VA Hospitals To Be Completed Early In 1950

With one new hospital almost ready to open and plans well under way on the last three major hospital projects, the Veterans Administration estimated its hospital expansion program for Colorado, Wyoming, Utah, and New Mexico will be completed during early 1950.

A report prepared by the VA branch office in Denver shows that present VA hospital facilities are being taxed, with more than 3000 veterans being treated monthly. New construction, costing up to \$30,000,000, will increase this capacity to about 5000 beds, sufficient to meet hospitalization demands which are expected to increase annually until 1975.

The report shows that in New Mexico, plans will be completed before July 1 for a new four-story building addition to the VA hospital in Albuquerque. This addition, to cost up to \$5,000,000, on which construction is scheduled to start this year, will provide for 250 additional tuberculosis patients, giving the Albuquerque hospital a total capacity of 505 patients.

VA also operates a 255-bed tuberculosis hospital at Fort Bayard. Nationwide, the Veterans Administration now has its own bed accommodations for 119,617 patients in 126 hospitals and domiciliary homes. And at the end of March, 108,058 veterans were hospitalized either in VA hospitals or in service or private hospitals at VA expense. Plans call for construction of additional hospitals to care for 53,000 additional veterans. Actually, sites for 81 new hospitals have already been approved and 42 additions to present hospitals have recently been activated or are in various stages of completion.

First drawings of the new addition to the Albuquerque hospital were released by VA architects at the Denver office where plans are (continued last page this section)

John Simons, Jr., Is Installed Commander Of VFW Chapter Here

John Simons, Jr., was installed commander of the Disabled American Veterans chapter here Monday evening at the Veterans Memorial Building, succeeding Leland Wittkopp.

Other officers installed, with Bill Dunnam serving as installing officer, were: Senior vice commander, J. I. Chandler; junior vice commander, Garland Cross; treasurer, Leland Wittkopp.

Three Producing Wells Completed In Eddy Oil Fields

Eddy County oil operators the last week completed three producing wells, two of them top-allowable or better, and plugged two other holes.

Only one new location was staked, the Resler-Malco, Riggs 1, SE SW 8-21-24, a wildcat about 25 miles south and a little west of Artesia.

The completions:

Paton Bros., Magruder 10, SE SE 35-17-27; total depth 1805 feet; flowed 100 barrels of oil per day, after shot.

Malco-Resler-Yates, State 90, NW NW 34-18-28; total depth 2901 feet; flowed 50 barrels of oil per day, natural.

V. S. Welch, State 1, NW SW 28-17-28; total depth 2009 feet; flowed 27 barrels of oil per day, after shot.

Barnsdall Oil Co., Dodd 5, SW SE 22-17-29; old well drilling deeper; total depth 2725 feet; junked hole and plugged and abandoned.

Malco Refineres, Inc., Hill 4, NE NW 1-18-27; total depth 1840 feet; plugged and abandoned.

Drilling Report

Magnolia Petroleum Co., State 1, W, SW SE 16-20-22, granite test on east slope of Guadalupe. Drilling at 10,125.

W. N. Black Drilling Co., Shildneck 1, 24-16-20, wildcat north-west of Hope. Drilling at 4551.

Texas Trading Co., Johnson 8, SW NE 33-16-31. Total depth 3669; cleaning out after shot.

Yancy-Harris Co., Etz-State 1, NE SE 16-17-30. Drilling at 2636.

Rudco Oil & Gas Co., State 6, SE (continued last page this section)

We-Hin-Ah-Pay Being Readied For Boy Scouts

Boy Scouts of the district are already signing up for the annual camp sessions at Camp We-Hin-Ah-Pay in the Sacramento Mountains, according to Bill McRee of Roswell, field director.

He said another field director, Bill Hintze of Carlsbad, will be the camp director, and he will be assisted by a five-man staff, including McRee.

The first of five one-week sessions will start Saturday, June 5. However, a work camp for older Boy Scouts, who will help get the camp in readiness, will start Monday, May 31.

McRee said the Boy Scouts will be offered rifle range practice, so as to help them qualify for ratings in the National Rifemen's Association.

Other activities will include the building of bridges, pioneer work, hiking, and mountain climbing.

The meals are to be served in a central dining room, with Thad Moore of Roswell, who was cook last summer, again in charge.

Parishoners Of Past Years Pay Tribute To Clark

Rev. C. A. Clark, who completed 50 years in the ministry April 13 and this week finished his appointment as pastor of the First Methodist Church of Artesia and went on retirement as an active pastor, was surprised at his closing services Sunday morning, when 93 of his former parishioners arrived to attend the services as a tribute to him.

They came from New Mexico, Texas, Oklahoma, and as far east as Pennsylvania.

Not only was the presence of the visitors a surprise to the pastor, but to members of his local congregation.

One of the features of the service was the christening of the baby of Mr. and Mrs. Donald L. Coudriet of New Kensington, Pa. Standing at the altar for this christening were four generations, the great-grandmother, Mrs. M. A. Woods of Hobbs; Mrs. George T. Harris, wife of Judge Harris; the mother, Mrs. Laverne Coudriet, and the baby, Thomas Victor Coudriet.

At the close of the service more than 100 persons, all former parishioners of Rev. Clark went to the farm home of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Jackson, a mile east of Artesia, where a lawn-picnic dinner was served.

Rev. Clark, who has been superintendent of the Methodist Assembly in the Sacramento Mountains, expects to devote his entire time to that position.

College Of Mines Dean Expresses Thanks For Hospitality Of Artesia

Judson F. Williams, dean of student life at the College of Mines and Metallurgy, El Paso, wrote a note of thanks to the students of Artesia High School and members of the Band-Aides, through Tom Mayfield, superintendent of schools, on behalf of the Mucker Band and A Capella Choir that made an appearance here April 28.

Members of the Band-Aides secured housing and prepared and served a meal to them in the cafeteria at Park School.

Williams letter: "Our students have had nothing but praise for the fine hospitality you afforded them when they were in Artesia. Members of both the choir and the band have told me that your band mothers gave them a most delicious meal, your townspeople were most cooperative in the matter of transportation, and that they were housed in the best homes in the city. I sincerely and personally appreciate what you did, and I hope that in the future we can be of service to you."

Final Baseball Games In Double-Header Are Dropped To Carlsbad

The Carlsbad Cavemen won a double-header over the Artesia Bulldogs 7-3 and 7-5 on Morris Field Saturday afternoon, in the final baseball games for the Artesia team.

Alton Unangst of Artesia swatted out a homer in the second game with two of Coach Kenneth Lance's men on base.

Box scores: First game—Carlsbad 7-9-4, Artesia 3-5-9; second game—Carlsbad 7-10-2, Artesia 5-6-1.

Batteries: First game—Carlsbad, McDonald and Ward; Artesia, Ken Foster and Boyce Cauble; second game—Carlsbad, Hernandez and Ward; Artesia, Duane Tucker and Cauble.

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A tractor in good repair, agricultural engineers estimate, can operate on two to three less gallons of fuel than the tractor with faulty operation. Adjustments in the carburetor, governor, timing, manifold and valves also will increase the efficiency.

A careful check will disclose loose bolts and nuts as well as parts that need adjusting or replacing, thus eliminating the chance for costly breakdowns later. Every repair and adjustment should be made just as soon as the need is noted.

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Central Press Writer

SCIENTISTS report hearing via radio strange "musical" hissings and poppings originating in the sun. Who would have thought Old Sol, at his age, would turn crooner?

Hog calling is urged as good training for political speakers. Especially when they plan to make speeches for pork barrel legislation?

A rising young heavyweight boxer is named "Snow" Flake. They say he's a pretty cool proposition.

Argentina is getting railroad equipment from Britain in exchange for beef. What would you call this kind of a deal—a choo! choo!-moo! moo! pact?

In Venezuela, according to Factographs, love letters may be sent for half rate. Around Valentine's Day the postoffice probably goes broke.

Oxford university oarsmen eat whale steaks while in training. Pretty heavy diet for an athlete!

Josef Stalin is reported taking injections so he may live to be 150. We don't know what the stuff does but it's probably recommended for the blood corpuscles—red, that is.

Morriset and Esterbrook desk pens and renew points at the Advocate.

One of every three school children killed in accidents is killed by an automobile.

British scientists say that they have developed a cheap chemical formula which makes wool fibers indigestible to moths and thus prevents wool destruction.

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Highway No. 285 Is To Remain West Of Pecos

In a memorandum to Gov. Thomas Mabry from State Highway Engineer Burton Dwyre it was indicated that the location of the construction of the Artesia-Carlsbad highway, which has been the subject of much controversy, will remain essentially where the highway is at present.

Although half a million dollars have been allocated for the improvement of State Highway 285 between Artesia and Carlsbad, progress has been held up because of a proposed construction of a new reservoir by the government south of the site of Lake McMillan, which would inundate part of the present right-of-way.

Because of the delay, which it was thought might stretch out over a period of years, the proposition was made by Carlsbad civic leaders that the highway cross the Pecos River at Carlsbad to La Huerta, and cross the river again south of McMillan.

Protests were filed from Artesia, the Seven Rivers and Rock Arroyo communities to that routing of the highway, and the great cost of building two river bridges was pointed out.

Carlsbad leaders countered this with the fact that maintaining the present right-of-way or establishing a new one in the same general location would cross a considerable distance of the land which would be inundated by construction of the proposed reservoir.

In his report to Governor Mabry, the state highway engineer indicated that the present route has the approval of the War Department, which has assured the State Highway Commission it would assume the cost of future work which might become necessary by way of raising the highway or relocating it because of the building of the dam and reservoir.

State Highway Engineer Dwyre's memorandum to Governor Mabry: "We have received from the War Department maps showing the proposed location of the flood control dam, and the area of the reservoir back of this dam. With this information we are now compiling figures which we will need for making a location survey of the road project. Also, we have written the Bureau of Reclamation for a statement from them as to what we may expect in the way of a right of way easement across the government lands within the area of their reserve. The location of our present road traverses approximately eight miles of this land.

"We have a statement from the War Department to the effect that they would be agreeable to us leaving our highway in its present location, and that the War Department, under present laws, would assume the cost of any future work which might be necessary in the way of raising the highway or relocating it because of the building of the dam. If the Bureau of Reclamation will grant us an easement along the location of our present highway through their lands, then it would be the recommendation of this office that we not consider the proposed new location up the east side of the Pecos River to the McMillan Dam. The building of the proposed flood control dam will back water (continued last page this section)

New Fire Zone, Sanitary Codes Passed

Boundaries Set And Materials Defined By City Ordinance

The Artesia City Council at the regular meeting Wednesday evening of last week amended a previous fire-zone ordinance to create and define an inner fire zone and to provide requirements for the construction of buildings within the zone.

According to the ordinance, the inner fire zone is composed of Main Street and to the alleys north and south from the intersection on East Main with the "refinery road," just east of the Iverson Tool Company property, to Sixth Street on the west, Texas Avenue to the alleys north and south and from First to Sixth Street, and on Quay Avenue to the alleys to the north and south and from First to Fifth Street.

The ordinance recites that it shall further apply to new construction for business purposes on Quay from Fifth to Sixth Street. Provision is made for the use within the inner zone of materials necessary to conform to the fire restrictive standards set forth under certain chapters of the Uniform Building Code of the state of New Mexico.

This includes the use of materials for fire protection of structural parts and for fire-resistive exterior, load-bearing, or party walls to stand three hours of fire. Fire-resistive interior, load-bearing partitions not enclosing fuel-burning equipment, and one story only, have a two-hour requirement, whereas if they enclose fuel-burning equipment the requirement is for four hours.

Partition walls in structures of more than one story and fire-resistive floors must be rated for three hours, according to the ordinance. Fire-resistive roof and ceiling construction must be able to withstand an hour of fire. Other structural requirements

Eating, Drinking Places Must Meet Health Requirements

An ordinance regulating the inspection, grading, regrading, and placarding of eating and drinking establishments within the city of Artesia and its police jurisdiction and adopting the terms of the 1943 edition of the U.S. Public Health Service ordinance in regard to the sanitary code was passed Wednesday evening of last week by the Artesia City Council.

The ordinance will become effective five days after official publication, which is made in this issue of The Advocate, but it specifically states that after 30 days from the date it takes effect, which will be next Tuesday, "no restaurants shall be operated within the city... except grade 'A,' grade 'B,' or approved itinerant restaurants."

Under the Public Health Service ordinance regulating eating and drinking establishments, the regulations and terms of which the new ordinance adopts, a grade "A" establishment is one which passes the highest of sanitary requirements. Such establishment will be permitted to display an "A" card for the public to see.

A grade "B" place is one which does not pass the highest of standards, but which is sanitary and is permitted to operate.

The ordinance points out that when any restaurant fails to qualify for one of these grades or as an acceptable itinerant restaurant, the health officer is authorized to suspend the permit, or to degrade the restaurant and permit its operation for a temporary period not exceeding 30 days.

No restaurant is to be issued an occupation license until the proposed location and sanitary facilities have been inspected and approved by the health officer.

A penalty of not less than \$10 or more than \$50 is provided in the ordinance (continued last page this section)

Artesia Seniors To Graduate On Friday

Commencement for the graduating seniors of Artesia High School will be in the school auditorium at 8 o'clock Friday evening, with Dr. E. H. Fixley, professor of school administration in the College of Education at the University of New Mexico, delivering the commencement address.

At baccalaureate exercises Sunday evening, Rev. Ralph A. O'Dell, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, who delivered the sermon, told the seniors they are graduating with certain helps which should be of service to them on their future journeys.

However, he told them, speaking on "Untrodden Ways," the way they must take is not easy, that the world is not easy on those who try. Hardships, he said, are the things which make great men and women.

Rev. O'Dell pointed out that the rules are already laid down for a well-rounded life which each will see safely through, if he but reads and studies the Word of God.

Miss Shirley Sherwood and Clayton Fike, juniors, who were chosen by the members of the senior class to lead the processional, will again lead as the graduates enter the auditorium in the commencement processional Friday evening.

Ushers likewise are being furnished by the junior class, which is in charge of decorations.

The list of graduates will be found on another page in connection with pictures of the seniors.

The commencement program: Processional, Augusta Spratt; invocation, Robert A. Waller, evangelist of the Church of Christ; music, "Colors," by Moore-Klemm, girls' glee club.

Commencement address, Dr. E. H. Fixley; presentation of awards, F. L. Green, high school principal; music, "This Is My Country," by Jacobs, girls' glee club; presentation of diplomas, Artie McAnally, president of the Board of Education; benediction, Evangelist Waller; recessional, Mrs. Spratt.

It has been requested that members of the audience remain at their seats during the recessional.

Chief Warns About Licensing Of Dogs Here

Police Chief O. T. Lindsey this week issued two warnings, one to owners of unlicensed dogs, which may be picked up and destroyed, and to boys shooting "nigger shooters" and air rifles.

Dog licenses are far past due, Chief Lindsey said, and licenses must be obtained promptly, if the owners do not wish their dogs impounded and then destroyed if not redeemed.

There now is a resident veterinarian in Artesia, the chief pointed out, so it should not be difficult for dog owners to comply with the ordinance requiring the immunization against rabies of dogs before licenses may be issued.

As to the boys with their air rifles and slingshots, Chief Lindsey said the police have had a number of complaints and some boys have been apprehended. Their indiscriminate use must stop, the chief said.

Loco Boy Scouts Attend Council Camp at Lincoln

Boy Scout Troop 69 of Loco Hills represented the Gateway District at the Eastern New Mexico Area Council Camp-o-Rec at Camp Baca near Lincoln, an honor awarded at the district Camp-o-Rec on the Pecos River east of Artesia April 16-17.

The Loco Hills took third place among nine troops in activities at Camp Baca.

Eagle Scout Alton Unangst was in charge of the Boy Scouts attending, who were James Briscoe, Carol Coekran, Emery and Johnnie McPhaul, Freddie and Rayford Starkey, Johnnie Nivins, Billy Thorpe, Connie Snow, Clement Taylor, Lou McKinstry, Gayle Richardson, Ozell Roberts, and Douglas Whitefield.

Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Unangst and Mrs. J. L. Briscoe accompanied the boys to the camp. They were joined by their scoutmaster, Jack Whitaker, and Mrs. Whitaker and their mascot, Darla Jean Whitaker for the final day's activities Sunday.

F. M. McGinty Is Named Manager Southern Union



F. M. (Bill) McGinty

F. M. (Bill) McGinty of Clovis has been named city plant manager of the Southern Union Gas Company at Artesia, according to an announcement today by H. N. Oldham of Carlsbad, Southeast New Mexico district manager of Southern Union.

McGinty comes to Artesia from Southern Union's sales department at Clovis. He first became associated with Southern Union in 1937, when he was employed in the accounting department of the company's Dallas office. He was absent from the company four years during World War II while he served in the Army.

He is married and the father of two young daughters. McGinty has been active in religious and civic work in Clovis. He is a member of the Clovis First Baptist Church, the Clovis Country Club, and the American Legion.

McGinty succeeds Charles T. Gaskins, who has resigned to enter private business.

Gaskins, who was town plant manager of Artesia almost 13 years, had been a Southern Union employe since 1930.

J. C. Floyd, 36, Lakewood, Dies Last Thursday

Jefferson Calhoun Floyd of Lakewood, 36, died at 3:30 o'clock last Thursday morning at Artesia Memorial Hospital, after an illness of nine days.

Funeral services were from Paul in Chapel at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon by Rev. John W. Eppler, pastor of the Church of the Nazarene. Burial was in Woodbine Cemetery.

Pallbearers were William H. Shafer, Ernest Shafer, Sr., Ernest McConagill, Bill Brown, E. P. Tatum, and Henry Hamilton.

Mr. Floyd is survived by his widow, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley I. Floyd of Lakewood, and three brothers and five sisters, Robert Floyd, Lakewood; Richard and Dale Floyd, Mrs. R. A. Bybee, and Mrs. E. B. Hughes, Carlsbad; Mrs. W. J. Gushwa, Elida; Mrs. Otis Bybee, Pratt, Kan.; and Mrs. Albert Gruhky, Amarillo, Texas.

Mr. Floyd was born Oct. 17, 1911, at Dayton. On May 8, 1934, he married Velma Smith at Portales. They had no children.

He was a member of the Church of the Nazarene.

More Than Hundred Awards Are Made On "Recognition Day"

At the third annual "Recognition Day" exercises for pupils of Park School Tuesday afternoon, 119 achievement awards were presented by W. G. Short, principal, in a public program in the high school auditorium.

Laura Lou Smith received a special award, a Charles Palmer Davis medal, from the American Education Press, Inc., for excellence in the study of current affairs. The medal was presented in memory of Davis, who founded the school newspaper, Current Events, in an effort to encourage students to study domestic and foreign problems.

Mrs. G. C. Kinder, school nurse, who is retiring after a number of years of service, was presented a cosmetic traveling bag by the Park School pupils in recognition of her splendid work.

The program: "Star Spangled Banner," audience; invocation, Robert A. Waller; "Pledge of Allegiance," audience, led by Barry Hager; "Oh! Susannah" and "Swanee River," Raul Torrez, Austin Starr, and Joe Chavez.

"Sonatina in G," Mary Ann Beard; "Aloha Oe," Phil Kranz; "Bells of St. Mary's," Eva Aliniz and Louis Campanella; remarks, Tom Mayfield, superintendent of schools; "Papaya Tree" and "Cherry Tree," sixth-grade chorus; presentation of awards, Principal Short; recessional, Billy Cox.

The recognition awards for the various fields of activities:

Play ability and sportsmanship, Ernest Gumbrey, Henry White, Fred Sanders, Johnny Riddle, Janelle Sessum, Petrita Baca, Phil Kranz, Carl Lane, Louis Campanella.

Originality and creativeness, Marshall Martin, Larry McCaw, Lanelle Haynes, Willa Green.

Leadership, Marshall Martin, Larry Wehnt, Marilyn Saikin, Laura Lou Smith, Louise Beaty.

Band, Perry Zumwalt, Louis Campanella, Phil Kranz.

Vocal music, Patricia Henderson, Betty Burch, Bobbie Jo Hansen, Austin Starr, Larry McCaw, Jay Mitchell, Sharon Hayes, Donald Sperry, Laura Lou Smith, Billy Vandeventer, Louise Beaty, Louis Campanella, Eileen Marshall.

Art, Claire Collins, Bobby Jo Hansen, Marshall Martin, James Holcomb, John Dowell, William Cox, Barton Jones, Harvey How (continued last page this section)

Artesians Will Have Part In Carlsbad Rodeo

Carlsbad's first rodeo in eight years is scheduled for June 5-6, when a "rip-snorting, she's-a-Westerner," four-performance show will be staged by the Elks Lodge for benefit of the Carlsbad school lunch fund.

Jerkdown steer roping, one of rodeo's most thrilling events, will headline a list of contest events and outstanding specialty acts.

Rodeo festivities will open at 10 o'clock Saturday morning, June 5, with a huge parade. Rodeo performances are booked for 2 and 8 o'clock each of the two days.

In the parade will be the colorful Eddy County Sheriff's Posse, including 25 members from Artesia; Reeves County Sheriff's Posse from Pecos, El Paso Sheriff's Posse, Will Rogers Range Riders of Amarillo, scores of cowboys and cowgirls, vehicles, and floats.

Carlsbad rodeo boosters on a good-will, rodeo booster trip to (continued on last page)

Game Protective Meet Postponed To Next Tuesday

A meeting of the new Artesia chapter of the Game Protective Association, which was announced for Friday evening at the previous meeting, Tuesday of last week, but it is probable a previous engagement will not permit its presence. However, it was indicated he will be here for a later meeting.

President Fischbeck urged that all members and others interested in sportsmanship and the preservation of game and fish attend the meeting Tuesday, at which time membership cards are to be issued and matters pertaining to the completion of organization will be discussed.

Officers and members of the board were elected at the meeting last week. At that time the membership fee for adults was set at \$2 a year and for persons less than 18 years old, \$1.

Mail Delivery To Be Extended In Artesia July 1

Jesse L. Truett, Artesia postmaster, announced this week that extension of city delivery has been authorized for that part of the city north of Chisum Avenue to the north city limits including Mosley, Adams, Hank, Church, Bush, Lolita, Champ Clark, Easy, Cannon, Cleveland, Kemp, State, Higgs Combs, and North First Streets, all that part of Chisum, Texas, Adams and Main Streets east of the Santa Fe tracks, South First from Center Street to Bruce Road and Center Street to the west city limits.

All the area described will be served by a mounted route with one complete delivery daily.

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New VA Hospitals To Be Completed Early In 1950

With one new hospital almost ready to open and plans well under way on the last three major hospital projects, the Veterans Administration estimated its hospital expansion program for Colorado, Wyoming, Utah, and New Mexico will be completed during early 1950.

A report prepared by the VA branch office in Denver shows that present VA hospital facilities are being taxed, with more than 3000 veterans being treated monthly. New construction, costing up to \$30,000,000, will increase this capacity to about 5000 beds, sufficient to meet hospitalization demands which are expected to increase annually until 1975.

The report shows that in New Mexico, plans will be completed before July 1 for a new four-story building addition to the VA hospital in Albuquerque. This addition, to cost up to \$5,000,000, on which construction is scheduled to start this year, will provide for 250 additional tuberculosis patients, giving the Albuquerque hospital a total capacity of 505 patients.

VA also operates a 255-bed tuberculosis hospital at Fort Bayard. Nationwide, the Veterans Administration now has its own bed accommodations for 119,617 patients in 126 hospitals and domiciliary homes. And at the end of March, 108,058 veterans were hospitalized either in VA hospitals or in service or private hospitals at VA expense. Plans call for construction of additional hospitals to care for 53,000 additional veterans. Actually, sites for 81 new hospitals have already been approved and 42 additions to present hospitals have recently been activated or are in various stages of completion.

First drawings of the new addition to the Albuquerque hospital were released by VA architects at the Denver office where plans are (continued last page this section)

Three Producing Wells Completed In Eddy Oil Fields

Eddy County oil operators the last week completed three producing wells, two of them top allowable or better, and plugged two other holes.

Only one new location was staked, the Resler-Malco, Riggs 1, SE SW 8-21-24, a wildcat about 25 miles south and a little west of Artesia.

The completions:

Paton Bros., Magruder 10, SE SE 35-17-29; total depth 1805 feet; flowed 100 barrels of oil per day, after shot.

Malco-Resler-Yates, State 90, NW NW NW 34-18-28; total depth 2901 feet; flowed 50 barrels of oil per day natural.

V. S. Welch, State 1, NW SW 28-17-28; total depth 2009 feet; flowed 27 barrels of oil per day, after shot.

Barnsdall Oil Co., Dodd 5, SW SE 22-17-29; old well drilling deeper; total depth 2725 feet; junked hole and plugged and abandoned.

Malco Refineries, Inc., Hill 4, NE NW 1-18-27; total depth 1840 feet; plugged and abandoned.

Drilling Report

Magnolia Petroleum Co., State 1, W SW SE 16-20-22, granite test on east slope of Guadalupes. Drilling at 10,125.

W. N. Black Drilling Co., Shield-neck 1, 24-16-20, wildcat northwest of Hope.

Drilling at 4551.

Texas Trading Co., Johnson 8, SW NE 33-16-31.

Total depth 3669; cleaning out after shot.

Yancy-Harris Co., Etz-State 1, NE SE 16-17-30.

Drilling at 2636.

Rudco Oil & Gas Co., State 6, SE (continued last page this section)

We-Hin-Ah-Pay Being Readied For Boy Scouts

Boy Scouts of the district are already signing up for the annual camp sessions at Camp We-Hin-Ah-Pay in the Sacramento Mountains, according to Bill McRee of Roswell, field director.

He said another field director, Bill Hintze of Carlsbad, will be the camp director, and he will be assisted by a five-man staff, including McRee.

The first of five one-week sessions will start Saturday, June 5. However, a work camp for older Boy Scouts, who will help get the camp in readiness, will start Monday, May 31.

McRee said the Boy Scouts will be offered rifle range practice, so as to help them qualify for ratings in the National Riflemen's Association.

Other activities will include the building of bridges, pioneer work, hiking, and mountain climbing.

The meals are to be served in a central dining room, with Thad Moore of Roswell, who was cook last summer, again in charge.

Parishoners Of Past Years Pay Tribute To Clark

Rev. C. A. Clark, who completed 50 years in the ministry April 13 and this week finished his appointment as pastor of the First Methodist Church of Artesia and went on retirement as an active pastor, was surprised at his closing services Sunday morning, when 93 of his former parishoners arrived to attend the services as a tribute to him.

They came from New Mexico, Texas, Oklahoma, and as far east as Pennsylvania.

Not only was the presence of the visitors a surprise to the pastor, but to members of his local congregation.

One of the features of the service was the christening of the baby of Mr. and Mrs. Donald L. Coudriet of New Kensington, Pa. Standing at the altar for this christening were four generations, the great-grandmother, Mrs. M. A. Woods of Hobbs; Mrs. George T. Harris, wife of Judge Harris; the mother, Mrs. Laverne Coudriet, and the baby, Thomas Victor Coudriet.

At the close of the service more than 100 persons, all former parishoners of Rev. Clark went to the farm home of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Jackson, a mile east of Artesia, where a lawn-picnic dinner was served.

Rev. Clark, who has been superintendent of the Methodist Assembly in the Sacramento Mountains, expects to devote his entire time to that position.

College Of Mines Dean Expresses Thanks For Hospitality Of Artesia

Judson F. Williams, dean of student life at the College of Mines and Metallurgy, El Paso, wrote a note of thanks to the students of Artesia High School and members of the Band-Aides, through Tom Mayfield, superintendent of schools, on behalf of the Mucker Band and a Capella Choir that made an appearance here April 28.

Members of the Band-Aides secured housing and prepared and served a meal to them in the cafeteria at Park School.

Williams letter: "Our students have had nothing but praise for the fine hospitality you afforded them when they were in Artesia. Members of both the choir and the band have told me that your band mothers gave them a most delicious meal, your townspeople were most cooperative in the matter of transportation, and that they were housed in the best homes in the city. Sincerely and personally appreciate what you did, and I hope in the future we can be of help to you."

Final Baseball Games In Double-Header Are Dropped To Carlsbad

The Carlsbad Cavemen won a double-header over the Artesia Bulldogs 7-3 and 7-5 on Morris Field Saturday afternoon, in the final baseball games for the Artesia team.

Alton Unangst of Artesia swatted out a homer in the second game with two of Coach Kenneth Lance's men on base.

Box scores: First game—Carlsbad 7-9-4, Artesia 3-5-9; second game—Carlsbad 7-10-2, Artesia 5-6-1.

Batteries: First game—Carlsbad, McDonald and Ward; Artesia, Ken Foster and Boyce Cauble; second game—Carlsbad, Hernandez and Ward; Artesia, Duane Tucker and Cauble.

Plans Completed For AL Auxiliary Sale Of Poppies

"A poppy on every coat—remembrance in every heart," will be the goal of the American Legion Auxiliary for the annual observance of "Poppy Day" here, May 29, the Saturday before Memorial Day.

Complete plans for "Poppy Day" were announced by Mrs. Frank Smith, the Auxiliary's poppy chairman. Poppies will be offered throughout the city all day so that everyone will have opportunity to honor the war dead by wearing the memorial flower.

Teams of volunteer workers from the Auxiliary will be assigned to different parts of the city, each working under a team captain.

All Poppy Day workers will give their time without pay, Mrs. Smith explained. Contributions made for the poppies will go to the rehabilitation and child welfare funds of the Legion and Auxiliary, to be used for the benefit of disabled war veterans and needy children of veterans during the coming year. These contributions form a large part of the money expended by the Legion and Auxiliary in their vast rehabilitation and welfare work.

The poppies which the Auxiliary will distribute have been made by disabled veterans at Fort Bayard.

John Simons, Jr., Is Installed Commander Of VFW Chapter Here

John Simons, Jr. was installed commander of the Disabled American Veterans chapter here Monday evening at the Veterans Memorial Building, succeeding Leland Wittkopp.

Other officers installed, with Bill Dunnam serving as installing officer, were: Senior vice commander, J. I. Chandler; junior vice commander, Garland Cross; treasurer, Leland Wittkopp.

VERNON MILLS IS NAMED ELEMENTARY SUPERVISOR

Vernon Mills, principal of Central School the last year, has been made elementary supervisor, a new post in the school system, to coordinate elementary work and curricula.

Tom Mayfield, superintendent of schools, in announcing the appointment, said a new principal will be named for Central School.

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AMERICANS HAVE GUARDED and protected their American rights for many, many years. We are convinced and know that the government is created for the people and not the people for the government.

We have been brought up to believe that the government is to serve us and not to be served.

That, perhaps, is as it should be. We all want it that way but we sometimes wonder if we don't permit the pendulum to swing too far one way when we preach, talk, and guard this idea. We sometimes come to believe the government owes us a living and we want to collect it from the government.

In this connection we have come to accept many things; to do many things, and even to demand many things, which may prove costly and expensive to our government.

There are times when the government could do things for itself. These things would serve all the people; effect savings; and accomplish much for our nation. But we have come along with the idea that the government can't do this and as a result it costs us as a people and as a nation.

This has been brought to our attention in the efforts and attempts of our government to set up housing projects and to create new houses at various permanent Army camps.

Over the nation the government, the Army and the Navy, have had housing projects. They have had camps containing many buildings. They have needed some of these buildings at other points. Yet we have proceeded to sell these buildings at considerable less than they cost and then turn around and appropriate money to build new buildings at places where the government needs these buildings.

Just why that these buildings could not be dismantled, if they are not suitable to be used, and the material be moved to where it could be used and houses erected from the material is more than we know. Yet it has never been done and is not being done.

Yet there are shortages of these buildings at places where they are needed because Congress did not appropriate funds with which to erect new housing units.

Not only has Uncle Sam sold off buildings the government needs and in some instances where some equipment has been retained and moved tremendous prices have been paid for the moving of this material when Uncle Sam is perhaps better equipped and has more manpower to do this job than we civilians have.

It is possibly true that some jobs might be lost; some private contractors might not make any money on the move; or they might not get the job, but the fact does remain that the government could save much money by keeping some of the buildings they have and remodeling them or using the material to build other buildings.

It seems to us that it is considerable waste and these are days and times when we need to learn to save.

We believe that the government should practice economy in every way possible. We believe the government should halt waste and extravagance. And we have set quite a record for waste during the war. We are still following the examples we set during the war.

There might be considerable howling and complaining, but after all the government belongs to the people and when the government saves, then the people save.

It appears to us that it is about time that the government start setting a few examples for the people of the nation.—O.E.P.

Be Sure, First

WHETHER WE UNDERSTAND the true meaning of Communism does not matter a great deal. We do know as an organization they believe in any number of things, which are not American. We do know they advocate the use of violence to overthrow the government.

That should prove sufficient for the courts of the land to act and to outlaw them, but up to now that has not been done.

There are scattered over this nation scores and scores of organizations with high-sounding names and with prominent citizens of the nation holding membership in these groups. Federal investigators tell us that the Communists control and dominate these organizations. They make it clear they do not contend that all of the members of these organizations are Communists, but they do point out the

Communists are using the organizations to promote their party.

There is no room for an individual to be a good American and to believe in any part of Communism. He or she is either a good American or they are Communists.

And unfortunately these organizations are using their friends to promote Communism. These organizations are booking and sending out speakers, who discuss racial equality; world federations; and who condemn America's way of life.

They make all kinds and types of recommendations and they spread the gossip of Communism. They seek to have their addresses and their speakers sponsored in communities by good American citizens and good organizations under the guise of liberalism.

And it is being done over this state and over this nation.

Don't be duped. Don't book in some speaker to preach against Americanism. Know the organization, which backs, sponsors, and promotes that speaker. Know definitely the organization, which is sponsoring that speaker, is not on the black list of the Federal Bureau of Investigation or the list submitted to the Army by Attorney General Tom Clark.

Don't help Communism to be spread in your community by being party to any such movements and any such programs.

Good Americans do not have to run around shouting, "I am not a Communist." And good Americans don't have to run around telling the world how good an American he or she is.

The life we live speaks louder than anything we can say.—O.E.P.

Attracts Business

IT IS A MISTAKEN IDEA that new industries, new business and new firms hurt our business—they help it.

Artesia, of course, is not the only city in the state, which has been and is at times a little reluctant about welcoming new business, new industries, and newcomers. Others have done the same thing.

Some way or other we get the idea we are perfectly satisfied, we have all the businesses we need; we haven't room for the newcomers, the outsiders, and other business concerns.

This idea probably springs from selfishness or from fear. Yet the fact remains that we need to realize that every new industry, which comes to Artesia, indirectly aids and helps us. It provides jobs, creates payrolls, and the result is more money to spend here. And when this money is spent, which it is, we share in the spending.

It is also true that when we attract more shoppers to our city, which new businesses and more businesses or new industries help to do, then we also enjoy more business.

Let any store here conduct a special sale attracting buyers and the results will be more business for all the firms here whether they offer any specials or not.

One of the most difficult lessons that all of us seemingly have to learn is to welcome newcomers, new businesses, and new concerns. We may say we want them; we may declare we want our city to grow and expand, but our actions are not in keeping with what we say.

We oppose these new businesses; we are everything but friendly to the newcomers and display an attitude rather of resentment instead of friendliness.

We must learn that when we do something to aid and help Artesia or when someone else does things, which aid and help our city, it also helps us.

Let us learn this one lesson during the year—that things, which aid and help Artesia also aid and help us as individuals residing in this community.—O.E.P.

Bon Voyage, Seniors

SENIORS OF ARTESIA HIGH SCHOOL, it has been a pleasure to know you, and watch you grow and develop, and to see you attain your present goal.

Most of you we know personally. With some it is merely a nodding acquaintance, but we are certain that among your number we consider the vast majority our friends.

We know your task has not been an easy one. But we are certain that when you look back over your school days in Artesia you will remember them as among the most delightful in your lives.

To you alone does not go all the credit, but some to your teachers and to your parents, who have clothed and fed you for the most part, and to both groups for their great patience and understanding.

Now you have reached an important station on the road of life. Your close-knit group will split up into nearly as many parts as there are members of your class. The two main groups are those of you who will go on to college and further education, and those who immediately will enter the world of business, work, and labor.

Whichever path your future steps may take, you will continue to find life fun, but not an easy task. By toying the mark and putting your whole selves into whatever may be your lot, you will find that the most pleasures in life come only through doing. You must work and strive and plan ahead in order to get the best out of your future days. But you should have time for play, the kind of play which will rest you and keep you strong and fit.

Life cannot be all work or all play for one to derive the greatest pleasure, but both must be indulged in in proper proportion, with a time and place for each.

Remember that, work hard and play in moderation for recreation, rest of mind, exercise of muscles not used in work, and to further develop your minds. Hobbies—sometimes lucrative ones—are a form of play, which develop the mind and increase one's knowledge, thus making one more efficient in his work, for greater knowledge of any subject helps one with his life's work by giving him a broader vista and a greater wealth of facts.

As you receive your diplomas, seniors, we congratulate you on your achievement, and we wish you the best of everything throughout life.

Bon Voyage, seniors of Artesia High School.

—A.L.B.

MEMORY LANE



Cutworms Take Heavy Toll Of State's Wheat

The pale Western cutworm has taken a heavy toll of the 1948 wheat crop in Quay and Curry Counties, according to E. J. O'Neal, state extension entomologist, who recently visited the infested areas. The damage may be as high as 50 per cent of the crop in some communities in Quay County, O'Neal says. His survey shows the damage to be heaviest in the Wheatland, Forrest, and McAlister communities, with lighter damage in the House and Ima areas.

"The over-all infestation is not much greater than is generally found in a normal year," the entomologist explains. "But because of drought conditions, late sown wheat, and the general lateness of the crop, extensive damage has resulted."

"The destruction caused by the cutworm varies from farm to farm and community to community. On some farms the damage cost does not exceed 10 per cent of the crop, while on other farms the damage is almost 100 per cent. Even on the same farm, there is great variation in damage."

O'Neal says that he has found no correlation between the infestation and any particular tillage practice carried out last year. He pointed out that the worst of the damage is over, as the cutworms would soon be in an inactive stage and as the wheat is growing older and hence more resistant to attack by cutworm.

Similar outbreaks occurred in New Mexico's wheat-growing areas in 1925, 1940, and 1941. Commenting on the factors responsible for the current outbreak, O'Neal puts the chief blame on the practice of following wheat with wheat for several consecutive seasons. Because of this practice, farmers do not generally till their land at a time when they would destroy the larvae and pupae by exposure to the elements, parasites, and predators. Drought and lateness of crop were other important factors in causing the recent outbreak.

Summer fallow, crop rotation, and possibly chemical treatment are the only sure ways to prevent recurrences, O'Neal advises.

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State Continues Soil Conservation Program In 1948

The national 4-H soil conservation program will be conducted in New Mexico in 1948 for the fifth consecutive year.

The activity is designed to encourage 4-H club members to develop a farm family program of soil conservation, for present and future production, which will help prevent soil wastage and deterioration on the home farm.

Typical of the achievements of the 4-H soil conservationists are those of Arsenio Sanchez, 18, Puerto de Luna, state and sectional winner last year. Control of bindweed and better land use, through conservation practice as instituted by Arsenio and his father, has greatly increased the productivity of their 35-acre ranch, and gulley control, together with contour farming, have made the place a model. The farm is used by the county agent in demonstrations which bring interested farmers from a wide area.

Merit awards for superior 4-H soil conservation records on county, state, sectional, and national levels again offered include gold medals of honor for county winners and \$50 U.S. Savings Bonds for the six highest rating entrants in each state. Sixteen selected state winners each receive a sectional award of a trip to the Chicago 4-H Club Congress next November. Eight sectional winners are chosen for national honors, each receiving a \$200 college scholarship.

Members who won county medals in 1947 were Fredo McFall, Bernalillo County; Keith Runyan, Quay County, and Darrell Pool, Roosevelt County.

County extension agents will furnish complete information regarding this activity.

Legend has it that the root of the mandrake plant was used by God to put Adam to sleep when he made Eve out of one of Adam's ribs.

The mandrake plant mentioned in the Bible is the so-called European mandrake.

The American mandrake root can yield laxative medicine.

The American mandrake is known as May apple, wild lemon, umbrella plant and, scientifically, as podophyllum.

As Artesia Grows

AS ARTESIA GROWS STD HED TWENTY YEARS AGO

(From The Advocate Files for May 17, 1928)

W. E. Kerr of Las Vegas has recently been elected to the superintendency of the Artesia public schools.

Work on the Lovington-Artesia highway was nearing completion. Mr. and Mrs. Lee Francis went to Kansas to visit relatives. They took Mrs. Preston Dunn and Mrs. Alice Walton as far as Amarillo with them.

Misses Shirley Feather and Esther Morgan were home from Roswell yesterday.

J. S. Ward was elected president of the newly organized Artesia Golf Club.

The American Legion Auxiliary met in the home of Mrs. Lewis Story to discuss the poppy sale to be held soon.

Sig Iverson visited his father-in-law, Van Welsh, recently.

Businessmen of Artesia were offering 24 prizes in a city beautiful contest. This contest was being sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce with the help of the Woman's Club.

TEN YEARS AGO

(From The Advocate Files for May 19, 1938)

Visiting firemen had a "busmen's holiday" in Artesia when they were called to a fire at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. Murphy. Firemen were here from Albuquerque, Roswell, and Portales.

Arba Green, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, and Mrs. Green left Sunday for a trip to Michigan. They will get a new car while there.

Betty and Jimmy Blue celebrated their birthdays in their home with a party. They are the children of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Blue.

Clyde Roberts and A. C. Crozier left Wednesday morning on a fishing trip on the Rio Ruidoso and Rio Bonita.

The juniors feted the seniors in a flower garden on the Roof Garden of the Artesia Hotel.

Miss Dorothy Gilmore was being presented in a violin recital.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Sharp left Sunday morning for California, accompanied by their son, Harold, who has been home on leave from the Navy. They will visit there about two weeks.

The graduating class of Hope High School took a trip to the Grand Canyon. This was the fourth educational trip of the school for the year.

Mrs. W. C. Thompson, who graduated from the Mississippi State College for Women at Columbus, Miss., will return there the last of May to attend the graduation exercises of her daughter, Gladys. Mr. Thompson and their son, Carey, will also attend.

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Quantities Of War Surplus Are Being Taken Back

Large quantities of equipment at war installations in Colorado, Utah, New Mexico, and Wyoming, once declared surplus to the needs of the armed services, are being taken back by the Army and Navy for use in the stepped-up defense program, according to Regional Director John A. Skeen of the War Assets Administration.

All surplus property now being programmed for sale by WAA is offered upon condition that it may be withdrawn by the Department of Defense up to time of commitment for sale, said Skeen, who added that this applies especially to goods and materials which the government is buying on the market. The Department of Defense has first priority to all surplus.

Industrial real property is offered for sale only under the national security clause by the terms of which the government may recapture any plant for defense production within 120 days. Offers to buy the large Remington Arms plant at Salt Lake City are now being considered by WAA, and if

Rapid industrialization of the took place during World War. More than a million tons of surplus year are now produced there.

During an eclipse of the sun in Siam, the people traditionally beat drums, gongs, pans, and do things to make a racket, the notion being that a demon is swallowing the sun and must be frightened away.

Just Right For Daytime



Navy blue crepe frock.

By VERA WINSTON

THERE ARE some dresses that seem exactly right for any day and for any but formal occasions. Such a frock is this wearable model of navy silk crepe with a design of dainty pink bouquets. The bolero is a simulated effect and serves to minimize the waistline. The shoulders are gently flanged and the sleeves are flatteringly to the sometimes far-from-perfect upper arm. The skirt is gently flared.

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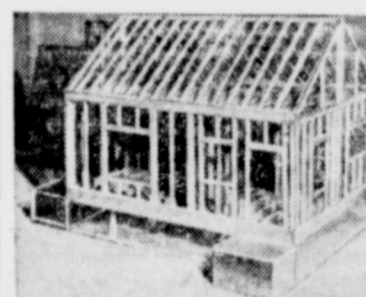
New Device Controls 'Cancer' of Buildings Pipes Enable Chemical To Reach Termites

Termites, the "cancer" of buildings, now can be controlled. Through all the ages the tiny insect that feasts on wood in homes, farm buildings and other structures has been a constant destroyer. Annual property losses run far into the millions.

Ordinary control measures could not get at the intricate tunnels hidden away in difficult and impossible to reach places.

A new device, hailed as an effective means of combatting the destructive pest, was demonstrated at the annual convention of the National Association of Home Builders in Chicago by W. B. Hill of Memphis, Tenn., nationally known as a termite expert.

His method consists of installing a series of slotted pipes at the time of construction in all inaccessible areas, including dirt-filled porches, sun parlors, stoops, steps and fireplaces. Annually a perforated pipe is slipped into the allotted pipes and all hidden areas are treated with a powerful chemical toxic blown



In this novel display, a colony of termites is feasting on the framework in a model home structure. It provides dramatic proof of the destructive ability of the tiny insects.

through openings in the pipes.

Hill, who has spent 20 years figuring ways of waging war on the termite, also has devised a display showing live termites at work. Enclosed in glass, his small scale model home has an army of hungry termites actually at work constructing their intricate network of mud tunnels or shelter tubes. It shows the worker, the soldier on guard and the immature, young potential queen who swarms in the spring.

Beware the 'New Look,' Crop Specialist Advises

Beware the "new look," especially in crop varieties. That is the advice of Joe Robinson, Iowa State college agronomist.

"New varieties seem to hold some sort of magic charm over many farmers," stated Robinson. "I am happy to see the farmer change to new varieties whenever they can increase his yield but just because a variety carries a new name is no indication of its value."

Robinson pointed out that performance records are more important than newness.

Selection of suitable hybrid corn varieties creates another problem. Unlike other crops, some hybrid corn varieties are produced by only one concern. Eligibility of both the private hybrid lines and the experiment station lines for certification depends on the performance records in a corn yield test.

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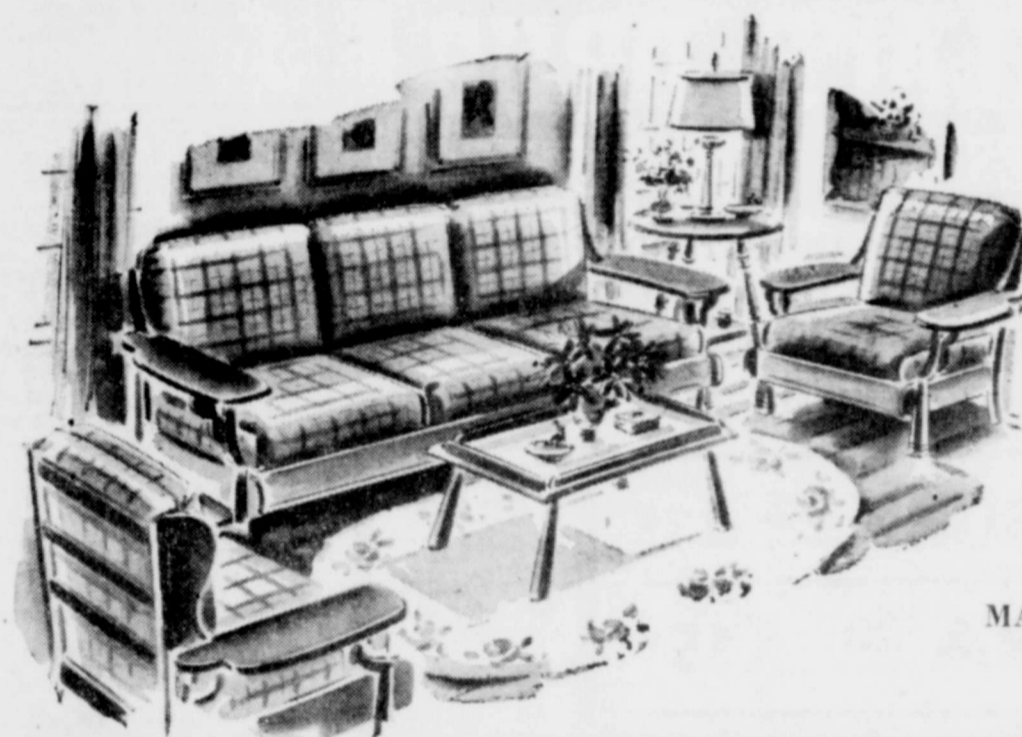
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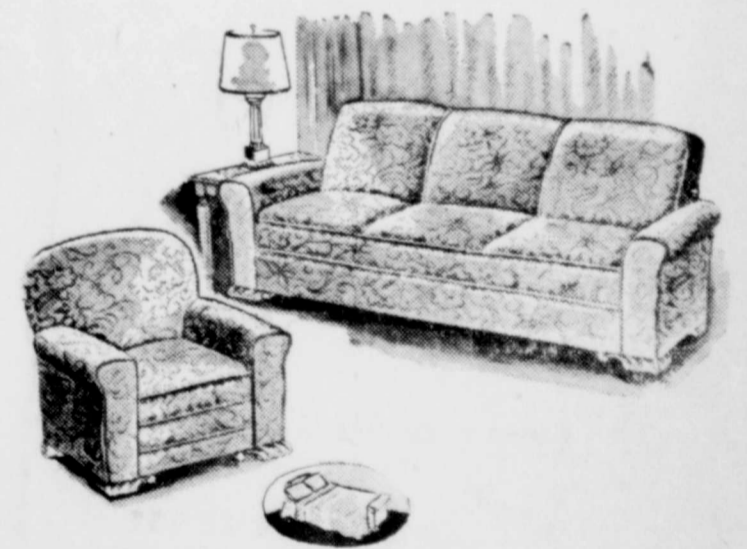
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Farm Briefs

By Dallas Rierson
Eddy County Agent

Weaning time is a critical period in the life of baby pigs. The setback in growth at this time depends on how well they have been prepared for it.

Young pigs should begin eating grain when they are 10 to 12 days old. A creep is an ideal place to feed them. By the time they are

8 to 10 weeks old—the usual time for weaning—they should be so accustomed to other feed than sow's milk they won't miss it.

Don't wean pigs when they're too young. Some farmers make the mistake of weaning all pigs in the lot at the same time—those that are only 5 to 6 weeks old, as well as those that are 8 to 9 weeks old. Such a practice seriously handicaps the younger pigs.

When pigs are weaned at ages

earlier than 8 to 10 weeks, they should be kept separate and should be given special care to avoid stunting.

The sow should be taken from the pigs, rather than the pigs from the sow. Leaving young pigs in old surroundings will lessen any setback that might occur.

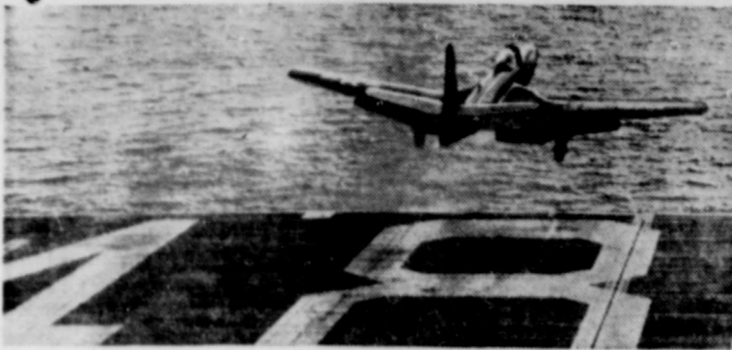
Proper selection of the herd sire is extremely important to the dairy farmer. The only measure of a bull's ability to transmit high production is the production records of his daughters or the production records of his ancestors. Be sure that your next herd sire is selected on facts, not on hopes. Only tested herds have the facts.

Keeping production records on all your dairy cows is more important than ever this year. By knowing just how much a cow produces, you can adjust the amount of grain she's getting. It's a quick way to cut feed wastes. Besides, production records will give you an accurate guide for planning a breeding program.

Planted Cotton Acreage To Be Up 35 Per Cent

Cotton producers in New Mexico are expected to plant 50,000 more acres of cotton in 1948 than they did in 1947, according to Tom Stubblefield, marketing assistant of the state extension service. The estimated increase represents a 35 per cent step-up over last year's planted acreage in the state, says Stubblefield, who bases his estimate on county agents' reports. "Part of the great increase in planted acreage is due to the expansion of pump-irrigated areas and the enlargement of other types of irrigated areas," the marketing assistant explains. "In some coun-

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THE NAVY FIGHTING SQUADRON VF17-A, based at Quonset Point, R. I., stages an impressive demonstration from the carrier USS Saipan of the speed and precision with which a squadron of jet-propelled fighter planes can operate from a flattop. It was the first time that a squadron of jets flew from a carrier as an operational unit. Top, a FH-1 "Phantom," with a speed in excess of 450 miles per hour and a range of more than 1,000 miles, is shown taking off. Bottom, a "Phantom" comes in for a landing. Official U. S. Navy photo. (International Soundphoto)

Pedagogs Enjoy Evening of Fun

By Bonnie Ross

(From Artesia High Beacon)

An informal dinner was given May 11, by the teachers of the Local Association, at the Veteran's building.

Each teacher invited a guest to this affair.

Members on the social committee were: Mrs. Powell, high school; Mrs. Westerman, Northside school; Mrs. Swartz, Central school; and Miss Finley, Park school.

Special numbers featured during the evening were: dancing by the sophomore girls who served as

character, scholarship, service, and citizenship.

The Legion Posts, and civic groups that are organizations who sponsor at least one or more boys to Boy's State will receive the Boy's State Citation Award.

Dewey in Oregon



NEW YORK'S Governor Thomas E. Dewey, Republican presidential aspirant, is shown as he addressed a meeting in Portland, Oregon. His campaign forces have announced that Dewey is out to "stop" Harold Stassen, with whom he shares the primary ballot. (International)

Graduates of A. H. S.

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Jr. Class Sends Three Boys To Boy's State

By Ed Murdock

(From Artesia High Beacon)

There are three boys from the junior class of AHS this year who plan to attend Boy's State to be held at El Rito, New Mexico.

They are: Walter Gray, Kenneth Newton, and Bobby Collins.

Boy's State is sponsored by the American Legion. It is situated on the campus of the Northern New Mexico Normal School at El Rito, N. Mex.

Its objective is to educate the youth of New Mexico in the duties, privileges, rights and responsibility of true American Citizenship. It is to inspire and instill a deep sense of personal responsibility and obligations which his citizenship entails.

Boy's State assembles June 13, giving a week of service to the New Mexico youth.

There will be schools of instruction in law, participation in correct procedures, city and county administration, legislative assemblies and state functioning challenging the leadership and imagination, engaging the attention of all citizens.

All of this also includes sports: Football, baseball, tennis, and track. The boys that go must have five qualifications: Leadership,

lies, however, the increase is due to a shortage of water, which prevents farmers from raising alfalfa. And, of course, the high price of cotton is also influencing farmers to plant more cotton.

Comparison of 1947 acreages in New Mexico cotton counties with the expected acreages this year and the expected increases:

Chaves, 36,000,	50,000,	14,000;
Dona Ana, 66,294,	70,000,	3,706;
Eddy, 25,200,	29,500,	4,300;
Hidalgo, 350,	2,500,	2,150;
Lea, 5800,	20,000,	14,200.

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Hearty Egg Dishes That Are Good for Luncheon or Supper

By ALICE DENHOFF
WITH the price of eggs what it has been, they have assumed new importance. It is not enough just a couple of eggs, sunny-side up or scrambled or a plain omelette. Now the egg becomes the star performer in some wonderful dishes, good luncheon or supper items, a few of which are offered here.

Eggs Baked in Tomatoes adds up to an excellent and nourishing dish. The centers are removed from large, ripe tomatoes, and enough of the pulp is removed to allow an egg to be poured in. The cavity is sprinkled with salt, pepper, onion salt and a smidgen of celery salt before the egg is added. After the egg is broken into the tomato, it is covered with tomato pulp chopped and a dab of prepared mustard. The tomatoes are then placed in a pan which is put in another pan partially filled with water. On the top of each tomato is placed a piece of brown paper heavily spread with table fat.

In Moderate Oven
The tomatoes are baked in a moderate oven for about 1/2 hour. Fifteen min. before removing from the oven, the brown paper is replaced by strips of bacon.

For those that really like to cook, here is a cheese soufflé that takes a bit of patience, much beating and an oven not too hot. But when skillfully done, it makes a marvelous soufflé.

Deep Saucepan
To make, boil 1/2 pint milk in a deep saucepan. When it comes to a boil add 2 tbs. flour mixed with a little cold water, stirring until it makes a white sauce. Add

1/2 tsp. butter, 2 tbs. chopped American cheese, a little paprika, pinch of salt and black pepper, and a pinch of soda. Cook 5 min., stirring continuously. Take from fire; cool for half hour. Do not put in refrigerator.

When cold, add the yolks of 4 eggs that have already been beaten spongy light, beating into the mixture. Then add the whites, beaten until stiff but not dry. Blend together for 2 min. Turn into a heatproof oven glass baking dish, and bake at 350 degrees F. for 10 min. or until it rises high and is a fluffy golden brown.

Two-Story Omelet
Here is a heavy omelet, a two-story production that is imposing to gaze upon, and mighty good fare, too. For this omelet which serves 4 to 6, heat 2 tbs. table spread in a skillet, add 2 minced green peppers, 4 minced scallions and one c. fresh or canned tomatoes; let simmer for 15 min. Separate 5 eggs, beat yolks with 1/2 tsp. salt, dash of pepper and cayenne, scant tsp. dry mustard, 1/4 tsp. each thyme, tarragon, marjoram and sage. Add first mixture, turn into a casserole, place in pan of hot water, cover and bake in hot oven (400 degrees F. for 20 min.)

Whip 5 egg whites on a platter with a wire whisk until stiff enough to stand. Sprinkle 3 cant. tsp. mustard over them and add 1/2 tsp. ketchup, a few drops at a time, whipping until blended. Spread over baked yolk mixture; return to oven, uncovered. Reduce heat to slow (300 degrees F. and bake 15 min., longer or until red and brown.)

Billion Dollar Highway Program Is Under Way

WASHINGTON, D. C. May 12—Highway programs of the 48 state and District of Columbia highway departments call for the building of 46,821 miles of state and federal highways during 1948 at an estimated cost of \$1,072,283,810, a recent survey by the American Road Builders' Association shows.

The survey, covering state and federal highway construction and maintenance for 1947 and 1948, made by D. R. Lamson, ARBA research engineer, shows that 3414 miles of concrete roads, 25,631 miles of bituminous mixes and treated types, and 17,776 miles of other types make up the 46,821 miles to be built.

It is estimated that state highway departments will let contracts for 27,859 miles of highways during 1948, with 48 states and the District of Columbia reporting a total of 18,962 miles of work carried over from 1947 contracts. Work carried over includes 1290 miles of concrete pavement, 10,920 miles of bituminous mixes and treated types, and 6752 miles of other types.

The postwar highway program is steadily gaining momentum, Lamson pointed out. Construction expenditures for federal, state, and local highways are expected to reach \$1,500,000,000 this year. Highway expenditures will represent 40 per cent of all public construction. Total expenditures for 1947 state maintenance in 48 states and the District of Columbia were \$371,003,027, the survey shows, with expenditures for 1948 estimated at \$377,693,133.

Expenditures for federal, state, and local highway construction totaled \$1,248,000,000 in 1947. Lamson added. Of this total \$343,000,000 was local construction, \$257,000,000 was state, and \$648,000,000 was federal aid including matching funds. Highway maintenance cost slightly more than a billion dollars.

Tractor Program Offers Awards To 4-H Clubbers

National recognition in the form of college scholarship awards has now been added to the 1948 4-H tractor maintenance program to encourage club members to help reduce the nation's fuel wastage. Surveys show that more than \$12 worth of fuel is being wasted annually in this country by the average tractor owner. Collectively this means that fuel wasted by the two and three-quarter million farm tractor operators in a year's time—because of improper carburetor adjustment alone—would fill a train of tankcars 200 miles long!

The 4-H tractor maintenance program was originated three years ago for the express purpose of training local club leaders in the proper use and care of farm tractors at state clinics. Studies at the clinics include carburetion, ignition and cooling systems, lubrication, and valve adjustment. After attending a clinic, the local leaders pass on what they have learned to 4-H club members in their respective counties. More than 6000 local leaders have received training at clinics of 41 states, and 53,000 club members have taken part in the program since its inception. Local leaders who attended tractor

clinics in New Mexico this year are now training 4-H'ers to take better care of tractors to make them work better and last longer. Awards offered club members in 1948, in addition to the scholarships, are sterling silver medals of honor to county winners and all-expense trips to the National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago next November to state champions. The national \$200 college scholarships will be awarded to the top ranking winners in each of the four extension sections and two at large.

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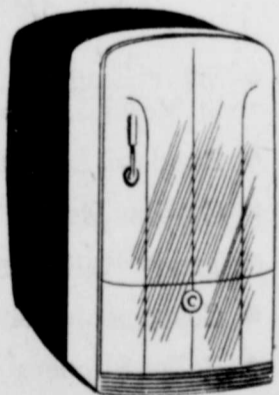


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Gertrude Finley Is Honored At Bridal Shower

Mrs. Minnie Bolton, Mrs. Max Stephens, Miss Hildegard Klethe, and Mrs. Burch Spencer honored Miss Gertrude Finley with a lovely bridal shower last Thursday evening in the home of Mrs. Bolton.

Miss Finley's approaching marriage to Hagar McCaw of Artesia was announced and each guest signed the bride's book, which was presided over by Miss Ina Cole.

Punch and cake were served in the dining room at a table covered with a beautiful handmade Italian cutwork cloth and centered with roses, which was presided over by Mrs. Winifred Haralson and Mrs. W. G. Short.

After the refreshments were served the party assembled in Mrs. Bolton's beautiful back yard surrounded by many varieties of roses.

Miss Helen Beatty, accompanied by Mrs. I. L. Spratt, sang several selections of bridal songs. Miss Margaret Gore, also accompanied by Mrs. Spratt, played several violin selections.

Miss Finley then opened the many lovely gifts presented by the guests, Meses. Ava Gage, Winifred Haralson, Mildred Lambert, Moss Spence, Wesley Sperry, I. L. Spratt, Irene Schnaubert, Ralph Thompson, Ivan Herbert, W. G. Short, G. C. Kinder, Leone French, Flora Powell, Leota Williams, O. S. Brewer, Homer Parker, Buford Gray, Ray Carpenter, Julie Hubbard, Mary Jones, Burr Clem, Fred Cole, J. I. Exum, W. H. Gilmore, J. T. Mitchell, Jennie Butler, Leon Barker, J. S. Mills, W. C. Gray, Bert Smith, Merrill Story, A. W. Boyce, C. E. Mann, Luke Monschke, J. L. Prude, Charles Ransberger, J. E. Jordan, and J. T. Easley, and Misses Kay Barry, Helen Gorman, Hazel Hockensmith, Alyce Erickson, Alma Sue Felix, Linna McCaw, Isabel Macdonald, Ina Cole, Ann Howarth, and Fannie Woodruff.

Those sending gifts were Meses. Charles Wallis, Joe Hamann, Ralph Hayes, Etta Douglas, T. L. Archer, G. L. Beene, C. D. Bolton, W. M. McCaw, Russel Rogers, Bob McCaw, Jack McCaw, Edwin McCaw, W. A. Ansley, James Allen, S. M. Morgan, J. C. Vandeverter, John Lanning, Dave Brandall, C. E. Terrell, John Simons, William Sharp, and Dorothy Schwartz, and Miss Louise Duvall.

Housework Shortcuts Are Demonstrated At Cottonwood Club Meet

"Shortcuts in Housework" was the program enjoyed by the members of the Cottonwood Community Extension Club Tuesday in the home of Mrs. W. B. King. Mrs. M. C. Mayberry was cohostess.

Miss Wynona Swebston, county demonstration agent, displayed pictures on defrosting a refrigerator and the easy, quick way to iron a shirt.

After the demonstration, Mrs. Curtis Sharp presided over a short business meeting with 11 members taking part.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. B. E. Green. A covered-dish luncheon will be served at noon. The demonstration will cover upholstering and slip covering.

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'Secret Sisters' Of Epsilon Sigma Alpha Are Disclosed Tuesday

The identities of "secret sisters" in the Epsilon Sigma Alpha sorority were disclosed Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Raymond Waters.

Each "secret sister" brought a gift and presented it to the person whom she had been benefitting the last year.

The group also made plans for the jewel pin ceremony being held Tuesday evening in the home of Miss Velma Springer. There will be six pledges present to receive the degrees.

Members present were Meses. Gene Chambers, Allen Mills, Leo Austin, E. P. Bullock, and George Lynch, and Misses Wanda Lunsford, Velma Springer, Mary Glasscock, Bonnie Fletcher, and Jimmie Starkey.

The hostess served light refreshments after the meeting.

Social Calendar

Saturday, May 22
Senior 4-H Club will give a silver tea at the home of Mrs. J. H. Holcomb, 1114 Merchant Avenue, 3 p. m.

Monday, May 24
Drama group of the American Association of University Women meets at the home of Mrs. Lillian Bigler, 7:30 p. m.

Girl Scout Southeastern area board and council meeting at the Methodist Church, 1 p. m.

Past Matrons' Club meets with Mrs. Jesse I. Funk on Cottonwood for luncheon, 1 p. m.

Tuesday, May 25
Beta Sigma Phi meets at the home of Mrs. W. B. Macey, 7:30 p. m.

Order of Eastern Star will have initiation in the Masonic Temple, 7:30 p. m.

Epsilon Sigma Alpha will hold jewel pin ceremony at the home of Miss Velma Springer, 7:30 p. m.

MRS. DUNGAN ENTERTAINS PAST NOBLE GRAND CLUB

The Past Noble Grand Club was entertained in the home of Mrs. G. B. Dungan last Thursday evening.

After a social hour, Mrs. Dungan was assisted by Mrs. J. T. Henry and Miss Ella Bauslin in serving delicious refreshments to Meses E. M. Wingfield, J. M. Story, C. Bert Smith, R. H. Ramsey, W. H. Cobble, Beulah Jones, Walter Amstutz, Ward Cave, D. F. Brandel, and J. B. Spencer, and Miss Ina Cole.

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Mothers Guests Of PTA At Tea Friday Afternoon

A tea was given for mothers of children who will enter their first year of school in September by the Central School Parent-Teacher Association Friday afternoon at the school.

Mrs. John A. Mathis, Jr., reported on the recent PTA convention at Taos and told of the educational and colorful meeting there.

The theme of the meeting was, "World Understanding." Next year the theme will be, "Family Life and Adult Education."

It was reported at the meeting that the Claire Tree Major plays for next year will be "Pinnocchio," "Hansel and Gretel," and "Poor Little Rich Girl." The PTA works in co-operation with the Girl Scouts and Story League in order to bring the series of Claire Tree Major plays to Artesia for Artesia school children.

The program was a talk given by Mrs. Margaret Finke on "How to Prepare Your Child for School." Use the summer months by teaching him to listen to reading, to be independent, and good sportsmanship before starting to school, rather than to write or add, she advised.

Mrs. G. C. Kinder, school nurse, gave a talk on, "The Health of the Child," and stressed the fact that the pre-school child should have his immunization shots before starting to school, rather than after.

After the business meeting and program a delightful tea was served by the teachers of Central School. The tea table was centered with spring flowers, colorful mints and cookies, and a crystal punch-bowl.

BILLIE JUNE NORRID TO WED JIMMIE EVANS

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Norrid of Artesia are announcing the approaching marriage of their daughter, Billie June, to Jimmy Evans, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lorre Evans, also of Artesia.

The wedding will be at the First Baptist Church Sunday, June 6.

GIRL SCOUTS VISIT TELEPHONE OFFICE

Girl Scouts of Troop 15 and their leader, Mrs. V. S. Henderson, visited the telephone last Thursday afternoon to see how the office is operated.

The girls afterward went to Irby Drug for soft drinks.

University Women Hold Final Meeting Of Association Year

The American Association of University Women held its final meeting of the club year Saturday afternoon at the Veterans Memorial Building.

Reports from the state convention at Albuquerque were given by Mrs. M. A. Mapes, Mrs. Winifred Haralson, and Mrs. Fred Jacobs. Mrs. Jacobs was also elected state treasurer for the association at the convention.

The program was a book review on "Peace of Mind," by Walter Liebman, given by Mrs. Molly Reeves.

The association voted to change the meeting date from the third Monday to the third Saturday afternoon of every month. It was also voted to pay the expenses of one of the girls who will go to Highland University for a week this summer to study government in co-operation with the Woman's Club.

A luncheon was served by the American Legion Auxiliary.

MRS. TRUETT IS HOSTESS TO PAST PRESIDENTS

Mrs. Jesse L. Truett entertained the Past Presidents' Parley at her home with a covered dish luncheon Monday. Lovely bouquets of flowers were used for decorations.

After the luncheon Mrs. A. R. Compary presided at the business meeting. The members present were Meses. Raymond Bartlett, J. M. Story, Dell Walters, Fred Jacobs, C. R. Baldwin, A. R. Compary, Earl Darst, C. R. Vandagriff, and P. V. Morris.

Garden Clubs Meet Together At Funk Home

Twenty members of the Artesia Garden Club and 14 members of the Hagerman Garden Club were guests at the home of Mrs. Jesse I. Funk of the Upper Cottonwood community Friday afternoon.

After a short business meeting, the meeting was turned over to Mrs. Welborn and Mrs. Lankford of Hagerman, who demonstrated the making of corsages. Several of the other guests made beautiful corsages after the demonstration.

The hostesses, Mrs. Funk, Mrs. Lee Francis, and Mrs. Ray Zumwalt, served punch, sandwiches, and cookies.

Visitors from Hagerman were Meses. Welborn, Lankford, Herbert Lang, M. O. Menoud, A. A. Bailey,

R. B. Hart, O. T. Sweatt, W. E. Utterback, Holloway, Stine, Hopkins, Cowen, and A. L. Nail. Other visitors were Meses. James Thigpen and Joe Bill Funk of the Cottonwood community and Meses. A. R. Compary and George Thalman of Artesia.

Larry Hankins And Little Friends Have Party On Birthday

Mrs. Doyle Hankins entertained her young son, Larry, on his third birthday Saturday afternoon with a party at the park.

Ice cream and a birthday cake were served with many colored balloons for favors.

Mrs. Gayland Watts and Pat Fairley helped serve and entertain the young guests, Charlene and Jimmy Watts, Martha Jo Mascheck, Linda Jo Fairley, and Sherman Allen Scott.

GUEST FROM MISSISSIPPI HONORED AT LUNCHEON

Mrs. Julia McCrory of Newton, Miss., was honored at a luncheon Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. G. T. Hearn. Mrs. Hearn's sister, Mrs. N. H. Jones, was cohostess.

Mrs. McCrory has been visiting her sister, Mrs. I. P. Johnson of Cottonwood, who was also present at the luncheon.

Other guests were Mrs. E. B. Everett and Mrs. W. G. Everett.

MES. M'CRORY, THALMAN TO ACCOMPANY GIRLS

Miss Fid Hamill announced that Mrs. E. B. McCrory and Mrs. George Thalman are to be the chaperones on the CokeEttes Club trip to Ruidoso at a meeting Monday afternoon in the home of Miss Stella Baker.

The trip is to be the first week in June.

The hostess served light refreshments to the 16 members present and announced that the next meeting would be in the Hamill home at 4 o'clock Monday afternoon.

the parents of a daughter, born Friday. She weighed six pounds nine ounces.

Walter Simmons was admitted to the hospital Friday, where he underwent major surgery.

D. B. Shira was admitted to the hospital for medical treatments Friday.

Mrs. Raymond Madron entered the hospital for medical treatments Friday.

A daughter, Louenia, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Courtney Washington Friday. She weighed seven pounds.

Mrs. Joe Navarette are the parents of Jo Helen, born Saturday. She weighed six pounds four ounces.

Miss Kathryn Hancox, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Hancox, entered the hospital Saturday for medical attention.

Monroe Howard was admitted to the hospital for medical attention Saturday.

Juan Hernandez received medical attention when he was admitted to the hospital Saturday.

Mrs. William Jeffers entered the hospital Saturday for medical treatments.

Mrs. Sank Tunnell entered the hospital Saturday for medical treatment.

Mrs. C. C. Gilger received treatment for a fracture Sunday.

Mrs. Avery Holt and daughter, Linda Jean Holt, entered the hospital Sunday for medical attention.

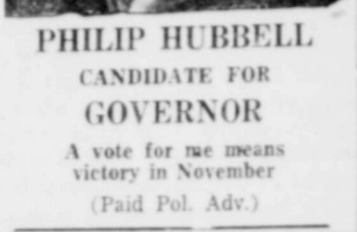
Mrs. John Teel of Hope entered the hospital Wednesday for treatments.

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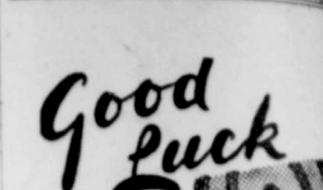
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LOCALS

Mrs. D. C. Blue will entertain mother, Mrs. Rose Childress of Globe, Ariz., a few days. Mrs. Childress arrived here Wednesday.

R. Phillips received word Sunday of the death of his mother, W. E. Phillips, 78, of Big Spring, Texas. Mrs. Phillips and their son, Bill, Jr., and his wife left that evening to attend the funeral. They returned home early Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Luther E. Sharpe of Portales, wife of the new manager of the Artesia Chamber of Commerce, and their daughter, Becky, arrived Wednesday to make their home here at 816 South Fourth Street, which property Mr. Sharpe has purchased.

Tom Mayfield, superintendent of Artesia schools, was called to Las Cruces Wednesday because of the sudden death that morning of his sister, Mrs. Herbert Pamphrey. Funeral services are to be Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Bullock left Friday for Seattle, Wash., to attend a national Boy Scout meeting, and to celebrate their golden wedding anniversary, which will not actually be until next December. They planned to be gone about two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Irwin of Lawton, Okla., arrived here last Thursday to spend a few days looking after their oil interests east of the Pecos River. They have been staying at the Artesia Hotel.

Walt Varner was taken by Herman Fuchs to Fredonia, Kan., Monday, called there because of the death Sunday of her father, E. J. Lewis. Funeral services were Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Currier and son, Mike, left last Thursday for Santa Fe, where Mr. Currier attended the Shrine ceremonial. They went from there to Los Alamos Saturday to visit Mr. Currier's sister, Mrs. J. W. Haley, and Mr. Haley.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Wilson returned Sunday afternoon from Hot Springs, where they took the hot baths. They were gone two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Boone Barnett returned home Sunday from Los Alamos, where they went last Thursday to visit their daughter, Mrs. Kenneth Williams, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Cole and 11-month-old son, Charles Lee, of Long Beach, Calif., arrived Friday to visit Mr. Cole's father, C. M. Cole, and other relatives. They plan to be here about two weeks.

Robert Siegel returned home Friday from Dallas, Texas, where he attended a South shoe dealers' convention. He reported general optimism among dealers, wholesale and retail, for business in the future, and said most are enjoying good business at this time.

Doyle Hankins, cashier of the First National Bank, has returned to his duties after being on sick leave two weeks.

Jack Jordan was home from the University of New Mexico at Albuquerque over the week end visiting his mother, Mrs. Harriet Jordan.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Green took their daughter, Virginia, to an orthopedic specialist in El Paso Saturday and returned home, reporting that she is doing very nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Booker have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. Lloyd Traylor, and Mr. Traylor in Spokane, Wash. Upon leaving Washington Mrs. Booker went to Rochester, Minn., to be with her mother, Mrs. Emery Carper, who has undergone an operation there. Mr. Booker returned home.

Miss Emma Clark who has been in the local hospital is home and showing some improvement. Relatives from out of town who have been visiting Miss Emma and her sister, Miss Eleanor, during her illness are Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Clark of Foucassett, Okla., Clark Stacy of Chicago, Mrs. Wayne Stacy of

Twelve Seniors Receive Quill and Scroll Pins

By Bonnie Ross
(From Artesia High Beacon)

Twelve seniors became members of the Artesia Chapter of the Quill and Scroll International Honorary Society for High School Journalists, May 7.

The new members are Cleo Johnson, Ed Murdock, Maxine Calahan, Maxine McAnally, Billie Norrid, Cotton Marsh, Jack Holcomb, Bert Shipp, Merced Natera, Alton Unangst, Bob Ann Brunk, and Pauline Redmon.

Quill and Scroll is an International Honorary Society for High School Journalists, and was organized April 10, 1926, its purpose being to encourage, and reward individual achievement in journalism.

The president is an advisor elected by vote of the whole Society. The country is divided into seven districts, each of which is represented by at least one officer. Chapters may meet in conjunction with state and sectional press conventions if they desire.

The Artesia Chapter of the Quill and Scroll Society has been a member since March 28, 1939.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Vandagriff have returned from Albuquerque, where Mr. Vandagriff had been at the Veterans' Hospital five weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Arba Green and their daughter, Mrs. R. M. Stinnett, have returned from Atlantic City, N. J., where they attended the national convention of the White Shrine of Jerusalem. On their way home they visited another daughter, Mrs. H. V. La Follette, and family at Athens, Ohio, and Mr. Green's sister, Miss Effie Green, at Alba, Mo.

J. W. Shildmeek left Monday for the Veterans' Hospital at Albuquerque.

Mrs. R. D. Wright, Sr., has returned from Albuquerque and has reported that her husband, who entered the Veterans' Hospital April 12, was operated on May 3, is doing as well as can be expected.

Mrs. George Connor went to Las Cruces Tuesday morning to visit her parents and to bring home her little daughter, Marlene, who has been visiting her grandparents.

Teachers College Catalogs List New Degrees

New Mexico State Teachers College catalogs for 1948-49, now coming off the press at the college print shop, show teaching degrees offered in 14 separate fields, according to Dr. H. W. James, president.

The latest department to be added is industrial arts, which was set up as a teaching major last fall. Students preparing to teach may now take degrees in the following fields: Arts and crafts, commerce, elementary education, health and physical education, home economics, English, Spanish, social science, mathematics, biology, chemistry, general science, industrial arts, and music. They may select minors in all these fields except elementary education, and also in history, economics, political science, geography, sociology, and psychology.

Dr. James pointed out that some of the most recently added departments, such as arts and crafts, industrial arts, and commerce, are those in which teachers are most in demand. "In those fields, as in music, women's physical education, and home economics, the teacher shortage is particularly acute," he said. "And therefore the pay is correspondingly high. However, salaries in the less usual fields have always been higher than average."

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A Salute to the GRADS of '48

Another milestone, and a big one... GRADUATION!

For years you've been working and hoping... and now you've reached it! Our heartiest congratulations, graduates of 1948! May you reach every milestone you set out for on the road of life!

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Paulin

GREETINGS



TO newspaper people the symbol "30" denotes the end of a story; but more than that, it has taken on a half-mystical aura as a term signifying the ending of anything. And there is another symbol that appears at the bottom of every page of a story except the last. It is simply the word "more."

Your formal education may be completed now. For some of you, undoubtedly it is. That's "30." But a new story is beginning—a yarn of continuing work, an expanding mind and viewpoint, a gathering of experience, responsibilities and increased knowledge. It will have many pages, and at the bottom of every one will be written "more... more... more..."

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You have just turned a page in the Book of Life. It is headlined in letters of gold, "Graduated from High School, 1948." It's a proud page, and we congratulate you!

... and, as your hopes take wings, may we voice our hope that the same spirit that has animated you to achieve this present success will carry you on to still greater accomplishments.



We Have a Confession to Make

to you 1948 graduates. We are a total failure when it comes to thinking up good advice for this great occasion, but we did collect a few good old bromides, viz.: "Hew to the line." "Shoulder to the wheel." "Nose to the grindstone." "Feet on the ground." "Eyes on a star."

If you will follow all of these you'll be a success without our advice. Anyway, all we wanted to do was to congratulate you and to wish you a full and happy life.



New Mexico Asphalt & Refining Co.

Leaders Of 4-H To Hold Short Course In June

The third annual 4-H leaders' short course will be held on the New Mexico A. & M. College campus at State College, June 9-12. Approximately 250 volunteer adult and junior leaders from all over New Mexico are expected to

Mosquito Control



Use of DDT, 2,4-D and other newly-developed weed killers is aiding efforts for mosquito control. Cost of some of the new insecticides, however, makes their use prohibitive on large mosquito breeding areas. Ditching and other more permanent methods still must be resorted to in those areas.

Photo, from the New Jersey agricultural experiment station, shows an aerosol fog generator used by a mosquito extermination commission.

Income From Poultry Increases in Nebraska

Sale of poultry and eggs has been accounting for 9 to 12 per cent of the cash farm income in Nebraska, according to figures compiled by J. H. Claybaugh, extension poultryman.

Yearly egg sales have been more than 50 million dollars and as high as 57 million for the past five years. Sales of poultry have averaged more than 20 million, reaching a peak of 27 million.

Research Seeks New Cattle Type in South

Development of a new type of dairy cattle especially suited to southern climatic conditions is the object of a new research project being undertaken by the U. S. department of agriculture and several southern experiment stations.

The project seeks to develop superior strains of dairy cattle by breeding and crossbreeding standard types now in use. Year-round grazing is sought for new strains

YOU'RE TELLING ME!

By WILLIAM RITT
Central Press Writer

AN ANNOUNCEMENT from New Jersey says that state plans to battle its mosquitoes with helicopters. Jerseyites are in for a puzzling time—for how can anyone distinguish between a Jersey skeeter and a 'copter?

Princess Elizabeth and Prince Philip have been made Knights of the Garter. For them, thinks Hoyt King, it must have been a snap.

The United States has imported the bones of seven moas, an extinct New Zealand bird. That seems moa than enough.

"A man is at his best in the fifties," says a noted medico. "Best? Why, he'd be sensational!" says the man at the

next desk who for the life of him has yet to break 80 on the golf course.

A group is urging that a woman's face be on dollar bills. Statistics show that the fair ones' fingers are on 80 per cent of 'em already.

High button shoes will try a comeback. But just wait until the girls find out what they do to fingernails!

An English swimming club is abandoning its symbol—the herring—because girl members' bathing suits are now too scanty to depict the emblem. Well, how about the minnow—or, better still, the guppie?

W. S. (Shelby) Moore, candidate for Probate Judge, respectfully solicits your vote.

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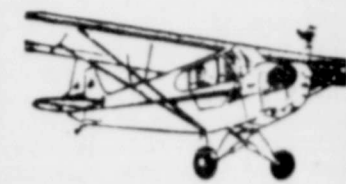


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This age of jet planes leaves us older folks a bit bewildered. It's up to you, graduates of 1948, to keep up with the swift pace of today. It means alertness, study, quick changes of pace... adaptability.

But whatever the future may hold, we're putting all our bets on you. We know you'll "take it in your stride," and to all of you, HAPPY LANDING!



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There is a place for you—and a need for you—in a chaotic and badly battered world. As you set out to find your niche, retain that lofty purpose and high resolve which have marked your high school career. Success in full measure will greet those who embark on their every task with "true faith and ready hands."

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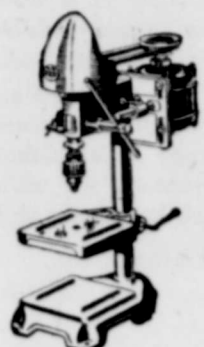
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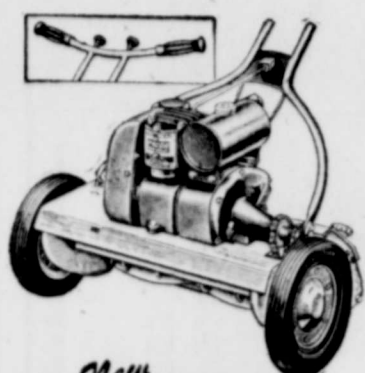
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'KISSING FOLSOM' ON HONEYMOON



ALABAMA'S GOVERNOR James E. (Kissing Jim) Folsom is shown with his 21-year-old bride, the former Jamelle Moore, at Panama City, Fla., where they are spending their honeymoon. (International Soundphoto)

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Bubonic Plague Found On Fleas East Of Capitan

The State Department of Public Health has received a report from the U.S. Public Health Service through its Plague Suppressive Laboratory in San Francisco that bubonic plague organisms were demonstrated to be present in fleas from wood rats trapped on April 15, about three miles east of Capitan, Lincoln County.

This is the first report of positive findings of bubonic plague in the rodents in New Mexico since as a result of the activities of the field crew sent into the state by the U.S. Public Health Service this year.

This crew is moving about from place to place in New Mexico and was expected to enter Northern Rio Arriba County as a result of a report from some residents in that area to the effect that last fall there was a heavy mortality among the prairie dogs in that region and that the prairie dog hills are this spring very heavily infested with fleas. Upon the State Department of Public Health calling attention of the field crew to this situation arrangements were made for an investigation in northern Rio Arriba County.

The State Department of Public Health again warns individuals that it is potentially dangerous to handle dead prairie dogs because the fleas which infest the prairie dogs could fairly easily infest the persons handling the dead animals. The Public Health Department very strongly advises all citizens not to handle prairie dogs, wood rats, pack rats, or, in fact, any wild rodent.

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Separate Pullets And Cockerels At Early Date

When chicks are 5 to 6 weeks old, or whenever one can easily distinguish the cockerels, it is time to separate the sexes. Remove the male birds and place them in a separate enclosure, finishing them off as broilers. Retain only those cock-

erels needed for breeding purposes.

Removal of the males gives the other birds additional room and eliminates crowding at the feed troughs. They will do better as a result. And the poultry raiser realizes a saving in feed costs.

Keep in flocks of medium and heavy breeds only one male to every 15 females. For Leghorns and other light breeds the ratio should be about one rooster to

every 20 hens. Keep the best cockerels for breeding stock. To pick the best males, here are some guide rules to follow:

High quality chicks are the cheapest in the long run.

Look for good feathering. Mark all chicks which have long pin feathers in their wings at hatching time or tail feathers at 10 days of age.

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YOU'RE TELLING ME!

By WILLIAM RITT Central Press Writer

A CALIFORNIA auto caught fire in a garage, the flames short-circuited the starter causing the car to back out of the garage, then short-circuited the horn causing it to blow and awaken the owner. These new models are wonderful - now they have 'em with built-in instincts of self-preservation.

Another thing April is noted for - it's the month when the weatherman never seems able to make up his mind.

In Illinois a man has owned a goldfish for 30 years. By now, says Grandpappy Jenkins, the critter ought to have earned some share of privacy.

Actor Adolphe Menjou predicts the return of the derby hat to popularity. If he's right, some enterprising genius should get busy at inventing a flexible auto top.

Onkel Choe Stalin failed to win Italy. However, Hoyt King postcards, he might still get the Italian boot.

At long last New York City will raise its subway rides from five to 10 cents. The city, it seems, has decided that a nickel is hardly fare.

Washington labor sources predict AFL and CIO will join forces in an anti-Commie world labor movement. Labor bigwigs can argue that, with the high cost of living, the worker is far enough in the red already.

Cotton Farmers To Receive Free News Service

Free classification and market news service will be available again this year to New Mexico cotton farmers in organized improvement groups, according to W. B. Lanham, manager, Western area cotton branch, U.S. Department of

Talks on Health



TALKING extemporaneously, President Truman is shown addressing the more than 800 medical and lay delegates to the National Health Assembly meeting in Washington. The President challenged them to "find some way to meet the health situation in this country" by bringing the unrivaled medical facilities of the U. S. within the reach of all the people. (International)

Agriculture's Production and Marketing Administration, Bakersfield, Calif.

Groups first must organize, adopt a variety of cotton, file application, arrange for sampling and meet other requirements to be eligible for these services. They are provided for under the Smith-Doxey Act.

Applications will be taken by either the El Paso cotton office in room 517 in the courthouse, or local county agricultural agents in New Mexico. They should be filed as soon as possible after all members have planted their cotton, but not later than July 15.

As it takes about 15 days to process applications and deliver supplies to sampling agencies, groups are urged to get their applications in by the goal date and well in advance of the ginning season. This will assure members full benefits from the services for all their crop, Lanham explained.

During the last season, seven improvement groups in the state, consisting of 4224 farmers, took advantage of free classification and market news services. They planted 153,907 acres and had 166,507 bales classed. In 1938, first year the Smith-Doxey Act was in operation, only 16,513 acres of improved varieties were planted and only 3149 bales classed, he said.

W. S. (Shelby) Moore, candidate for Probate Judge, respectfully solicits your vote.

18-6tp-23

OUR REGARDS



Commencement, as the name signifies, is not the end but the beginning—the beginning of a new adventure upon which you are about to embark. As you close the doors on your high school careers and journey forth on that new adventure, we wish for you all happiness and success.

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From where I sit... by Joe Mars

Roses and Beer

Three years ago, Lud Denny planted a hedge of multiflora roses around his upper pasture. Now he's got a fence that's rustproof, rotproof, and mighty handsome in the bargain.

Only thing is, Lud says, you have to keep checking it from time to time, and keep it trimmed of dead wood. Takes a bit of watching, but Lud figures that it's worth the trouble.

From where I sit, anything worth while takes a bit of watching. Taverns selling beer, for instance. Folks

who enjoy a moderate brew like beer want to do so in a place that's clean, orderly and honest. So under its program of "Regulation," the brewing industry checks every tavern periodically, and warns any that aren't up standard that they'd better do a bit of "trimming." And like Denny's fence, it works out most satisfactorily—for the brewer, the tavern keepers, and you!

Joe Mars

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Bon Voyage

We join with the entire community in bidding you, members of the Class of 1948, a fond farewell as you close the door on your high school career. Through your years of hard work and perseverance, you justly merit the award which is represented by your graduation.

Pleasant Sailing

That is our wish for you as you set sail on the Sea of Life. Whether you continue your education or seek employment, we know that you have the ability to navigate the uncharted waters which lie ahead. Steer a steady course and you ultimately will drop anchor in the Port of Success.

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GATHER 'ROUND, all you members of the graduating class, 'cause this message is for you! As is the case with any goal worth attaining, you had to work hard to reach this great milestone in your life, but the pride and elation you feel now at your achievement are compensation for those long and tedious hours of study.

As a member of this community, we wish to extend our heartiest congratulations to you for a job well done and to express the hope that your future continues to be as bright and promising as your past.



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 Sunday school, 10 a. m.
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 Eighth and Grand
 Bible study, 10 a. m.
 Preaching, 10:50 a. m.
 Evening service, 7:30 p. m.
 Ladies' Bible class, Wednesday,
 2:30 p. m.
 Mid-week service, Wednesday,
 7:30 p. m.
 Robert A. Waller, Evangelist

MALJAMAR BAPTIST CHURCH
 Church service, 11 a. m.
 Training Union, 6 p. m.
 Evening worship, 7 p. m.
 Wednesday service, 6:30 p. m.
 Rev. James Barton, Preacher

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 Church school, 9:45 a. m.
 Morning worship, 11 a. m.
 Senior Christian Endeavor, 7 p. m.
 Choir rehearsal, Wednesday,
 7:30 p. m.
 Women's Association, first and
 third Thursday, 2:30 p. m.
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 Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
 Sunday services, 11 a. m.
 Wednesday evening meeting,
 7:30 p. m.

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 Preaching, 10:50 a. m. and 7
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 The church school, 9:45 a. m.
 Worship service, 11 a. m.
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 ship, 5:30 p. m.
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 Children's church, 6:30 p. m.
 Evangelistic services, 7:30 p. m.
 Tuesday Bible study, 7:30 p. m.
 Wednesday, Women's Mission-
 ary Council, 2 p. m.
 Thursday, evangelistic service,
 7:30 p. m.
 A. E. Kelly, Pastor.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
 Corner Grand and Roselawn
 Bible school, 9:45 a. m.
 Morning worship, 10:50 a. m.
 Baptist Training Union, 7:00.
 Evening worship, 8:00.
 Wednesday service, 7:30 p. m.
 S. M. Morgan, Pastor

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

FREE PENTECOST CHURCH
 Morningside Addition
 Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
 Morning worship, 11 a. m.
 Evangelistic services, 7:30 p. m.
 Wednesday prayer meeting,
 7:30 p. m.
 Rev. W. F. Willis, Pastor

CHURCH OF GOD
 Seventh and Chisum
 Sunday school, 10 a. m.
 Morning worship, 11 a. m.
 Evening services, 7:30 p. m.
 Wednesday prayer meeting, 7:30
 p. m.
 Young People's Endeavor, Fri-
 day, 7:30 p. m.

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

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH
 (Missouri Synod)
 Services at 11 o'clock each Sun-
 day morning at St. Paul's Episco-
 pal Church.
 Rev. J. Hartmeister, Pastor

LOCO HILLS BAPTIST CHURCH
 Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
 Preaching, 11 a. m.
 Training Union, 7 p. m.
 Preaching service, 8 p. m.
 Midweek service Wednesday,
 7:30 p. m.
 J. Roy Haynes, Pastor.

BETHEL BAPTIST CHURCH
 Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.
 Morning services, 11 a. m.
 B.T.U., 5:30 p. m.
 Evening services, 7:30 p. m.
 Wednesday prayer meeting, 7:30
 p. m.
 J. H. Horton, Pastor.
 Mrs. Flora Mosely, Clerk.

Free Bulletins On Ranching May Be Obtained

If interested in the problems of cattle ranching, livestock raisers of these free bulletins, prepared by livestock specialists of the New Mexico Experiment Station by writing to County Agent Dallas Rierson at Carlsbad.

Press Bulletin 1004, "Effect of Age on Weight and Production of Range Cows," explains how the close correlation between weights of calf and of cow suggest the relationship of production to nutri- tion.

Press Bulletin 957, "Beef Production and Profits from Grazing Yearling Cattle on Southeastern New Mexico Cattle Ranches," out- lines studies made in comparison of running calves and yearlings and the possible income from the two methods of operation.

Bulletin 332, "Combining Ranching in Southeastern New Mexico," compares the advantages of straight cattle ranching with straight sheep ranching and dual grazing of both sheep and cattle.

Bulletin 310, "Alfalfa Hay as the Roughage in Cattle Fattening Ra- tions," compares the use of first and third cuttings of alfalfa hay in the cattle rations. It also contains a list of carbonaceous roughages and grain supplements which may be fed along with alfalfa.

Bulletin 262, "Cottonseed Meal

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DEAR NOAH—ARE THE SKIES CLEARER OVER NEW YORK THAN LONDON BECAUSE NEW YORK HAS "SKY SCRAPERS"?
 TOM MILLER, MADISON, WISC.

DEAR NOAH—DOES THE ENGINEER ON A DONKEY ENGINE GET A KICK OUT OF HIS WORK?
 MRS. A. BOLLINGER, BUFFALO, N.Y.

SEND YOUR NOTIONS TO NOAH (Reprinted by King Features Syndicate, Inc.)

287, "Use of Calcium and Mineral Supplements," No. 282, "Seasonal Calcium and Phosphorus Require- ments," and No. 249, "Mineral Sup- plements for Cattle on Phosphorus Deficient Range," Nos. 331 and 292

deal with seasonal requirements and use. Bulletin 311, "Composition of Range Grasses and Browse," ex- plains the difference in feed value of various range grasses and browse at varying stages of maturity.

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City Is Asked To Extend Facilities By Pastor Group

The Artesia Ministerial Alliance has addressed a letter to Mayor Oren C. Roberts and members of the City Council to hasten the extension of sanitation, health, and utility facilities to the "neglected area." The letter, which was signed by Rev. Harry M. Wilson, secretary, reads:

"Members of the Artesia Ministerial Alliance have for a long time been gravely concerned about the situation in our city relating quite particularly to sanitation, health and utility facilities in North Artesia. At our most recent meeting the members were moved to pass a resolution calling upon the mayor and councilmen to extend every facility for comfortable and healthful living equally to every part of the city, and at the earliest time humanly possible.

"There was a feeling in the alliance that enlightened self-interest on the part of the remainder of the city and officials would be sufficient incentive to cause us to provide creature comforts, playgrounds, utilities, and all possible facilities and improvements for the 'neglected area' which other parts of the city enjoy. Humane treatment, democracy, and just plain good-will call for such a program to be consummated as early as possible.

"This is not said in any spirit of criticism of mayor or council. It is said out of sense of urgency however in consideration of the citizens encompassed in the boundaries here indicated."

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ard, Richard Buchanan, Don Stewart, Charles Johns, Enequina Dominguez, Carolyn Cox, Eileen Marshall, Eileen Marshall, Eva Alaniz, Thomas Wilcox, Eñodoro Guerrero. Attendance, Rosemary Stinnett, Limerie Grimalt, Linda McLean, Eugene Varner, Billy Savoie, Francis Snyder, Charles Pinson, Larry Brewton, Larry McCaw, Gerald Gore, Harry Shaw, Ann Easley, Fay Marie Tennant, Margaret Baca, Laura Savoie, Susanne Rigby.

Spelling, Donna Nelson, Kempton McQuay, Bobby Jo Hanson, Marion Simmons, Claire Collins, Beverly Boteler, Jenny Williams, Betty Lou Lee.

Co-operation, Meridith Smith, Charles Rowe, Truman Jones, Raymond Ripley, Jeanelle Blackburn, Janice Floyd, Mamie Murphy, Melvin Partlow, Nelson Moore, Gerald Wood, Gaye Patterson.

Effort and improvement, Sandra Buis, Donald Cullins, Truman Jones, Raymond Ripley, Joe Bert Carr, Mary Ella Norwood, Donna Jean Keith, Lee Barker, John Dewell, Lupe Flores, Roma Parrish, Frank Boyce.

Adaptability of new pupils, Opal Norris, Janeth Hill, Fritz Mottler, Douglas O'Dell, Mary Adams, Bulah Boyd, Carolyn Clark, Floyd Owen, Beverly Bryant, Billy Branson.

Scholarship, Claire Collins, Bobbie Jo Hanson, Dewana Berry, Ann Easley, Paula Hastings, Verna Pounds, Tillie Terrell, Eileen Marshall, Laura Lou Smith, Billy Vandeventer.

Principal Short expressed appreciation and thanks to parents of the pupils of Park School for their attendance at the "Recognition Day" exercises and for their co-operation during the school year.

Highway—

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up to the foot of McMillan Dam, and, from the information which we have at hand, it appears that the proposed highway crossing below the railroad bridge, which is just below McMillan Dam, would be approximately 2,000 feet in length. This, as you will see, would require a very costly bridge structure.

"I am arranging for a survey party to gather some additional information on this project, and I expect this party to get on this work within the next week. In the meantime, I hope that we will hear from the Reclamation Service, and that their reply is favorable. If such is the case, we are in a position to advance this project to construction in the very near future."

Morriset and Esterbrook desks and renew points at the Advocate.

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CHUTISTS RAIN DOWN ON KENTUCKY



THE SKY IS FILLED with some of the 2,200 airborne troops who made a mass jump over Camp Campbell, Kentucky. The maneuvers were the largest of this type carried out by the Army since the end of World War II. According to the statistics, the soldiers opened up more than 1,400,000 square feet of nylon fabric in the operation. (International Soundphoto)

New—

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expected to be ready by the June 31 deadline. The four-story monolithic concrete structure will be 615 feet long, with a total area of 180,000 square feet. Construction will be under VA supervision.

While termed an addition, the project actually will be a separate hospital unit, although under the same manager. The present tuberculosis unit of 150 beds will be joined to the new structure by a covered ramp. Tubercular patients will eat in large mess halls on the first floor of the new structure. Offices, chapel, recreation room, library will have accommodations on this floor. Laboratories and wards will be on the second floor, with additional wards on the third and fourth floors. Operating rooms will be on the top floor.

An unusual feature of the new unit will be the two bed wards instead of the larger units in most VA and service hospitals. There will be many single rooms and no wards will contain more than two beds.

Boundaries—

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covered barricade.

Further provisions permit the contractor or permit holder to use the entire sidewalk, or even part of the street. If he uses the entire sidewalk, a walk, with guardrails, having a minimum inside dimension of three feet must be built in the street adjacent to the sidewalk area.

On streets 40 feet wide but not 50 feet wide, 10 feet of the street area adjacent to the sidewalk area may be used, and on streets of 50 feet or more in width, 20 feet of street may be used. However, in each case a walkway at least three feet wide and with guardrails must be constructed.

Under the ordinance, fees for building permits are to be \$10 for buildings to cost \$1000 or less, and \$1 for each additional \$1000 or fraction thereof. The ordinance recites that a permit must be obtained before starting construction on any building or structure within the city.

A penalty of not more than \$50 is provided by the ordinance for each day's violation of the ordinance or any part.

The ordinance becomes effective five days after its publication today, which will be next Tuesday.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to our dear friends and neighbors for the lovely floral offerings and acts of kindness during the illness and death of our beloved husband, son and brother—Velma Floyd and Floyd family.

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Artesia—

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neighboring communities will visit Artesia Monday, May 31.

The famous rodeo stock of Beutler Brothers of Elk City, Okla., will be used at the rodeo, which will be in the high school stadium. The stock has been used at the New Mexico State Fair rodeo several years.

Chairman of the Elks rodeo committee is Floyd (Skipper) Rigdon, Carlsbad cowboy-publisher, who has directed the New Mexico State Fair rodeo the past eight years.

Gov. Thomas J. Mabry and many other dignitaries will be in Carlsbad for the two-day Western event. The governor will ride in the grand parade and grand entries.

Rodeo dances are scheduled for May 29, at which loving cups will be awarded for best set of whiskers, best dressed cowboy, and best dressed cowgirl, and on nights of June 4 and 5.

The Artesia Elks Lodge is giving full support to the Carlsbad rodeo, which will provide money for the school lunch fund, according to W. T. (Doc) Halderman, exalted ruler of the Artesia lodge.

In addition to the cowboy contests at the rodeo, there will be a flag race for girls and a barrel race for boys. The Carlsbad Elks are offering a prize of \$100 in each event. The contest is open to young riders of the Artesia area.

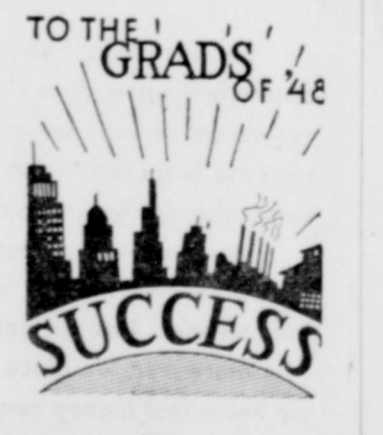
The Artesia school band has been extended an invitation to march in the grand parade.

CARD OF THANKS

The members of the senior play cast, "Arsenic and Old Lace," and the director, Miss Lois Nethery, wish to thank the Barnett, Key, and Williams furniture stores for their courtesy in lending furniture for the settings. They also wish to thank Mrs. Owen Hensley, Howard Gissler, Mrs. W. H. Settlemier, Mrs. C. E. Roach and others for their help with costumes and props.

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Three—

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SE NW 33-18-28. Drilling at 2485.

Danciger Oil & Refining Co., Turner 20-A, SE NE 19-17-31. Drilling at 1749.

Harvey E. Yates, Ohio-State 1, SE SW 13-18-28. Drilling at 1430.

Premier Petroleum Co., Beeson F-1, SW NE 33-17-20. Drilling at 2410.

E. J. McCurdy et al, Heard 3, NE SW 35-16-29. Total depth 2678; cleaning out after shot.

Rutter & Wilbanks, Hudson 1, SW NE 2-18-27. Total depth 1707; running casing.

Robert E. McKee, State 8, SE NW 19-18-28. Drilling at 1911.

Malco-Resler-Yates, State 91, SE NE 50-18-23. Drilling at 1460.

Paton Bros., Wright 1, SW NW NE 2-18-27. Drilling at 1400.

Barney Cockburn, Ramapo-State 1, NW SW SW 31-17-28. Total depth 1975; running tubing.

Weier Drilling Co., Gilbert 1-X, NE SW SW 7-18-27. Drilling at 1220.

Danciger Oil & Refining Co., Turner 28-B, SW NW NW 20-17-31. Drilling at 1710.

Burnham Oil Co., State 1-A, NW SW SE 36-17-27. Total depth 1791; shut down for orders.

John M. Shipley, Shipley 2, NW NW SE 3-17-29. Drilling at 1700.

A. S. Woolley, Parks 1, SW NE 10-17-30. Drilling at 2375.

American Republics Corp., Robinson 21-B, SE NE NE 27-17-29. Drilling at 1750.

David E. Saikin, Hudson 1, SW NW 31-17-28. Total depth 1538; preparing to run casing.

Grayburg Oil Co., Burch 16-A, NW SW 18-17-30. Drilling at 3154.

Malco-Resler-Yates, State 83, NE SE 33-18-28. Drilling at 2617.

Aston & Fair, State 1-Y, SE NW 31-17-28. Total depth 1925; testing.

D. M. Bassett, Kepple 1, SE SE SW 19-17-27. Drilling at 195.

Malco-Resler-Yates, State 93, NW NE NW 27-18-28. Drilling at 643.

V. S. Welch, Lackawanna-State 1, NE SE 30-18-28. Drilling at 650.

H. W. Snowden, Langford 2, NW SE SW 9-18-29. Drilling at 2629.

Leonard Oil Co., State 2, SW SW 2-19-29. Drilling at 40.

Harvey E. Yates, Yates 1, SW SE NE 6-20-27. Drilling at 218.

Nix & Yates, Yates 1, SW NE SE 31-20-29. Drilling at 605.

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Time Pieces Have Changed Greatly Cummins Says

In an interesting talk at the weekly Rotary Club luncheon Tuesday, Gurvis Cummins spoke on his profession of horology, or watch making, in which he reviewed the methods of keeping time by man since the earliest days of history.

At first, he said, they considered only the light and dark hours of the day, the phases of the moon, and the relative length of daylight and darkness for days, months, and years.

Then later sticks which cast shadows were used as the first sundials. Candles of certain size were burned, as were lengths of rope in which there were knots, to tell time.

Although it is not known who invented and made the first timepiece as known today which worked, the time has been set about the year 990 A. D. and the first cathedral clock of record was placed in St. Paul's Cathedral in 1286. A clock installed in Paris in 1379 is known to have run 500 years, he said.

Cummins said the first watch factory in the United States was started by Waltham in 1809, but that it was not successful until 1840. The Swiss were the people who actually put watch making into production, he said, and today they can and will build any type desired.

The speaker passed around for inspection a watch which is a combination timepiece, stop watch, and calendar.

At the conclusion of Cummins' talk, Rev. C. A. Clark told of a unique timepiece between Tucson and Phoenix, Ariz., in which for less than a minute each year the rays of the sun travel through a three-foot hole in the adobe wall and fall upon a maze. It is the only such timepiece known in the world, and the maze is one of three of its design known to modern man, one of which is 200 miles north and the third on the island of Crete. Timbers in the building in Arizona indicate by rings it was built about 1100.

Six Young Men Here Enlist For Service In Regular Army

M. Sgt. Preston Triplett, local recruiting officer, has announced six local boys have enlisted in the Regular Army.

Five of them, Bryant W. Black, Earl M. Coor, James D. House, Fred P. Chapman, and Olen R. Hinshaw, enlisted for duty with the First Cavalry Division, which is now stationed in Japan.

The sixth is Solon T. Hinshaw, who joined the ranks of the Corps of Engineers and who will be stationed in Alaska.

Sergeant Triplett said all of the young men will take their basic training at Fort Ord, Calif.

Hot-Rods Will Tear Around Veterans' Race Track Here Sunday

Eight or more racing cars are expected to take part in hot-rod races at the veterans' track at the municipal airport Sunday afternoon, under the auspices of the United Veterans Club.

The time trials are scheduled to start at 2:30 o'clock.

The track is in excellent shape this season and the races so far have been good ones and well attended.

Since the last race, the road from the highway to the track has been oiled, which will eliminate the dust which has been stirred up heretofore.

Eating—

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ordinance for violations.

The ordinance provides that itinerant restaurants shall be required to secure permits to operate. Such itinerant eating place would include those operated in connection with carnivals or similar itinerant organizations.

Mail—

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Patrons were requested by the postmaster to erect mail boxes at the curb, conveniently located to enable the carrier to serve boxes from a motor vehicle, and to place names on all the boxes, if the house numbers are not conveniently visible from the street. Patrons were further directed to have all mail addressed to the proper street and number.

The small size rural route box is recommended for use. Postmaster Truett said, and should be erected prior to July 1, at which time delivery will begin. Diligent care should be exercised to have all mail properly addressed he said, adding that co-operation by patrons residing in the described area will greatly assist in relieving a

KELLER IS NAMED DEMPSEY CHAIRMAN

News dispatches Wednesday said headquarters of the Dempsey-for-Senator organization at Santa Fe had announced I. C. Keller of Artesia has been named state chairman of the campaign of John J. Dempsey.

The organization said Keller will divide his time between headquarters and traveling about the state between now and the June 8 Democratic primary.

Arts Colony Director Will Be Here Monday To Explain About Camp

John Hopkins, camp director of the "Arts Colony of the Southwest," being founded at Ruidoso by Dr. Don MacKay, former president of Eastern New Mexico College at Portales, and his wife, Betty, will be at Artesia High School at 1:30 o'clock Monday afternoon to explain the camp to anyone interested.

The camp is to open Saturday, May 29, and will continue to Sept. 10, and will be divided into three sessions.

Work is to be provided not only in music and painting, but in a number of other arts as well.

'Arsenic And Old Lace' Production By Senior Class Is Successful

"Arsenic and Old Lace," which was presented by the seniors of Artesia High School Friday evening, was acclaimed one of the most successful plays to be presented by a senior class.

Carol Hensley, who carried the part of Aunt Martha, and Jerry Perry, who played the part of Jonathan Brewster, were recommended by teachers and others for

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NOTICE STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE... Application RA-1469, RA-1469-S and RA-2046 and RA-2046-S, Santa Fe, N. M., April 27, 1948.

place of use of 77.34 acre feet per annum of the shallow ground waters of the Roswell Artesian Basin by abandoning the irrigation of 25.78 acres of land described as follows:

above those set forth in Permits Nos. RA-1469, RA-1469-S, RA-2046 and RA-2046-S are contemplated under this application.

W. S. (Shelby) Moore, candidate for Probate Judge, respectfully solicits your vote.

Subdivision N 1/2 NE 1/4 SW 1/4, Section 17, Township 18 S., Range 26 E., Acres 9.31. Subdivision NW 1/4 NW 1/4 SE 1/4, Section 17, Township 18 S., Range 26 E., Acres 1.18.

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 approval of said application.

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No additional rights over and

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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.

William C. Gray, Nellie G. Smith, Sarah A. Thomas, David N. Gray, the unknown heirs of Eddie C. Gray, deceased, and all unknown persons claiming any lien upon or right, title or interest in or to the estate of Eddie C. Gray, deceased, and to whom it may concern, GREETING:

IN THE PROBATE COURT IN AND FOR EDDY COUNTY, STATE OF NEW MEXICO. IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF EDDIE C. GRAY, DECEASED.

Notice is further given that by Order of Honorable Xury White, Probate Judge of Eddy County, New Mexico, the 21st day of June, 1948, at 10:00 O'clock A.M. at the Court Room of the Probate Court at Carlsbad, Eddy County, New Mexico, has been fixed as the day, time and place set for hearing to determine the heirship of said decedent, the interest of each re-

NOAH NUMSKULL cartoon with a ham and a radio operator.

Notice is hereby given that a Petition has been filed by David N. Gray, alleging that Eddie C. Gray died intestate in Eddy County, New Mexico, on or about May 28, 1937, and no administration has been had upon his estate and that said decedent owned real property at the time of his death consisting of the following described lands in Eddy County, New Mexico, to-wit:

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pective claimant thereto or therein and the persons entitled to the distribution thereof and also to determine the amount, if any, of succession taxes due the State of New Mexico.

division, Part SW 1/4 SE 1/4 SW 1/4; Section 29, Township 16 S.; Range 26 E.; Acres 1.5.

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.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of said Court this 30th day of April, 1948.

No additional rights over and above those set forth in Permit No. RA-1527 are contemplated under this application which is made solely to correct description of well and lands irrigated.

John H. Bliss, State Engineer 19-3t-21

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF EDDY COUNTY, STATE OF NEW MEXICO. IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF GEORGE W. HEGGIE, DECEASED.

Appropriation of water from all combined sources to be limited at all times to a maximum of 3 acre-feet per acre per annum delivered upon the land.

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NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT OF ADMINISTRATOR

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 approval of said application.

WALTER R. RYAN P.O. Box 1168 Roswell, N. M.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned was on the 30th day of April, 1948, appointed Administrator of the estate of George W. Heggie, Deceased, by the Honorable Xury White, Probate Judge of Eddy County, New Mexico.

Therefore, all persons having any claim or claims against said estate are notified to file the same with the County Clerk of Eddy County, New Mexico, as provided by law, within six months from the date of first publication of this Notice, to-wit: the 6th day of May, 1948, or the same will be barred.

LOOSE LEAF DEVICES AT THE ADVOCATE

STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE Number of Application RA-1527, Santa Fe, N. M., April 29, 1948.

Notice is hereby given that on the 26th day of April, 1948, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, L. T. Lewis of Roswell, County of Chaves, State of New Mexico, made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a permit to change location of well and place of use of 138.3 acre-feet of the shallow groundwaters of the Roswell Artesian Basin from well authorized at a point in the SW 1/4 SW 1/4 SW 1/4 of Section 29, Township 16 South, Range 26 East for the irrigation of 46.1 acres of land described as follows:

RED-HOT HOT-ROD Automobile RACES VETERANS' TRACK - ARTESIA (At Municipal Airport) SUNDAY, MAY 23, 1948 Time Trials Start at 2:30 p.m.

Subdivision, Part E 1/2 SE 1/4 SW 1/4; Section 29; Township 16 S.; Range 26 E.; Acres 15.0. Subdivision, Part S 1/2 SW 1/4 SW 1/4; Section 29; Township 16 S.; Range 26 E.; Acres 11.1. Sub-

ADMISSION Children 50c Adults \$1.00 Tax Included

SPONSORED BY United Veterans Club

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned was on the 30th day of April, 1948, appointed Administrator of the estate of George W. Heggie, Deceased, by the Honorable Xury White, Probate Judge of Eddy County, New Mexico.

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USDA Announces Wool Support Prices For 1948

The U. S. Department of Agriculture has adjusted its prices for 1948 clip wool, as required by law, to levels which will assure producers an average price equal to that received in 1946. The changes are designed to offset higher marketing costs and to maintain normal differentials between graded wools. The effective date of these changes was April 1. All wool appraised or reappraised for purchase on and after this date will be subject to the new price schedule.

Support prices for all 1948 clip shorn wools, except "off wools," are increased by a cent a pound, clean basis. This change is designed to compensate for higher freight rates on wool.

In addition, all graded shorn wools of average French combing or better, including fine to quarter-blood wools, will be 1 to 2 cents a pound higher; scoured wools will be 3 cents a pound higher; and best and average 8-month and fall Texas wools will be one cent a pound higher, clean basis.

The upward adjustment in fine and half-blood grades is designed to encourage grading before such

wools are offered to the Commodity Credit Corporation. The change in quarter-blood grades is intended to maintain the historical relationship between prices for fine staple and three-eighths and quarter-blood staple. The price change for scoured wool is intended as an incentive for scouring wools before purchase by CCC. Increases in the prices of Texas wools were allowed to adjust prices of those "specialty" wools in line with adjustments for other wools.

Similar increases of 1 cent per pound, clean basis, will be made in the purchase prices for pulled wool, with 2 cents per pound, clean basis, added for certain grades of worsted type pulled wools.

With these changes, Department officials point out that growers should receive support prices for 1948 wool equal to the prices they received for the 1946 clip. The average price for wool in 1946 was 42.3 cents a pound, grease basis, and for 1947 it was 42 cents a pound.

No other changes are contemplated in the operation of the support program for 1948 wool at this time. As in the past, approved wool handlers will act as agents of the Commodity Credit Corporation in making the purchases and in handling the wool.

Virginia Green Returns to School

By Billie Norrid
(From Artesia High Beacon)

Virginia Green, who has not been in school, since last September because of injury to her legs, is now back with us again.

Although Virginia has been out of school, she has kept up her scholastic standing, by studying: Geometry, Spanish and English. Mr. Farham, Mrs. Rice and Mr. Bramlett have been tutoring her. Virginia will be a senior next year.

The new law increases benefits to GI Bill trainees by raising pay ceilings, establishing new criteria for computing income for produc-

any restaurant fails to qualify for any of these grades, the health officer is authorized to suspend the permit or in lieu thereof to degrade the restaurant and permit its operation during a temporary period not exceeding thirty (30) days.

Section 3: Any person, firm or corporation violating any provisions of this Ordinance shall upon conviction be punished by a fine of not less than Ten (\$10.00) dollars nor more than Fifty (\$50.00) dollars.

Section 4: No restaurant shall be issued an Occupation License until the proposed location and sanitary facilities have been inspected and approved by the Health Officer.

Section 5: All Ordinances and parts of Ordinances in conflict with this Ordinance are hereby repealed; and this Ordinance shall take effect five (5) days after its adoption and publication.

PASSED, ADOPTED AND APPROVED this 12th day of May, A.D. 1948.

ORDINANCE NO. 112

AN ORDINANCE TO REGULATE THE INSPECTION, GRADING, REGARDING, AND PLACING OF EATING AND DRINKING ESTABLISHMENTS, THE ISSUING, SUSPENSION, AND REVOCATION OF PERMITS FOR THE OPERATION OF SUCH ESTABLISHMENTS, THE ENFORCEMENT OF THIS ORDINANCE, AND THE FIXING OF PENALTIES, AND PROHIBITING THE SALE OF ADULTERATED, MISBRANDED OR UNWHOLESALE FOOD AND DRINK.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE City Council of the City of Artesia, New Mexico, as follows:

Section 1: The inspection, grading, regarding and placing of eating and drinking establishments within the City of Artesia, New Mexico, or its police jurisdiction, the issuing, suspension, and revocation of permits for the operation of such establishments, the sale of adulterated, misbranded, or unwholesome food and drink, the enforcement of this Ordinance, and the fixing of penalties shall be regulated in accordance with the terms of the unabridged form of the 1943 edition of the U. S. Public Health Service Ordinance Regulating Eating and Drinking Establishments, a certified copy of which shall be on file in the office of the City Clerk; Provided, That the words "city of" in said Public Health Service Ordinance shall be understood to refer to the City of Artesia, New Mexico; Provided further, That in said ordinance all parentheses signs which enclose words referring to grading shall be understood to be deleted; Provided further, That sections 7, 12, and 13 of said Public Health Ordinance shall be replaced, respectively, by Sections 2, 3, and 4 below; Provided further, That in Section 2 of said Ordinance, itinerant restaurants shall be required to secure a permit.

Section 2: From and after thirty (30) days from the date on which this ordinance takes effect no restaurants shall be operated within the City of Artesia, New Mexico, or its police jurisdiction, except grade A, grade B, or approved itinerant restaurants; Provided, That when

CITY OF ARTESIA, NEW MEXICO
Oren C. Roberts
Mayor

ATTEST:
T. H. Ragsdale
City Clerk
(Seal) 21-1t

Classified

For Sale
FOR SALE—Ownership maps—Chaves County
Set up by Townships—
Loose Leaf Bindings—
T9S-R22E to 27E
T14S-R22E to 27E
T15S-R22E to 24E
Showing federal and state lands.
Clarence E. Fischbeck,
509 W. Main St.—Phone 475 22-tfc

FOR SALE—One 129-foot steel erick and nine-foot steel sub-structure, timbers and matting boards, floor sills, and flooring Cheap. J. C. Gorvey, Box 247, Eunice, N. M. phone 108. 18-4tp-21

FOR SALE—350-Watt, 110-120-Volt, Fairbanks-Morse Onan light plant, practically new, used about 10 hours. Remote starter control. S. W. Blocker, Blocker's Electric Shop, phone 47-J. 18-tfc

WHY BUY your records out of town? The Roselawn Record Shop has the most complete stock in the Valley. 30-tfc

FOR SALE—Six-room house with 15 acres irrigated land, close in. See O. J. Carson, 118 S. Roselawn. 14-tfc

FOR SALE—Farms and residences. \$3000 and up. Donald W. Teed, phone 143 or 492-J. 47-tfc

FOR SALE—One used Woodstock typewriter, good condition. Artesia Abstract Co. 51-tfc

FOR SALE—Washinghouse, 25-horsepower, three-phase 1160 RPM motor. This motor rebuilt and is in first class condition. Inquire at Carper Drilling Co. 8-tfc

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. My business trucking the public. 33-tfc

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

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Real estate sales, loans. City and suburban homes. Farms, ranches, businesses. Tourist courts, apartments. Insurance, fire, auto, and life. 105 Roselawn Phone 47-W 10-tfc

FOR SALE—Six-room modern house located at 705 Chisum. See W. C. Wilcox at same address. 18-4tp-21

FOR SALE—Home plus excellent building site on corner lot, 606 S. Third St. 19-3tc-21

FOR SALE—Frigidaire. Call Charles R. Martin. 20-2tp-21

Stop worrying about that old weak battery, install a new Delco or US battery at—
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Your Pontiac Dealer 20-tfc

FOR SALE—Howard piano, \$185; kitchen cabinet, \$35; electric washing machine, \$25; bedroom suite, \$35; two overstuffed chairs, \$10 each; two end tables, \$1 each; library table, \$10; Superflex porcelain enamel oil heater, barrel and rack, \$25; dining table, \$10; and other items. By single piece or all. Go west on Grand Avenue to Cowan St., then north to next to last house. Jesse F. Cook. 20-2tp-21

Did you know that you can have your motor overhauled, body repaired and painted, buy tires and accessories of all kinds on a G.M.A.C. budget plan? Let us explain.
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FOR SALE—New three-room modern house and garage, hardwood floors throughout, plenty of built-ins, two and one-half large lots, one-horse electric pressure pump, concrete drive-in and sidewalks. Good quiet street, six blocks west of high school. Immediate possession. Go west on Grand Avenue to Cowan St., then north to next to last house. Jesse F. Cook. 20-2tp-21

Auto awning for any make auto, three attractive colors. Let us install a set today.
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Your Pontiac Dealer. 20-tfc

FOR SALE—70-acre farm, well improved, two irrigation wells, fit for chicken ranch, located five miles on highway south of Artesia. See owner, S. A. Shults. 20-2tp-21

FOR SALE—Complete electric equipment for cabinet shop. Phone 422-W. 20-tfc

FOR SALE—Good small modern dwelling, reasonable price, \$1600 cash, balance \$26.90 per month at 4 per cent interest. E. A. Hannah Agency, 105 Roselawn. 20-tfc

That famous Fulton sunshield painted to match your car and installed for only \$29.95.
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Your Pontiac Dealer 20-tfc

FOR SALE—Kranich and Bach baby grand piano, at once \$16 S. Fourth, phone 187. 20-2tp-21

FOR SALE—One case tractor. See Robert Waller, or phone 396-J2. 20-tfc

FOR SALE—Thousands of feet of good rough lumber, all dimensions. Marble Lumber Co. Hope, phone 79. 20-tfc

FOR SALE—House with four rooms and bath, 908 S. Second St. See owner at 310 S. Fourth St. Mrs. Mobie Balsmo. 20-3tp-22

FOR LEASE—Lano cafe, doing good business but closing because of ill health. Lano cafe, Hope, New Mexico. 20-tfc

FOR SALE—Good used late model Culbransen spinet piano, walnut case. Ginsberg Music Co., 205 N. Main, Roswell, N. M. 21-4tc-24

FOR SALE—Bale ties, Golden Arrow sweeps, cotton chopping hoes, one new side-delivery rake. Artesia Implement & Supply. 21-1tc

FOR SALE—Windmill and tank, 50 feet galvanized pipe, and one large doghouse and fence. 1209 Dallas. 21-2tp-22

FOR SALE—Four-room house with bath, furnished or unfurnished. S. Second, phone 734-J. 21-1tc

Trade your old used tires for a set of life time guaranteed Fisk tires. We will pay you for the unused miles, buy on G.M.C. budget plan.
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FOR SALE—One new three-ton WKA Dodge truck, Keeth Gas Co., phone 2941, Hagerman, N. M. 21-2tc-22

FOR SALE OR TRADE—1941 Ford coach, good condition. Also well located building and lot in Lovington. Would trade for Artesia property. C. C. Smith, Box 713, phone 603-J. 21-1tp

FOR SALE—Baby electric washer, Handy-Hot. Also have violin, 112 922 S. Second, phone 793-R. 21-1tp

FOR SALE—John Deere pick-up baler and trailers; 1945 Chevrolet truck with stock rack. See E. T. Ashby or H. E. Ansley, or call 506-M or 334. 21-1tp

FOR SALE OR TRADE—G.M.C. truck, dual wheels, 8.25x20 tires front and rear, also Chevrolet sedan, good rubber. 404 E. Chisum. 21-2tp-22

Let us install a set of Arthur Fuller deluxe seatcovers, high quality covers at reasonable prices. Tailored to fit any make of car.
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Your Pontiac Dealer 20-tfc

Miscellaneous
LAWNMOWERS SHARPENED—Electrical appliances repaired. We deliver. Maytag Artesia Co., 518 W. Main, phone 978-W. 20-1tc

MONEY TO LOAN—On improved Artesia property, low interest rate, convenient repayment terms. E. A. Hannah, agent for Chaves County Building & Loan Association, of Roswell, New Mexico. Phone 47-W, 105 South Roselawn. 20-3tc-22

GET YOUR RADIO SERVICES at the Roselawn Record Shop. All work guaranteed. 30-tfc

FARMERS—For land plane, carry-all, bulldozer, sub-soiler, grubbing work, etc. contact Max Jensen, contractor, Rt. 1, Box 333, Roswell, N. M. 17-tfc

JOHN A. MATHIS, SR., AND JR.—Fire, casualty, and life insurance. Phone 591-M. 29-tfc

HAVE PROSPECTIVE purchasers for two or three-bedroom house, priced reasonably. Donald Teed, phone 143 or 492-J. 42-tfc

Wanted

WANTED—Housekeeper, white girl or woman preferred. Salary, board and room. Mrs. C. R. Cunningham, 406 W. Grand, phone 211. 2tc-21

WANTED—I cover button buckles, belt complete, make button holes, shoulder pads, and have nail heads for sale. Mrs. J. W. Shildneck, 812 West Grand, phone 498-W. 33-tfc

WANTED—To do concrete in or out of Artesia. See lo Alvarez, 908 W. Grand, 15-tfc

WANTED TO BUY OR LEASE Small spudder machine 1000 to 1500 feet. Box 622, 21 or 377, Roswell, N. M. 15-tfc

FOR RENT—Room in home. Gentleman only. West Grand or phone 150. 15-tfc

FOR RENT—Two-room house two-room apartment, furnished. Oasis Station, phone 6188-BL. 15-tfc

FOR RENT—Small apartment. Phone 734-J, 112 S. Second. 21-tfc

FOR RENT—Large studio apartment with kitchenette, private entrance 506 Dallas. 21-tfc

FOR RENT—Two two-room apartments. Castleberry Courts. 21-tfc

NOTICE—If you want to do that's your business. If you want to stop drinking, start your business. Alcoholics Anonymous. Box 245, phone 41. 21-tfc



YOU'RE IN THE BIG GAME NOW and the ball is in your hands! We in the home team rooting section will be watching the signals with eager eyes and cheering your every gain toward that goal line for a touchdown of success.

Guy Tire & Supply Co.
VAN SWERINGEN, Manager
101 S. First Phone 920



EVER ONWARD, EVER UPWARD!
Your graduation from high school marks another milestone in your climb up the ladder of success. May we offer our most sincere congratulations on your achievement. We are proud of the fact that our services may have been helpful, even in small measure, in aiding you in the attainment of your goal, and we trust that we may continue to serve you in the future.

POUNDS Food Store
BEST IN SERVICE PLENTY OF PARKING SPACE BEST IN QUALITY
601 W. MAIN ARTESIA, N. MEXICO

COMPLIMENTS

CLASS of '48

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TAKE A BOW!

Stand up, Graduates of 1948, and take a bow! We're all clapping for you, cheering and whistling! You've done it, and we're mighty proud of all of you. Need we say that we wish you all the luck in the world?

The Westerner
George Akins
"It Pays to Play"



We Have a Confession to Make
to you 1948 graduates. We are a total failure when it comes to thinking up good advice for this great occasion, but we did collect a few good old bromides, viz: "Hew to the line." "Shoulder to the wheel." "Nose to the grindstone." "Feet on the ground." "Eyes on a star."
If you will follow all of these you'll be a success without our advice. Anyway, all we wanted to do was to congratulate you and to wish you a full and happy life.

Watches Jewelry Diamonds
Men's Accessories Rings Fountain Pins

Cummins House of Time
Booker Bldg. Phone 342-W

ORDINANCE NO. 111
ORDINANCE AMENDING
ORDINANCE NO. 195 OF THE
TOWN OF ARTESIA, AS
ENDED, TO CREATE AND
FINE AN INNER FIRE
NE DISTRICT IN THE CITY
ARTESIA, NEW MEXICO,
AND TO PROVIDE REQUIRE-
MENTS FOR THE CONSTRUCTION
OF BUILDINGS AND
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FIRE ZONE AND TO PROVIDE
FOR CONSTRUCTION OF
BUILDINGS WITHIN THE
CITY OF ARTESIA, NEW MEX-
ICO AND REGULATE THE USE
OF PORTIONS OF THE
STREETS AND SIDEWALKS
IN CONSTRUCTION.
BE IT ORDAINED by the City

Council of the City of Artesia, New Mexico, as follows:
 Section 1: That Ordinance No. 195 of the Town of Artesia is hereby repealed as to all provisions hereinafter set out in conflict with Ordinance No. 111.
 Section 2: That there is hereby created in the City of Artesia, New Mexico an Inner Fire Zone, composed of the following:
 On Main Street to the alley north and south of Main Street from the intersection of the east line of Section 17, Township 17 South, Range 26 East, N.M.P.M., with Main Street on the east to Sixth Street on the west;
 On Texas Street to the alley north and south of Texas Street from First Street to Sixth Street;

On Quay Street to the alley north and south of Quay Street from all construction of buildings and structures in said Inner Fire Zone, on and after effective date of this Ordinance, shall be in accordance herewith. This Ordinance shall apply to new construction for business purposes on Quay Street from Fifth Street to Sixth Street to the alley north and south of Quay.
 Section 3: New buildings or structures constructed in the Inner Fire Zone after the effective date of this Ordinance shall be built of the materials necessary to conform to the fire restrictive standards set forth in Chapters 42 and 43, Part VIII, of the Uniform Building Code of the State of New Mexico, and as outlined below, to wit:
 Fire protection of structural parts—3 hours.
 Fire resistive exterior, load-bearing or party walls—3 hours.
 Fire resistive interior, load-bearing partitions not enclosing fuel burning equipment, and one story only—2 hours.
 Fire resistive partition walls enclosing fuel burning equipment, one story only—4 hours.
 All partition walls in structures over one story—3 hours.
 Fire resistive floors—3 hours.
 Fire resistive roof and ceiling construction—1 hour.
 All parapet walls on one hour resistive roof shall extend at least 3 feet above the roof and be reinforced with 2 horizontal layers of steel reinforcing, 18 inches apart vertically in the masonry, except solid brick parapet walls.
 Doors and windows, all exterior openings in the rear or sides, except those facing streets, shall have underwriters approved fire doors and shutters.
 All multiple story buildings shall have enclosed stairways with 4 hour fire resistive walls on all sides and underwriters approved fire resistive doors.
 Roof covering shall be of tar and gravel or equivalent of fire retarding value of 15.
 Section 4: Any existing frame building that may hereafter be damaged by fire, decay or otherwise damaged to an amount more than one-fourth (1/4) of its value, as appraised by a board of three competent appraisers selected by the City Council, shall not be repaired, remodeled, altered or reconstructed, but shall be removed.
 Section 5: Any extension or addition to existing structures or buildings shall be made in accordance with requirements hereinabove set forth in the Inner Fire Zone area, and exterior walls rebuilt shall meet the requirements herein for any new building or structure. Provided, however, that existing second floor joists may be allowed to remain.
 Section 6: The Uniform Building Code of the State of New Mexico is hereby adopted by the City of Artesia for all constructions to which said building code applies within the City of Artesia.
 Section 7: In all fire zone areas in the City of Artesia, New Mexico, building contractors or other persons holding a building permit may use, for storage of materials and equipment, the following areas, to wit:
 (a) One-half (1/2) of the sidewalk adjoining the building lot, provided the remaining one-half is protected by a covered barricade.
 (b) All of the sidewalk area adjoining the building lot, provided

ed a walk with guard rails on both sides is constructed in the street adjacent to the sidewalk area to be used with walk way, to have a minimum inside dimension of three (3) feet.
 (c) On streets at least 40 feet wide but not 50 feet in width, 10 feet of the street area immediately adjoining the building lot; and all streets 50 feet in width or over, not to exceed 20 feet immediately adjoining the building site, with walkway and guard rails around such storage at least three (3) feet in width.
 (d) No rubbish or debris shall be permitted to remain in said working space, and nothing shall be placed therein except material and equipment necessary for the work and rubbish and debris and material not to be used shall be promptly removed.
 Section 8: All persons desiring to construct, alter, repair, or rebuild any building or structure in the City of Artesia shall make application for a building permit upon forms provided by the City, and shall set forth in said application the principal materials to be used, the dimensions of the structure to be constructed, and the approximate cost thereof. Fees for building permits shall be \$10.00 for buildings or structures to cost \$1000.00 or less, and \$1.00 for each additional \$1,000.00, or fraction thereof, above the sum of \$1,000.00. Upon completion of any building or structure, the contractor or owner may be required by the building inspector to pay any additional amount necessary to make up the proper fee for the building permit.
 Structures hereafter commenced without permit or contrary to the provisions of the Ordinance, shall not be completed or occupied until building permit is obtained or violation of this Ordinance is remedied. The contractor, owner or other person performing the construction, shall keep a copy of the plans and specifications on the property at all times during working hours, which shall be open for inspection of the building inspector.
 Section 9: No contractor, person, firm or corporation shall commence the construction of any new building or structure, or the remodeling, repairing, altering or reconstruction of any existing building or structure in the City of Artesia without first obtaining a building permit, as herein required, and each days violation shall be considered a separate offense.
 The City Clerk shall issue with each permit, a notice for posting, stating that a building permit has been issued by the City of Artesia;

and the contractor, person, firm or corporation constructing any new building or repairing, remodeling or altering any existing structure shall post such notice in a conspicuous place at the location of the work.
 Section 10: Any contractor, person, firm or corporation violating this Ordinance, or any part or portion thereof, shall be fined in any sum not exceeding \$50.00, and each days violation of this Ordinance, or any part thereof, shall be considered a separate offense.
 Section 11: This Ordinance shall be published once in the Artesia Advocate, and shall be in full force and effective five (5) days after its publication.
PASSED, ADOPTED AND APPROVED this 12th day of May, A.D., 1948.
 CITY OF ARTESIA, NEW MEXICO
 Oren C. Roberts
 Mayor
ATTEST:
 T. H. Ragsdale
 City Clerk
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Coffee	Ground fresh when you buy	53c
Margarine	Folgers, Hills, or Maxwell House... 1-lb. can	39c
Grapefruit Juice	46-oz. Can	19c
Pickles	American Dill or Spicy... 12-oz. jar	25c
Orange Juice	Full O'Gold 46-oz. can	19c
Vienna Sausage	Libby's No. 2... 1-lb. can	14c
Spinach	Emerald Bay No. 2 can	9c
Dog Food	Champ brand No. 1 can	28c
Black Tea	Canterbury 4-oz. pkg.	35c
Peanut Butter	Real Roast 1-lb. jar	25c
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NOTICE OF PROPOSED IMPROVEMENTS OF CERTAIN STREETS, AVENUES AND ALLEYS WITHIN THE CITY OF ARTESIA, NEW MEXICO, AND OF THE TIME AND PLACE OF A HEARING AS TO THE PROPRIETY AND ADVISABILITY OF MAKING SUCH IMPROVEMENTS, AS TO THE COST THEREOF, AS TO THE MANNER OF PAYMENT THEREOF, AND AS TO THE AMOUNT THEREOF TO BE ASSESSED AGAINST THE PROPERTY SO IMPROVED.

TO THE PROPERTY OWNERS, AND TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: You are hereby notified as follows: That, on February 27, 1948, the City Council of the City of Artesia, New Mexico determined that the interests of the City required that certain streets, avenues, alleys and intersections within the said City should be graded, paved and otherwise improved, with the cost of such improvements to be assessed against the owners of the property abutting on said streets, avenues, alleys and intersections.

Pavement to be six inch gravel base with a two inch asphaltic wearing surface, or a double penetration asphaltic wearing surface. Curb and gutters to be concrete. Alley pavement to be Portland Cement Concrete.

That Classen and Rowland, engineers for the City, have fully complied with all of the requirements and have prepared and presented estimates, plans and specifications for said improvements to the City Council of the City of Artesia, all of which were accepted, approved and ordered filed in the office of the City Clerk, reference to which is specifically made and the same made a part hereof as if set forth at length herein.

That the total estimated cost of improving said streets, avenues, alleys and intersections is \$274,792.25, and it is proposed to assess the cost of improving said streets, avenues, alleys and intersections against the owners of property abutting thereon.

That it is proposed to permit the assessments for said improvements to be paid in full within thirty (30) days after completion and acceptance of said improvements or to require the assessments for said improvements to be paid in five (5) installments, the first of which shall be due and payable on or before sixty (60) days after the publication of an Ordinance levying such assessments, and one installment shall be due and payable on the same day of each year thereafter until all of said installments are paid in full. Unpaid assessments and deferred installments will bear interest from the date the assessing Ordinance becomes effective at the rate of six per cent (6%) per annum, payable semi-annually.

That the property proposed to be assessed for such improvements is described as follows:

OWNERSHIP FOR PROPOSED PAVING

Name of Street	Addition	Block No.	Lot No.	Owner	Assessment	Property	Assessor	Address	Assessment	Property	Assessor	Address
Washington Forest Hill		17	16	J. G. Kimbell	56	3 Eva Brown	Osburn	Keller & Ragsdale	15	Walter Loy Crouch	Chisum	Fairview
Washington Forest Hill		17	14	Oral L. Lusk and Zanna Filbert Lusk	56	1 Burch Spencer	Osburn	Keller & Ragsdale	17	N. T. Kelley	Chisum	Fairview
Washington Forest Hill		17	12	J. W. Isaacs	52	12 Paul Terry	Osburn	Keller & Ragsdale	19	Maye Harmon	Chisum	Robert
Washington Forest Hill		17	10	J. W. Isaacs	52	10 Paul Terry	Osburn	Keller & Ragsdale	21	Mrs. T. E. Evans	Chisum	Robert
Washington Forest Hill		17	8	Medford Earl Hancox and Nellie May Hancox	52	8 Marion W. Meacham	Osburn	Keller & Ragsdale	23	N. H. Cabot	Chisum	Robert
Washington Forest Hill		17	6	Jack Jones	52	6 Mary E. Dowell	Osburn	Keller & Ragsdale	25	V. L. Kaiser	Chisum	Robert
Washington Forest Hill		17	4	James M. Hall	52	4 Mary E. Dowell	Osburn	Keller & Ragsdale	2	6 Board of Education	Chisum	Robert
Washington Forest Hill		17	2	James M. Hall	52	2 Mary E. Dowell	Osburn	Keller & Ragsdale	4	30 ft. of	Chisum	Robert
Washington Forest Hill		20	8	J. E. Walters	52	11 Laura E. Mullikin	Quay	Forest Hill	2	7 Mrs. E. G. Woods	Chisum	Robert
Washington Forest Hill		20	7	J. E. Walters	52	9 Laura E. Mullikin	Quay	Forest Hill	2	7 Mrs. E. G. Woods	Chisum	Robert
Washington Forest Hill		20	6	Thomas J. Lunsford and Lula Lunsford	52	7 Laura E. Mullikin	Quay	Forest Hill	2	11 Virginia Woods Shaw	Chisum	Robert
Washington Forest Hill		20	5	Thomas J. Lunsford and Lula Lunsford	52	5 Charles E. Fletcher	Quay	Forest Hill	2	13 Charlotte Woods Runyan	Chisum	Robert
Washington Forest Hill		20	4	Robert L. Cole Estate	52	3 Virgil G. Jordan	Quay	Forest Hill	2	15 Emily Woods Flint	Chisum	Robert
Washington Forest Hill		20	3	William J. McCasland	52	11 J. M. Cobble	Quay	Forest Hill	2	City of Artesia	Chisum	Fairview
Washington Forest Hill		20	2	Thurman Norris Northam & Hotona Northam	52	9 J. C. Taylor and Susie E. Taylor	Quay	Forest Hill	2	12 Donald W. Butts	Chisum	Fairview
Washington Forest Hill		20	1	Alfreda B. Corbett and Leslie R. Corbett	52	7 J. W. Dingler	Quay	Forest Hill	2	10 Henry Maschek	Chisum	Fairview
Washington Forest Hill		18	16	Walter W. Kennedy and Helen Kennedy	57	5 J. W. Dingler	Quay	Forest Hill	2	8 T. A. Maschek	Chisum	Fairview
Washington Forest Hill		18	14	Glen Sharp	57	3 George Akins and Lucretia A. Akins	Quay	Forest Hill	2	6 James E. Keith and Johnnie O. Keith	Chisum	Fairview
Washington Forest Hill		18	12	Glen Sharp	57	1 Edith Swift	Quay	Forest Hill	2	4 Dorothy L. Quail	Chisum	Fairview
Washington Forest Hill		18	10	Glen Sharp	57	1 J. J. Clarke, Jr.	Quay	Forest Hill	2	2 J. C. Vandeventer	Chisum	Fairview
Washington Forest Hill		18	8	C. H. Durham and Emma Durham	57	3 J. J. Clarke, Jr.	Quay	Forest Hill	2	11 Artesia Homes, Inc.	Chisum	Fairview
Washington Forest Hill		18	6	W. L. Swinford	57	1 Edith Swift	Quay	Forest Hill	2	9 T. T. Hamrick and Kathryn Hamrick	Chisum	Fairview
Washington Forest Hill		18	4	W. L. Swinford	57	1 J. J. Clarke, Jr.	Quay	Forest Hill	2	7 G. W. Watts and Maurine Watts	Chisum	Fairview
Washington Forest Hill		18	2	Westley R. Sperry	57	3 J. J. Clarke, Jr.	Quay	Forest Hill	2	5 D. A. Miller	Chisum	Fairview
Washington Forest Hill		19	8	J. O. Miller	57	1 Edith Swift	Quay	Forest Hill	2	3 Doyle Hankins	Chisum	Fairview
Washington Forest Hill		19	7	James D. Monroe	57	1 J. J. Clarke, Jr.	Quay	Forest Hill	2	1 B. R. Gorman	Chisum	Fairview
Washington Forest Hill		19	6	Leslie Martin	57	3 J. J. Clarke, Jr.	Quay	Forest Hill	2	16 Louis Burch	Chisum	Fairview
Washington Forest Hill		19	5	John A. Conner	57	1 Edith Swift	Quay	Forest Hill	2	14 J. H. Holcomb and V. Inice	Chisum	Fairview
Washington Forest Hill		19	4	W. L. Richmond and Ellen Ray Richmond	57	3 J. J. Clarke, Jr.	Quay	Forest Hill	2	12 Dave F. Brandell Estate	Chisum	Fairview
Washington Forest Hill		19	3	Pablo Alvarez	57	1 Edith Swift	Quay	Forest Hill	2	10 W. R. Ferguson	Chisum	Fairview
Washington Forest Hill		19	2	Pablo Alvarez	57	3 J. J. Clarke, Jr.	Quay	Forest Hill	2	8 T. J. Sivilly and Mary Ray Sivilly	Chisum	Fairview
Washington Forest Hill		19	1	J. E. Fore	57	1 Edith Swift	Quay	Forest Hill	2	6 Tom J. Mayfield	Chisum	Fairview
Washington Artesia Impt. Co.		47	12	James N. Foster	57	3 J. J. Clarke, Jr.	Quay	Forest Hill	2	4 W. T. Albert	Chisum	Fairview
Washington Artesia Impt. Co.		47	11	James N. Foster	57	1 Edith Swift	Quay	Forest Hill	2	2 Willard Beatty	Chisum	Fairview
Washington Artesia Impt. Co.		47	10	James N. Foster	57	3 J. J. Clarke, Jr.	Quay	Forest Hill	2	15 Wilton E. Scott	Chisum	Fairview
Washington Artesia Impt. Co.		47	9	James N. Foster	57	1 Edith Swift	Quay	Forest Hill	2	13 Hugh D. Burch	Chisum	Fairview
Washington Artesia Impt. Co.		47	8	O. R. and Virginia D. Gable	57	3 J. J. Clarke, Jr.	Quay	Forest Hill	2	11 Herman Fuchs and Cleo Fuchs	Chisum	Fairview
Washington Artesia Impt. Co.		47	7	O. R. and Virginia D. Gable	57	1 Edith Swift	Quay	Forest Hill	2	9 Otto Wood	Chisum	Fairview
Washington Artesia Impt. Co.		47	6	O. R. and Virginia D. Gable	57	3 J. J. Clarke, Jr.	Quay	Forest Hill	2	7 B. E. Spencer	Chisum	Fairview
Washington Artesia Impt. Co.		47	5	O. R. and Virginia D. Gable	57	1 Edith Swift	Quay	Forest Hill	2	4 E. O. of	Chisum	Fairview
Washington Artesia Impt. Co.		47	4	O. R. and Virginia D. Gable	57	3 J. J. Clarke, Jr.	Quay	Forest Hill	2	7 Michael P. Stefanko	Chisum	Fairview
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Washington Artesia Impt. Co.		47	2	O. R. and Virginia D. Gable	57	3 J. J. Clarke, Jr.	Quay	Forest Hill	2	3 C. L. Anthis	Chisum	Fairview
Washington Artesia Impt. Co.		47	1	O. R. and Virginia D. Gable	57	1 Edith Swift	Quay	Forest Hill	2	3 J. Brady Wright and William J. Wright	Chisum	Fairview
Washington Artesia Impt. Co.		60	11	S. B. Wilson	57	3 J. J. Clarke, Jr.	Quay	Forest Hill	2	1 J. Brady Wright and William J. Wright	Chisum	Fairview
Washington Artesia Impt. Co.		60	10	S. B. Wilson	57	1 Edith Swift	Quay	Forest Hill	2	14 Board of Education	Chisum	Fairview
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Washington Artesia Impt. Co.		60	6	S. B. Wilson	57	1 Edith Swift	Quay	Forest Hill	2	6 Board of Education	Chisum	Fairview
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Washington Artesia Impt. Co.		60	2	S. B. Wilson	57	1 Edith Swift	Quay	Forest Hill	2	11 A. N. Howard	Chisum	Fairview
Washington Artesia Impt. Co.		60	1	S. B. Wilson	57	3 J. J. Clarke, Jr.	Quay	Forest Hill	2	9 A. N. Howard	Chisum	Fairview
Washington Artesia Impt. Co.		60	0	S. B. Wilson	57	1 Edith Swift	Quay	Forest Hill	2	7 L. N. Dunham	Chisum	Fairview
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Washington Artesia Impt. Co.		60	0	S. B. Wilson	57	1 Edith Swift	Quay	Forest Hill	2	4 James L. Allen	Chisum	Fairview
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Washington Artesia Impt. Co.		60	0	S. B. Wilson	57	1 Edith Swift	Quay	Forest Hill	2	11 Frank S. Sloan and Annis Sloan	Chisum	Fairview
Washington Artesia Impt. Co.		60	0	S. B. Wilson	57	3 J. J. Clarke, Jr.	Quay	Forest Hill	2	9 Eugene B. Roberts	Chisum	Fairview
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Washington Artesia Impt. Co.		60	0	S. B. Wilson	57	1 Edith Swift	Quay	Forest Hill	2	8 Bruce R. Cabot and Moelele P. Cabot	Chisum	Fairview
Washington Artesia Impt. Co.		60	0	S. B. Wilson	57	3 J. J. Clarke, Jr.	Quay	Forest Hill	2	6 Mrs. Laura Penden	Chisum	Fairview
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 Alley south of Main 9 11 Nora B. Clayton
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 Alley south of Main 9 7 Lydia Zelany Cleland
 Alley south of Main 9 5 R. S. Pershing and Mabel C. Pershing
 Alley south of Main 9 3 R. S. Pershing and Mabel C. Pershing
 Alley south of Main 9 1 Julia S. Keinath and Sally R. Lanning
 Alley south of Main 9 12 Fred A. Henderson and Dorothy E. Henderson
 Alley south of Main 9 10 Fred A. Henderson and Dorothy E. Henderson
 Alley south of Main 9 8 Fred A. Henderson and Dorothy E. Henderson
 Alley south of Main 9 6 A. R. Company
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 Alley north of Main 6 18 S. S. Ward Estate
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 Alley north of Main 6 12 Dave Torres
 Alley north of Main 6 10 Rebakun Lodge
 Alley north of Main 6 8 Owen D. Hensley
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 Alley north of Main 7 10 Walter Douglas
 Alley north of Main 7 8 S. S. Ward Estate
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 Alley north of Main 7 4 Weldon R. Petty
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 Alley north of Main 8 16 Royce Smith
 Alley north of Main 8 14 Dora E. Combs
 Alley north of Main 8 12 C. R. Vandergriff
 Alley north of Main 8 10 Paul Zeleny
 Alley north of Main 8 8 Beatrice Blocker
 Alley north of Main 8 6 J. S. Sharp
 Alley north of Main 8 4 Raymond O. Bartlett
 Alley north of Main 8 2 Raymond O. Bartlett
Original Townsite—Roselawn Avenue to Third Street
 Alley north of Main 22 5 Artesia Auto
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 Alley north of Main 22 7, 9 and
 Alley north of Main 4 11 Jack Armstrong
 Alley north of Main 4 1, 3 and
 Alley north of Main 4 5 F. C. Hart an indiv. d/b/as Hart Motor Co.
 Alley north of Main 4 12 Mountain States Telephone Co.
 Alley north of Main 4 10 Margaret B. Shortt et vir J. Everett Shortt
 Alley north of Main 4 8 Thelma Miller
 Alley north of Main 4 6 Jack Armstrong
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 Alley north of Main 4 2 Effie G. Lindley
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 Alley north of Main 5 12 John Campanolla
 Alley north of Main 5 10 S. A. Jones, Estate
 Alley north of Main 5 8 W. R. Hornbaker
 Alley north of Main 5 6 Louis Marinucci Campanella and Johnnie Nick Campanella
 Alley north of Main 5 4 E. B. Bullock
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First Street
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 First Tyler 5 3 C. C. Foster
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 First Tyler 5 5 C. C. Foster
 First Tyler 5 6 J. W. Isaacs
 First Tyler 5 7 Mrs. W. R. Hamlin
 First Tyler 5 8 Mrs. W. R. Hamlin
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 First Tyler 5 10 Mrs. W. R. Hamlin
 First Tyler 5 11 Mrs. W. R. Hamlin
 First Tyler 5 12 Mrs. W. R. Hamlin
 First Tyler 6 1 Artesia Farmers Gin
 First Tyler 2 1 R. F. Barton
 First Tyler 2 2 R. F. Barton
 First Tyler 2 3 D. W. Faulk
 First Tyler 2 4 D. W. Faulk
 First Tyler 2 5 Fred M. Nelson, Florence Morgan Nelson, Morgan Nelson
 First Tyler 2 6 Fred M. Nelson, Florence Morgan Nelson, Morgan Nelson
 First Tyler 2 7 James W. Sims and Hester Sims
 First Tyler 2 8 James W. Sims and Hester Sims
 First Tyler 2 9 James W. Sims and Hester Sims
 First Tyler 2 10 James W. Sims and Hester Sims
 First Tyler 2 11 R. R. Thompson, W. W. Daniel
 First Tyler 2 12 R. R. Thompson, W. W. Daniel
 First Tyler 1 1 Owen Haynes
 First Tyler 1 2 Owen Haynes
 First Tyler 1 3 Wm. M. Barnett
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 First Tyler 1 7 E. V. Maythofen
 First Tyler 1 8 Carl Daniel and Bettie Daniel
 First Tyler 1 9 R. N. Russell and Fay Russell
 First Tyler 1 10 Artesia Farmers Gin
 First Tyler 1 11 Artesia Farmers Gin
 First Tyler 1 12 Artesia Farmers Gin
 First Blair 18 1 Tom Bryan
 First Blair 19 3 T. E. Brown
 First Blair 13 1 Creameries of America, Inc.
 First Blair 12 2 Tom Bryan
 First Blair 12 3 Halliburton Oil Co.
 First Blair 12 4 T. R. Wikowsky and Irene Wikowsky
 First Blair 8 1 Cliff Longbotham and Modena Longbotham
 First Blair 8 1 J. Elmo Linebarger and Estelle Gaines Linebarger
 First Blair 8 2 Myrtle E. Randolph
 First Blair 9 3 Ella Pearl Naylor
 First Blair 9 4 Ella Pearl Naylor
 First Blair 9 5 Charles J. Edwards
 First Blair 9 6 Charles J. Edwards

Blair 3 1 Grace Wetig
 Blair 3 1 William Dooley
 Blair 3 2 Mrs. G. H. Traylor
 Blair 3 2 W. I. Trembly and Jennie Trembly
 Blair 2 3 Elva Willey, wife of W. N. Willey
 Blair 2 4 Magnolia Petroleum Co.
 Original 14 1 V. D. Bolton, est.
 Original 14 N50 ft. of
 Original 14 2 Francis W. Collins
 Original 14 2 Mrs. S. G. White
 Original 13 8 J. A. Fairry
 Original 13 7 Cox and Hawkins
 Original 11 1 Standard Oil Co. of Texas
 Original 11 2 Sinclair Refining Co.
 Original 12 7 Magnolia Petroleum Co.
 Original 12 8 Southwestern Public Service Co.
 Original 12 Alley 20x100
 Original 12 Southwestern Public Service
 Original 8 1 G. N. Amis
 Original 8 2 Guy Chevrolet
 Original 7 7 E. B. Bullock
 Original 7 8 H. D. Dunn
 Original 5 1 Jim Ferguson
 Original 5 1 Sy Edgerton
 Original 5 2 Continental Oil Co.
 Original 5 2 E. B. Bullock
 Original 6 7 Federal Underwriters
 Original 6 8 Federal Underwriters
 Original 2 1 Magnolia Petroleum Corp.
 Original 2 2 Phillips Petroleum Corp.
 Original 1 7 Ferguson-Steere Motor Co.
 Original 1 8 Ben F. Pior
 Robert 10 1 A. E. Pool and J. E. Roberts
 Robert 10 2 Jess Cave
 Robert 11 3 A.T.&S.F.
 Robert 11 4 A.T.&S.F.
 Robert 24 2 B. N. Muncy Estate
 Robert 23 4 A.T.&S.F.
 Robert 1 23 A. P. Mahone
 Robert 1 24 Edwin B. McCaw
 Robert 1 25 Edwin B. McCaw
 Robert 2 7 M. H. & R. G. Belshe
 Robert 2 6 M. H. & R. G. Belshe
 Robert 3 4 G. E. Fairry
 South of Lot 4 Block 3 Hinshaw to extension of South line Lot 23 Block 1 Hinshaw is A. T. & S. F. right of way as per plat of Hinshaw Subdivision.
 Fairview 33 5 Robert Vogel
 Fairview 33 4 Robert Vogel
 Fairview 33 3 William P. Horner
 Fairview 33 2 Albino C. Baca
 Fairview 33 1 H. G. Buchanan, Jr.
 Fairview 33 150 ft. N of
 Fairview 33 1 J. H. Boteler
 Robert 25 6 James Claude Maples and Anna Mae Maples
 Robert 7 to 11 inc.
 Hinshaw 1 M. H. & R. G. Belshe
 Hinshaw 1 6 R. L. Graham and Effie Graham

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 Hinshaw 1 4 Steve M. Carter
 Hinshaw 1 3 T. E. Walker
 Hinshaw 1 2 W. W. Partlow
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 Fairview 27 W. W. Partlow
 Fairview 27 L. G. Syferd
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 Fairview 1 to 7 inc. and 25 Board of Education, Artesia
 Tamarack 1 Board of Education, Artesia
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 Fairview 1 7 L. G. Syferd
 Fairview 1 6 Andrez Cisneros
 Fairview 1 5 Andrez Cisneros
 That pursuant to a Resolution duly adopted on the 3rd day of May, 1948, the City Council of the City of Artesia will meet on Wednesday, the 9th day of June, A.D., 1948 at the hour of 7:30 P.M., at the City Hall in said City, such hearing to be adjourned from time to time and from day to day, as the proceedings may require, at which time and place the owners of property abutting on said streets, avenues, alleys and intersections so to be improved, or any other person interested therein, may appear before the City Council and be heard as to the propriety and advisability of making such improvements, and as to the cost thereof, and as to the manner of payment therefor, and as to the amount thereof to be assessed against the property abutting thereon or benefited thereby.
 Any property owner or other person interested in said improvements who has any objections or protests against the construction of said improvements is hereby requested to reduce such objections or protests to writing, specifically stating the grounds for his objections or protests, in order that the same may receive proper consideration by the City Council, although oral protests will be heard and duly considered.
 Notice is further given that any property owner or other person interested therein desiring to be informed in advance of the probable cost of improvements to be assessed against his property, may obtain general information as to the proposed improvements and approximate estimate of the probable cost by calling in person, or by agent, at the office of the City Clerk in the City Hall building in the City of Artesia, New Mexico, during business hours on any week day.
 This notice is given by authority of the City Council of the City of Artesia, New Mexico, this 3rd day of May, A.D., 1948.
 Oren C. Roberts
 Mayor

ATTEST: T. H. Ragsdale
 City Clerk
 (Seal) 20-3122



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(Paid Pol. Adv.)

Here Are The Seniors Artesia Congratulates This Week



Here are pictured 63 of the 69 members of the senior class of Artesia High School, 64 of whom are expected to receive their diplomas at commencement exercises Friday evening.

ported to have insufficient credits to graduate. They are: Top row, left to right: Bob Sturart, Marcia Whelan, Donald Carson, Maxine Callahan, Pat Coor, Cleo Johnson, Johnny Lanning.

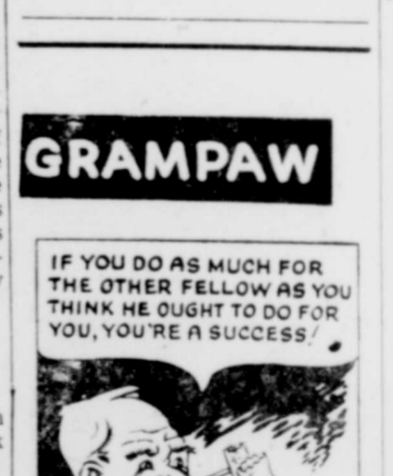
Fourth row: Pat Watson, Eugene Batie, Peggy Shortt, John Yates, Mary Dixon, Wesley Needham, Dorothy Hayhurst.

Seventh row: Jerry Everett, Billy Norrid, Ralph Knowles, Betty Matthews, Tom Floyd, Ruby Broom, Alton Unangst.

Humphrey Bogart Blazes Trail To Mexican Gold Tense, undiluted drama throbs in Warner Brothers' newest hard-fisted offering, "Treasure of Sierra Madre," starring Humphrey Bogart with Walter Huston, Tim Holt, and Bruce Bennett, which starts Sunday at the Landsun Theater.

John Huston's direction is masterful and exacts much out of the story which reveals man's frailties. Ted McCord's photography is excellent in capturing the raw beauty of Mexico.

Hangar Flying Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Longbotham flew to Globe, Ariz., over the week end.



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BEST Regards 1948 GRADS THIS IS 1948 boy and girl graduates, a year filled with marvels, full of opportunities, and... full of problems. Mann Drug Co. ARTESIA, NEW MEXICO

Loco Hills

(Mrs. Earl Smith) and Mrs. C. H. Mills of the Dallas lease had as guests Sunday their son, Lawrence Mills, and family of Kermit, Texas and daughter and husband, Mrs. W. L. Case, and Mr. Case of Artesia. Mr. and Mrs. Case stayed through Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. (Pete) Ward and children left Sunday for a three-week stay at Temple, Texas, where Mr. Ward was to receive medical care.

Mrs. Harold Adams entertained the Thursday Afternoon Bridge Club last Thursday for Mrs. W. R. McClendon, who has been ill.

William Waters Coffman, who

was employed by Glenn Booker for some time as a carpenter, is in Austin, Texas, with a daughter and family. His health is poor and he is under a doctor's care. He is the father of J. W. and B. W. Coffman.

Kenneth Newton, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. Newton, and Mary Walker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Walker of Old Loco Hills, have been honored by being chosen to go to the Boys State and Girls State in June.

Bill Briscoe of the Booker Camp is in Oklahoma visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Briscoe left Monday to spend three days at the oil show in Tulsa, Okla.

Guests in the B. Newton home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. August Rapp and daughter, Ida Jean, of

Eunice and Mr. and Mrs. "Bus" Earl and Children of Jal.

Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Randolph and children left Monday for their new home in Monahans, Texas, where Mr. Randolph has been transferred by the Texas-New Mexico Pipe Line Company.

Mrs. Bob Griffin, who works in Lovington, spent Wednesday at her home in the Grayburg Camp.

W. E. Proffitt returned Sunday from McKinney, Texas, where he and his brother of Fort Worth, Texas, were called because their father was in a hospital. The father suffered a heart attack when his home and buildings were destroyed in the recent tornado which struck McKinney, leaving 500 homeless.

Recent guests in the home of Mrs. Virgie Copeland were her sister, Betty Stevens of Hobbs, a brother and his wife, Mrs. Copeland's mother, Mrs. Rachel Stevens of Hobbs, is a houseguest.

The Loco Hills PTA will meet at 2:30 o'clock Friday afternoon at the schoolhouse. Members of the Artesia PTA plan to attend the meeting. The theme of the meeting will be "The Pre-School Child." A tea will be given honoring the teachers and the parents of beginners of next year.

The Loco Hills Cub Scout park meeting was held at the Community Church with Glenn Unangst in charge. The park was divided into two dens, with Mrs. W. R. McClendon and Mrs. Claude Campbell as den mothers. E. R. McKinstry gave the treasurer's report and turned the books over to the new treasurer, Claude Campbell. The theme for May is "Indians and Their Games." It is planned to hold a wiener roast at the end of the month. Gale Richardson presented the Cubs in a clever skit on the "Carlsbad Caverns." Adults present were Mrs. Claude Callaway, W. R. McClendon, and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Unangst, and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Campbell.

Week-end guests in the J. W. Brasfield home were Mr. Brasfield's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Dickerson, and their children, Charles Hugh, of Overton, Texas. The guests visited in El Paso and San Antonio, Texas, before returning to their home.

Mrs. James Aldridge of Oklahoma is visiting her sister, Mrs. Floyd Doughty, and family.

C. C. Carter and Earl Merchant

Income Tax Cut Opens Way For More U. S. Bonds

Lowering of the personal income tax rate by Congress open the way for increased purchases of U. S. Security Bonds in Eddy County during the week.

are attending the oil show in Tulsa, Okla.

Mrs. S. S. Reeves and Mrs. D. E. Lee of Artesia spent Wednesday with Mrs. Reeves' grandmother, Mrs. Coffman.

Feelings Farmer, who recently sustained a head injury, is able to work.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Plemons and son, Glen Henry, spent last week end in Hamlin, Texas, visiting their respective parents and fishing and picnicing on a nearby lake.

Vernon Mills, principal of Central Hills School in Artesia, was at Loco Hills School giving tests Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Ruthledge, T. H. Burrows, and Lawrence Burrows returned Tuesday from a fishing trip to the northern part of the state.

Nora Jean Howell of Artesia is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Howell.

Mr. and Mrs. Harland and children of Artesia moved to the Oilfield Service Camp Friday.

Miss Charlene Henderson has returned from Sundown, Texas, and is now employed in Artesia.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Glass of Georgia are here visiting Mrs. Glass' sister, Mrs. Fred Couyer, and family, and brother, O. B. Henderson, and family.

T. A. Sacra of Roswell was a guest in the George Beal home Monday. He and Mr. Beal spent part of the day in Lovington.

Mrs. J. K. Hyder who underwent surgery Tuesday of last week in an El Paso hospital is improving.

Mrs. Clayton Mahres and her sister, Mrs. Lou Irwin of Fort Stockton, Texas, spent Mother's Day in San Angelo, Texas, with their mother. Mrs. Irwin returned with Mrs. Mahres for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Beal and children, Charles Hugh, of Overton, well with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Danley.

Miss Katherine Coppinger spent last week with friends in Roswell. She also attended the annual picnic given by the New Mexico Military Institute.

ing America's Security Loan, L. B. Feather, co-chairman of the county U. S. Savings Bond Committee, announced. The new income tax rate, which went into effect May 1, reduces the amount of money withheld from wages for income tax payments.

Investment of the amount previously withheld from wages under the withholding tax in U. S. Security Bonds will provide financial security for every resident of the county and his family and it will help stabilize our national economy, the chairman said. The local committee urges everyone to invest as much as possible in the safest, surest and best investment in the world today—U. S. Security Bonds.

"If we are to reach our county

objective of \$629,300 during the Security Loan, which extends through June 30, we must increase our purchases of Security Bonds," Feather said. During April, residents of this county purchased \$66,412.50 in Series E, F and G Bonds. Of this amount \$60,412.50 was purchased in Series E Bonds.

Individuals may purchase Security Bonds at the bank or post office. Security Bonds also are being purchased under the automatic, painless, partial payment payroll savings plan which is offered to employees by many concerns in the county. The bond-a-month plan offered by banks is a convenient, easy method of protecting future plans with a liquid reserve, quickly

available when needed, Feather added.

Egyptian ships of about 1250 B. C. were strengthened on the outside by a set of ropes called "girdles" which helped keep the vessels water-tight and added strength to withstand the pounding of the sea.

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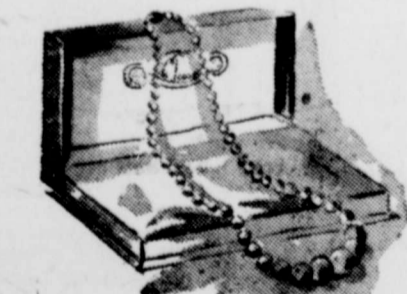
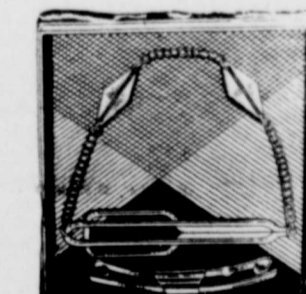




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Hangar Flying

Crowded out Last Week

Gene Sherwood took his flight check for a commercial pilot license last Thursday and passed. He began his training almost four years ago when Hazel Flying Service was operating at Hazel Field, north of Artesia. He worked as a hangar boy after school hours until he graduated from high school and received his private pilot license in 1946. After graduation he volunteered in the U.S. Army and was sent to Korea for a year and a half. Upon his discharge from the Army, Gene returned to Artesia where he took his old post at the airport. He has several hundred hours to his credit and is one of the youngest commercial pilots in the United States.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Hazel returned Friday noon from Beaumont, Texas, where they had been at the bedside of Mr. Hazel's brother, L. H. Hazel, who was critically injured in an oil rig accident. They were accompanied to Artesia by Mr. Hazel's mother, Mrs.

Ludie Hazel of Dallas, Texas. Mrs. Hazel has visited in Artesia many times before and is well known at the airport. She is very air-minded and has often made cross-country flights flown by pilot from the Hazel Flying Service.

Wes Knowles of Colby, Kan., accompanied by his brother, John, flew to Artesia last week in his Piper Super-Cruiser to visit his brother, Walter Knowles, and wife and his sister, Mrs. Glenn O'Bannon, and family over the weekend. They also visited their father, B. B. Knowles, in Lamesa, Texas en route to Artesia.

Bernard Bond flew to Albuquerque last week end. He reported high winds in that vicinity.

Herman Fuchs and family drove to the mountains Sunday. They were accompanied by friends from Clovis.

The Model Club meets Monday nights at the airport.

Noel Singleton was a winner in the "Name It and Claim It Contest" last week end and received a free ride in an airplane. V. L. Standard soloed last week.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF EDDY COUNTY STATE OF NEW MEXICO.

D. D. CROUCH, AND EDGAR C. BRISCOE, Plaintiffs, vs. ARCHIBALD F. KIRKLAND, et al, Defendants.

No. 10533
SUMMONS AND NOTICE OF SUIT PENDING

STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO: ARCHIBALD F. KIRKLAND; IMPEALED WITH THE FOLLOWING NAMED DEFENDANTS AGAINST WHOM SUBSTITUTED SERVICE IS HEREBY SOUGHT TO BE OBTAINED, TO-WIT: ARCHIBALD F. KIRKLAND, if living, if deceased, THE UNKNOWN HEIRS OF ARCHIBALD F. KIRKLAND, Deceased; TREVIS KIRKLAND, if living, if deceased, THE UNKNOWN HEIRS OF TREVIS KIRKLAND, Deceased; THERESA KIRKLAND, if living, if deceased, THE UNKNOWN HEIRS OF THERESA KIRKLAND, Deceased; FRED KIRKLAND, if living, if deceased, THE UNKNOWN HEIRS OF FRED KIRKLAND, Deceased; DESSE B. KIRKLAND, if living, if deceased, THE UNKNOWN HEIRS OF DESSE B. KIRKLAND, Deceased; JESSIE KIRKLAND, if living, if deceased, THE UNKNOWN HEIRS OF JESSIE KIRKLAND, Deceased; and ALL UNKNOWN CLAIMANTS OF INTEREST IN THE PREMISES ADVERSE TO THE PLAINTIFFS. GREETINGS: YOU AND EACH OF YOU ARE

HEREBY NOTIFIED that there has been filed in the District Court of Eddy County, State of New Mexico, a certain cause of action wherein D. D. Crouch and Edgar C. Briscoe are the plaintiffs and you, and each of you, are defendants, the Civil Docket. The general object of said action are to quiet and set at rest the plaintiffs' title, in fee simple, to the following described property situated in Eddy County, New Mexico, to-wit:

The S $\frac{1}{2}$ N $\frac{1}{2}$ E $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ and the N $\frac{1}{2}$ N $\frac{1}{2}$ S $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 12, Township 17 South, Range 25 East, N.M.P.M.

YOU AND EACH OF YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED THAT unless you enter your appearance on plead herein on or before the 19th day of June, 1948, the plaintiffs will make application to the Court for a judgment by default and judgment by default will be rendered against you, and each of you, as prayed for in said Complaint.

The name of the plaintiff's attorneys are Cochran & Siegenthaler, whose Post Office Address is Box 128, Artesia, New Mexico.

Witness my hand and the seal of the District Court of Eddy County, on this the 5th day of May, 1948

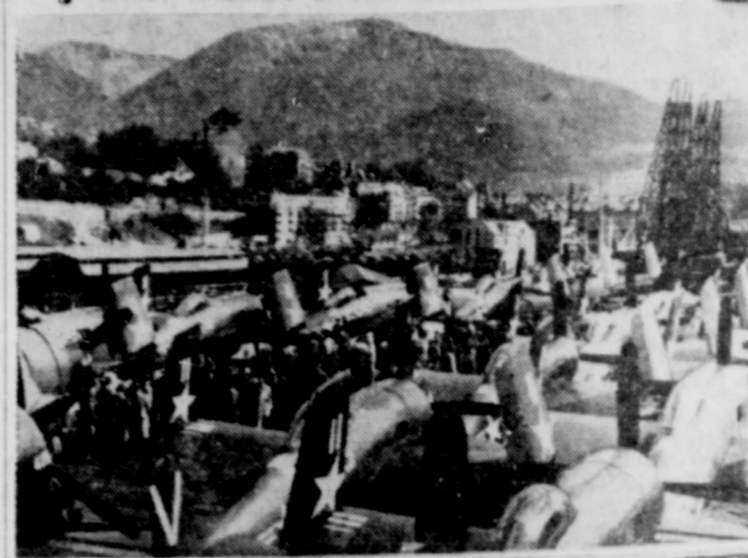
Marguerite E. Waller, District Court Clerk, Carlsbad, New Mexico. (Seal) 1948-22

NOTICE FOR BIDS FOR WATER WELL FITTINGS

Sealed bids will be received by the City Clerk of the City of Artesia, New Mexico, at the City Hall until 7:30 P. M., on May 26, 1948 for the furnishing of a water well pump and necessary fittings for installation as follows:

- ITEM I
- 1 ea. 1200GPM, 1760 RPM, 153 TDH, 62 BHP water lubricating turbine pump for 12 3/4" ID casing consisting of the following:
 - 1 ea. 75 HP, 1760 RPM, 220 Volt, 3 Phase, 60 Cycle VHS drive motor with non-reversible ratchet.
 - 1 ea. 1200 GPM discharge head, 100 feet 8" ID x 1 1/2 column and shaft complete.
 - 1 ea. 5 stage 12 MC turbine bowl assembly.
 - 10 feet of 8" ID suction pipe.
 - 1 ea. 8" ID suction strainer.

U. S. 'FLEET'S IN' AT NORWAY



HUNDREDS OF NORWEGIANS inspect planes on the flight deck of the 27,000-ton U. S. S. Valley Forge during the ship's visit to Bergen. Below, a quartet of American sailors poses for a pretty Norse photographer in one of the city's parks. The Valley Forge and five other warships made a stop at the Norwegian port as Soviet Russia was pressuring nearby Finland for a mutual defense pact, which she got. (International)

- ITEM II
- The following fittings are required for connection of pump to the 8" water main:
- 1 ea. 8" flange gate valve AWWA.
 - 1 ea. 8" Sparleing main line meter for water.
 - 1 ea. 8" ID dresser coupling No. 38.
 - 4 ea. 8" ID flange companion, bolt, cast iron standard.
 - 1 ea. 8" check valve, iron body, metal seat, swing check, flange type.
 - 2 ea. 12" Bell and Spogot cast iron class 150.
 - 60 feet of 12" pipe cast iron, cement lined, class 150.
 - 1 ea. 8" to 12" sleeve, cast iron, water main, class 150.
 - 1 ea. 8" x 8" x 12" tee, all Bell, water main, cast iron, class 150.

Separate bids will be accepted on Items I and II and bidders should specify maximum delivery date, not to exceed 60 days from date of contract to purchase.

Done by order of the City Council.

CITY OF ARTESIA
John D. Josey, Jr.
City Supervisor
20-21-21

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF B. N. MUNCY, SR., DECEASED.

No. 1472
NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The undersigned Stella Muncy, Elizabeth Muncy Schrader and B. N. Muncy, Jr. have qualified as administrators of the estate of B. N. Muncy, Sr., deceased.

All persons having claims against said decedent are hereby notified to present the same, as provided by law, within six (6) months from



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