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Buy A Poppy Here Saturday

Education Leads To Joys Of Life, Fixley Tells Seniors

As 66 seniors of Artesia High School graduated at annual commencement exercises Friday evening in the school auditorium, Dr. E. H. Fixley, professor of school administration in the College of Education of the University of New Mexico, pointed out to them that education is one's ability to appreciate the joys of life.

The prerequisites for such joys he said, are a healthy body, being able to appreciate the things one does, and having the ability to enjoy leisure time.

Dr. Fixley called attention to the fact that out of about 500 students who started at school at the time the seniors entered classes only 86 were to receive diplomas.

This he likened somewhat to the "survival of the fittest." He stressed, however, a number of those who started did not complete their high school education through circumstances beyond their control. But many, he added, dropped out of their own accord, because they were not willing to put forth the efforts required to finish school.

Dr. Fixley told the graduates the credit for their graduation was not entirely theirs, but that their parents and teachers were even more responsible through the years of patient teaching and guiding.

Presentation of the diplomas was made by Arite McNally, president of the Artesia Board of

Education, who congratulated the seniors on their accomplishment.

F. L. Green, principal of the high school, made the presentation of awards and named the 10 per cent of the class, on the basis of their scholastic standing during the last three and a half years and the results of their recent statewide senior achievement test.

They were, their names arranged alphabetically and not in the order of their standing in the top 10 per cent of the class:

Don Carson, Shirley Feather Pat Ferguson, Carol Hensley, John Lanning, Ed Mitchell, Merced Natera, Peggy Shortell, and Marcia Whelan.

In the statewide examination Principal Green announced, Ed Mitchell was awarded a certificate of distinction for being in the top 100 students in the state taking the test, and Don Carson was awarded a certificate of honorable mention for being in the top 10 per cent.

The only scholarships awarded went to Sacred Heart College at Wichita, Kan., and State Teachers College at Silver City, both at Merced Natera.

Principal Green announced other scholarships were available, but that none of the seniors had made application for them.

Certificates of merit from Alpha (continued last page this section)

Green Reports On Association Meet In Chicago

F. L. Green, who represented Artesia High School recently at the annual meeting of the North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools in Chicago, told at the weekly Rotary Club luncheon Tuesday noon of the work of the association and of his visit to headquarters of Rotary International in the Windy City.

The purpose of the association meeting was to study the reports on various schools to see if they have abided by the regulations, to classify them as to degree of approval, and to make rule changes. Green was assigned to a committee which studied the reports on schools in Colorado, Central Illinois, and Chicago high schools.

The theme of meetings was "The Expanding Role of Education in Democracy," in which it was stressed to teach boys and girls to (continued last page this section)

'Scratchy Rideout Night' To Open Softball Season Tuesday

The memory of Garland (Scratchy) Rideout, all-around sportsman, who was killed in an airplane crash Aug. 18, 1946, is to be honored with a short "Scratchy Rideout Night" memorial service at 7:30 o'clock Tuesday evening when the softball season will open on the new field in the city park north of Morris Field.

An admission charge will be made to the game, the proceeds from which are to be applied towards the purchase of the big electric football scoreboard, which is to be erected on the football field. The board is now here and ready for installation.

It was pointed out admission will not be charged after Tuesday night at regular scheduled games of softball being played by teams in the city league. However, the charge will be made on "Scratchy Rideout Night" not only of those in the stands, but of those in parked automobiles.

Softball enthusiasts and players pointed out that "Scratchy" Rideout probably was the most enthusiastic person about softball ever here. He helped organize the league year after year, helped form teams, and played and managed.

He was a private pilot and was as enthusiastic about flying and (continued last page this section)

Artesia Pharmacy Grand Opening This Week End

The metamorphosis of the Artesia Pharmacy, which W. R. Petty opened "on a shoestring" nine years ago and has enlarged and improved step by step to one of the finest drug stores in the Southwest, is complete, as will be demonstrated at the grand formal opening of the large double-front store Friday and Saturday.

The original single-front store on the corner of Fourth and Main Streets was added to several times, with additions on the rear as the business and Artesia grew.

And then a bowling alley, which Petty operated in the adjacent building was sold, the connecting wall was knocked out, and the business was spread out into the two rooms, but with only the necessary immediate repairs and decorating done at that time, which was more than a year ago.

Then early this year the job of building a new store, while continuing the business, was started. Although there still remain a few things to be done, the job is practically complete and the store will be in readiness for the grand opening tomorrow morning.

The job included the digging of a basement in the far northwest corner of the double building, as a stockroom and machinery space for the fountain and restaurant, which are immediately above. Likewise the entire old front was torn out and replaced with a new glass front, which reaches down nearly to the floor line. It angles from the east and west corners of the building towards the center, in which are two solid glass swinging doors.

Interior work involved the placing of steel beams to support the roof at the line between the two buildings, the pouring of a new floor, over which was laid asphalt tile, and complete redecorating.

The fountain proper is of the newest design. The counter and backbar for it, as well as all fixtures and equipment throughout the store, were designed, manufactured, and installed by Jennings Showcase & Fixture Company of Roswell. The showcases and fixtures are all finished in blond.

The arrangement of the store is unique, with the cash and wrapping counters in the center of the store about half way back. In front of those counters one finds rows of shelving and counters back to back, facing east and west, in which are the cigar, pen, camera, and other departments.

On the west side of the store is a new jewelry and gift department (continued last page this section)

R. L. Willingham Named Pastor Of Methodist Church

Rev. R. L. Willingham of El Paso was appointed pastor of the First Methodist Church of Artesia Sunday at the close of the annual conference in Clovis.

He succeeds Rev. C. A. Clark, pastor here the last six years, who on April 13 completed 50 years in the pastorate and who went on retirement after preaching his final sermon at the First Methodist Church here May 16.

However, Rev. Clark has been assigned as supply pastor at Dexter.

Rev. Chester Rogers was returned to the Cottonwood and Lake Arthur Churches, and Rev. E. A. Drew to the Hope Methodist Church.

Rev. A. C. Douglas of Pecos, Texas, district superintendent, was reassigned to that position. He is a former Artesia pastor and owns a home here, at present occupied by Mayor Oren C. Roberts and family.

The new pastor, who comes to Artesia from the Fort Boulevard Methodist Church in El Paso, previously was at Clayton seven years. He is a relatively young man, who has had 12 years in the pastorate. He is married and has an 8-year-old daughter.

Members of the local church are urging all members, as well as friends, to attend the regular church services Sunday morning to hear and meet Rev. Willingham.

Registration Of Voters In County Reaches 13,980

A breakdown of figures on registration of voters in Eddy County completed last Thursday in the county clerk's office, shows 13,980 persons eligible to vote, but of them only 13,402 eligible to vote in the party primaries June 8, for 578 are registered as independents.

The total is an increase of 788 over the figure of two years ago.

The breakdown for the county as a whole shows 11,946 registered as Democrats, 1456 as Republicans, and 578 as independents.

In Artesia those registered as Democrats total 2839, Republicans 596, and independents 148.

The greatest increase over figures of two years ago was of 882 Democratic registrations. The Republican registration increased by 10, on which day there was a countywide registration day. That likewise was the final day on which (continued last page this section)

Grave In England Of Sgt. Warren Being Cared For

Although his grave is across the Atlantic Ocean and his mother has elected not to have his remains brought home, flowers from time to time are placed on the grave of S/Sgt. Melvin Warren, one of the two sons of Mrs. Leslie Warren of Artesia who gave their lives in World War II.

Mrs. Warren corresponds regularly with a young woman of Scotland, whose home is in Edinburgh, and from whose letters she receives a degree of consolation.

She is Joy McAdum, whose address is Marine Hotel, North Berwick, and who met Sergeant Warren when he was on furlough in England. Then the two spent much time together and developed a friendship—which Miss McAdum has passed on to Sergeant Warren's mother by way of her correspondence.

Sergeant Warren was killed April 27, 1944, when the plane on which he was a crew member crashed into the Cliffs of Dover. And the correspondence between her and Mrs. Warren has been carried on during the four years since.

In a recent letter to Mrs. Warren, Miss McAdum said she had been visiting friends in London and that the friends, at the request of Miss McAdum, would see that flowers were placed on the grave of Sergeant Warren at frequent intervals. They promised also to take pictures of his final resting place and send them, through Miss McAdum, to Mrs. Warren.

However, the final resting place of Sergeant Warren is being moved from Brookwood Cemetery to Cambridge Cemetery, along with the bodies of all other American boys (continued last page this section)

Drive For New Members Of GPA Chapter Launched

A drive for members of the newly-formed North Eddy County chapter of the Game Protective Association was launched at a meeting Tuesday night by Clarence Fischbeck, president, and other members.

A number of those already signed up have receipt books and have been authorized by the president to collect membership dues and issue receipts. Cards will be mailed out by the secretary, Frank Smith.

Dues for adults are \$2 a year while for persons under 18 years the dues are set at \$1.

President Fischbeck stressed at the meeting Tuesday that membership is not limited to men and boys, but that women and girls are welcome. Everyone interested in the conservation and protection of wildlife is invited to join the organization, he said.

The president announced he hoped to have a cost figure for the near future on automobile tags to signify the owner of the car is some member of the GPA. The idea originated here at an organizational meeting two weeks ago, when it was brought out that as far as local sportsmen know no other chapter has ever inaugurated the (continued last page this section)

Santa Fe Official, Who Died In Chicago, Well Known In Valley

T. B. (Tom) Gallaher, vice president of the Santa Fe System in charge of passenger traffic, who died suddenly Friday in his offices in the Railway Exchange in Chicago, started his railroad career in this section and had a number of friends in Artesia.

He formerly was general freight agent at Amarillo, and as such was in charge of freight on the Pecos Valley. According to C. O. Brown, local Santa Fe agent, it was Gallaher who was responsible for the line through Artesia to be given steam locomotion for passenger trains and also to get Pullman service.

Cameraman Is Here To Shoot Scenes In Color

Robert C. Bruce, Hollywood cameraman, producer and writer, is scheduled to arrive in Artesia today to shoot scenes in color, to be included in a short subject for national release.

Bruce will be in the state approximately 30 days. He will film the surrounding scenic spots and historic points of interest of about 40 New Mexico towns.

The short subject, in color, will be a complete coverage of New Mexico and will feature the Land of Enchantment. The subject will be available to Hollywood producers seeking locations for all types of outdoor pictures. A national release makes the subject available to all the theatres in the state. The producers of the short subject desire a New Mexico theater premiere.

The completed subject will also be shown to a group interested in forming a motion picture company to make a series of outdoor pictures in New Mexico. A New Mexico picture company would be a new industry for the state, an industry that would directly and indirectly benefit every type of local business. With the exception of the stars and character parts, all extras and most of the props would be obtained in the state, it was disclosed.

Bruce has made about 500 feature pictures and short subjects, among them "Waikiki Wedding" and "Trail of the Lonesome Pine." He is coming to New Mexico through arrangements of Ted Jones, motion picture representative (continued last page this section)

Legion Auxiliary 'Poppy Day' Will Be Observed In Artesia Saturday

"Poppy Day" will be observed in Artesia Saturday, May 29, of which day members of Clarence Kipple Unit No. 41, American Legion Auxiliary, will offer memorials for sale on the street here.

Mrs. C. R. Baldwin, unit president, in announcing the poppy sale stressed that wearing of a poppy on "Poppy Day" serves to honor the dead of World Wars I and II as well as to make a contribution towards the Welfare of disabled veterans and their families and the families of the dead.

Mrs. Frank Smith will be in general charge of the sale of the memorial flowers, Saturday, as volunteers representing the American Legion Auxiliary distribute them on the streets and in store and office buildings.

Plans are being made to cover the city completely so that every one will have an opportunity to honor the war dead and to aid the living victims of the two conflicts.

"The problems arising in the work of the American Legion Auxiliary did not cease with the termination of the war," Mrs. Fran-

Smith said. "On the other hand it is greater than in years past and will continue to be of great importance."

The chairman explained that the entire proceeds from the sale of the memorial poppies goes into the organization's rehabilitation work except for their cost, part of which is in pay to the disabled veterans of World Wars I and II, who made them.

A large percentage of the funds raised will remain in North Eddy County for the continuation of the rehabilitation work here. Mr. Smith said. The balance will be used in the national program.

The poppy workers here will be part of an army of more than 10,000 volunteers throughout the nation. All will donate their services without pay.

"The Saturday before Memorial Day has been observed as 'Poppy Day' in all parts of the nation for many years," said Mrs. Baldwin in announcing the date of this year's observance. "Poppies have been worn in memory of the war dead ever since the close of World War I." (continued last page this section)

Helen Beaty Wins State Audition For Scholarship

Miss Helen Beaty, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Beaty, who just completed her junior year in Artesia High School, won state honors in an audition at Santa Fe Saturday in the National Federation of Music Clubs contest for the Fred Stillman Kelly scholarship award.

The contestant from Artesia sang for 20 minutes before judges who were amazed at the young woman's beautiful voice and her control.

A recording of her voice, cut during the audition, will be heard in the annual contest by judges, who will consider six other contestants from Western states.

Her local vocal teacher and coach, Augusta Spratt, who accompanied Miss Beaty to Santa Fe said the scholarship is offered regionally every four years. This year it is for the group of Western states.

The winner will be awarded a scholarship of \$250 a year for four years of music study. And Mrs. Spratt feels Miss Beaty has a good chance to win.

While in Santa Fe Miss Beaty also had an audition for New Mexico Concerts, which has furnished a series of concerts for Artesia and other cities the last several winters. She was not given a contract for the coming season, but she will be with the series in 1949-50.

During the last school year Miss (continued last page this section)

Good-Will Trips To Mountains, Maljamar Planned

Tentative dates for the annual good-will trips sponsored by the Artesia Chamber of Commerce were announced this week by Luther E. Sharpe, secretary-manager.

Two trips are planned and will be under the general chairmanship of J. D. Smith.

As set up at present, the annual trip to the Sacramento Mountains, with the Artesia good-willers spending the night at Clouderoft, will be Wednesday and Thursday, June 23-24.

The other trip will be to Maljamar, probably on Tuesday, June 29, with a barbecue at noon.

Chairman Smith said further details will be released as plans are made.

Paving Hearing Meeting Is Set For Wednesday, June 9

The third and final publication this week of notice to property owners affected by the proposed quarter-million-dollar paving project for Artesia calls attention to the meeting of the City Council at 7:30 o'clock Wednesday evening, June 9, when owners of property abutting on streets and alleys affected and any other citizens interested may appear and be heard on any protests or discussions in regard to the project.

The total estimated cost of improving streets, avenues, alleys, and intersections under the proposal is \$274,792.25.

It is proposed to assess the cost of the improvements against the owners of property abutting them.

The present action was planned by the City Council last Feb. 27 when it was determined that the interests of the city require that certain streets, avenues, alleys, and intersections within the city should be graded, paved, and otherwise improved.

Similar action was taken last fall and publication of notice to property owners affected was made, after which an advertisement for bids from contractors was published. However, no bids were received by the City Council at the stipulated time, so the entire action

was again started at the council meeting February 27.

The council proposed to permit the assessments for the improvements to be paid in full within 30 days after completion of the work, or to require that they be paid in five installments, the first of which will be due and payable before 60 days after publication of an ordinance levying such assessments. The remaining installments are to be payable one each year on the same date as the original.

Unpaid assessments and deferred installments are to bear interest from the date the assessing ordinance becomes effective at the rate of 6 per cent a year payable semi-annually.

Under the proposal, the pavement is to be of six-inch gravel base, with a two-inch asphaltic wearing surface, or a double penetration asphaltic wearing surface. Curbs and gutters are to be concrete and alley paving is to be Portland cement concrete.

Estimates, plans, and specifications have been prepared by Clasen & Rowland, engineers.

Individual property owners are being served notice of the property to be assessed and calling attention to the meeting of the city council called for June 9, which will be continued from day to day as the proceedings require.

Stores Not To Close Monday For Holiday

At a meeting of the board of directors of the Artesia Chamber of Commerce last Thursday, it was recommended that Memorial Day, which falls on Sunday, May 30 be observed in Artesia on that day and that the stores and business houses remain open Monday, May 31.

Memorial Day Services Are To Be Conducted Here Sunday Afternoon

Memorial Day services for the Artesia community will be held at 2:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon in the Veterans Memorial Building, with the United Veterans Club taking the lead and making arrangements, it was announced by Bill Dunnam, general chairman.

Donald Bush, a veteran of World War II, will deliver the principal address. He will be assisted by the Veterans Building and the Woodbine Cemetery by Rev. Harry Wilson and Father Stephen Bono, serving as chaplains.

The second part of the service will be at the grave in the cemetery of Arthur T. Wood, who gave his life in World War II, and whose grave was selected by lot by a committee representing the American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars, and Disabled American Veterans.

The firing squad in the cemetery will be furnished by the local unit of the National Guard.

Color bearers and guards for the Veterans of Foreign Wars will be furnished by that organization whereas the American Legion will furnish bearers and guards for its own group and the Disabled American Veterans.

Members of the United Spanish War Veterans are to receive special recognition.

The auxiliaries of the Legion (continued last page this section)

and VFW are to participate, with members of the former group decorating the graves of veterans in the cemetery and members of the latter decorating the hall for the services. The colors of all three veterans' organizations will be used.

Singing will be in charge of Howard Miller, who lead the congregation in "The Star Spangled Banner." He also will sing a solo "The girls' high school glee club will likewise sing."

At the cemetery "Taps" will be played by Norvill Howell and Don Schulze, one echoing the other.

All veterans, those who do not belong to any organization as well as those belonging to one or more of the three local groups, are urged to take part in the services. And the general public is invited. Chairman Dunnam said. He stressed that Memorial Day is not only for the memory of members of the armed forces of the United States but for all.

Members of the three veterans' organizations and other veterans are asked to assemble at the city hall at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon from where they will march to the Veterans Building.

Veterans are asked to wear an organization cap or service uniform if available, or to come in civilian clothes.

Mail Here Now About Equal To Former Yule Rush

With the date for the extension of mail service in Artesia approaching, July 1, Jesse L. Truett, postmaster, this week called attention to the fact that increase in both incoming and outgoing mail here is almost equivalent to what it has been in the past during the Christmas rush.

In making the changes necessary to serve all patrons conveniently, he said it will necessitate a change in the time of deliveries to some patrons now receiving mail on Texas and Chisum Avenues from Fourth Street west, and all of that part of the city from Main Street south and Fourth Street west.

The changes, the postmaster said, will vary slightly, with deliveries earlier than at present on some of the streets and later than others.

Postmaster Truett asked that the postoffice patrons bear with him and the carriers a few days, when it is hoped to have a schedule of two regular trips daily, with as little variation as possible in all deliveries.

Many houses to which postal delivery is expected are not numbered, he attended to if delivery service is to be had. This is a "must" he added.

Likewise he called attention to the extension of service as of July 1, when a mounted route and an additional foot carrier route are established.

Service will be that art of the city north of Chisum north to the city limits, including Mosley, Adams, Hank, Church, Bush, Lolita, Champ Clark, Easy, Cannon, Cleveland, Kemp, State, Higgs, Combs, (continued on last page)

Summer Recreational Program To Start Monday For Boys And Girls

The summer recreational program sponsored by the Artesia schools will open Monday and will continue through Aug. 6 for all boys and girls of the community from 5 years old through high school eligible to participate.

Sessions will be from 8 o'clock Friday during the 10-week period. Enrollment for the various activities will be next Monday morning, with those interested in boys' and girls' playground to register respectively in the boys' and girls' gymnasium.

For band and orchestra, enrollment will be in the high school auditorium, beginner band members at 8 o'clock, senior and junior band at 9 o'clock, and string instrument players at 10 o'clock. Classes will be scheduled specifically after the enrollment.

The schedule for boys' playground activities: 8 to 9 o'clock Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays, handicrafts: 8 to 10 o'clock Tuesdays and Thursdays, hikes and special events: 10 to 11 o'clock each day, directed games, or swimming instruction: 11 o'clock to noon each day, story telling.

Special events to be held during the summer will be races, pet show, parents' day, swimming meet, softball games, and bicycle parade.

The girls' playground activities, the same each day: 8 to 9 o'clock, free play in the gymnasium and on the playground: 9 to 10 o'clock, organized games and story telling: 10 to 11 o'clock, rhythmic play and folk dancing: 11 o'clock to noon, swimming instruction.

There will be special events each Friday, such as picnics, treasure hunts, swimming meets, and parties.

Life-saving and tennis classes will be offered for teen-age girls. And an evening social hour, offering a variety of entertainment will be offered for boys and girls once (continued on last page)

Extension Club Women's State Convo June 7-9

More than 300 delegate-members of the New Mexico Association of Home Extension Clubs are expected to attend their fifth annual meeting on the campus of New Mexico A & M College June 7-9, according to Mrs. T. W. Coleman of Roosevelt County, president of the association. International peace will be the theme of the convention.

Registration of delegates will be in at 1 o'clock June 7 in Rhodes Hall, followed by a tour of the college campus and a get-acquainted hour on the terrace of the college's new student union building.

The meeting officially opens at 8:30 o'clock Tuesday morning, June 8, in Hadley Hall with a business meeting and several district and committee meetings. On the afternoon program for that day, Dr. John R. Nichols, president of New Mexico A & M, will make the welcome address, and Dr. H. R. Varney, dean and director of agriculture at the college, will speak on "International Policies Affecting Agriculture."

A panel discussion, "Essentials of Club Success," will be conducted by Mrs. Chett Gibson and Mrs. E. A. Gammon, Dona Ana County; Mrs. L. G. Zartman, Bernalillo County; Mrs. L. D. Matthews, Colfax County, and Miss Mary Jennings.

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HEFLIN GETS ROSWELL SCHOOL CONTRACT

Tom Heflin, Artesia contractor has just been awarded a contract to build East Side Elementary School in Roswell, to cost \$165,000. At present he is completing \$250,000 school addition in Carlsbad.

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Is Still Impossible

EVERY NOW AND THEN we are questioned about our plans for Artesia in so far as The Artesia Advocate is concerned.

We are also questioned as to what we think about a daily paper for Artesia.

Every community seeks and wants a daily newspaper. We would be more than glad to have a daily newspaper and to provide Artesia with a daily paper. And we propose to do just that if and when the newsprint is available and when business here will justify the venture.

We have sought for the past 18 months to secure sufficient additional newspaper to give Artesia a twice-a-week paper. We have talked to our source of newsprint not once but many times regarding this matter.

They have warned us they can and will continue to supply us with the newsprint necessary to provide the weekly, but they cannot guarantee us paper for twice a week and will not accept any responsibility for that.

It is true that others have gone out and purchased newsprint on a "black market" and they have sought to start papers. Some have been started and they are already in trouble. Others have managed so far to get along.

But the prices of "black market" paper are almost prohibitive. The regular market price of newsprint for that matter is almost prohibitive.

But the newsprint situation has not improved in the past two years. It has grown worse and not only has the price advanced several times but it is more scarce now than during the war.

That problem faces us even when we have endeavored to step the paper up to twice a week.

The same problem faces us if we sought to step up to a daily. In addition to this we must secure another press before we go daily or if we expect to speed up production.

The newsprint and press are two problems facing us. But there are other problems. We will need more room if and when we go daily. We will have to have more help than we have today both in the front office and in the back shop.

We would have to have sufficient business to justify the publishing of a daily newspaper. Only a survey and actual contacts could determine whether there is sufficient business here to warrant a daily paper. It would probably involve the signing of advertising contracts to use sufficient advertising space to insure there is sufficient business.

A daily newspaper means there must be sufficient advertising five to six days each week, not one to two days per week.

There is also a circulation problem involved. In other words the circulation will be limited to the most part to Artesia. There is little or no mail or train service in and out of the city, which permits delivery of an afternoon daily newspaper the same day of publication to nearby communities. The fact is these communities in themselves are limited.

We have given the matter considerable thought and study. We know Artesia is growing and expanding. We want to grow and expand with it. And we do plan to step up the publication of The Artesia Advocate when the newsprint and equipment are available and when it can be done.

And that set-up will continue toward a daily if and when it can be done and the business will justify it. More than a year ago we set in the second linotype machine with this in mind.

But we have had an order in for equipment for the job shop for more than a year now and we were promised delivery in four months when we placed that order. We have not even been promised delivery now.

That is the situation, which is faced when we consider doing what we would like to do and what Artesia wants done.—O.E.P.

For Death Or Pleasure

ONE OF MAN'S MACHINES, invented and perfected for enjoyment and pleasure, has become the greatest instrument of death.

Seemingly not a single hour goes by any more but what from one to 60 individuals lose their lives—killed by or in an automobile accident.

We spend time discussing, our conversation filled with fear, the atomic bomb. We voice concern about the rockets; we are alarmed about future wars, but we climb in our cars, cast care to the four winds and start driving—start driving, disregarding every safety rule and regulation we know.

It is perhaps true that some, maybe many, automobile accidents are unavoidable. But scores and

scores of the others are needless, unnecessary, and are the result of our absolute refusal to employ the safety knowledge we possess.

Today individuals are almost afraid to get in their cars and get out on the highways. They are afraid because, even if they do employ care and caution; even if they do have their car in good condition and their brakes work, they may be struck, injured, or killed by the other fellow, who has little or no concern for his fellow man.

The answer, of course, to the deaths resulting from automobile accidents, crashes and smash-ups rests in the hands of the car drivers.

We as individual drivers are responsible and to blame for what is happening and occurring. And we alone can halt the mounting toll of deaths from automobile accidents.

Certainly the law calls for applicants for drivers' licenses to undergo tests; the law calls for a check of the brakes and lights every four months; the law requires us to operate our automobiles that we have them under control at all times. It isn't the lack of law but rather our failure to observe these laws and to enforce these laws.

Yes, the machines created by man for business, entertainment, and pleasure have now become the nation's greatest instrument of death.—O.E.P.

Paint Those Lanes

WE ARE GLAD TO SEE the use of chrome paint for the parking zones, instead of the white, which was used heretofore by necessity. And we are told it is a better paint, which will remain visible longer and is easier to see.

But we hope the city purchased sufficient for another need, one which we have mentioned a number of times, and one which should be met at the time the new traffic stop-go lights have been installed and are turned on.

We are speaking of traffic lanes for turns at the intersections on Main Street, showing motorists where they should be when turning either right or left. Such lanes would help teach drivers that the logical method to use in turning left is to the inside of the geographical center of the intersection, which is the safest and has a tendency to interfere less with other cars going the same, opposite or cross direction than the old horse-and-buggy days sashay to the outside.

Yes, we certainly hope the city bought enough of the chrome paint to do that, so we can quit harping on it and get started on something else.—A.L.B.

Bicycle Ordinance

WE HAVE MENTIONED before the need of a city ordinance regulating bicycles, with a token tax charged each bicycle rider and with rules for riders to obey, or to subject to loss of the privilege of riding.

This is not intended to penalize the kids, but to protect them and their bicycles.

If the boys and girls were required to pass tests in which they would demonstrate a knowledge of traffic regulations and safety measures and then were required to live up to the ordinance, there would be far less chance of any having accidents, at the same time helping to keep motorists' hearts out of their mouths.

We could enumerate many bad practices of the kids in their bicycle riding, but you all know most of them as well as we do.

If such an ordinance would prevent only one accident and consequent injury to a child, it would be well worth the while.—A.L.B.

Look It Over First

THE TEEN CANTEN is being criticized, we are told, with the idea of having it closed to the youngsters of the Artesia community.

And we are informed the criticisms come from persons who have never attended one of the Friday night fun sessions in the Veterans Memorial Building.

Well, we have, and we can attest that the boys and girls deport themselves in the best manner, that there is nothing permitted or even attempted which is not of the highest moral code.

We believe it is far better to have our boys and girls together in a big, weekly party at the canteen than to have them seeking fun elsewhere and unsupervised.

And we believe that anyone feeling there is cause for any sort of criticism of the teen canteen should attend one or more sessions first.—A.L.B.

Put Artesia First

EVERY INDIVIDUAL, who is engaged in business or who has a job in Artesia, has an obligation to his community.

And if we could all agree among ourselves to accept this responsibility and would do our duty to our community there would be no need for anyone to preach trade or buy at home.

As someone some months ago said, if we would only place Artesia first in all things we could eliminate our accidents; we could have the cleanest city in the state; we would buy and trade at home; we would improve our home city, and we would have one of the most talked about cities in the nation.

But some way or other we won't do this. We think of ourselves first and of our city second. We let our personal feelings enter into the picture and base some of our ideas and opinions on personal prejudice.

We become angry or peeved about some merchant or some clerk's attitude and we then declare we will never trade there again. And instead of buying at home and instead of helping to build up our own community, we spend our money elsewhere and we help build some other community instead of helping to build Artesia.

It is true, of course, that we as a city need certain business firms; we need certain industries; we need certain merchandise and certain services. But the chances are we are adding as many new firms and business places every six months as any city our size in the state. We are slowly getting in a position to better take care of those, who reside in Artesia's trade territory. And we need to invite this trade and to serve this trade so they will continue to buy and trade with us.

If we could and would learn to think of Artesia first and to place it first in all things, we will build the Oil City of New Mexico into a modern city even more rapidly than we are doing now.—O.E.P.

LIFE WITH FATHER



Vets In Education And Training Programs Urged Not To Write VA

Veterans in education and training programs are urged not to write or contact Veterans Administration offices regarding increased subsistence benefits granted by the new subsistence law signed by President Truman.

In releasing an initial interpretation of the new rates, ceiling and dependency provisions of the new law, VA made the following points: Increases under the new ceiling will be retroactive from April 1 although initial payments probably will not be received by veterans until their July checks, due about Aug. 1.

The law increases ceilings on with no dependents; \$270 for a veteran with one dependent; and \$290 combined subsistence and salary for trainees to \$210 for a veteran for a veteran with more than one dependent. The old ceilings were \$175 for a veteran with no dependents and \$200 for a veteran with one or more dependents.

The higher rates will be paid automatically to all trainees whose existing applications now on file with VA contain the information needed to establish their dependencies. When additional information is needed, the veteran will receive a form by mail which he should fill out completely and return promptly.

VA will enclose with May subsistence checks, due June 1, a printed explanation of provisions of the new law.

VA stressed one point to veterans. While their increases are retroactive to April 1 and their first increased payment will include all back increases due, completed forms establishing dependencies must be filed with VA prior to Sept. 1. Otherwise, payments will begin when the necessary information is filed.

Active labor, and increasing subsistence allowances for part-time school training and for combination school and job training programs, including institutional on-farm training. It also extends increased benefits to disabled veterans taking combination types of training under Public Law 16.

The higher monthly ceilings on earned income plus subsistence will increase VA allowances to many of the 60,000 veterans training under the GI Bill in Colorado, Wyoming, Utah, and New Mexico. However, VA said no actual estimate will be possible until forms establishing dependencies have been returned by the trainees.

In the case of veterans in job training only, no change was made in the maximum subsistence payable of \$65 a month to a veteran without dependents and \$90 a

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As Artesia Grows

TWENTY YEARS AGO

(From The Advocate files for May 24, 1928)

The largest class to ever graduate from the junior high school was a class of 72 pupils.

Miss Jennie Beth Bishop represented the high school graduating class of 20 by delivering the valedictory speech.

Six business houses were burglarized during the last week. Nothing of importance was taken. The police had not been able to get a lead on the burglars.

Fred Cole attended the state convention of the Lions Club in Roswell.

The Artesia Rotary Club entertained 10 delegates from the Carlsbad Rotary Club at a dinner as a good-will measure.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Bishop celebrated their 18th wedding anniversary on the same day their daughter, Beth, graduated from high school.

The New Mexico delegates endorsed the candidacy of Al Smith of New York for president.

W. E. Ragsdale and son, Wilmer, went to Poyte, Texas, for a visit.

Work was starting on a modern whiteway for Artesia. The lights were to be 400 candlepower.

TEN YEARS AGO

(From The Advocate files for May 26, 1938)

Miss Betty Jane Everts celebrated her 12th birthday with a party at which such games as popping balloons, "Red Rover," and making words were played.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Gates was honored at a formal welcome party given in the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Linell. They plan to make their home in Artesia.

Tony King had just finished his sophomore year at the University of New Mexico.

Miss Ruthie Martin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Martin, was taking interior decorating at Woodbury's College in Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Blue honored Mrs. Charles Morgan with a surprise birthday party in their home.

Glenn Stone, son of Dr. and Mrs. Ed Stone, was to receive his degree from the Los Angeles School of Optometry the first week in June.

Owen Campbell was putting the Oasis farm and swimming pool on the market.

Cottage cheese was selling for 15 cents a pound.

D. I. Clowe had the distinction of being the first to receive a letter by airmail in Artesia.

Mrs. Joe Nunn and daughter, Jo Ann, and Dickey Teague were injured in a car wreck.

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Maljamar Items

(Mrs. Kenneth Shields)

(Received late last week)

Monday of last week was registration day in Maljamar and also marked the grand opening of the Maljamar Cafe under new management. Mrs. Kyle Taylor and Mrs. Kenneth Shields were registrars at the Baptist Church. Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Blakley are the new managers of the Maljamar Cafe. They are from Lovington, where Mr. Blakley has been in the oil business for the last 12 years. They have a daughter, Patricia. Mrs. Blakley is a sister of Bob Patterson.

The Kewanee Oil Company has chosen a location about a block south of the postoffice and on the east side of the highway going into the oil field for a new camp.

A Shetland pony belonging to the daughter of Mrs. Jimmy Cunningham almost strangled after becoming tangled in the rope with which he was tied. Mrs. Cunningham cut the rope loose before the accident became fatal.

Management of the Maljamar Repressing Plant honored their employees with a picnic under the trees near Maljamar Friday evening.

Fried chicken was served tables, benches, and a firepit for the picnic. About 50 persons attended. Mrs. William J. Wright visited

Trim Ensemble



Ensemble afternoon ensemble.

By VERA WINSTON

DARK BROWN sheer wool is the medium for this very crisp, suave afternoon ensemble. The fitted jacket buttons down the front below a casual collar. It stops just above the low-placed taffeta sash of the dress which has a simple bodice with square neckline and short sleeves. It has a very snug torso which is set off by the taffeta bow-tied sash. The skirt is gracefully accordion-pleated.

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Next of kin of deceased Army and Air Force personnel may submit applications to The Adjutant General, United States Army, Washington 25, D. C. Application forms will be available about June 1 and may be obtained from any Army or Air Force installation, any nationally recognized veterans' organization, or the adjutant general.

Navy, Coast Guard, and Marine Corps applications should go to the Chief, Bureau of Naval Personnel, Navy Department, Washington, D. C., and they likewise, may be procured from Naval installations or veterans' organizations, or from the Bureau of Naval Personnel.

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Artesian's Niece Is Carlsbad Elks Rodeo Sweetheart



—Photo by Bill Colvert

Extreme right is Mrs. Helen Bryan Foreman, Jr., of Carlsbad, niece of Tom Bryan, of Artesia, who will be one of the sweethearts of the Carlsbad Elks rodeo, to be staged in the Cavern City June 5-6.

The rodeo is being given by the Carlsbad Elks Lodge for the benefit of the public school lunch fund, which has managed to get itself \$3000 in the hole. Carlsbad Elks 638 strong are determined to wipe out the lunch fund debt during the rodeo.

The first event of Rodeo Week in Carlsbad, will be a dance held on Saturday night, May 20, where Western regalia will be the prevailing costume. The Texas Bluebonnet Playboys, famed Western dance band of El Paso, will furnish the music.

At the dance the three loving cups, shown in the hands of the young ladies above will be presented to the winners of the following contests: Man with the best set of whiskers, best dressed cowboy, and best dressed cowboy. The three large loving cups are being put up by the Southern Union Gas Company, which operates in Artesia; the American Bank of Carlsbad, and the Carlsbad National Bank whose president is Jack Spence, former district governor of Rotary International.

The opening of the rodeo will be heralded by a large parade in the Cavern City Saturday morning, June 5, led by Gov. Thomas J.

Mabry. The Eddy County Sheriff's Posse, including 25 members from Artesia; Amarillo Range Riders, and Pecos and El Paso Sheriff's Posses will participate in the parade. Numerous floats are expected from Carlsbad business firms and other organizations in Eddy County.

Members of the Carlsbad Elks Lodge will make a good-will tour to Artesia, at 9 o'clock next Monday morning, bringing more than a 100 people with them, a band, and a ton and a half white Brahma bull, which will perform on Artesia's downtown streets. After staging a parade in Artesia, the delegation is expected to be guests of the Artesia Elks Lodge.

Exalted Ruler Bill Meadows of the Carlsbad Elks, said he would dare W. T. (Doc) Haldeman, exalted ruler of the Artesia Elks Lodge to ride the so-called tame bull down Artesia's Main Street. At press time Haldeman, who is a candidate for Eddy County commissioner, could not be reached for

a statement. Haldeman's friends said today that they fully expected him to ride the Brahma bull, and win any money that Meadows cared to put up.

The other two young ladies pictured above, left to right, are Ruth Womack and Doris Satterfield.

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"THE MAN NEW MEXICO NEEDS" (Paid Pol. Adv.)

The Burmese New Year, celebrated this April, was 1310.

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SOCIETY

Mrs. Campanella Is Honored At Pink-Blue Shower

Mrs. Louis Campanella was honored with a pink and blue shower in the home of Mrs. John Mauer, Jr., Tuesday of last week. Mrs. A. O. Duckworth was hostess.

The house was decorated with bouquets of pink roses and baby's-breath. Games were played by the guests before the gifts were opened.

The hostesses served punch with individual cakes. Pink paper booties served as nut cups.

Present for the occasion were Mmes. Ella Stanley, Mildred Daugherty, R. J. Sutcliffe, Berta Duxbury, Lola Wood, W. H. Box, George Schneider, J. J. Clarke, Sr., V. A. Lane, J. T. Castleberry, T. L. Post, J. W. Jackson, R. L. Gill, Neil Hogan, Joe Campanella, Franklin Wiltse, William Ellinger, Harvey Flynn, W. J. Cluney, Fred Knowles, Lester George, Willard E. Morris, and John Simons, Sr.

Those who were unable to attend and sent gifts were Mmes: Charles Stogner, James Nellis, Sr., D. D. Sullivan, William Terpening, Lewis Cole, O. C. Bean, E. B. McCrory, Helen Porter, McCaw, Lenard Munson, Adams, Glen Lunsford, J. J. Clarke, Jr., Mirl Faulkenberry, Bernice Golden, and Scott, and Misses Cara Bell Durbin and Joe Lavern Durbin.

Pauline Perkins Is Married To Charles Harland

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Perkins have announced the marriage of their only daughter, Pauline, to Charles Harland, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Harland of Loco Hills.

Friends and members of the immediate family gathered Sunday afternoon at the Church of God, where Rev. H. M. Drake united the couple in marriage.

The best man was Thurman Harland, brother of the bridegroom, and the matron of honor was Mrs. John Gray, who wore a blue dress for the occasion.

Mrs. Horace Perkins, sister-in-law of the bride, sang, "Oh Promise Me" and "I Love You Truly." Miss Florence Dooley played the piano accompaniment.

The bride, who has resided in Artesia several years and attended school here, was beautifully attired in an aqua-blue suit with white accessories.

After a honeymoon in Wichita Falls, where the bridegroom attended school, the newlyweds will make their home in Artesia.

Announcement Made Of Extension Club State Meet In June

Mrs. Roy Angell announced there will be a state meeting of all extension clubs in Las Cruces in June. She made this announcement while presiding over a meeting of the Lakewood Extension Club last Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Forrest Lee.

After a short discussion of the meeting, Miss Wynona Swepton gave a demonstration on simplification of working in the home.

Mrs. Lee served refreshments to Mmes. Angell, R. L. House, M. C. Lee, J. L. Long, Hugh Moutray, J. B. Moutray, A. L. Neatherlin, Raymond Neatherlin, Tom Price, R. T. Schenck, and Will Truett, and Miss Swepton.

Pink And Blue Shower Honors Mrs. W. Truett

Mrs. Wayne Truett was surprised with a pink and blue shower in the home of Mrs. Allen Mills by Mrs. J. D. Woodside, Mrs. Riley Brown, and Mrs. Mills last Thursday evening.

The many gifts were placed in a bassinet, which had been covered with pink and blue. A life-size stork guarded the gifts.

The serving table was centered with a cluster of pink sweetpeas in a blue bowl. Mrs. Woodside presided at the punchbowl. Individual pink cakes topped with blue storks were served to the guests.

The honoree was presented a corsage of pink carnations tied with baby-blue ribbon. The hostesses wore miniature corsages of the same design.

Those present were Mesdames: J. L. Truett, E. B. Everett, Carl Howell, Jack Conner, G. D. Woodside, W. A. Dunnam, W. C. Gray, J. S. Mills, S. L. Mills, A. W. Broocoe, C. N. Perkins, and C. R. Baldwin, and Misses Jimmie Starkey, Hattie Ruth Cole, Dortha Lee Jones, Ethel Cave, and Quata Winters.

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Oilfield Pupils, Who Will Come To Artesia, Are Honored At Picnic

Fifth grade pupils of Oilfield School, who will attend the sixth grade in Artesia next year, were presented presents from their lower classmates last Thursday evening after a big picnic supper at the schoolhouse.

The pupils were Nancy Risley, Jimmie Doris Walker, Evelyn Marshall, Jetta Ruth Day, Johnny Francis, and Sherman Forsyth.

Perfect attendance awards were presented to Andrea Jo Melton and Johnny Francis. Those earning scholastic awards were Jimmy Doris Walker, Evelyn Marshall, Nancy Risley, Mary Ellen Davis, Buford Norrid, Andrea Melton, Marcia Pennington, Walter Peppers, Edna Pennington, Austin Pennington, Joan Harrison, and Renelle Forsyth.

Before the supper, the group of approximately 150 persons played softball. The pupils presented a short program after the supper.

Mrs. Ward Risley, Mrs. Joe Solt, W. A. Loyd, and Warren Neil had charge of the meeting.

Blumenschein To Have Exhibition Of Art Sunday

An exhibition of the life works of New Mexico's eminent artist Ernest L. Blumenschein will open in the State Museum Gallery in Santa Fe on Sunday afternoon, local artists have learned.

At the opening exercise, Blumenschein will be made an honorary fellow in art of the School of American Research. On the program will be papers honoring Blumenschein and his work by four other distinguished New Mexico artists, Bert Phillips and Howard Cook of Taos, Theodore VanSoelen of Santa Fe, and Kenneth Adams of Albuquerque. Dr. Sylvanus G. Morley, director of the School of American Research, will award the honorary fellowship.

Considered in art circles New Mexico's outstanding event of the year, artists and art lovers throughout the state have indicated plans to attend the opening. This will be the first of a new annual series at the museum to be known as "Retrospect Exhibitions of New Mexico's Living Masters" it is announced by Dr. Reginald Fisher, head of fine arts, who is well known in Artesia through the museum's traveling exhibitions shown here each year by the Artesia Woman's Club fine arts committee.

Advance word has been given the Woman's Club that a selected group of a dozen Blumenschein works from the large retrospect show is to be one of the offerings available to Artesia on next season's traveling exhibition series.

One of America's most eminent painters and one of the founders of the Taos colony, Ernest L. Blumenschein has been associated with art in New Mexico half a century. Since his first gold medal in 1917—the Palmer Medal and \$1,000 prize of the Chicago Art Institute—his work has received almost every important award of the country. His vast output of fine painting has contributed immeasurably to New Mexico's reputation as an art center.

Mrs. Leone O. French Who Is Retiring As Teacher, Is Honored

Members of the high school faculty honored Mrs. Leone O. French at a coffee in the home economics room at high school Friday morning.

Mrs. French, who has been teaching here the last 20 years, has announced she is retiring. Her immediate plans include a trip to California, where she will spend the summer, and then back to Artesia where she will make her home.

She taught English in junior high school and has three children who finished school here.

Miss Lois Nethery, as spokeswoman for the group, presented Mrs. French a piece of handsome luggage as a farewell gift.

Texas-New Mexico Employees, Families Entertain Officials

Employees of the Texas-New Mexico Pipe Line Company of Loco Hills and their families were hosts Friday afternoon to visiting company officials at a picnic given on the croquet courts of the camp.

Officials present at the picnic were W. E. Shipp of Midland, E. L. McIntyre, safety engineer of the Texas Company, accompanied by Mrs. McIntyre and their son of Houston, and Charles Allen of El Paso, safety engineer of the Maryland Casualty Company.

Occasion for the affair was a company-sponsored safety meeting held previous to the picnic.

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Beth King And Frank Wingfield Marry Saturday

Miss Beth King, daughter of Mrs. George King, was united in marriage to Frank Wingfield, son of Mrs. Effie Wingfield, in the parsonage of the Presbyterian Church in Alamogordo Saturday evening. Rev. C. K. France officiated at the double-ring ceremony.

The bride was costumed in a brown sheer dress with a brown hat. Other accessories were white. She wore a shoulder corsage of pink carnations.

After the ceremony, the couple went to Ruidoso for a few days. They are at home at 812 Missouri.

Mrs. Wingfield graduated from Artesia High School and Draughan's Business College in Lubbock and is now employed by Roland Rich Wooley, oil operator.

Mr. Wingfield also graduated from Artesia High School and New Mexico Military Institute. He served in the Navy during World War II and was chief operator for Malco Refineries, Inc., before the war. He is now in the construction business.

The couple plans to take a trip to California in the near future.

Past Matrons Meet Tuesday At Funk Home

Fried chicken and "all the trimmings" were served at an all-day meeting of the Past Matrons' Club in the home of Mrs. Jesse I. Funk Monday.

The meeting was held in the morning and the dinner was served at 12:30 o'clock in a dining room made more charming with bouquets of garden flowers. Flowers were also placed in the living room where a short business meeting was held.

Mrs. P. V. Morris, president, was in charge of the meeting.

Mrs. John Rowland, who had charge of the program gave an interesting talk on "International Eastern Star Temple in Washington, D. C."

Members present were Mesdames: George F. Teel and George O. Teel of Hope; P. V. Morris, John Rowland, Sid Wheeler, Lee Glasscock, J. M. Story, Rufus Stinnett, Jeff Hightower, J. D. Josey, and Arba Green.

Mrs. M. A. Mapes Is Speaker At Meeting Of Beta Sigma Phi

Mrs. M. A. Mapes was a guest speaker at a meeting Tuesday evening of Beta Sigma Phi in the home of Mrs. W. B. Macey.

Mrs. Mapes chose "The Study of Art" as her subject for the evening. In her talk, she gave a brief history of art, including oils, watercolors, and many different forms of artistic works.

Mrs. William C. Thompson, Jr. presided over a short business meeting and announced a social will be held at the home of Mrs. Maynard Hall in June.

The hostess served light refreshments to Mmes. Charles Sanford, Harry R. Gilmore, O. R. Gable, Jr., Charles Bullock, C. M. Murphy, William C. Thompson, Jr., Millard Waters, and L. W. Coll, and Miss Nancy Haynes.

Stork Shower Tuesday Honors Clowe Twins

Mrs. Don Adams and Mrs. Hal Lovelady, twin daughters of Mr. and Mrs. D. I. Clowe, were honored with a surprise twin stork shower Tuesday evening in the home of Mrs. Arnold Clanton. Mrs. Tony King was cohostess.

Each was told that the shower was for the other in order to keep it a secret.

The honorees were seated on either side of a life-sized stork, which was carrying a baby in its bill. Mrs. Adams' gifts were placed in a pink basket and Mrs. Lovelady's in a blue basket.

The serving table was centered with a crystal punch set. China baby baskets, one pink and one blue, were filled to overflowing with sweetpeas, fern, and pink and blue ribbon. Pink and blue candles flanked the baskets.

Pink and blue booties served as favors and nutcups. Individual cakes were served with punch to the guests after the many lovely gifts were opened.

A coffee table, set in the center of the beautifully decorated living room, was transformed into a miniature nursery, complete with cribs, chests, toys, and babies.

Guests for the occasion were Mmes. Dub Shields, Jess Whitted, G. C. Buckner, Roy Castleberry, and Jimmy Nellis, Jr., and Misses

PEYTON YATES HAS BIRTHDAY PARTY

Peyton Yates celebrated his 7th birthday Tuesday of last week with a supper and theater party. The supper was served in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Yates.

Guests for the occasion arrived at the Yates home, where they had the birthday cake and from there went to the show.

Present at the party were Harvey Yates, Mary Yates, Danny Hale, Andy Anderson, Jeannet Dowd, Carolyn Hutson, Jimmie Conger, Judy Broocke, Linnett Witcher, Miss Billie Sue and Cathey Parry, Pamela Popkins and David Feezel.

FIDELIS CLASS IS ENTERTAINED FRIDAY

Members of the Fidelis Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church gave a coffee Friday morning in the home of Mrs. J. H. Holcomb.

The serving table was centered with a lovely bouquet of roses and baby's-breath. Mrs. Bob Johnson and Mrs. Holcomb presided at the table.

JAMES LEONARD HOLCOMB HONORED ON BIRTHDAY

Mrs. J. H. Holcomb honored her son, James Leonard, on his 11th birthday Monday afternoon with a party.

Larkspur and baby's-breath were used to decorate the living room. Outside games and activities were planned for the 14 guests who called to wish the honoree a "happy birthday."

Mrs. Holcomb served punch and cake to the group.

PARTY HONORS LITTLE BILLIE SUE PARRY

Mrs. Hugh Parry honored her daughter, Billie Sue, with a picnic supper on her fifth birthday last Thursday.

Hot-dogs were served with ice cream and cake topping them off. Billie Ruth Ellinger won a prize in the game, "Finding the Key-hole."

Guests for the occasion were Linda and Kay McLean, Betty Bullock, Ann Stromberg, Linda Gates, Clair Carper, Elaine and Ila Fern Carmichael, Mary and Peyton Yates, Kent Barnett, Wayne Malone, Cathy and David Feezel, Harvey Yates, and Cathey Parry.

Eldine Fry and Virginia Johnson Those Who Sent Gifts Were Mmes. Frank Clowe, Allen Mills, Marie Johnson, and George Settlemyre.

Clovis Good-Willers Visit Here Tuesday To Advertise Rodeo

A group of good-will bewhiskered ambassadors from Clovis was in Artesia over the noon hour Tuesday, advertising the annual "Pioneers' Days" celebration and rodeo June 4-5.

The party arrived in a chartered bus and parked on Main Street, while a hill-billy band entertained Artesia citizens.

The visitors were greeted by Mayor Oren C. Roberts and Luther E. Sharpe, secretary-manager of the Artesia Chamber of Commerce.

Epsilon Sigma Alpha Pledges Receive Their Jewel Pins Tuesday

Pledges in Epsilon Sigma Alpha received their jewel pins Tuesday evening in the home of Miss Velma Springer, with Miss Jimmy Starkey as initiation officer.

The pledges were Mrs. Raymond Waters, Mrs. E. P. Bullock, Mrs. Leo Austin, Mrs. George Lynch, Miss Bonnie Fletcher, and Miss Mary Glascock.

Officers for the coming year were installed at the meeting also. Mrs. Raymond Waters was installed president. Others were: Vice president, Mrs. Leo Austin; recording secretary, Mrs. E. P. Bullock; corresponding secretary, Miss Mary Glascock, and treasurer, Miss Bonnie Fletcher.

The club's colors, yellow and blue, were used to decorate the room. Yellow flowers made a lovely centerpiece on the serving table. It was a formal initiation and installation. Miss Jimmie Starkey, retiring president, had charge of both ceremonies.

The hostess served light refreshments to all members.

HILL AUTO SERVICE MOVES TO SECOND STREET

Russell Hill of Hill Auto Service announced this week he has moved his shop and business from 508 West Main Street to his new building at 607 South Second Street.

He is just completing the building, which is 30x50 feet and was especially designed for his business for better service and more room.

Mexican Legend To Be Presented By Girl Scouts

"The Princess In The Moon," a one act Mexican legend, will be presented by Girl Scout Troop No. 4 in the Central School Auditorium at 7:30 o'clock Friday evening.

Mrs. Earl Cox and Mrs. Curtis Bolton, leaders, have directed and assisted the members of the cast. The cast is also responsible for the costumes and scenery.

This will complete the group of 10 and 11-year-olds work for this year and will also earn them badges in dramatics.

Characters in the play are Laura Lou Smith as Lolo; Marilyn Saiken as Carlos; Thea Mae Williams as Mamma; Carolyn Cox as the princess; Jane Miller as the Sun Prince; Ariene Raulk as the slave; Sylvia Miller as an old man and Bina Bean as the basket woman.

In the chorus will be Beatrice Meadows, Eileen and Eileen Marshall, Ann Easley, Ruth Faulk, Marsha Rowley, and Dewana Berry. There is a nominal admission of 10 cents to cover costs.

Cub Scout Pack 14 To Meet On Friday At Baptist Church

W. G. Short, cubmaster of Cub Scout Pack 14, has announced there will be a pack meeting at 7:45 o'clock Friday evening at the First Baptist Church.

He said four Cubs are to graduate and become Boy Scouts at that time. A number of awards will be made.

As it will be the last regular pack meeting until after the summer vacation period, the cubmaster asked that there be a good turnout of members, to encourage boys.

SERVICES ARE HELD FOR EMMONS INFANT

Graveside services for Charles Randolph Emmons, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Russell Emmons, were held in Woodland Cemetery at 2:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. Robert A. Wadsworth, evangelist of the Church of Christ, officiated.

The baby died at Artesia Memorial Hospital at 3:45 Tuesday morning after a three-day illness.

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FLOCALS

Mrs. Leonard Ledbetter and daughter, Judy, returned home last Thursday from a trip through Texas and Louisiana. They were gone two weeks and visited relatives in both states.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kersey returned Sunday evening from an eight day trip during which they attended the International Petroleum Exposition in Tulsa, Okla. They visited friends in Panhandle, Pampa, Dallas, and Fort Worth, Texas, and Norman and Tulsa, Okla. Mrs. R. E. Griggs of Kirksville, Mo., came here and stayed with her small granddaughter, Kathryn, while the Kersseys were away.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Berry left Saturday for Santa Fe to visit friends. They were to return Wednesday.

Mrs. Joe Willmoth, the former Sadie McCaw, and son, Billy, of Phoenix, Ariz., are here visiting her sister, Miss Linna McCaw. Tommy and Jack McCaw, Jr., and Miss Linna McCaw spent the week end at Miss McCaw's cabin at Ruidoso.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Kelley Stout, and Max G. Shulze, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Shulze, will receive their bachelor degrees from Texas Tech at Lubbock Monday, June 7. Both are veterans of World War II. Shulze has earned his degree in accounting Stout, who completed his degree requirements last August, will receive a degree in civil engineering.

Jack Armstrong and Bob Bourland left Saturday for San Francisco, representing the Artesia Auto Company in the advance showing of the new Ford. They have wired back that it is nearly unbelievable. They are expected home Sunday.

Bill Boggs left Tuesday for Albuquerque to enter the Veterans Hospital for a check-up. He is expected to be gone about a month. He was taken to Albuquerque by Wade Cunningham.

Miss Patricia Robinson, who has been living in Picacho the last few months, arrived in Artesia Wednesday morning for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Paton will leave Monday morning to attend the graduation exercises of their niece, Miss Janice Gentry, in Abilene. Miss Gentry was a cheerleader in Abilene High School this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Stroup and baby of Kirkwood, Mo., have been visiting Mr. Stroup's parents, Dr. and Mrs. H. A. Stroup, and his brother, Howard Stroup, and family. Mr. Stroup is a personnel supervisor in the general offices of the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company in St. Louis.

Mrs. Wallace Gates is entertaining her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Russell, of Rawlins, Wyo., who will be here a week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lively took Mrs. J. E. Holeman and children, Janice and Glen, to Hurley Saturday to visit Mrs. Holeman's sister, Mrs. Ora Little, and family. Mr. and Mrs. Lively returned home Sunday.

Miss Peggy Jo Bentley and Miss Billy Jean Baker left last Thursday for Santa Rosa, Calif., to visit Miss Bentley's mother, Mrs. Vernon Shockey, and her sister, Mrs. Bob Bushers, in Richmond. They will be home about June 1.

Mr. and Mrs. William M. Linell and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Jesse, returned Sunday from Denver, Colorado, where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Linell's daughters, Mrs. K. W. Brodt and Mrs. N. A. Ibecker. Mrs. Brodt is the former Miss Peggy Linell and Mrs. Ibecker, the former Miss Dorothy Linell. They were joined in Denver by Mrs. Linnell's sister, Mrs. S. A. Head of Francis, Okla.

Mrs. E. E. Jernegan of Artesia and her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Arvel Jernegan, and their daughter, Alva Lee, accompanied a group of Weigh High School graduates on a sight-seeing tour to New Orleans and other places of interest through the south. They plan to be gone two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Billie Gray returned last week end from a 10-day vacation trip to California. They visited Mrs. Gray's aunt in Los Angeles and Mr. and Mrs. Clark Bruce of Coronado, formerly of Artesia. Mr. and Mrs. Bruce's daughter, Betty, was valedictorian of her graduating class.

Leland Hendricks of the Flying H Ranch was recently pledged to Theta Chi, national fraternity, at New Mexico A & M College.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete L. Loving returned home last week from Wilmington, California, where they visited their son, Dalton Loving, and family. They were gone 10 days.

S-Sgt. Jim Head, caretaker for the local battery of the New Mexico National Guard, was to go to Albuquerque today to bring back a jeep which has been assigned to the battery.

Beecher Rowan of Manhattan Beach, California, formerly of Artesia, is here on business.

The headquarters ranchhouse on the Burnt Canyon ranch of Gene Boons of Artesia, was destroyed by fire Monday. It was understood that Mr. and Mrs. Newt McBride lived there. They lost most of their personal properties.

Mr. and Mrs. Newt Malone have returned home of Grants, where they took their grandson, Kenneth Dickson, Friday. He is to spend the summer with his mother, Mrs. Ed Boans, and Mr. Boans.

Among the new citizens of Artesia are Mr. and Mrs. Bill Case and daughter, Miss Billie Case, who came here from Gallup. They are living at 904 Washington Avenue. Mr. Case is a barber at the Sanitary Barber Shop, and his daughter is employed by the New Mexico Asphalt & Refining Company in the office.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarke Miller and son, Gordon, spent the week end with Mr. Miller in Amarillo. Mr. Miller is expected home Monday.

Hospital News

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Miller are the parents of Herman Isaac, born Wednesday last week. He weighed eight pounds 14 ounces and was the heaviest baby of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Apolonio Renteria are the parents of the lightest baby of the week, Maria Emma who was born last Thursday and weighed four pounds 11 ounces. She is doing very nicely in an incubator.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Whatley are the parents of Phyllis Kay, born Wednesday last week. She weighed seven pounds six ounces.

Rupert Thomas is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Lewis. He was born last Thursday and weighed eight pounds six ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Rideout are the parents of Roland Thomas, who was born last Thursday and weighed six pounds six ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Logsdon are the parents of Linda Earline, who was born Tuesday and weighed six pounds.

Mrs. Albert Foster was admitted to the hospital Wednesday last week for medical attention. Clifford Stevenson entered the hospital for medical attention last Thursday.

Edward Scott, son of Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Scott of Mayhill entered the hospital last Thursday for medical attention.

Mrs. Truman Howard was admitted to the hospital Friday for medical attention.

Mrs. Andrew Milam entered the hospital Friday for medical attention.

Harold Jordan, son of Mrs. C. P. Alton, had his tonsils removed Monday.

Mrs. Ralph Monk entered the hospital Tuesday for medical attention.

Mrs. Laura Kelly entered the hospital Tuesday for medical attention.

Mrs. E. K. Angel received medical attention, when she entered the hospital Tuesday.

James Nicar entered the hospital Tuesday for medical attention.

Miss Mary Chavarría underwent major surgery Tuesday.

Lynn Houston, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Houston, had his tonsils removed Wednesday.

Miss Sharon Meador, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Meador, had her tonsils removed Wednesday.

Norma Bedford, daughter of Mrs. Fanny Bedford, had her tonsils removed Wednesday.

Mrs. J. D. Munnelee was admitted to the hospital Saturday for medical attention.

William Dauphin, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Dauphin, entered the hospital Monday for medical attention.

Antiaircraft Weapons Shown By Guard In Exhibition For Public

A public exhibition of the National Guard's latest antiaircraft automatic weapons was given last evening at the Veterans Memorial Building.

Among weapons shown were an automatic 40-millimeter gun with its deadly accurate director for automatic firing and a power-operated quadruple mounted 50-caliber machinegun, capable of firing more than 2400 rounds a minute.

L. H. D. Burch, commanding officer, said the local unit will be armed with eight each of these weapons as soon as there is storage space available here.

DISTRICT AUXILIARY MEETING ANNOUNCED

Mrs. H. R. Paton, fifth district president of the American Legion Auxiliary, announced there will be a fifth district meeting in Roswell Wednesday, June 2.

The meeting will begin about 10 o'clock in the morning. A dinner will be served by the Roswell unit at noon.

Mrs. Paton advised those who wish to attend to contact Mrs. C. R. Baldwin, president of the Artesia unit.

ARAB LEGION MANEUVERS ON PALESTINE BORDER



A MOUNTED RECONNAISSANCE party of Transjordan's Arab Legion (left) near the border of Palestine where, it has been reported, King Abdullah's forces have already gone into action against the Army of Israel. Right, is a typical legionnaire, garbed in his battle uniform. Abdullah's British-trained and subsidized Legion is recognized as the most efficient and well-armed fighting force of the Arab world. (International)

'Who Walk Alone' To Be Broadcast Monday Over Natonal Chain

Mrs. C. R. Baldwin, president of the American Legion Auxiliary, has received word that the "Cavalcade of America" radio program will broadcast "Who Walk Alone" over a coast-to-coast network at 8 o'clock Monday evening, Eastern daylight time.

"Who Walk Alone" is taken from the book of the same name by Perry Burgess. Aside from the human interest story, the book gives facts and figures about leprosy.

Burgess, who made an extensive study of the subject, has succeeded in bringing leprosy problems to the public eye. "Cavalcade of America" has successfully transformed it into a radio play in their fight to eradicate leprosy.

The program will be rebroadcast at 11:30 o'clock that same evening for the mountain and western cities.

GILMORE NOMINATED FOR LEGION OFFICE

Harry B. Gilmore of Artesia was nominated for area commander of the American Legion, and Bill Hollis of Hobbs, for district commander, at a district meeting at the Veterans Memorial Building in Artesia Sunday afternoon.

The election for the two offices will be at the department convention.

A special guest at the meeting here Sunday was New Mexico Department Commander Merle Briggs of Silver City.

MISS GWALTER NAMED TO CHRISTIAN SCIENCE BOARD

Miss L. Ivmy Gwalter has been elected a member of the board of directors of The Christian Science Society.

Miss L. Ivmy Gwalter has been elected a member of the board of directors of the Christian Science Church to fill the vacancy made by the recent death of Mrs. Nelvi E. Ritchie, members of the local Christian Science Society has learned.

Miss Gwalter, who was formerly assistant editor of The Christian Science Journal, has resigned that post.

Mayor Oren Roberts Becomes Member Of Eddy Sheriff's Posse

Mayor Oren C. Roberts now has an official badge, which was presented him Tuesday evening, when he became a member of the Eddy County Sheriff's Posse.

In the posse are now about 65 men in South Eddy County and 25 in North Eddy County.

Besides the social and fun aspects of the organization, Mayor Roberts, by becoming a member now has the privilege of buying a horse, saddle, spurs, bridle boots, fancy uniform, and 10-gallon hat, and of riding the horse and wearing the others at such times as in the parade at Carlsbad June 5, marking the opening of the two-day Elks rodeo.

Troop 14 Brings Year To Close Here Last Week

Girl Scout Troop 14 brought its year's activities to a close with a hamburger fry at the home of Mrs. Glen Colliard Monday last week.

Their last three meetings have been a mother-daughter tea, a talent program and the hamburger fry.

At the mother-daughter tea the girls planned and served the tea and were presented badges. There are 17 members in the troop and 44 badges were presented. Mary Ida Brazton, Carol Burch, and Mary Gray received their third-class badges.

Altha Crough, Janet Howard, and Betty Jo Kaiser received their first-class badges, which were understood to be the first to be presented in Artesia.

Thirteen membership stars were presented besides the other badges, too numerous to mention.

Mrs. W. B. Macey and Mrs. Glenn Colliard are the leaders of Troop 14.

Pounds Drops Nelson's Name From His Food Store Official Title

L. C. Pounds, sole owner of Nelson-Pounds Food Store, has announced he has changed the name to Pounds Food Store and will so operate in the future.

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WANTED—Two-bedroom house or apartment for elderly couple. Permanent. Box 363. 22-1tc

WHITTEN CABINET SHOP—Furniture repair, cabinet work. 607 W. Grand, rear. 22-1tp

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Wanted—Ironing to do in my home, 1116 W. Missouri. 19-4tp-22

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interests of his former partner C. C. Nelson, last August, he retained Nelson's name because of the prestige. However, after nearly a year Pounds decided to drop the other name. The two men bought out Horst Food Store about three years ago and changed the name to Nelson Pounds. The store is at the same location as Horne's, 601 West Main Street.

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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 respective 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.

ARCHER & DILLARD, whose offices are in the Booker Building at Artesia, New Mexico, are the attorneys for David N. Gray, the Petitioner.

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

Mrs. R. A. Wilcox, Clerk of the Probate Court, Eddy County, New Mexico. (Seal) 19-41-22

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

No. 1475 NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT OF ADMINISTRATOR Notice is hereby given that the undersigned was on the 30th day of April, 1948, appointed Admin-



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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 is 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 1/2 NE 1/4 SE 1/4 and the N 1/2 S 1/2 NE 1/4 SE 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
Margurite E. Waller, District Court Clerk, Carlsbad, New Mexico. (Seal) 19-41-22

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

Case No. 1476 NOTICE TO DETERMINE HEIRSHIP UNDER CHAPTER 187, LAWS 1939

THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO to 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: William C. Gray, Nellie G. Smith, Gray died intestate in Eddy County. Notice is hereby given that a Petition has been filed by David N. Gray, alleging that Eddie C.

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State Delegates To National 4-H Camp Are Named

New Mexico's four delegates to the annual National 4-H Club Camp in Washington, D. C., June 16-23 have been selected by the state judging committee. The clubbers who will make the all-expenses-paid trip to the nation's capital are Tommy Brdecko of Deming, Evelyn Hinton of Encino, Gene Rob-

erson of McAlister, and Evelyn McKay of Clayton. The trip prizes, among the highest of 4-H awards, are given every year to the four clubbers in the state who have the most outstanding records for accomplishments in leadership, and community service. At Washington, delegates from every state in the nation, as well as Alaska, Puerto Rico, and Hawaii, will represent the 1,700,000 boys and girls enrolled in 4-H Club work. Group assemblies and educational tours will be featured on the program at the national club camp.

Here are the records and achievements of New Mexico's four delegates:

Tommy Brdecko, 18, of Deming, is enrolled in high eighth year of club work. As a 4-H junior leader, he was instrumental in building up

his 4-H Club from a membership of four in 1946 to 32 in 1948. Through his leadership, Luna County 4-H clubs raised \$200 in 1947 to be used in club activities. A progressive farmer, Tommy has made his 4-H Club work a financial, as well as an educational, success. Some of his possessions resulting from project work include five head of hogs, 59 chickens two lambs, three head of livestock, and \$1499 in his college fund.

Tommy is enrolled in beef calf, lamb, colt, pig, cotton, and bean projects in 1948. He is leader of his club and is a member of the Press Club, the Future Farmers of America, and the Luna County Fair Association.

Evelyn Hinton, 18, of Encino, is enrolled in her eighth year of club work and, besides being local leader for her club this summer, is enrolled in baking, clothing, food preparation, needlecraft, and food preservation projects.

A sophomore at New Mexico A. & M. College, Evelyn is majoring in home economics and is an active member of the 4-H College Alumni Association, the Home Economics Club, and other campus organizations.

As leader of the Encino Junior 4-H club, she helped her club members complete 100 per cent of their project work last year.

In 1946, Evelyn won the state dress revue contest and, as an award, received a trip to the National Club Congress in Chicago.

Gene Robberson, 19, of McAlister is enrolled in his ninth year of club work. His outstanding leadership ability is shown by the fact that in 1948 he was unanimously elected county council president for the second year. He is also president of his FFA chapter and was its class president from 1943 to 1948.

Already having completed 32 agricultural projects, Gene is enrolled in eight more for the coming year. An outstanding young farmer, he already has seven head of breeding cattle, 11 head of swine, 150 chicks, and a share of 40 acres of land. He has netted more than \$5156 in eight years of club work.

As a member of the state champion 4-H crops judging team in 1946, he received a trip to the National Club Congress in Chicago.

Evelyn McKay 20 Clayton, is enrolled in her 11th year of club work. She has completed 46 projects and is enrolled in four more.



home by enrolling in home improvement and home beautification projects. For her 54 exhibits at county and state fairs, she has received 50 ribbons. She has held every office in her local club and has served as secretary-treasurer of the Union County 4-H council for the last two years.

Aside from her 4-H work, Evelyn is the teacher of a one-room school at Hayden. She serves as teacher of the first six grades and sponsors the school hot lunch program.

Clams Must Be Made To Receive Benefits Under Social Security

Families whose breadwinners have died sometimes fail to claim their largest legacy—their Social Security benefits, says J. Hassler Strickland, manager of the Roswell Social Security office. He explained that minor children of deceased insured workers may receive monthly payments until they are 18 years old.

The payments are not made unless claims are filed, he added, as he urged survivors to inquire about possible eligibility.

Inquiries may be made at the Roswell office or to the representative, who will be in Artesia Tuesday, May 25, from 10 o'clock until noon, with headquarters at the

New Mexico Employment Service office. Eligibility for children's benefits, as well as for other payments under the federal old-age survivors insurance program, is based on work done by the wage earner on jobs covered by the Social Security Act, Strickland explained. The act covers most work in commerce and

industry, but not on farms or ranches, for railroads, the government, or domestic work in homes. Complete sets of all sizes of loose leaf paper for loose leaf binders at Advocate. Sheffers, Autopoint and Scrip-mechanical pencils at the Advocate.

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Army Recruiter Explains Combat Arms Operations

The Infantry, Artillery and Armored Cavalry, when combine to provide the "sharp cutting edge" of the Regular Army's wartime might, offer challenging opportunities to alert, intelligent, and ambitious young men, M/Sgt. Preston Triplett, local recruiting officer, pointed out.

"Despite the potentialities of the atomic bomb and the forecast of push-button warfare, wars still are won by ground soldiers," Sergeant Triplett said. "Scientific advances

in the art of war have not diminished the need for a strong and well-trained Infantry, Artillery, and Armored Cavalry.

Many important career fields are available in each of these combat arms, the sergeant explained, and the Army now is training thousands of technicians in specialties which will qualify them for important work.

"The work of a combat soldier isn't easy or soft," he said, "but it's vitally important to the peace and security of America. There's satisfaction in it; the pay is better than in most civilian jobs, and there are other things which money can't buy, such as rugged clear-eyed health and the lasting

YOU'RE TELLING ME!

By WILLIAM RITT
Central Press Writer

A NEW MOUSE TRAP, after catching the rodent, catapults it out of the house via a window. Swell idea, if the device can be so aimed the mouse will sail into the backyard of a disliked neighbor!

Dens for husbands are not included in new designs for homes. Just as well—since everybody but Pop used to congregate there.

Ohio fire marshal says arson is the hardest crime case to solve. The cops, in tangling with firebugs, apparently meet their match.

The average person, according to Factographs, speaks

about 5,000 words a day. Which reminds of the title of that recent song: "What Did He Say?"

A noted physician says mint juleps are good for the constitution. Let's see, now—how many Kentucky colonels do we know?

Horses, says a nature article, walk tiptoe. Probably in order not to disturb and awaken the one's we bet on.

The sun, we read, is 618,000 times brighter than the moon. That naturally makes the moon in romantic matters, especially in June, 618,000 times more effective than the sun.

companionship of real men." He explained that the Infantry

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is training men not only for motorized and dismounted operations, but also for airborne, mountain, Arctic, and amphibious warfare. In addition to fighting men he said, the Infantry needs technicians trained to practice their specialties in each of these types of operations.

Sergeant Triplett explained that the Artillery affords exceptional opportunities, for men interested in radar and other branches of electronics. In addition to these opportunities, men are now being trained for service in Field Artillery, Coast Artillery, and Anti-aircraft Artillery batteries, and other tactical units.

The Armored Cavalry, which combines the mobility of motorized troops with the firepower of heavy tanks and the dogged spirit and determination of the Infantry, offers opportunities to men interested either in ordnance specialties or in automotive mechanics, Sergeant Triplett said.

Men who can qualify for any one of these Army combat arms, he added, may apply for assignment to their choice of several famous fighting divisions in this country or overseas. Opening now exist, he said, in some of the Army's top units, especially among the forces occupying Japan and Korea.

Loco Hills Items

Mrs. Earl-Smith

Mr. and Mrs. John Stulting and children are moving to Sundown, Texas, Friday. Mr. Stulting was transferred there by the Texas-New Mexico Pipe Line Company. Mrs. Stulting was president of the Loco Hills Parent-Teacher Association.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Richie and children spent Saturday and Sunday in Clovis visiting friends. While there Mr. Ritchie attended a School of instruction on Sewing machines.

Mr. and Mrs. George Beal and sons spent last Thursday and Friday in Alamogordo and Ruidoso.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Phillips and son, Bill, have left for Amarillo, Texas, to spend the weekend with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Norris and daughter, Linda, left last Thursday for Dexter, where they visited relatives before going on to California. Mr. Norris will be employed there. Mr. and Mrs. Felix Farmer of

vice Camp Friday. Mr. Farmer is employed by Glenn Booker.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Merchant returned from Tulsa, Okla., Friday. Mr. Merchant's sister in Hagerman kept their children while they were gone.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Y. West went to Carlsbad Friday.

Mrs. Vernon Goodson of the Loco Hills Repressuring Plant Camp left last Thursday for Bay City Texas. She planned to visit her parents and attend the graduation exercises of her sister.

Carol Baker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Baker, has been very ill this last week.

Mrs. Harold Miller and daughter, Alice, visited friends in Maljamar Friday.

Jackie Watson of Carlsbad spent the week end with Cordell Smith. Tommy and Stacy Till of Artesia were guests of their cousin, Jimmy Davis, over the week end.

Mrs. Mabel W. Hughes, national president of the 27,000 local Parent-Teacher Association units, said that the national organization is

working to get better teachers, better health conditions for the children.

Mrs. M. E. French, state president, reminded the members that the PTA is a good place to promote world understanding. These highlights were brought out in an address given by Mrs. John A. Mathis, Jr., of Artesia, who spoke at the regular Loco Hills PTA meeting Friday afternoon. Mrs. W. E. Profitt was in charge of the meeting and announced that a new president would be elected at the next meeting. Mrs. Sam Beal was elected corresponding secretary. Mrs. Nora Coppinger gave a short talk on the pre-school child. Mrs. Mathis presided at a crystal punchbowl during the social hour. The social hour honored teachers, Principal Vernon Mills, and mothers of pre-school children. Mrs. William Seigenthaler of Artesia was a special guest. The color scheme of pink and green was effectively carried out with cut flowers and ferns.

Mrs. Ray Herricks and daughters of Maljamar moved into the Texas-


New Mexico Camp Monday. Mrs. Herricks will be employed by the company.

MORE FARM PIGS ARE BEING REQUESTED

Farmers are being urged to boost pig production next fall by 10 per cent at the least, more if possible. Goals suggested to states therefore, call for an average increase of 13 per cent. A 10 per cent increase would mean about 34.4 million pigs, three million more than were produced last fall. Prices of feed grains are expected to be somewhat lower in the 1948-49 feeding year, beginning next October. At the same time, prospects are that continued large consumer demand, and smaller output of other meats in 1949 will keep hog prices relatively high.

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Sunday school, 10 a. m. Preaching service, 11 a. m. Training Union, 6 p. m. Evening preaching, 7 p. m. Wednesday prayer meeting, 7 p. m. Rev. C. H. Murdock, Pastor L. M. Blankenship, Supt.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
North Fourth and Chisum
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Morning worship, 11 a. m. Christ Ambassadors, 6:30 p. m. Children's church, 6:30 p. m. Evangelistic services, 7:30 p. m. Tuesday Bible study, 7:30 p. m. Wednesday, Women's Missionary Council, 2 p. m. Thursday, evangelistic service, 7:30 p. m. A. E. Kelly, Pastor.

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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

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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

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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, Friday, 7:30 p. m.

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Sunday school, 10 a. m. each Sunday. Worship service, 11 a. m., second and fourth Sundays. Ladies' Aid, third Thursday. Sunday school, 10 a. m. each Sunday. Lake Arthur
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Maljamar Items
Mrs. Kenneth Shields
Mr. and Mrs. John Farmer entertained guests from Seminole, Texas, and Mr. and Mrs. Durwood Hoffman, formerly of Maljamar. The group went fishing at Red Bluff Saturday night and Sunday. Mrs. John Leo became very ill Tuesday of last week and was taken to a hospital in Hobbs. Her mother, Mrs. Bill Brown of Breckenridge, and her brother, Joe Weatherly of Crane, Texas, visited her while she was ill. A new house is under construction in the southeast corner of the Maljamar Repressing Plant property. Mr. and Mrs. Milton West entertained Mr. West's mother, Mrs. Dan Yancy, and sister, Ruth, of Roswell, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Tompkins and a Mr. Parker of La Mesa, Calif., visited also. Mr. and Mrs. Z. Glover and daughter, Sally, spent Mother's Day in Rising Star, Texas, visiting parents of both. Betty Dyar, who is employed in Lovington, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Dyar. Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Hoover entertained Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Schoeld and children of Carlsbad recently. Mr. and Mrs. O. Furr entertained their daughter, Mrs. L. O. Shrader, and Betty and Larry Duncan of Lubbock, Texas. They went through the Carlsbad Caverns Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Elliott and family visited Mr. Elliott's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Elliott, in Lubbock Sunday. John Pruitt has had tonsillitis. He received medical attention in Lovington Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rhymes and Mr. and Mrs. Luther Kelly attended the FAA banquet Friday evening in Lovington. Peggy Castleman and Travis Kelly, who are attending Eastern New Mexico College in Portales, were home over the week end. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Winkles spent last week end in Lubbock visiting

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Mrs. Winkles' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Adkins. L. D. Poer left for Slaton, N. M. Sunday where he will be employed by the railroad. Mrs. Poer and children are staying with Mr. and Mrs. Ott Vowell until school is out. Mr. and Mrs. James R. Swinford entertained Mrs. Swinford's sister, Mrs. J. R. Baxter, of Pampa, Texas, recently. Mrs. O. H. Goodman went to Artesia for medical attention Friday. Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Rich, Mr. and

Mrs. Kenneth Shields, O'dell O'Neal, and John McMurray played rummy in the Kenneth Shield home Friday evening. H. E. Rich won high score. Mrs. Clarence Dejur visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Taylor, in Lovington Friday evening. Mrs. George Williams has been in Artesia the last week with her mother, Mrs. H. L. Muncy, who is seriously ill.

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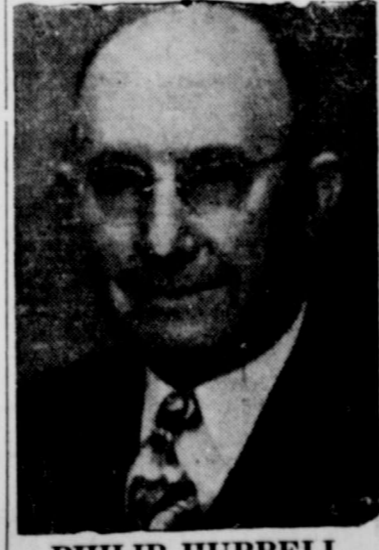
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Four Producers Are Reported In Eddy Oil Fields

Four producing oil wells were completed the last week in the Eddy County fields, and the Southern Union Gas Company's deep test wildcat southwest of Artesia was officially listed as plugged and abandoned.

The well was abandoned some days ago, after drilling to the granite at 9886 feet. It was the company's Elliott 1, located in SW SW 24-18-23.

Completions:
F. E. Levers, Donahoe 2, SW SE 34-16-29; total depth 2616 feet; flowed 128 barrels of oil per day after shot.

John M. Shipley, Shipley 1, NF SW 3-17-29; total depth 2592 feet; flowed 75 barrels of oil per day after shot. Rutter & Wilbanks Hudson 1, SW NE 2-18-27; total depth 1707 feet; flowed 25 barrels of oil per day, after shot.
Aston & Fair, State 1-Y, SE NW 31-17-26; total depth 1926 feet; pumped 10 barrels of oil per day after shot.

New locations: T. E. Boggs Boggs 1, SE NW 5-16-25; G. B. Suppes, Johnson 14-B, SW SE 33-16-21; Nash, Windfohr & Brown Gissler 11-A, SW NE 14-17-20; Jones & Watkins, Platt 3, NE NW 26-13-26.

Drilling Report
Magnolia Petroleum Co., State 1-W, SW SE 16-20-22, granite test on east slope of Guadalupes. Drilling at 10,305.
W. N. Black Drilling Co., Shild-neck 1, 24-16-20, wildcat north-west of Hope.
Drilling at 5008.

Texas Trading Co., Johnson 8, W NE 33-16-31.
Total depth 3669; testing.
Yancy-Harris Co., Etz-State 1, NE E 16-17-30.
Total depth 2663; shut down for repairs.

Rudco Oil & Gas Co., State 6, SE NE SW 33-18-28.
Drilling at 2730.
Harvey E. Yates, Ohio-State 1, SE SW 13-18-28.
Drilling at 1985.

Premier Petroleum Co., Beeson F-1, SW NE 33-17-20.
Drilling at 2873.
Robert E. McKee, State 8, SE NW 14-18-28.
Total depth 2042; running casing.

Masco-Resler-Yates, State 91, SE NE 30-18-28.
Total depth 1920; testing.
Bruney Cockburn, Ramapo-State 1, NW SW SW 31-17-28.
Total depth 1975; shut down for pump.

Weier Drilling Co., Gilbert 1-X, NE SW SW 7-18-27.
Drilling at 1422.
John M. Shipley, Shipley 2, NW SW SE 3-17-29.
Drilling at 2280.

A. S. Woolley, Parks 1, SW NE 10-17-30.
Drilling at 2755.
American Republics Corp., Robinson 21-B, SE NE NE 27-17-29.
Drilling at 2252.

David E. Saikin, Hudson 1, SW NW 31-17-28.
Drilling at 1709.
Grayburg Oil Co., Burch 16-A, NW SW 18-17-30.
Total depth 3275; testing.

Masco-Resler-Yates, State 83, NE E 33-18-25.
Total depth 2903; testing.
D. M. Bassett, Kepple 1, SE SE SW 9-17-27.
Drilling at 1218.

Masco-Resler-Yates, State 93, NW E NW 27-18-28.
Drilling at 1430.
V. S. Welch, Lackawanna-State 1, NE SE 30-18-28.
Drilling at 1350.

H. W. Snowden, Langford 2, NW SE SW 9-18-29.
Drilling at 2671.
Leonard Oil Co., State 2, SW SW 2-19-29.
Drilling at 180.

Harvey E. Yates, Yates 1, SW SE NE 6-20-27.
Total depth 309; shut down for repairs.
Nix & Yates, Yates 1, SW NE SE 31-20-29.
Drilling at 719.

DeKalb Agriculture Assn., Bogle 1, NE SE 15-16-26, wildcat.
Drilling at 4080.
Worth Drilling Co., Taylor 5-A, NE NW 13-18-31.
Drilling at 1450.

Nash, Windfohr & Brown, Gissler 11-A, SW NE 14-17-30.
Drilling at 800.
Jones & Watkins, Platt 3, NE SW 26-13-26.
Drilling at 1150.

Masco-Resler-Yates, State 92, NE NW 27-18-28.
Drilling at 820.
W. D. Brookover, Watson & Smith 5, SE SW 4-18-29.
Total depth 380; waiting on casing.

Malco Refineries, Inc., Taylor 2-A, NW SE 12-18-31.
Total depth 1020; waiting on cement.
Delhi Oil Co., State 13, NE NE 36-17-27.
Drilling at 510.

Malco Refineries, Inc., Hudson 1, SW NE 5-18-27.
Drilling at 550.

Vet Receives Pay For Poppies



Here a disabled veteran is seen receiving pay for having made a number of poppies, to be distributed Saturday in the annual sale by the American Legion Auxiliary. Funds received will be used in the organization's rehabilitation program.

Education—

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Phi Sigma, national honorary society, were awarded to Peggy Ann Short from among the girl graduates and Ed Mitchell from among the boys.

Awards for the best characterizations in the senior play, "Arsenic and Old Lace," went Carol Hensley and Jerry Perry. A perfect attendance medal went to Hattie Godsell, who was neither absent nor tardy during eight consecutive years.

Fifteen Bulldog lettermen graduating were given lifetime passes to Artesia High School athletic events. They were Jerry Everett, Jimmie Blue, Bill Fleming, Eugene Batie, Don Carson, John Suderth, Ralph Knowles, John Laning, Charlie Lewis, "Cotton" Marsh, Everett Hardesty, Ed Murdock Bob Stuart, John Yates, Jerry Cole.

The graduates: Bob Stuart, Marcia Whelan, Donald Carson, Maxine Callahan, Pat Coor, Cleo Johnson, Johnny Laning, June Giesler, Charlie Lewis, Elmira Terry, Jimmy Blue.

Dorothy Hayhurst, Bob Ann Brunk, Janie Dunnam, Jerry Cole, Pat Ferguson, David Runyan, Jerry Perry, Carol Hensley, Ed Mitchell, Maxine McAnally.

Pat Watson, Eugene Batie, Peggy Short, John Yates, Mary Dixon, Wesley Needham, Bill Fleming, Rita Webb.

Cotton Marsh, June McDorman, Wilson Ports, Kenneth Mitchell, Evalene Cook.

John Suderth, Ed Murdock, Pauline Settlemire, Phyllis Sinclair, Richard Galatin, Betty Stevenson, Leonard McMurchison.

Shirley Feather, Jerry Everett, Billy Norrid, Ralph Knowles, Betty Matthews, Tom Floyd, Ruby Broton, Alton Unagst, Hattie Godsell, DeWayne Miller, Ramona Rodriguez, Jimmie Francis, Mary McDaniel, Newell Crouch, Bonnie Ross, Glenda Burrows Prueitt.

Rosemary Murphy Huggins, Geraldine Lenning McCasland, Leah Vogel, Essie Hernandez, Socorro Guerrero.

Merced Natera, Glen Rogers, Everett Hardesty, Dick Collins.

Legion—

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War I. They are replicas of the wild flowers which grew on the battle fields of France and Belgium, fought over in both wars but they have come to symbolize memory for those who died in any part of the world.

"The poppies which the Auxiliary will distribute are all hand made, shaped from crepe paper by disabled veterans working in hospitals and convalescent work-shops throughout the country. The disabled men take special pride making the flowers to honor their fallen comrades and the work is valuable to them as occupational therapy, besides bringing them much needed earnings."

In order to avoid confusion Mrs. Baldwin pointed out that the sale of poppies in Artesia two weeks ago was the annual "Budd Poppy Day" of the Veterans of Foreign Wars. She said it is unfortunate the two fell so close together, as the conflict probably will have hurt the success of both.

Drive—

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use of such tags:
It is known definitely no chapter in New Mexico has taken such action. And President Fischbeck said it is hoped the North Eddy County chapter, if it procures car tags for members, will start a movement which will become statewide.

Three films, one on the release of cow elk and the others on trout fishing in New Mexico, were shown. They were sent here by the State Game Department. L. W. Simmons, resident deputy game warden, was narrator during the showing.

It was announced the next meeting of the GPA will be Tuesday evening, June 22.

'You Were Meant For Me' Grand Nostalgic Treat

What with lobby-soaked swooners, bubblegum blowers, and hopped up hot-rods, there's a lot of talk about the crazy world.

Actually, all that talk is the result of short memories and poor hindsight. We're a lot saner than we used to be, according to Twentieth Century-Fox researchers who have delved into the years between 1928 and 1936 for "You Were Meant For Me," the new romantic drama co-starring Jeanne Crain and Dan Dailey, and opening Sunday at the Landsun Theater.

The picture provides a nostalgic look into the past on the order of "Margie," and in so doing brings out some of the crazy things we did ourselves when we were younger and may serve to soften our condemnation of 1948 youngsters who aren't nearly as wild as some people make them out to be.

Back in 1929, the year of the stock market crash, we saw the fruition of an era when flagpole sitting, goldfish eating and marathon dancing were the headlines of the day.

And the jitterbugging which horrifies us in our children had its beginning in the Charleston, the Lindy Hop, and the Legomania, as wild or wilder than anything 1947 could produce as evidence.

Current hubbub over the long skirt fashion is nothing to the shocked reaction that greeted the 1929 rise of the skirt to a point just above the knee.

The girls of today may peroxide only a streak of their hair in stead of twisting it into spit curls; and they paint their toenails in stead of painting "beauty spots" just above the knee, which was all the rage in the "flaming eye" depicted in "You Were Meant For Me."

You could, of course, switch the subject to popular songs, "then and now," and being on emotional rather than sociological grounds make out a good case for the superiority of the ballads of your heyday. "You Were Meant For Me" provides some formidable ammunition, for the songs it features have won a respectable position in practically every all-time hit parade listing. These include: "Goodnight Sweetheart," "If I Had You," "Ain't She Sweet," "Ain't Misbehavin'," "I'll Get By," and "Crazy Rhythm," as well as Gershwin's "Concerto in F Major," which Oscar Levant plays.

The breakdown by the 27 voting boxes in the 11 Eddy County precincts:

Precinct	Dem.	Rep.	Ind.
Carlsbad 1-A	982	63	31
Carlsbad 1-B	619	68	10
Carlsbad 1-C	563	52	19
Carlsbad 1-D	597	77	23
Carlsbad 1-E	542	73	44
Carlsbad 1-F	411	48	10
Carlsbad 1-G	759	70	33
Carlsbad 1-H	789	174	46
Carlsbad 1-I	559	61	25
Carlsbad 1-J	470	41	20
Carlsbad 1-K	583	47	19
Malaga 2-A	152	26	3
White's City 2-B	66	6	12
Hope No. 3	354	26	4
Lakewood No. 4	81	4	6
Loving No. 5	636	38	13
Artesia 6-A	592	125	83
Artesia 6-B	383	74	38
Artesia 6-C	677	100	31
Artesia 6-D	869	149	58
Artesia 6-E	318	58	18
Dayton No. 7	105	12	7
Queen No. 8	25	1	0
Otis No. 9	369	24	8
Cottonwood No. 10	213	9	2
Oilfield 11-A	54	5	3
Oilfield 11-B	138	25	10

Stores—

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in September; Armistice Day, Thursday, Nov. 11; Thanksgiving Day, the fourth Thursday in November, which is Nov. 25; Christmas, Saturday, Dec. 25, and New Year's Day Saturday Jan. 1.

The recommendations were made after a survey had been made among a number of merchants.

The board also agreed the Chamber of Commerce will co-operate in every way possible with the United Veterans Club in the production of the annual VJ-Day celebration Saturday, Aug. 14.

Luther E. Sharpe, secretary-manager of the Chamber of Commerce, reported to the board an official application has been filed with the Civil Aeronautics Board asking for some sort of air carrier service to Artesia in the near future.

The board members voted to resume the monthly Chamber of Commerce luncheons, with the first at noon Friday, May 28.

They said a good program has been planned and urged that all members possible attend, as a good representation of the membership is desired. However, it was requested that all planning to attend call the chamber office, phone 192, this afternoon if possible, to make reservations.

Any encouragement for Hollywood to make pictures in New Mexico would be a new industry that could grow to fabulous proportions, Jones said. Making pictures in the state will also stimulate tourist travel. Bruce will make a pictorial record of the picturesque scenic beauty. Photographed in color, the film is to capture some of the historical romance and warm hospitality that abounds.

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Artesia Lions Club Is Well Represented At District Confab

The Artesia Lions Club was well represented at the annual district convention in Taos Sunday through Tuesday.

The delegation was headed by G. Taylor Cole, president of the Artesia club. He was accompanied by Mrs. Cole and son.

Others in the party were Shirley Hager, immediate past president, and Mrs. Hager; Frank Williams, secretary, and Mrs. Williams; Dr. Pete J. Starr, a director, and Mrs. Starr; Wesley Sperry, a director, and Mrs. Sperry and two children; Jack Frost, a director of the local club and a member of the nominating committee at the convention, and D. D. Archer, a director and a member of the convention constitution and by-law committee.

Mail—

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and North First Street, all those parts of Chisum, Texas, Adams, and Main Street east of the Santa Fe tracks, South First from Centre Street to Bruce Road, and Centre to the west city limits.

The postmaster has requested patrons in the extended areas to erect mail boxes at the curb or curb line, conveniently located to enable the carrier to serve them from a motor vehicle, and to place names on all boxes, especially if house numbers are not plainly seen from the street.

He asked further that all patrons inform their correspondents of their correct streets and street numbers.

Postmaster Truett recommended the smallest rural route type of box. They should be in place by July 1, he said.

Summer—

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a week. The day and time for the socials are to be announced later.

The entire program is free to all eligible boys and girls, except that a fee of 10 cents will be charged for entering the swimming pool for instruction.

J. E. Shortt, high school instrumental instructor and band director, will be in charge of the musical phases of the program.

Coach Kenneth Lance will be in charge of the boys' recreational program, and Miss Christine Johnson, a graduate of Artesia High School, who has been teaching physical education at Odessa, Texas, the last school year, will be in charge of the girls' playground activities. Miss Johnson is a graduate of Texas College for Women at Denton, where she majored in physical education.

Grave—

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in Brookwood.

This, clippings from Miss McAdum to Mrs. Warren indicated, was to be carried out as soon as all bodies being shipped back to the United States, have been removed. Then all of the remaining bodies of American boys in Britain will be moved to the one cemetery.

Some of the clippings to Mrs. Warren told of memorial services at Brookwood Cemetery for the boys about to be brought home, in which clergymen of Catholic, Jewish, and Protestant faiths took part.

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FIRST official communique from Jerusalem (1) announced the city had been isolated and was being shelled by Arabs, but was still in all-Jewish hands. Coming from an authorized correspondent, it added that the Jewish offensive was on and Haganah troops had pushed into Lebanon (2) for a distance of 10 miles. The Arab city of Acre was said to have sued for peace. Egyptian planes continued to bomb Tel Aviv (3), but Jewish bombers were reported to be planning raids on the city of Cairo. (International)

Green—

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live and to enjoy the things they do.

Discussions on the types of school buildings in the future showed great changes are coming, Green said. They will be designed not only for academic training, but for more training in practical work and in hobbies.

Green, in telling of his visit to headquarters for Rotary International, said he found the offices truly international.

Extension—

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gen, Eddy County.

Annual election of officers will also be held June 8, with Mrs. L. D. Matthews, and Mrs. J. R. Whitesides, Bernalillo County, and Mrs. Roy Forehand, Eddy County, competing for the presidency.

HANGAR FLYING

James Baker was the winner of the radio contest last week, winning a model airplane.

Herman Fuchs flew Mr. and Mrs. Walter Varner to Fredennis, Kan., to attend the funeral of the father of Mrs. Varner.

Herb Weber of Carlsbad, who is taking an instrument course from Ted Heidel of Hazel Flying Service, flew to Artesia for dual Monday.

Herbert Terman flew to Carlsbad Monday on business.

Milton West of Maljamar was in Artesia Monday morning.

Robert Collins received his instrument rating last week from Robert Wisener, CAA inspector. Collins began his training about a year and a half ago under the GI Bill and since then has received the following ratings offered by CAA: Private pilot, ground school instructor, commercial pilot, and instrument rating.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Withers John A. Mathis, Sr., and H. P. Termain left last Thursday for Rogers Ark. Mathis continued to Chicago where he took an airline to New York to visit his daughter, Mrs.

Wayne Wicks, and family.
E. P. Bullock flew to the air show at Tulsa, leaving Wednesday afternoon of last week. He was accompanied by another representative of the New Mexico Asphalt Refining Company, Frank Clowe. Mrs. Bullock also accompanied them and visited her mother in Tulsa. They returned Saturday.

Gene Sherwood flew Mrs. Ludie Hazel and Mrs. H. D. O. Hammond to a ranch near Canadian, Texas, Monday last week. They remained until Wednesday. Gene reported having a fine time.

Homer Bray of Albuquerque flew in to Artesia last Thursday in his Beechcraft Bonanza. Bray is active in CAP work in New Mexico.

Herman Fuchs and "Chink" Beavers flew to Roswell last Thursday.

George Desmet flew to Odessa Friday to pick up some engine parts. He received his private pilot license under the GI Bill and is now working towards his commercial.

Roderick Watson flew to Springer Friday.

Elmer Nix flew to Muleshoe, Texas, Friday. He returned Saturday after visiting his father and mother.

Milton West and Ted Heidel flew to Amarillo and Lubbock Saturday. They reported showers were heavy all along the way, especially around Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Ramond Cavin flew to Odessa Sunday to visit friends.

Bodies Of Artesia Boys, Gray and Simons, Have Arrived In U.S.

The bodies of Pfc. Terry Avery Gray, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Gray, and Pfc. Donald S. Simons, son of Mr. and Mrs. John T. Simons, Sr., arrived in the United States May 15 aboard the transport, U.S.S. Albert B. Boe, the parents were notified this week.

The parents received telegrams May 11 that the bodies were on the way home for final burial. They have not as yet learned when the bodies are to arrive in Artesia.

The two Artesia boys were killed on Saipan in June, 1944.


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Maljamar Items

Mrs. Kenneth Shields) and Mrs. John Leo wrecked when a rod broke while a corner. The car turned and came to rest right side and Mrs. G. H. Doughty and them and brought Mrs. m. Neither was seriously Mary Martin of Duncan, and Mrs. I. A. n two weeks. While here ed in Hobbs, Roswell, and Artesia, and went the Carlsbad Caverns. J. Kelly gave a four-table party in her home. Mrs. nitt was cohostess. Those ere Mmes. J. C. Watson, ones, and Leroy Cranford a: Harold Adams, S. E. and Garel Westal, of and Cecil Holeman, Son Kenneth Shields, O. H. E. R. McKinstry, Z. A. W. Golden, Wellman, Murray, and Davis. High ent to Mrs. Garel Westal score to Mrs. O. H. Good- werry shortcake and ice

cream were served at the games. Mrs. E. R. McKinstry returned home last Thursday from Lubbock where she had been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Denham. There was sickness in the family. Mrs. H. E. Rich and Mrs. Ernest Harvey of Artesia went to Roswell last week. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Winkles served hamburgers and homemade ice cream to a group of their friends in their yard last week. Mr. and Mrs. Melton West and family went to Roswell to visit Mr. West's parents over the week end. MORE MORE MORE MORE D Mr. and Mrs. Lee Lucas of Old Loco Hills visited in Maljamar Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Zealy Edwards former residents of Maljamar, visited several friends in the Maljamar Repressing Plant Camp Saturday. They ate dinner with Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hatfield. Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Loyd entertained Rev. and Mrs. J. Barton Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. John McMurray entertained the Ace Bridge Club Monday evening of last week. High score for the men went to L. J.

Kelly. Mrs. McMurray won high for the women. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Shields, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Kelly and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Cunningham. Bill Golden and a Mr. Hunter have returned from the oil show in Tulsa. Mr. Golden visited Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Johnston, formerly of Loco Hills. He brought Mrs. Golden's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe McMurray, home with him for a two-week visit. Cecil Holeman broke his left forefinger and bruised the remainder of his hand badly while pulling rod on a water well at the Taylor ranch. Son Taylor cut the end off of his second finger while docking lambs at the Taylor ranch Friday of last week. The Kewanee Sewing Club met in the home of Mrs. John Farmer last week. Those attending were Mmes. J. C. Davis, Dru Taylor L. G. Doughty, Luther Kelly, "Ma" Payne, and Ira Pleasant. Mrs. Hermon Reynolds was accepted as a new member. The group planned to serve a fried-chicken dinner at the next meeting. Maljamar graduates in Lovington were Glenda Kelly, Roy Lee Warren, and Huck Morris. Mrs. Allen Ashlock underwent a major operation at the Artesia Memorial Hospital last week. Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Harmon went to Texas last week end to visit Mrs. Harmon's parents. Mrs. Luthur Kelly honored her husband and granddaughter with a dinner on their birthdays. Guests for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Ott Vowell and children; "Ma" and Henry Payne, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Pleasant and daughter; Carol and Nancy Hoover, Betty Herrick, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Howard and children; Grandmother Howard, and Mr. and Mrs. E. Taylor of Artesia. L. D. Poer visited in Maljamar Saturday. Mrs. Poer and sons were in Portales. Walter Write has returned from El Paso, where he received medical attention. Mrs. Luthur Kelly, Mrs. Z. Glover, and Mrs. Sterling Isaacs attended a concert in Lovington last week. Mrs. Luthur Kelly attended mothers' tea for senior girls' in Lovington given by the Lions Club Auxiliary. Mr. and Mrs. Melton West received word Tuesday of last week that Mr. West's uncle in Arkansas had died. Burton Nickom of Lovington spent the night with Lon McKinstry last Thursday. Mrs. Charley Shannon and Mr. Luthur Kelly accompanied Mrs. O. H. Goodman to Artesia Saturday. Mrs. Kelly and Mrs. Goodman received medical attention. Mrs. W. D. Wilson went to Duncan, Okla., to visit her parents for two weeks. Mr. and Mrs. Herman Collins

G. I. Joe Is Making Poppies



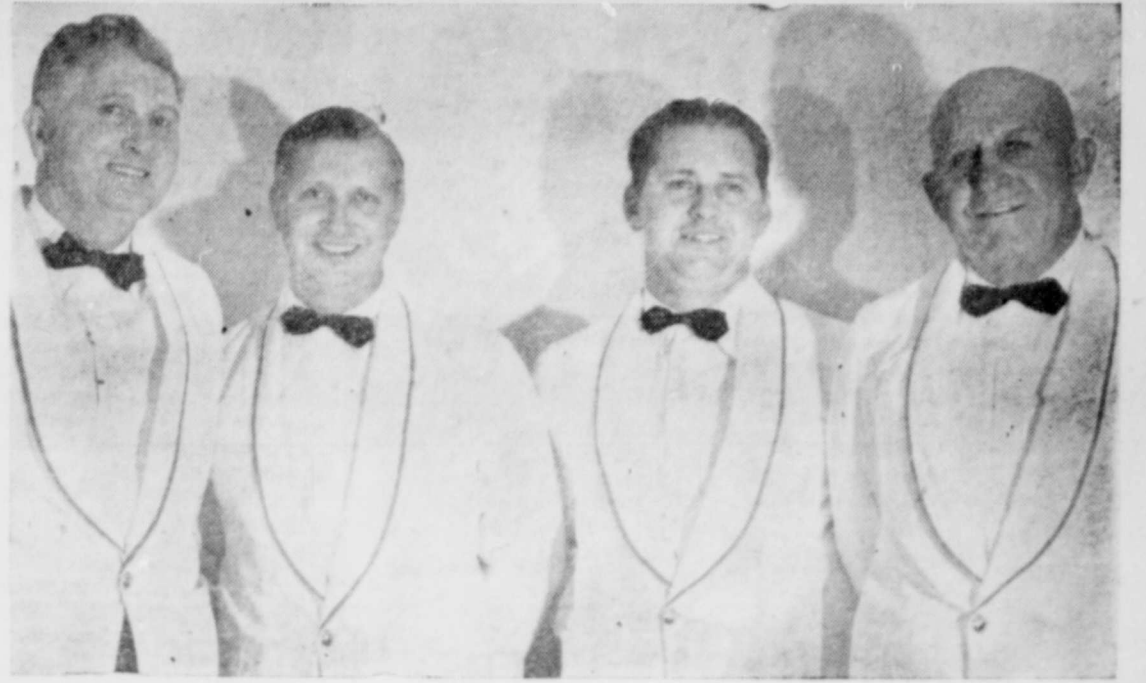
A G. I. Joe is caught by the camera as he makes poppies for the American Legion auxiliary in one of the Veterans Administration hospitals, thus earning a little money which he otherwise would not have. The poppies he has made will be offered Saturday by members of the American Legion Auxiliary here and in other cities for the organization's rehabilitation fund.

courage 4-H 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 those of Arsenio Schanez, 18, of 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 gully control, together with contouring 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 record 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: Freda McFall, Bernalillo County; Keith Runyan, Quay, and Darrell Pool, Roosevelt. County extension agents will furnish complete information regarding this activity.

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

Singers To Have Songfest Friday



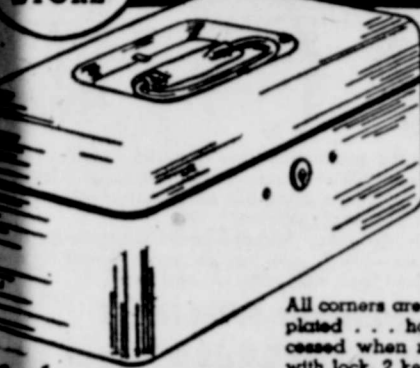
Here is one of the Carlsbad quartets which will appear Friday evening in the "Parade of Quartets" at Carlsbad High School at 8 o'clock Friday evening, in which at least one quartet of the newly organized Artesia chapter of the Society for the Preservation and Encouragement of Barber Shop Quartet Singing in America, Inc., will participate.

It is expected nine quartets and the Carlsbad chorus will appear on the program, which is being sponsored by the Carlsbad chapter, members of which have been heard in recent months in two programs in Artesia. After the main program, an "afterglow" is planned for the basement of the Carlsbad Methodist Church, where host and guest singers will "let down their hair and go to town." A meal is to be served about 11 o'clock, after which the singing will be resumed and continue as long as the barber shoppers feel like it.

Pictured above, left to right: Johnnie Cowan, tenor; Raymond Cowan, lead; Harold Smeed, baritone; Bill High, bass.

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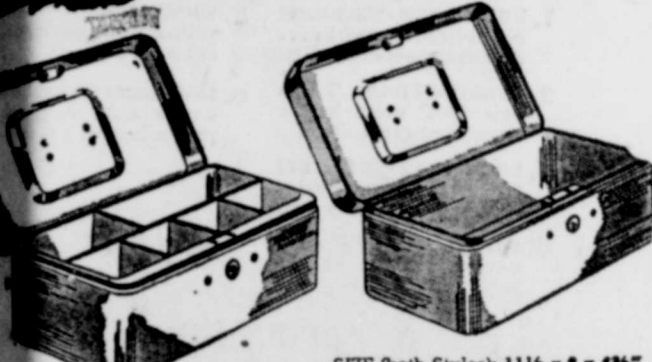


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Renewal Of 4-H Soil Conservation Plan Announced

Announcement has been made that the 1948 National 4-H Soil Conservation program will be conducted in New Mexico for the fifth consecutive year. The activity is designed to en-

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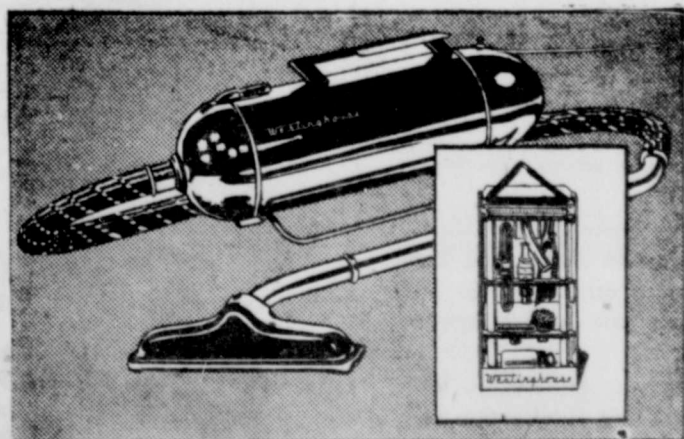
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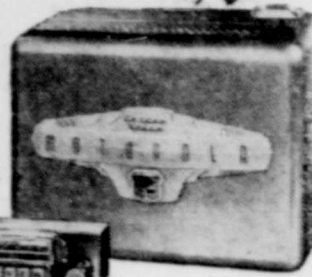
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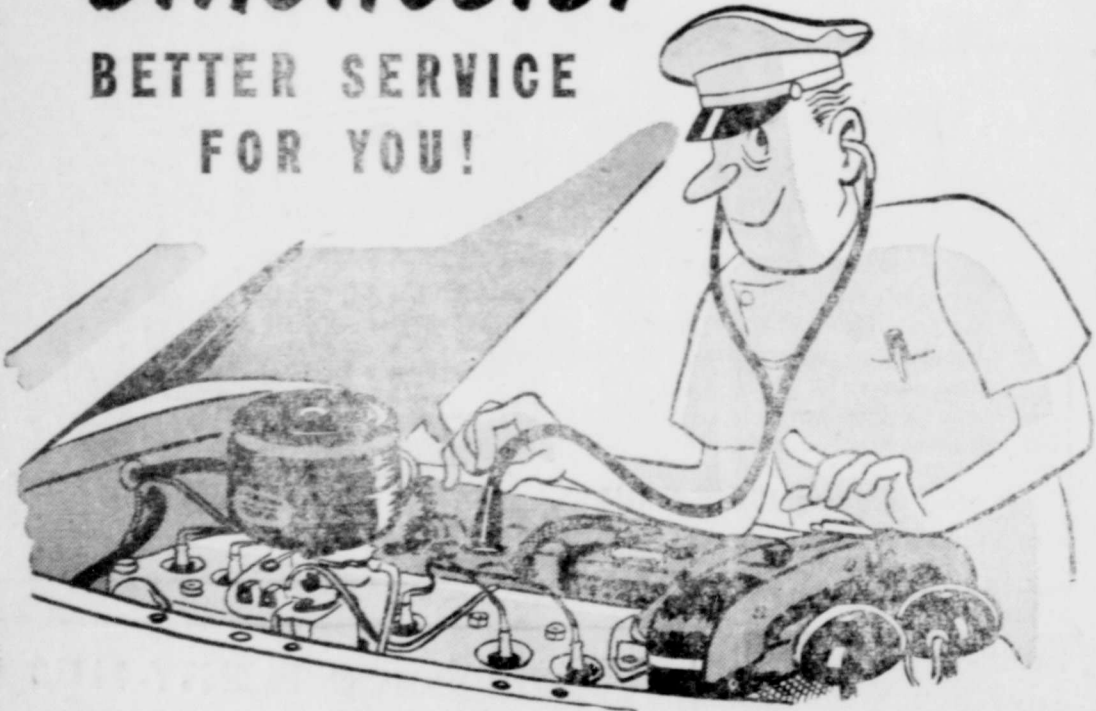
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Press Meeting At Ruidoso To Be June 25-26

New Mexico's editors and publishers will meet 7000 feet above sea level at Ruidoso in the White mountains for their annual summer convention June 25-26, said an announcement from David Bronson of Las Cruces, president of the New Mexico Press Association.

Headquarters will be at Navajo Lodge, and delegates will stay also at Thunderbird Lodge and at some of Ruidoso's 3800 summer cabins. Lloyd Bloodworth, publisher of The Ruidoso News, will be official host for the meetings.

Invited to speak is Wesley Izzard of the editorial staff of The Amarillo News-Globe for the session Saturday morning, June 26. Chris Fox, vice president and general manager of the El Paso Chamber of Commerce, is to be master of

Quality Chicks Needed To Offset Feed Costs

One method through which poultrymen can combat the present high cost of feed is to purchase good quality chicks. Feed costs, records compiled by the extension service indicate, now amount to 60 per cent or more of the total costs of producing eggs and chicken meat in contrast to 50 per cent in normal times.

Tree 'Butchery' Blamed On Untrained Pruners

It often takes 50 to 75 years to raise a good shade tree. But, extension foresters insist, it takes only a few minutes for an untrained pruner to ruin its beauty. Poor trimming technique is destroying the beauty of many streets.

Examples of good pruning are seen on most public building grounds. On the other hand, on almost any street examples of tree "butchery" can be seen.

Best Plants Obtained From Nearest Nursery

In ordering plants, it is advisable to trade with the nearest reliable nursery. Plants are likely to be better adapted to the region, they will reach their destination in better condition and transportation charges will be less.

Orders for plants and seeds should be placed far in advance of the date desired as nurseries usually fill orders in accordance with the date received.

THE OLD HOME TOWN By STANLEY



ceremonies at a banquet Friday evening, June 25, at which Gov. and Mrs. Thomas J. Mabry are to be guests. The dinner will be followed by a dance to Western music.

Sessions begin with registration Friday morning, June 25, and the visiting publishers and editors are to be guests at Ruidoso's horse racing programs that afternoon and Saturday and Sunday afternoons.

Visiting women will be guests of Ruidoso women Saturday morning. Bronson said, and the Ruidoso Chamber of Commerce will sponsor a barbecue at noon that day.

Bulletin Advises New Policy For State's Indians

A federal Indian policy aimed at encouraging Indians to acquire the competitive skills of whites is advocated in a bulletin issued by the Division of Government Research of the University of New Mexico.

Dr. Florence Hawley, author of the study, examines the culture and habits of Pueblo and Navajo residents of New Mexico and declares a policy directed at one group may not fit the problems of other tribes. Navajos, she finds, are trained by their society to be nearly as highly individualized and competitive as whites, but they are handicapped by training and experience.

Pueblo Indians, says Dr. Hawley, are much further advanced in knowledge of white ways and requirements, but their community training lacks the Navajo stress on individual skills and competitiveness.

A common problem of all Indians in New Mexico is the lack of an adequate land base and low agricultural efficiency. It is claimed in the study that efficiency can be increased, but that the best solution for the Indian problem is a program of training and work experience which will allow Indians to compete in all trade and

professional ranks. The Indians must not be kicked off their reservations. To do this, says the author, would be to condemn many of them to profound social and economic misery.

The study strongly urges extensive educational programs and off-the-reservation jobs. Development of these goals is seen as economically necessary but, according to the author, they are no more important than giving the Indians the privilege of voting. Also advocated



Bigger Fowl Contest Extended for Year Poultry Raisers Seek Heavier Farm Flocks

Bigger and better drumsticks for "Junior" are sought in the national Chicken-of-Tomorrow contest, which will be extended through 1948. The decision to continue the event was made in response to demand from poultry raisers from coast-to-coast.

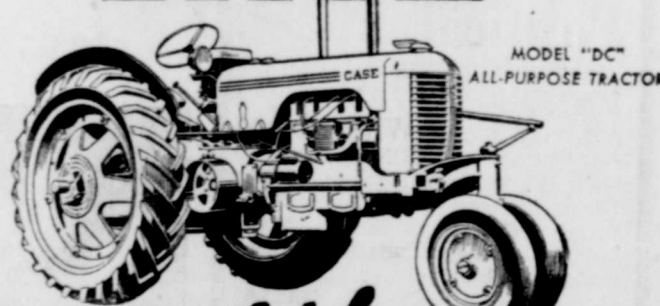
Unlike popular reducing fads among the hen's human counterparts, this barnyard project is designed to add weight to the farm flocks and to give American chicken



A day-old chick perches on a model of the Chicken-of-Tomorrow, the objective in a nationwide contest extended through 1948.

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is the relaxation of the ban on drinking.

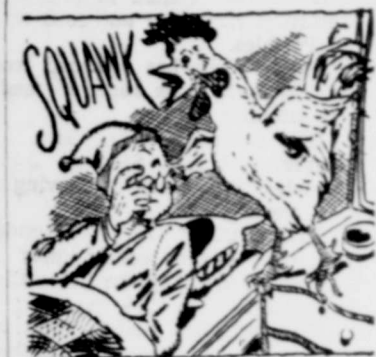
The author scores discrimination arising from "fear of competition in political power," and claims that, "even without government protection, Indians sophisticated enough in white ways actually to participate in white economics and society should not be in danger of losing their lands, or becoming dependent upon charity, or of psychologically collapsing into wandering ne'er-do-wells, hopelessly condemned to the lowest stratum of white society."

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eaters more for their money. Poultrymen from all parts of the country are joining in the hunt for a breeding formula which will add at least 10 per cent more meat to the present-day chicken. A higher percentage of meat on the bone structure and even meatier wings are sought, thus assuring "Junior" that no longer will only a skimpy appendage be left as his lot when the dinner platter arrives at his lowly place.

The industry-wide educational breeding contest originally was set up on a three-year basis, with two years of state and regional contests culminating in a grand national championship this spring in Delaware. Forty top breeders throughout the nation will send eggs to the finals, where they will be hatched and raised under identical conditions under supervision of the department of agriculture. Winners will receive \$7,000 in prizes awarded by A & P stores, sponsors of the contest.

Expensive Alarm



Why keep a rooster when an alarm clock is cheaper?

That question is posed by Boyd A. Ivory, Wyoming agricultural extension service poultry specialist. A rooster, Ivory points out, eats about \$5 worth of feed a year at current prices. All you get in return, he insists, is a lot of crowing—accompanied by NO eggs!

A rooster is worthless in a poultry flock unless he is being used for breeding purposes in supplying fertile eggs for hatcheries or home incubation.

Hens won't lay any more eggs than they are laying just because a rooster is on the premises, so why not sell that "crowing so-and-so"?

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federal government during the first
three months of 1948 under the
Walsh-Healey Public Contracts
Act, it was announced in Albu-
querque by Lawson A. Wood, who
represents the Wage and Hour

minimum wage, overtime pay, child
labor, and convict labor, he added.
Wood stressed the fact that the
act provides for assessments
against employers at the rate of
\$10 a day for each day a boy under
16 or a girl under 18 years old is
employed in filling a government
contract. In some cases of viola-
tions, he said, employers may be
declared ineligible to receive fur-
ther government contracts for
three years.

Certificate Of Minors' Ages Are Advisable

Employers covered by the Fair
Labor Standards Act — Federal
Wage and Hour Law — who are
planning to hire minors during the
school vacation period were ad-
vised by Lawson A. Wood, who
represents the Wage and Hour and
Public Contracts Divisions, U.S.
Department of Labor, in this state,
to obtain federal age certificates
for minors claiming to be one or
two years older than the minimum
age requirements for the occupa-
tion in which they seek employ-
ment.

Such certificates, it was pointed
out by Wood at his headquarters
in Albuquerque, are acceptable as
proof of age under the law and
serve to protect the employer
against unintentional violations of
the child labor section.

The general minimum age, he
said, is 16 years, with an 18-year
minimum for particular occupa-
tions found hazardous for children.
The child labor section, he pointed
out, applies to minors employed
by producers, manufacturers, or
dealers who ship or deliver for
shipment in interstate or foreign
commerce.

In this state, federal certificates
of age are issued by city, town, and
county superintendents of schools,
he said.

Cattlemen Will Meet In Clayton On June 28-29

State cattlemen will meet in
Clayton June 28-29 at the second
quarterly meeting of the New Mex-
ico Cattle Growers Association, ac-
cording to G. W. Evans, Magdalena,
president. It is expected that more
than 400 ranchers representing
every county in New Mexico will
attend this session, Evans said.

Eradication of coyotes, proposed
regulations for the control of Bangs
disease in range cattle, and sug-
gested consolidation of the New
Mexico Cattle Sanitary Board and
Sheep Sanitary Board into the
State Livestock Sanitary Commis-
sion will be high on the list of top-
ics to be considered, Evans con-
tinued. All ranchers in the state
are urged and invited to take part
in deliberations regarding these
problems and others which will
come up for consideration.

The association has received
claims for two \$300 reward pay-
ments, and both will be considered
at the Clayton meeting. The reward
is paid for information leading to
the arrest, conviction, and punish-
ment of anyone stealing livestock
from association members.

Landscaping Of Farmsteads Is 4-H Club Theme

Creating better homes today for
tomorrow—the 1948 theme of 75 thou-
sand responsible citizenship tom-
sand 4-H Clubs throughout Ameri-
ca—is being carried out by boys
and girls beautifying their farm-
steads.

Among their landscaping activi-
ties are planting flower gardens,
trees and shrubs; improving lawns,
relocating drives, building outdoor
furniture and fireplaces, repairing

fences, and removing old, unsightly
outdoor buildings on their farms.
As incentives for superior records
of achievement, awards are again
provided in the 1948 national 4-H
home grounds beautification pro-
gram for the eleventh consecutive year.
Awards comprise medals of honor
for county winners and gold watch-
es for state champions. Eight na-
tional winners will receive educa-
tional trips to the Chicago 4-H Club
Congress next November.

Last year's state winner in New
Mexico was Nina Faye Snider, of
McAlister.

County medal winners in 1947
were: Gilbert Neel, Bernalillo; Bon-
nie Jean Windsor, Lea; March Lee
Townsend, San Juan; Mabel Mor-
ris, Sierra and Leta Rae Campbell,
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was a different "party" talking...
tying up the line.

Instead of complaining to the
phone company, he got the names
of all subscribers on his line, and
invited them over for a friendly
glass of beer. Found all of them
had had the same experience.

So they adopted a program of
"Self Regulation"—to keep calls
brief, assign certain hours of the
day to certain users, and so forth.

Worked, too—like the brewers'
program of "Self Regulation" by
which taverns selling beer are
checked on and warned if their
standards aren't up to scratch.
If the warning isn't heeded, the
proper authorities are notified.

From where I sit, "Self Regula-
tion" is the democratic way of re-
gulating many services to the public
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lines, or the enjoyment of a mod-
erate, pleasant beverage like beer.

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Rule Changed For Records Under Wage-Hour Law

Certain records employers were
required to preserve for four years
need now be kept only three years
under a change in the regulations
issued under the Fair Labor Stand-
ards Act, it was announced by Law-
son A. Wood, Albuquerque, who
represents the Wage and Hour and
Public Contracts Divisions, U.S. De-
partment of Labor, in this state.

Wood pointed out that the
change does not affect the present
record-keeping requirements with
respect to basic records, such as
timecards and similar working re-
cords, which must be kept only two
years.

The reduction from four to three
years for other records reflects the
divisions' new operating policy with
respect to the provision of the Por-
tal-to-Portal Act, which establishes a
two-year federal statute of limita-
tions applicable to employ suits
under wage and hour law, while at
the same time conforming to the
general federal statute limiting the
time for commencing criminal ac-
tions to three years, he pointed out.

W. S. (Shelby) Moore, candidate
for Probate Judge, respectfully so-
licits your vote.
18-6tp-23

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Ever-ready Flashlight Batteries 10¢	MAGNESIA PINT BOTTLE (Limit 1) 37¢
54 KOTEX NAPKINS Economy package 1.38 Sanitary BELT . . . 31¢	IVORY SOAP 2 FOR 33¢ LARGE BAR (Limit 2)
Formula 20 CREAM SHAMPOO 4 ounce jar 89¢	EPSOM SALT 19¢ 16-oz. MEDICINAL (Limit 1)
Tube of 25 60¢ ALKA- SELTZER Effervescent Tablets ... 49¢	SAVE ON DUZ 34¢ LARGE SIZE BOX (Limit 1)
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ABSORBINE, JR.	1.25 Size	69 ^c
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LYDIA PINKHAM'S	1.65 Size	98 ^c
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TOOTH PASTE	50c Size	43 ^c
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DEXTRI MALTOSE	75c Size	69 ^c
SPECIAL		
LISTERINE	75c Size	69 ^c
PALMOLIVE	Soap 5 Bars	26 ^c

HEAVY		
MINERAL OIL	Pint	29 ^c
HEAVY		
MINERAL OIL	Quart	59 ^c
U.S.P. 70%		
ALCOHOL	50c Size	19 ^c
1.00 SIZE		
JERGEN'S LOTION	Plus Tax	79 ^c
JOHNSON'S		
BABY CREAM	50c Size Plus Tax	43 ^c
ZONITE		
SUPPOSITORIES	1.00 Size	79 ^c
SPECIAL		
AMPHOJEL	1.50 Size	1.39
SPECIAL		
LARVEX	1.00 Size	79 ^c
COLGATE'S		
TOOTH PASTE	50c Size	43 ^c

ARTESIA

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FRIDAY, MAY 28-5:30 P. M. S.

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To Some Boy 4 Through 8 Years of Age
Junior Bicycle-Retail Value 48.50

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1	3
Lady's Wrist Watch	Crosley Table Radio
From Our Jewelry Department	Retail Value 20.95
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2	Eversharp Ball Point
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5th 4.62

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A-1 Can or Acme Can

Case \$4.50

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 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

Table with columns: Name of Street, Addition, Block No., Lot No., Owner. Lists various streets and owners in Artesia, NM.

Main table listing property owners, addresses, and assessment details. Columns include owner name, address, lot number, and assessment amount.

Brief cases and underarm cases
The Advocate office.

Table listing property owners and addresses in the Spencer area, including names like Spencer, Fletcher, and various street names like Alley north of Main.

Table listing property owners and addresses in the Robert-Sixth to Fifth Street area, including names like Owen D. Hensley, Fletcher, and various street names like Alley north of Main.

Table listing property owners and addresses in the Blair area, including names like Grace Wetig, William Dooley, and various street names like First Street.

the propriety and advisability of making such improvements, and as to the cost thereof, and as to the manner of payment thereof, and as to the amount thereof to be assessed against the property abutting thereon or benefited thereby.

Ambulance Service advertisement featuring an image of an ambulance and contact information for Paulin Funeral Home, including phone number 707.

Office Supplies at The Advocate advertisement.

Advertisement for Guy Tire & Supply Co. featuring a large image of a Marathon tire and text describing the benefits of their tires, including 'It's back!! The tire that sets the pace in the low price field!!!'

Advertisement for MANN-KAISER ELECTRIC CO. featuring an image of a woman washing clothes and text promoting their Bendix washers and dryers.

Morningside

(Miss Anna Tice)

Mr. and Mrs. Debs Mendenhall and baby of Portales spent the weekend with friends on Morningside.

Mrs. Thurman Northam and children have been with her mother in Hatch, N. M., the last three weeks. Her mother has been seriously ill, but is reported to be improving.

Mr. and Mrs. George East of Maljamar are moving to Artesia. James Boyd took a load of hay to El Paso Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Wilkerson of Newkirk Wash., has been visiting Mrs. Wilkerson's mother, Mrs. R. L. Brazil. Mrs. Brazil and son, Robert, accompanied them home for an extended visit.

Charles Boyd and son James, went to Lubbock Friday for a load of grain.

Mrs. Nina Tice and grandsons, Ronald and Harry Price, visited Mrs. Tice's daughter, Mrs. M. G. Adams, in Lovington over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Adams of Lovington and Ay Tice of Ulysses, Kan., visited Mrs. Nina Tice Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Tice and daughter visited the Adams family in Lovington Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Morton and family have moved to the McCaw Hatchery, where they are employed.

Bonnie Foster and James Boyd took two loads of cattle to Clovis Monday for Lewis Means.

Mrs. Charlie Boyd entertained a Mrs. Cole in her home Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Thames celebrated their wedding anniversary Monday evening. About 20 guests were present.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Bente and family and Mrs. Jim Hollydow of Albuquerque spent the week end here visiting friends and relatives. Mrs. Leola Field of Roswell visited her daughter, Mrs. Ray Tice, and family recently.

DROP A CARD

To Eddie's Sewing Machine Supplies, General Delivery, Artesia, N. M. Motors, lights, portables, cleaning, repairs. All work guaranteed and satisfactory or money back. Free pick up and delivery. Service calls made. 19-4tc

LARGE-FANCY CANNING ASPARAGUS HOME GROWN Bryan Gardens 13th and Richardson Phone 391-R1 Next to Locker Plant

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Kilpatrick have left for Exter, Calif., to make their home. They were accompanied by Mrs. Kilpatrick's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Duport Waller of Long Beach, Calif. Mr. and Mrs. Kilpatrick have made their home here with Mr. Kilpatrick's mother, Mrs. Hooten, the last several months.

Mrs. G. W. Holt of Dallas is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Junior Marth, and family.

Miss Betty Jo Luna, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Luna, and Marrin Martin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Martin, of Atoka were married May 15. The couple was honored at a shower by Mr. and Mrs. Junior Martin May 20.

Mr. and Mrs. Holt have moved to Hagerman with Mr. and Mrs. Dude Stevens and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Walters visited their daughter, Mrs. Edith Tice, and family Sunday.

Anna, Charles, and John Tice, children of Mrs. Edith Tice, visited their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Garland Duncan, on Cottonwood Sunday.

Fire Chief Says Spring Clean-Up Helps Business

merchant will find it to their advantage to shop-clean. Fire Chief Albert Richards declared in calling for the cooperation of Artesia businessmen in spring clean-up.

Cleaner, more attractive premises will invite more customers, the chief pointed out. More customers mean more money for more improvements and modernization which will in turn bring in bigger sales.

To the businessman who wants to climb aboard this profitable merchants' merry-go-round, the Chief offered these suggestions in clearing up his store:

Remove all heaps of dirt, papers, rubbish in basement packing and shipping rooms, and yard. Keep them as clean as possible.

Be sure oily waste or other greasy material is put in metal waste cans which should be emptied every day.

Keep aisles and entrances clear of obstacles to exit.

Check for all woodwork or other combustible material located too near steam pipes, boilers, flues or furnaces. Make certain fuel supply is stored safely. Move open flame lights away from burnable equipment.

Look over all electric wiring, and equipment for broken fixtures, loosened wires, cords looped over nails and fuses replaced by improper current-carrying devices.

Insist that smoking rules be obeyed.

Inspect fire-fighting equipment. Be sure combustible stock is stored safely in a room with fire walls.

SUBSCRIBE TO THE ADVOCATE

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF EDDY COUNTY STATE OF NEW MEXICO IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT AND ESTATE OF ROBERT L. COLE. DECEASED.

No. 1470 NOTICE

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an instrument purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of Robert L. Cole, deceased, who was also known as Robert Lee Cole, has been filed for probate in the Probate Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, and that by Order of said Court, the 21st day of June, 1948, at the hour of 10:00 A.M., at the Court room of said Court in the City of Carlsbad, New Mexico is the day, time and place set for hearing proof of said Last Will and Testament.

THEREFORE, any person, or persons, wishing to enter any objection to the probating of said Last Will and Testament are hereby notified to file their objections in the office of the County Clerk of Eddy County, New Mexico on or before the time set for said hearing.

DATED at Carlsbad, New Mexico this 17th day of May, 1948. Mrs. R. A. WILCOX County Clerk

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

LESLIE B. WALKER, Plaintiff vs. ROBERT S. WALKER, Jr., Defendant.

Case No. 10565 NOTICE OF PENDING SUIT STATE OF NEW MEXICO, to ROBERT S. WALKER, Jr., GREETINGS:

You will take notice that there has been filed in the District Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, a civil action numbered 10565 on the docket of said Court, wherein Leslie B. Walker is plaintiff and you, Robert S. Walker, Jr., are the defendant; that the purpose of said suit is to obtain a divorce for plaintiff on the grounds of desertion and abandonment and to restore to defendant her former name of Leslie B. Prather and unless you appear, answer, or defend herein on or before the 8th day of July, 1948, the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief prayed for in her complaint filed herein and judgment will be rendered against you in said cause.

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

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal, this 24 day of May, 1948.

MARGUERITE E. WALLER Clerk of the District Court By HARRIET R. RAMSEY Deputy

(Seal) 22-4t-26

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

FOR SALE—Nearly completed, four-room modern house, material for finishing, and 12 half-acre lots at edge of town \$5000.

Three and two bedroom houses, good houses and good location. \$3000. Will handle immediately purchase.

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FOR SALE—Martin outdoor motors, "6" alternate firing twin, "7.2" horsepower; "40" alternate firing twin, 4 1/2 horsepower; "20" single-cylinder 2 1/2 horsepower. Blocker's Electric Shop, 303 Main Street, phone 47-J. 21-tfc

FOR SALE—Baby electric washer, Handy-Hot. Also have violin. 112 S. Second, phone 734-J. 22-1t

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

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FOR SALE—White truck and tank trailer, gasoline, 4515 gallons. White truck and tank trailer, 4000 gallons. GMC truck and tank trailer, 3500 gallons. Chevrolet truck with 1028 tank. One tank trailer, gasoline, 2843 gallons. Permit No. 8221. Will sell any part. E. M. PERRY Phone 305-W.

FOR SALE—18-horsepower Evinrude outboard motor, excellent condition; Star metal boat and trailer. Blocker's Electric Shop, 303 Main Street, phone 47-J. 21-tfc

FOR SALE—Dairy feed, vitamin rich, Ful-o-Pep, 16 per cent dairy ration to promote heavy milking and herd health. Rich in vitamins and organic source minerals that cows need. Parks & Shelton, One mile west, phone 094-R5. 21-2tp-22

FOR SALE—One M-T-A tractor, one F-T-A 21-32 Industrial type tractor, one International mower, one Massey Harris mower, all in A-1 condition. Phone 93. Artesia Implement and Supply. 22-tfc

FOR SALE—Four-cubic-foot Kelvinator. See Les Conger, Artesia Auto Body Shop. 22-1tp

FOR SALE—Wood's Weed Woer. Weeds disappear with no effort. Call 695-M and ask for Art. 22-1tp

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FOR SALE—Well located residence three blocks from grade and high schools, large living room, two bedrooms, bath and kitchen, an adobe house close to residence and can be used as bedroom. Peach and apricot trees, plenty shade, lot corner of 12th and Dallas. See W. E. Ragsdale office 322 Missouri. 22-tfc

FOR SALE—Furnished house and rent house, and lot, at a bargain. 922 S. Second St., phone 795-R. 22-1tp

FOR SALE—Outboard motor, Sea King, five-horse-power, excellent condition. Substantial saving. Fred Brainerd. 22-tfc

FOR SALE—One seven-foot Superior refrigerator in good condition. Also one Fairbanks-Morse lightplant engine, 1000-watt. R. L. House, Lakewood, N. M. 22-3tp-24

FOR SALE—Mercantile stock, mostly groceries, some dry goods and hardware, and lease building to party interested in operating store at Mayhill. Contact W. L. Stirman, Mayhill, N. M. 22-1tp

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. Mable Balsmo. 20-3tp-22

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

FOR SALE—Girl's bicycle, good condition. See Laverne Batie, or call 722-R. 22-1tc

FOR SALE—Good used late model Culbransen spinet piano, walnut case Ginsberg Music Co., 205 N. Main, Roswell, N. M. 21-2tc-24

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FOR SALE—One new three-ton WKA Dodge truck. Keeth Gas Co., phone 2941, Hagerman, N. M. 21-2tc-22

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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

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