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## POT POURRI

At least 10—that's as high as we can count—rummage sales were in progress in Artesia Saturday. Managers of clothing stores, which help send our boy to school, are still complaining the "bracers" are not spending much money with them.

Manuel Rodriguez, Artesia's Spanish-American cop, who has been doing much interpreting between local cotton farmers and the "bracers" says he always tells the farmers one thing:

"Please don't make a mistake and put me in one of those trucks and send me to Mexico!"

Incidentally, the Police Department has been of great assistance and doing all possible for the farmers and Mexican nationals in their misunderstandings and little difficulties arising through inability to save each other.

And speaking of the police, if you should happen to find a 300-pound bronze cannon of pre-Civil War vintage around the premises, call the cops, for they're looking for one.

It was stolen early one morning last week from the yard of Verne Wheeler in Roswell and the Artesia police have been asked to keep an eye out for it.

Wheeler said the date, 1853, is stamped on it, along with some other markings.

If you find it around the place and report it, Wheeler will pay you a \$25 reward.

And speaking of Roswell, John Knorr of that place, state Republican chairman, was in Artesia a few days ago and was telling about a national G.O.P. meeting he had just attended in Chicago. He said a delegate from Utah disclosed the fact he is a Mormon and that his father was the father of 30 children by different wives. In fact, the Utah man said, his father now has about 1000 living descendants.

The other delegates, according to Knorr, thought it might be a good idea to have a law passed making it legal for Republicans to practice polygamy. Then, in a half century or so, they could have the party built back to its one-time status.

It isn't fair. Just let us make a penny mistake and we hear from it immediately.

But Boone Barnett, editor of the Artesia Rotary Club's bulletin, purposely allowed a mistake to get by and not a single Rotarian discovered it.

He had ordered the weekly bulletins for the meeting two weeks ago and then had to be out of town, so they were not distributed at the luncheon. So he decided to use the same ones the next week and to see if anyone noticed the date on them was a week old. No one did!

A print of the picture which appeared some weeks ago in The Advocate of E. B. Bullock receiving a plaque at a Rotary Club meeting from Capt. I. James Wycoff of the Salvation Army for 30 years of service to that organization was submitted by the club's public relations committee to The Rotarian, official magazine of Rotary International.

Now comes a letter from Leland D. Case, editor of The Rotarian:

"Indeed E. B. Bullock's record of years of service is an enviable one—and one that can be rivaled by few! Won't you pass along our congratulations to him?"

"The Scratchpad Man (conductor of a regular department in The Rotarian) has asked for the photograph to use in his department and we are following through on his request. It will be coming along in due course."

Hizzonor the Mare, Oren C. Roberts, who admits he has made some mistakes, has told this one on himself several times lately at various meetings:

He was having coffee with a quite prominent businessman, whom he did not identify and who brought up the subject of a carnival fund, inasmuch as city election time will be here again, come April. And he said he would be glad to contribute.

"But, Howard," said Hizzonor, "I don't have one."

The other replied, "you'd better start one. It'll take at least \$25,000 to re-elect you."

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## Humble To Drill 11,000-Foot Granite Test On Seven Rivers

An 11,000-foot deep test well is to be drilled by the Humble Oil & Refining Company in the Seven Rivers country west of Lake McMillan and about 20 miles southwest of Artesia, it has just been announced.

The well will be the Federal-Hobbs 1, located in SE SE 24-20-24, in which township several more shallow tests have been drilled.

It was reported the projected depth of 11,000 feet should take the exploration to the granite, providing a log of formations to that depth.

Humble's other Eddy County deep test, the Federal-Wiggs 1, SW NE 31-24-27, about 16 miles south of Carlsbad, was drilling at 12,817 feet in a black shale.

No new production was reported in the Eddy County oil fields during the last week, while operators staked three new locations.

They were: R. D. Collier, Collier-Saunders 2, SE NW 13-17-27; New Mexico Steel Production Co., Saunders 1-B, NE NE 13-17-27; York & Harper, State 2, NW NW 36-24-27

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## Rev. Morgan Is Re-Elected Head State Baptists

Rev. S. M. Morgan, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Artesia, was reelected president of the New Mexico Baptist Convention, which convened in Santa Fe last week.

Fred Cole, also of Artesia, was elected president of the New Mexico Baptist Brotherhood, an organization of the Baptist men of the state, who held their annual convention in Santa Fe on Monday and Tuesday of last week, preceding the general convention that convened on Tuesday evening and continued through Wednesday and Thursday.

The representatives from the First Baptist Church of Artesia at these sessions were Rev. and Mrs. Morgan, Rev. and Mrs. V. E. McGuffin, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cole, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hornbaker and Miss Melva Ann Morgan.

The convention was celebrating the 100th anniversary of the Baptist work in New Mexico. The first Baptist sermon was preached in the old plaza of Santa Fe in 1849 by missionaries who reached Santa Fe on their way to California. However, the first territorial organization of New Mexico Baptists was not completed until November, 1900, in Las Cruces, with 27 churches represented. There are now 183 Baptist churches in New Mexico with about 50,000 members.

Rev. Morgan, as the president of the convention, was the presiding officer at all sessions, beginning on Tuesday evening in the auditorium of the arts building in Santa Fe. Cole addressed the Brotherhood convention on Tuesday morning and was the master of ceremonies at the annual banquet on (Continued last page, this section)

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R. A. Westaway, Eddy County deputy tax assessor, has announced taxpayers in the county will pay \$1,253,031, in assessments this year, an increase over the 1948 levy and the largest in Eddy County history.

He said assessed property valuation in the county is \$53,710,237, which is also an increase in last year's figure.

This year's assessment does not include oil valuations, which are estimated at about \$125,000. The figure for last year does not include the oil report.

The increase in taxes will amount to about \$212,000. Increase in valuation is \$4,260,237, Westaway said.

Last year, 9670 persons paid taxes and this year Westaway believes more than 10,000 will receive notices.

The county treasurer will send out notices as soon as the office work is complete and the tax warrant has the approval of the Board of County Commissioners.

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In a periodic report to the citizens on the progress of the city, given at the monthly Chamber of Commerce luncheon Friday, Mayor Oren Roberts said that on July 8 the city had completed a sewer job of approximately \$88,700 and that 9000 feet of water pipe of various dimensions had been laid at a cost of \$143,000.

His was but one of several reports of progress both as to the city and Chamber of Commerce projects given at the noon meeting in the basement of the Masonic Temple, over which J. D. Smith, chamber president, presided.

Mayor Roberts said the sewer laying is complete, insofar as the program is concerned, but that the job is not done. And in order to finish the job, he said, it will be necessary to "take a bit here and there," or to vote another bond issue, which he said he opposes, as he opposes an increase in taxes.

The mayor said the water system as now in operation is adequate as far as it goes and the water supply is ample, but that there is not enough of the system, especially in the outskirts of the city. But the job cannot be extended, as the city has no pipe or money with which to do it. At that, Mayor Roberts said, the city has laid more water line than the program called for.

The city does have about \$17,000 worth of material on hand, but it does not include pipe. The mayor said are bands, valves and the like. Added to the cost of the lines now in, this would mean the system and

materials on hand have a value of about \$159,000.

Approaching the two systems from another angle, Mayor Roberts said the city has 54,441 feet of sewer pipe laid, about 12,500 feet more than originally called for and about 28,000 feet of water lines.

Originally the paving program, recently completed, called for improvement of approximately 75 blocks, the mayor said. But at present there has been completed through the volunteer method a total of 96 blocks of streets and 10 blocks of concrete alley paving at a cost of approximately \$215,000.

The amazing thing about it, Mayor Roberts said, is that the city has found it necessary to file liens on only five properties, the owners of which could not or did not wish to meet the paving costs.

He reported that the night prior he had attended a meeting in Carlsbad, at which representatives of the State Highway Department had met with the Eddy County Board of County Commissioners and that by changing the proposed right-of-way on the planned highway south of Carlsbad slightly, the estimated cost for damages had been reduced from \$68,442 to \$32,500.

Mayor Roberts said there have been a number of changes in plans for highway construction in Eddy County from those agreed upon a number of months ago. It had been agreed construction of secondary roads on the Cottonwood and from Highway 285 to Rocky Arroyo was to run concurrently.

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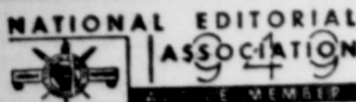
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## Don't Expect It

FOR YEARS NOW we have watched individuals sponsoring local movements, projects and entertainments impose on their various advertising mediums.

And for years we have seen the resentment which they develop and their failure to receive all of the help and co-operation they could receive if and provided they did not promote this competition for the advertising mediums.

After all, the radio stations and the newspapers depend on advertising to exist. It is from the revenues from advertising they are able to function; able to meet their payrolls; pay their taxes; have funds to make contributions.

It is the advertising which is sold that makes it possible for the radio stations and newspapers to operate and to be able to donate freely of their advertising time or advertising space to worthy movements, projects and undertakings.

So when you get ready to put on an entertainment as an organization, a club or a group and want the aid and help of the advertising mediums in giving you publicity, may we suggest you not go into competition with them. Don't go out and ask them to donate time and space and then go out and sell advertising in competition with them.

Most merchants would resent some movement that asked for their aid and help and their donations and then went into competition with them. The fact is they wouldn't co-operate. Yet that is exactly what happens to the radio stations and the newspapers. People request them to give freely of their time and space, to co-operate fully and yet we go out in competition with them.

There is just so much money being spent in this community for advertising. It is limited. And when it goes to various programs, curtains, booklets, this and that—well, it is that much less the legitimate advertising mediums can sell.

You can have more co-operation and better co-operation from those you seek to have help you if you will give a little co-operation, too. Don't expect them to be too generous when you are in competition with them. Eliminate the various advertising schemes and rackets in connection with the programs and the entertainments and you will find the radio stations and newspapers giving more co-operation.—O.E.P.

## Keep It Good

MOST PEOPLE SOONER OR LATER see the day when they wished they had kept their credit good so they can use it when they need it.

The majority of folks, of course, do keep their credit good. They pay their bills promptly and on time. And most of us realize this.

But there is always a certain number oftentimes too large a number of individuals and firms who ride their credit just as long as they can possibly do so. They have never learned that the wise thing to do is to pay their bills promptly and on time and keep their credit good.

They seem to think that it doesn't matter just how long they make folks wait for their money. Sometimes, of course, this is not their fault. There are times seemingly when they depend on others to pay them before they can pay others. This may be due to the fact they do not have sufficient working funds but sometimes it does happen.

But the average individual is the person who sooner or later wishes that he or she had paid their bills and their accounts.

It may happen in the dead of the night sometime when they need a doctor real badly. They may have neglected to pay their doctor bill or at least pay something on the bill. They have let it ride because for the time being they didn't need the doctor.

Then all of a sudden the emergency arises. They need the doctor and they need him badly. They may hesitate to call him because they have not paid the bill. And they may call and he may not respond because he hasn't been paid.

There are other occasions when perhaps we need credit for a few days or for a brief period. But we can't secure the credit because we haven't paid our bills promptly and on time.

It is a wise individual whether it is his or her personal bills or whether it is their business firm's bills who meets these accounts promptly and on time.

The best way to be sure you have your credit when you need it is by paying your bills when they are due.

If we do that, then we have credit, good credit, which we can use when that emergency arises.—O.E.P.

## 'What A Country!'

AT A RECENT FOOTBALL GAME, when the Artesia High School band marched on the field, Fred Cole, public address system announcer, exclaimed, "What a country! Young America in action!"

That tells the whole story and is an editorial in itself. Of course, it was Fred's editorial. But it's ours too.

Those kids were strutting across the field, tooting their horns, in sheer joy, because they wanted to, not because they had to. If one of them hit a sour note—and that usually happens—or if they were "all out of step but Jim," little would be said about it.

In the half, prior to the band performance and the half afterwards, two other bunches of kids, one representing Artesia and the other the visitors, tussled out there on the same field, because they wanted to, not because they had to.

They also made some mistakes, but it was no killing matter. Too bad a mistake might have caused one or more of them to be benched by either the coaches or officials, but that was only a temporary affair and those affected would try all the harder in a spirit of competition to get back later in the game or in the next game.

And in the stands were hundreds of people, all there because they wanted to be. Some of them shouted dire threats, but they didn't mean them just that way. They were merely spouting off, allowing the spirit of the contest to sway them.

Not one person in that stadium or on that field was doing anything he didn't want to do, unless, perhaps, it might have been a player or two, sitting on the bench when he or they would far rather be out there in the middle of the fray.

No one made the band members join the band, rehearse or parade on the field. No one made the Bulldogs and their opponents go out for football, work hard to get in condition and subject themselves to the bruises and bloody noses they were sure to get. No one forced the spectators to sit in the stands, some of them after having driven many miles, shivering from the cold and grumbling because cold concrete is mighty hard.

Nope! That's the way we do things here, because we want to, not because we have to. And as Fred Cole exclaimed:

"What a country! Young America in action!" —A.L.B.

## Plan For Elections

EDDY COUNTY FOR THE FIRST TIME will have full representation or at least more representation that it has had in the past when the next session of the State Legislature is held.

For a good many years, the eastern part of the state has had to make out with what it had. And the counties on the east side have had to share their representatives and their senators.

Now Eddy County will have its own two representatives and the counties on the east side will have their senator.

This may not be all of the representation that the counties deserve considering their population but certainly it is an improvement over what the counties had had in the past.

And it is now up to Eddy County to make the most of its opportunities.

We would like to see at least one of the representatives from Eddy County come from the agricultural interests of the county. The county stands high in agricultural products and certainly deserves to be represented in State Legislature.

But it is going to require that the farmers swing into action, organize, select their candidate and then go to work to elect him.

And if they don't—then the politicians will make the selection for them and they will organize and elect their man.

The labor interests have been represented in the State Legislature in the past. They will probably make their plans to continue to be represented in the State Legislature.

Certainly the oil interests deserve to be represented and they should elect a man.

And if they can't—then chances are they will go along with the farming interests and would help their candidate win the election.

But it is high time in this state that we do a little selecting of the candidates for public office rather than permitting the politicians to select them for us or permitting those not qualified and not capable of doing anything else but to elect them so they represent the taxpayers and the citizens in the Legislature.

There is just one way that the farmers and agricultural interests can select and elect their man and that is by going to work on this program at this time. The election is a little over a year away now.

It will be held next November and the Legislature will go into session then in January of 1951.

But it certainly is not too early to start planning now for that election and getting organized to win the election. The only value that the extra representatives in the State Legislature have is to really and truly represent their own county and the interests of these counties.

For far too long the representatives in the State Legislature seemingly have been a little more interested in representing themselves and their own interests than those of the citizens.

But this can be overcome if and provided we are willing to select our own candidates, men capable, able and qualified to represent us and then go out and elect them to office.

But if we wait until the last minute and permit others to do our organizing and our planning and our electing for us we won't be any better off than we were back in the days when we shared our representatives with the other counties on the east side.

Let's plan for that election now and send the best qualified men possible to the State Legislature—men who will represent the people and not the political groups and the favored interests.—O.E.P.

A survey reveals only 53 per cent of American men have pajamas and only 40 per cent have a suit of summer clothes. Wonder what the other 7 per cent sleep in?

Uncle Sam is proud of the money he makes and it's doggone dangerous to try to compete with him.

## TOMORROW'S BUSINESS OUTLOOK



## As Artesia Grows

TWENTY YEARS AGO  
(From The Advocate files for Nov. 7, 1929)

The world's largest artesian well is now located in the Pecos Valley of New Mexico, according to the current issue of the Johnston National Drillers Journal of St. Paul, Minn. The well is owned by the Oasis Cotton Company, and is located at Oasis, south of Roswell.

Mrs. Jessie Morgan gave a splendid talk on "P.E.O. Ideals" at the regular meeting of the sisterhood, which was held at the home of Mrs. E. M. Phillips Friday afternoon.

Mrs. R. L. House of Lakewood was trading in town yesterday. The First Bridge Club was entertained by Mrs. J. J. Clarke at her home Tuesday afternoon.

At the masquerade ball, sponsored by Clarence Kepple Post American Legion, Thursday night at the Silver Moon Pavilion, Mrs. H. A. Kaiser, dressed as a Spanish senorita, won the grand prize. Elva Barker won the first prize for men.

The American Legion Auxiliary had a special social meeting in connection with its regular business session on Monday afternoon honoring the new department president and secretary, Mrs. Albert Richards and Mrs. H. A. Stroup, both of Artesia.

Mrs. William Knorr and little son, Donald, arrived Tuesday from Rockford, Ill., and will visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Brainard until after Thanksgiving.

Katherine Yvonne Ragsdale, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Ragsdale is enjoying life on the beautiful campus of the Cincinnati Conservatory of Music this year. She is studying voice under Dan Beddoe, famous Welsh tenor, known as the world's greatest oratorio singer.

The Fortnightly Bridge Club met at the home of Mrs. William Linell for a 1 o'clock luncheon and afternoon of bridge Tuesday.

Mrs. J. M. Story was re-elected president of the Baptist Home-makers' Circle, which met at the church last Thursday for an all-day meeting and election of officers. Elected to serve with Mrs. Story were Mrs. Grover Everett, secretary and Mrs. W. P. Porch, treasurer.

## YOU'RE TELLING ME!

By WILLIAM RITT  
Central Press Writer

A BABY BOY was born in a transatlantic plane at an altitude of 19,000 feet and 400 miles from land. There's one kid whose schoolmates will never be able to convince that the stork doesn't have four motors.

Prague officialdom warns Czech youths against playing billiards. Got their cue from the Kremlin, no doubt.

It seems logical that Yugoslavia be a member of the United Nations Security Council. If any country needs security, it's Yugoslavia.

Meanwhile, Yugoslavia cites 447 separate hostile acts and

Bernard Cleve and family were down from Elk the last of the week visiting relatives.

One of the outstanding social features of the season was Friday evening at the B. C. Moots home on Cottonwood when Mrs. Moss Spence, who is sponsor of the Lake Arthur School freshman class entertained the class members with a Halloween party. Each class member was permitted to bring a guest.

A wedding of interest to the citizens of the Lake Arthur community was held in Cartbad last week, when Carl Nelson and Miss Lucille Price were quietly married. The bridegroom is a prosperous farmer of the Cottonwood community, and the bride is the youngest daughter of Ed Price.

TEN YEARS AGO  
(From The Advocate files for Nov. 2, 1939)

Halloween, combined with the carnival spirit, grossed the Artesia Parent-Teacher Association \$195.11 Monday evening, when members with the aid of students of various rooms presented a Halloween carnival at Central School.

George Frisch, five-minute speaker at the weekly Rotary luncheon Tuesday noon, termed Artesia "the dirtiest town for its size that I know, in 'burning up' citizens for allowing dirt and trash to be thrown around.

The Artesia Woman's Club delightfully entertained 15 members of the Dexter Woman's Club at a 1 o'clock luncheon at the clubhouse here Wednesday afternoon, when the visitors furnished an interesting program.

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Miss Mary Cecil McCasland and Arthur L. (Bus) Colvin of Artesia were married at the Church of Christ parsonage in Roswell Friday morning.

Mrs. Lloyd Simon complimented her son, Bobby, with a Halloween party Friday evening.

Mrs. A. P. Malone entertained the Miercoles Bridge Club at her home Friday afternoon.

Mrs. A. T. Woods was hostess to the H2O Bridge Club, which met at her home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nevil Muncy complimented Mr. and Mrs. Ed Muncy of Slidell, Texas, with a three course chicken dinner at their home Sunday.

## Wages Reported To Government Every Quarter

"If you work for a business or industrial concern, your wages are reported to the government every three months by your employer," J. Hassler Strickland, manager of the Roswell Social Security Administration office, announced.

"October is the month in which reports are made for the third quarter of 1949," he said. "This quarterly tax report must include your name, Social Security account number and the amount of the wages you earned during July, August and September. The wages as reported are credited to your Social Security account. Payments of old-age and survivors' insurance which you or your family may receive, in the years to come, will depend upon your wage record. If

you worked for an employer during July, August and September and did not give him a record of your Social Security number, be sure to do so now," Strickland advised.

A representative of the Roswell office visits Artesia twice each month. He may be contacted at the New Mexico State Employment Service in the Ward Building from 11 o'clock to noon each second and fourth Tuesday.

## Diet for Diabetics



4,000 DIABETICS who follow his dietary treatment are getting along without insulin, claims Dr. Michael Somogyi, biochemist at Jewish hospital, St. Louis, Mo. Dr. Somogyi, a Ph.D., claims insulin has been overused by some physicians. (International)

## My New York

By MEL HEIMER



NEW YORK—In spite of efforts by the intelligentsia and the professional reformers to discredit it, it seems reasonably true that prize-fighting is a glamorous pastime. Roughly and uncouthly glamorous, to be sure, but still glamorous.

Because of the lure that the public finds in two aborigines belaboring each other until, O happy day, the blood runs freely and the bells ring sweetly in their heads, the entertainment palace that is Madison Square Garden is known to virtually one and all as the world headquarters of boxing.

There are other joints of similar proportions dedicated to the same gruesome diodes—the Cow Palace in San Francisco, England's White City Stadium, Boston's Garden and Chicago's outdoor Soldier Field—but when you think of fighting on a big-league scale, you think of the Garden. Maybe the movies are responsible.

The reason this strange state of affairs comes to present mind is that Mr. Gene Autry, his Brahma bulls, his ghost riders in the sky and his 40 beautiful cowgirls 40 (as the Broadway dance palaces put it) just have departed from the Garden after having occupied it for nearly a month with their rodeo.

As one sits back to await the normal return of the bully boys and their right jabs and left hooks, one realizes that it will be some time before this return is accomplished on any regular scale. If it is accomplished at all. The rodeo has gone, but in its place will be arriving assorted other spectacles—everything, in fact, but an international spelling bee, which may be just around the corner.

What we are trying to say is that, if prizefighting is king at Madison Square Garden, then the king is down in the basement shining his shoes and awaiting permission to come back upstairs.

Next in line, for instance, is the National Horse Show, in which galloping gluepots of less trickshot stature than Mr. Autry's Champion but with more consistency than the dubious steeds which circle Jamaica eight times daily in these dying moments of the thoroughbred season, will jump fences and flex their withers muscles all during the first week in November.

They may sneak a fight into the Garden in the week after the Horse Show goes, but the boys only will be hanging up their hats temporarily, because on Nov. 17 an ice skating show checks in for 13 days and no sooner has that strange charade disappeared than the college basketball teams and the hockey players will arrive.

AND SO IT WILL GO, ALL WINTER, with extravaganza following extravaganza, and the poor prizefighters virtually dying on the vine. Oh, they will be squeezing a stagerfist in here and there and the new International Boxing corporation, or Octopus, Inc., will be offering an occasional world's championship bout, but the sad truth is that the Garden no longer depends on them for its revenue.

Why this is so, I do not know; I only know that it is so. It is likely that these days there aren't enough skillful boxers coming out of the woodwork; too many muscular juveniles have decided that it's easier to punch a timeclock and go on strike every so often to relieve the monotony, than to pick up a tin ear and a paraffin nose in return for a paycheck.

All in all, and without bothering to pick up the phone and check with Lillian Jenkins, the Garden's press agent (yes—a woman, already yet), I should imagine that the biggest surefire attraction the year round at the Garden is Sonja Henie's ice show.

Next, likely, is the circus, which has come a long way since the days not too far back when the management "papered" the house liberally to keep the seats filled. Free seats to the circus these days are found considerably less easily than six-year molars in the head of a Rhode Island red.

The most steady money coming in from a sports attraction, at a guess; stems from college basketball, which plays a full twice-weekly winter season and packs the suck—ah, the customers—in every time, even when Duluth Teachers may be playing Spearfish Normal.

HOWEVER, IF THE POOR PUNCH-DRUNK ONES no longer are important in the life of the Garden, their casual glamor still surrounds the place and permeates the atmosphere, whenever you come within firing distance.

Up the street a piece is Lou Stillman's training gymnasium, and the pugs and their handlers shuttle back and forth between there and the Garden the way the lifted-pinky set flings itself with abandon from the Stork to El Morocco and back.

Ambitious young welterweights and old, disillusioned heavyweights always are hanging around the Garden. Panhandlers with bent noses and scrambled brains, who maybe once fought four-round prelims there, shuffle around in front of the joint, combing that 49th-to-50th-street block called Jacobs Beach, and always there seem to be a few kids around to whisper and point in awe when Rocky Graziano or Ray Robinson appears on the horizon.

All this has been going on at the Garden for nearly a quarter of a century now, or ever since it moved uptown from, logically, Madison Square, where most people remember the old Garden only as the building on whose roof Harry K. Thaw shot Stanford White over the charms of Evelyn Nesbit.

The seating capacity of the Garden, incidentally, is listed in the almanac as a little over 18,000—but that is when they put in the extra seats for fights . . . and they don't have many fights any more. This may be sad. I do not know. My perspective is neither wide nor deep enough.

Most of the Brussels sprouts grown in America come from Long Island, N.Y.

Veterans' loan guaranteed under the GI Bill now total nearly \$9,000,000,000.

The geographical center of the United States is near Smith Center, in north-central Kansas.

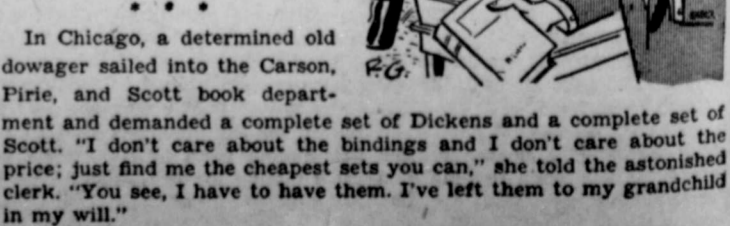
## Try and Stop Me

By BENNETT CERF

WHEN General Charles de Gaulle's star was in the ascendant in France, Andre Malraux, the famous author of Man's Fate, joined his party. A year ago it seemed inevitable that De Gaulle would soon rule all of France, and Malraux was jubilant. The Marshall Plan, however, seems to have put at least a temporary crimp in the De Gaulle boom.

Malraux, impatient at the delay, is reported to have reminded his chief, "We've crossed your cause to see you press the Rubicon—not fish in it!"

In Chicago, a determined old dowager sailed into the Carson, Pirie, and Scott book department and demanded a complete set of Dickens and a complete set of Scott. "I don't care about the bindings and I don't care about the price; just find me the cheapest sets you can," she told the astonished clerk. "You see, I have to have them. I've left them to my grandchild in my will."



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### How Russians Live Under Communism

By Armed Forces Press Service  
"A Captain in the Soviet Army receives almost 170 times the pay of a private."

That's one of the many examples, according to Armed Forces Talk 296, of the tremendous wage and class inequalities existing today under the Communist system that once promised to do away with such differences.

Despite these Communist promises, the Talk points out, a small and very privileged elite class holds Russia in the iron grip of dictatorship today much as the Czars ruled before the revolution. **Work Around Clock**

To this new elite class of Party members goes the rare refrigerator and automobile, while the majority of the Soviet population works around the clock for bare subsistence.

Thus, in 1946 the average Russian worker had to labor four hours to earn enough for a tooth brush. His American counterpart got the same purchasing power

### THE OLD HOME TOWN Revised by Stanley By STANLEY



for only 15 minutes of effort. For a cotton shirt that would cost an American about three hours of work, the Russian had to labor 320 hours.

Forcing acceptance of this lower standard of living is the most dreaded organization in the Soviet Union, currently known as the MVD.

"In spite of the civil rights outlined in the Soviet constitution of 1936," the Talk declares, "this MVD police force operates to deny such rights to any citizen of the U.S.S.R. who does not do as he is told."

The MVD is far different from the police forces we know in this

country, since it possesses not only the power to investigate and arrest but also to try and sentence in secret, with the accused assumed to be guilty on arrest.

**Many Slave Laborers**  
The far-reaching extent of these political police activities may be judged from eyewitness accounts by some who have escaped. Estimates based on these reports and other sources put the number of slave laborers in the Soviet Union

today somewhere between seven and 15-million.

Such is life in the nation described by Communists everywhere as the "Socialist Fatherland" — the system to which they would convert the whole world.

Despite the myths and promises of fervent Party members, the Talk concludes: "After 30 years of communism in Russia, one dominant fact emerges: the Tyranny of the czars has been replaced by the greater tyranny of the Communist Party."

### YANKS DEFEATED BY JAPS ON TOKYO BALL DIAMOND

TOKYO (AFPS)—The Japanese have defeated Gen. MacArthur's occupation forces—in baseball.

In a recent nine inning "engagement" the Japanese Trade Ministry won a 12-11 victory over the Economic and Scientific Section of General MacArthur's headquarters.

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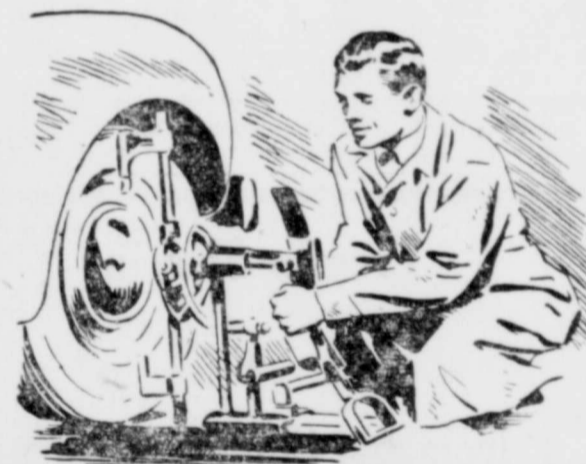
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# Women's Page

## 'Pilgrimage Of Beautiful Table Settings' Is Well Attended Sunday

The "Pilgrimage of Beautiful Table Settings," sponsored by the Artesia chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star Sunday afternoon in the various homes was well attended in spite of the cold weather.

"Dinner at Eight" at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Yates III was artistically carried out. The table was covered with a cutwork tablecloth. The centerpiece was a silver platter with a white Chinese figurine with white gardenias. Around the figurine was shellac coal. The china was French Limoges Chevreuse and the crystal was Imperial Greek Key and was furnished by Evans Hardware Store. On the buffet was a silver platter with a silver pitcher filled with bronze chrysanthemums and surrounding the pitcher was polished fruit.

"Christmas Is a Festive Occasion" at the home of Emery Carper, was carried out to the fullest extent. As one entered the dining room Christmas music was playing. The table was set for buffet style serving. The centerpiece was snow laden and green spruce, with shocking pink and silver Christmas ornaments to match the Chelsea garden chinaware and silver on the table. The entrance hall and living room held large vases of various flowers.

"Bridal Rehearsal Dinner" was shown at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Sanders. The table was covered with a beautiful green satin cloth and centerpiece of white carnations sprinkled with silver in a crystal and silver espergne. The table setting was of Lenox china with Kirk Reposee silver Crystal candle holders with white candles were used for light.

"Spring Magic" at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Williams, was artistically carried out with a centerpiece of Shasta daisies, pink rosebuds and blue cornflowers. The container was an heirloom cutglass water carafe. The china pieces had dainty pink flowers painted on them and the silver matched. At the entrance of the home on a console table was a large vase containing pink and yellow ranunculus.

The setting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Pitt was carried out in truly Western style. A covered wagon, coffee pots, and other articles familiar to the Western camping scene were used for "Yippi-I, Yippi-A, Western." Delicious doughnuts, coffee, peanuts, and candy were served to those who made the pilgrimage and stopped at the Pitt residence.

"The Patio Is a Delightful Place" at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Haldeman was described as "something out of this world." Flowers were blooming and the fish pond had lillies blooming. Some guests threw money into the pond calling it a wishing well. The walls are painted with cactus faces which were done by Mrs. Haldeman. The shelves held different kinds of knick knacks. Some were vases holding blooming flowers and other greenery. The table was set with a colored tablecloth and Mexican pottery dishes. To complete the patio is a bar and grill.

**Pink-Blue Shower Honors Mrs. Gooch On Friday Morning**

Mrs. Leon Gooch was honored with a pink and blue shower Friday morning in the home of Mrs. C. R. Carpenter.

Mrs. Gooch received many lovely gifts. Refreshments of coffee and doughnuts were served to Mes. J. W. Lewis, C. G. Howard, Alvin Payne, D. W. Bartlett and A. G. Bailey.

Those sending gifts but unable to be present were Mes. Dessie Jenkins, J. C. Wood, A. J. Brown, and W. C. Fleming and Miss Syl via Amstutz.

**Homemakers' Circle Of Baptist Church Meets On Thursday**

An all-day meeting of the Homemakers' Circle of the First Baptist Church was held last Thursday in the home of Mrs. M. W. Evans.

The Scripture lesson was given by Mrs. J. D. Josey.

At noon a delicious covered dish luncheon was served to Mes. C. C. Helm, C. L. Hefley, W. C. Brown, G. T. Hearn, J. Hise Myers, J. M. Story, E. B. Everett, J. D. Josey, F. M. Spencer, J. C. Floore, and Charles Ransberger. Miss Hattie Ruth Evans of Regina, niece of Mrs. Evans, was a guest.

The meeting closed with a prayer by Mrs. Helm.

The next meeting will be Thursday, Nov. 10, at the home of Mrs. J. Hise Myers.

**DRAWING SUPPLIES**, boards, T-squares, triangles, French curves at The Advocate, office supplies.

## Walker Circle Holds Its Annual Fall Luncheon

The annual fall luncheon of the Alice Walker Circle of the First Methodist Church was held last Thursday in the church educational building.

The room was artistically decorated by Mrs. Jack McCaw with autumn leaves, pumpkins, large apples, ears of colored corn, black cats, jack-o-lanterns, orange candles, orange balloons, greenery, shocked grain and corn shucks standing in the corners with pumpkins attractively placed about.

The tables were decorated to carry out the Halloween color scheme with colored fall leaves, chinaberry leaves, orange candles, marigold flowers, pumpkins, Halloween napkins and nut cups. The menu consisted of baked ham, candied sweet potatoes, green beans, cranberry salad, butter rolls, pumpkin pie with whipped cream, and coffee. The hostesses for the luncheon were Mes. Jack McCaw, James Fittle, and O. R. Gabie, Jr.

After the luncheon a short business meeting and program was held. Mrs. James Tittle presented the program, "Our International Family." Mrs. Orlan Syfred resigned as vice president of the circle and Mrs. Tittle was elected to fill the office.

Those attending were Mes. W. H. Walker, Boyd Barnett, J. D. Roberts, Carl Howell, W. H. Ledbetter, Orlan Syfred, W. C. Thompson, Jr., E. P. Bullock, Gene Chambers, M. L. Worley, Ed Havins, Bert Muncy, Jr., and J. B. Champions, Jr., and the hostesses.

## Dr. Bunch Is To Give Address At P.T.A. Meeting

"A Doctor Talks to Teen-Agers," will be the subject of an address by Dr. C. Pardue Bunch at a meeting of the Artesia High School Parent-Teacher Association in the school library at 7:30 o'clock Thursday night.

Dr. Bunch has had extensive experience in youth work by reason of his unique training as a physician and a social worker and his live interest in the subject should make his talk challenging and inspiring, according to Mrs. E. M. Perry, president of the P.T.A.

She said a forum after the address will be encouraged.

Mrs. Perry urged all parents to attend and to bring their sons and daughters to hear Dr. Bunch.

Mrs. Floyd Davis, program chairman, will be in charge of the program.

## Bride-to-Be Is Honored At Shower On Thursday Night

Miss Helson Watson, a bride-to-be, was honored with a china and crystal shower last Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Sam Sanders, with Mrs. Sanders, Mrs. J. N. Hightower and Mrs. Howard Aiken as hostesses.

As guests entered they signed a beautiful bride's book in charge of Mrs. Hightower. Miss Watson was presented a corsage of garnet roses, and her mother, Mrs. Hollis G. Watson, was presented a corsage of camellias. The gifts were placed on a large table placed by a window with a background of greenery.

The refreshment table was covered with a beautiful white linen cloth and centered with a large crystal bowl with white carnations sprinkled with silver and lighted crystal candelabra were on each side. Dainty sandwiches and coffee were served, and Mrs. Ralph Pitts poured.

Those present were Mes. Ross Sears, Joe Nunn, Neil Watson, Harold Dunn, Mark Corbin, H. C. Bidwell, L. M. Vaughn, Cecil Hightower, O. S. Brewer, S. B. Barnett, Fred Cole, Rex Wheatley Bertha Wynyarden, Sam Williams, H. R. Paton, Earl Bigler, Mittie Hamill, J. E. Roberts and Ralph Pitts and Miss Ruth Bigler.

**Three Boys, Girl Born At Hospital Over Last Week End**

Three boys and a girl were born last week end in Artesia Municipal Hospital. There were:

A son, Glenn Allen, born Thursday to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Castleberry.

Ronald Wayne, a son, born Friday to Mr. and Mrs. Lee Norris.

A daughter, Jeanetta Pauline, born Sunday to Mr. and Mrs. George Beal, Jr.

A son, Ignacio, born Sunday to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mariscal.

## Epsilon Sigma Alpha And Guests Have Halloween Party On Friday

The Sombbrero Room of the Veterans Memorial Building was the stage for a big "play" Friday evening for members of Epsilon Sigma Alpha and their guests celebrating Halloween.

The room was cleverly decorated in bright colors, leaves, straw and other signs of autumn, creating the proper atmosphere for the evening of gala fun. Huge shadows danced on the walls as 53 members and guests enjoyed a dinner of delicious sandwiches, potato salad, beans, pumpkin pie and chocolate cake, which was served buffet style.

Apples hanging from the ceiling on strings were the cause of many bruised noses, loose teeth and black eyes, as various ones good naturedly tried their skill of biting apples without the use of their hands. There was also cause for many of the guests to have colds as they dunked their heads in pans of water, still trying for the big red apples. Many of the guests were victorious as they dried their faces and munched apples.

Dart games were at the disposal of those who cared to participate, while everyone joined in dancing the remainder of the evening.

Among the guests were Mighty Mouse (Leo Austin), Uncle Fudd (M. L. Worley), an escaped convict (Vestal Yeats), a comical clown (Mrs. Vestal Yeats), a senator and beautiful senorita (Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cleghorn), a skeleton and a monkey (Mrs. and Mr. Douglas O'Bannon), a pirate and his lady (Mr. and Mrs. Albert Linell), a cowboy who had captured a Japanese girl (Mr. and Mrs. George Lynch), a general in short pants, haunted by a ghost (Mr. and Mrs. Charles Baldwin), a band of Gypsies (Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Bullock, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Schmidt, Dwight House and Miss Jimmie Starkey), a ghost who haunted Mighty Mouse all evening (Mrs. Leo Austin), a big fat Negro mammy with a white man (Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kruse), a group of cowboys and cowgirls (Mr. and Mrs. Gene Chambers and Jack Rogers), a surgeon and hobo (Mrs. and Mr. Bill Hunter), a pirate and hobo (Miss Tommy Terry and Clyde Burnett). Also guests were Miss Janice McGuire, Bill Haynes, Miss Oleta Ford and Bill Bullock, Miss Bonnie Fletcher, Mr. and Mrs. George Dungan, Mr. and Mrs. Sanders Terry, Mrs. Lewis Means and Mrs. Theda Smith.

**Helen Watson Is Honored At Coffee**

Miss Helen Watson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hollis G. Watson, whose marriage will be Saturday afternoon, was honored with a coffee Tuesday morning of last week at the home of Mrs. J. S. Ward, with Mrs. E. H. Ward and Mrs. Bob Ferguson as hostesses.

The serving table was spread with a lace cloth and the centerpiece was a miniature bride and bridegroom placed in a large crystal goblet under a bower of yellow and white pom pom chrysan-

themums. Mrs. Joe Watson poured.

Guests present were Mes. Jimmy Cunningham, Frank Schreiber, Howard Aiken, Curtis Bolton, Charles Baldwin, Wendell Welch, Charles Cleve, Bud Cleve, Creighton Gilchrist, Glenn Farmer, F. O. Ashton, Jr., Henry Worthington, Hollis G. Watson and J. S. Ward and Miss Bernie Baldwin.

## Study Group Meets Friday

The Study Group of the Artesia Woman's Club met Friday at the home of Mrs. H. C. Bidwell with 12 members present.

Mrs. John Rowland continued her questionnaire on "Who Says This?" Mrs. D. M. Schneberg continued the "Study on Medicine" and was assisted by Mrs. Fred Cole. Mrs. M. M. Alexander gave an interesting talk on "Art." She said 21 prisoners at Alcatraz had taken up art and the work had been on exhibition in San Francisco, Calif. and was proving quite successful. She also gave a short article on J. H. Sharp's life. He recently celebrated his 90th birthday and is still painting. He spends the summers at Taos and winters in California. Mrs. Carl Lewis gave an article on "What an Ex-President Starts Over as a Citizen."

Mrs. Bidwell talked on India and told of the recent visit of Nehru to the United States.

Mrs. B. E. Kennedy gave an article on "Making of the New Inflammable Ordyn," saying a factory to produce this inflammable material will soon be started.

After the meeting, the hostess served doughnuts and coffee.

## LAYMAN'S LEAGUE FORMED AT CHRISTIAN CHURCH

After a fellowship supper Wednesday evening of last week at First Christian Church, about a dozen men met in the study and organized a Layman's League with the following men elected to office: President, M. D. Estill; vice president, Nevil Muncy; secretary treasurer, C. E. Burns; governor, J. D. Smith.

A. A. Halbert of Carlsbad, state president of this organization of men was present and helped in the organization. The next meeting is to be at the church, Wednesday, Nov. 30.

## TWO CARS FOODSTUFFS COME TO BATH'S

Bath's Supermarket is receiving two full carloads of foodstuffs this week, one each of canned goods and flour.

## 'Socialized Medicine' To Be Discussed At Woman's Club Meet

The Artesia Woman's Club will hold its regular monthly meeting at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the clubhouse. The yearbook gives the date as Nov. 3, whereas it

should read Nov. 2.

The program is to be on "Socialized Medicine," given by Dr. R. C. Derbyshire, with W. Leslie Martin as a taxpayer and Miss Lois Nethery as the moderator.

Members of the Junior Woman's Club will be special guests and the public is also invited to attend.

After the meeting, refreshments will be served.

## Shower Given For Miss Helen Watson

Miss Helen Avis Watson, bride-to-be, was honored with a miscellaneous shower Monday afternoon of last week at the home of Mrs. Carl Lewis, with Mrs. Dave Bunting, Mrs. Elzia Swift and Mrs. Lewis as hostesses.

Members of the Fortnightly Bridge Club and Miercoles Bridge Club, of which the honoree's mother, Mrs. Hollis G. Watson is a member, were guests.

The refreshment table was spread with a Maderia tablecloth. A crystal bowl with pink tea roses centered the table and on each end were crystal candelabra with pink tapers. Mrs. Watson poured.

Those present were Mes. Landis Feather, Charles Martin, John Lanning, Albert Richards, C. R. Baldwin, C. R. Blocker, R. M. McDonald, J. D. Smith, D. M. Schneberg, A. P. Mahone, T. F. Hart, Raymond Bartlett, Oren C. Roberts, Robert Park and Jim L. Ferguson.

Those sending gifts, but unable to be present were Mes. Grady Booker, Sam Williams and William Linell.

## Council Of Church Women To Hold Fall Covered-Dish Lunch

The Council of Church Women will hold its annual fall covered-dish luncheon at the First Methodist Church at 1 o'clock Friday afternoon.

The theme will be "Peace Is Possible." Special music will be furnished by Mrs. J. T. Caudle. Devotions will be in charge of Mrs. J. A. Fahey.

Mrs. J. P. Pirtle of Roswell will be a guest speaker. Her subject will be "Peace Is Possible." Mrs. A. L. Smith of the National Council for Migrant Help will speak briefly also.

All women are requested to bring usable lengths of yard goods, one to four yards if possible, to be sent to the needy. Mrs. Ralph O'Dell will be in charge of this phase.

## Fellowship Meeting Held At Christian Church Last Week

About 60 persons were in attendance at the October fellowship meeting at First Christian Church Wednesday evening of last week. A bountiful covered-dish meal was enjoyed, which in turn was followed by a short but interesting program.

William M. Siegenthaler, Rev. A. G. Bell, and Mrs. A. W. Boyce spoke briefly on Christian literature and its place in the church. In this connection a fine display of excellent books loaned by the Christian Board of Education was placed in the room. The books will be held over Sunday for any who wish to look them over further.

Britton Coll showed motion pictures of the San Juan and Colorado Canyon trip which he took last summer. They were much enjoyed. Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Halbert of Carlsbad were guests.

## Hangar Flying

Dr. Charles Rundles soloed this week Tom Marshall soloed his Luscombe, which he recently purchased.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. (Sug) Hazy visited in Carrizozo Sunday afternoon.

The Herman Fuchs left Wednesday of last week for Colorado, planning to visit friends in Canon City.

The New Mexico Asphalt & Refining Company hangar was completed last week and has been moved into by H. P. Termain, N. Mex. pilot.

Colonel Butter of the Civil Air Board in Fort Worth, Texas, visited the airport last week. Other visitors were aircra't and engine inspector Phelanec and CAA Inspector Wisener.

Chuck Astoa and family flew to Douglas, Ariz., Thursday and returned Saturday. They stopped

in Wilcox, Ariz., en route. J. R. Lund purchased a Howard last week end. It is cream and red.

H. P. Termain departed Saturday for Tennessee, accompanied by NuMex officials.

Overcast and high winds brought flying to a standstill Sunday, after a good flying day on Saturday. Apparently the nice day represented a warm front just before the cold weather moved in.

An Army AT-11 flew into Artesia Friday, representing the CAP. Several Artesia pilots planned on attending the show at Albuquerque Sunday but the bad weather caused them to be grounded.

Kaye Palmer started his flying course last week.

Aaron Burr was the first to organize and manipulate the Tammany society for political purposes.

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**LOCALS**

Bob Siegel is to leave Wednesday for Kansas City to attend the wedding of his niece, Miss Joan Siegel, on Nov. 6. Miss Siegel is here in the summer of 1948 during her vacation from the University of Oklahoma in Norman.

D. D. Essex and John Boans returned home Friday night from Albuquerque, where they attended the state convention of the New Mexico Bus Drivers' Association in connection with the annual meeting of the New Mexico Education Association. Boans also went to Grants to visit his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Boans.

Samuel and James Yates of Artesia have been cited by the dean of the Wentworth Military Academy, Lexington, Mo., on the basis of superior grades during the first semester of the year. Major James C. Buck, dean, said only 10 per cent of cadets are able to meet the high standards required in the "Scholastic Bar."

Calvin Dunn returned home Sunday from Excelsior Springs, Mo., where he had been a patient in a hospital about five weeks and where he underwent surgery.

A guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Spencer, over the week-end was Mrs. Alice Attebery Packard of El Paso, a teacher in an El Paso school. She will be remembered as Miss Attebery who taught in the Artesia schools about 1911.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Blue last week end were their daughter, Bety Blue, a student at the Highlands University, Las Vegas, and her friend, Bob Graham, also a student.

Teddy Jane Archer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Archer, spent last week end at home. She is a student at Highlands University, Las Vegas.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Carpenter and son, Billy, spent last week in Texas and Oklahoma visiting relatives.

**'Girl From Jones Beach' Is Gay Laugh Riot**

Girls and more girls — all in bathing suits — with plenty of laughs and gaiety predominating, were on deck for local moviegoers on Warner Bros. "The Girl from Jones Beach" sails into the Landmark Theater Sunday for a three-day engagement.

Starring Ronald Regan, beautiful Virginia Mayo, and Eddie Bracken. "The Girl from Jones Beach" is the season's big warm-weather special and has as its background the fabulous public beach for New Yorkers just outside the city on the south shore of Long Island. In fact it was in the Jones Beach area recently that the world premiere of the picture was held with stars from both Hollywood and New York taking part in the gay beach festivities.

The story, with Regan and Virginia providing the heart interest, and comedian Bracken the laughs, aided in no little part by curvaceous Dona Drake, is about a beautiful but demure school teacher who, it turns out, is a Jones Beach regular and possessed of the most charming figure ever seen on those

sands. When commercial artist Regan, with pal Bracken, a talent agent, try to find the composite girl of all the beauty he has fashioned on his drawing board, of course Virginia is the gal. But, she isn't interested in just being beautiful and famous. She has serious ideals, it seems.

In this situation Regan projects himself, evening playing an immigrant for a time in Miss Mayo's Americanization class, and here the laughs are long and loud.

How the various models pursue the hapless Regan, however, makes for more fun and pulchritude on the screen than has been around in a long while. The gay beach life, the surf, the parties, are all there—local fans are in for a beach excursion of happy proportions without setting one foot out of town when they see "The Girl From Jones Beach."

Andy Corbin announced this week Brainard-Corbin Hardware Company will give a sleeping bag to the hunter registered at the store bringing in the heaviest buck having six points or less during the big game season, which opens Thursday of next week.

He said by confining the contest to bucks having six or fewer points, more hunters will have a chance for the prize.

In order to be eligible, a hunter must have registered at the store before going hunting, Corbin said. And bucks for the contest must have been drawn. Points to be counted are to be at least an inch and a half long, measured from the short side. Corbin said mutilated horns will disqualify a buck.

**Brainard-Corbin To Give Sleeping Bag For Heavy Six-Point**

Employees of Batie's Supermarket and members of their families were guests Wednesday night at a company party in the basement of the Masonic Temple, where they were served a steak dinner, as guests of W. W. Batie, owner. About 25 persons attended.

After the dinner, J. T. Haile, manager, showed colored slides he had taken of the V-D Day celebration parade here in August and other scenes.

The evening was spent informally, with no planned program.

**Batie Employees And Families Have Company Party**

Weeds ignited by means of a mobile weed burner in an adjacent field threatened building of the Union and Allied Supply Companies on East Main Street caused a fire alarm at 3 o'clock Monday afternoon. There was no damage.

**STUDY CLUB MEETS AT CAMPANELLO HOME**

Nine members attended the St. Anthony Study Club meeting held last Thursday in the home of Mrs. Louis Campanello. Refreshments of cookies and coffee were served. The next meeting will be at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Fritz Moeller, 610 1/2 West Missouri Avenue.

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**Use Poppy Seed for Seasoning**

By ALICE DENHOFF

HOW nice it is when shopping for the seasoning shelf to find all the spices, many of them absent for several years, all present and accounted for.

Among the old favorites we were so pleased to see again, was that beautiful blue Dutch poppy seed. Once limited just to baked goods, the crunchy little seed with a walnut-like flavor, has been discovered by homemakers for wider usage. In the Dutch province of Senland, where most of the poppy seed is grown the mastery of the growing art is passed from generation to generation.

**Sauce for Vegetables**

If you want to spice up the flavor of asparagus, peas, onions, carrots, beets or cauliflower, just try this sauce, sufficient for one lb. cooked vegetable. Melt 1/4 c. butter or margarine. Add 1/2 tsp. lemon juice, 1/2 tsp. poppy seeds, dash of paprika and 1/4 tsp. marjoram. Mix thoroughly.

Lamb steaks with poppyseed noodles makes a nice dinner dish. To serve 4, have butcher cut 4 steaks from end of leg of lamb. Wipe with damp cloth and place on greased broiler pan. Sear quickly on both sides in hot broiler. Place in oven with controls set for

moderately hot (375 F.-400 F.) to finish cooking. Allow 10-15 min. for steaks 3/4 to one inch thick. Spread steaks with butter and sprinkle with salt, pepper and dash of marjoram. To prepare the noodles, cook an 8-oz. package small flat noodles; drain. Melt 2 tbsp. butter. Add 1/2 tsp. salt and 1/2 tsp. poppyseeds. Pour over noodles and toss together gently to mix. Serves 4-6.

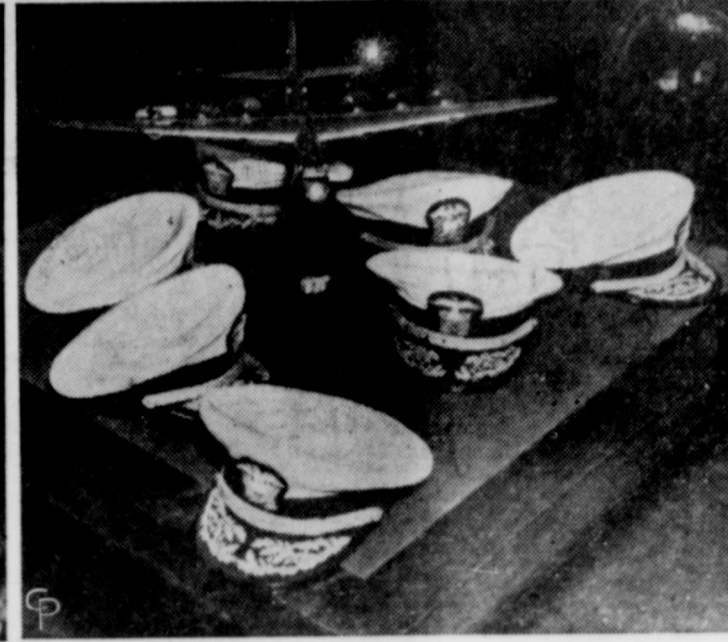
Lift up a just run-of-the-mill dinner with a batch of quick poppy seed rolls. Prepare a package of yeast roll mix according to package directions, but mix 2 tsp. poppyseeds thoroughly with flour before adding to yeast mixture. More poppy seeds may be sprinkled over top of rolls just before baking, if desired. A regular yeast roll recipe may be used in lieu of the package mix, but use 2 tsp. poppy seed for every 3 c. flour.

A poppy seed crust will bestow something new and different on a graham cracker pie crust, especially nice for lemon chiffon pie. For a 9-inch crust crush graham crackers for 2 c. crumbs. Cream 1/4 c. butter or margarine until soft. Beat in 1/4 c. sugar and 3 tsp. poppy seeds. Work in crumbs. Pat mixture firmly onto sides and bottom of 9-inch pie pan. Bake at 325 F. 8-10 min. Let stand until cold before adding filling.

**PROTESTS ATOMIC 'MAGINOT LINE MENTALITY'**



Adm. Thomas C. Kinkaid.



Navy "brass hats" in shadow of B-36 model outside hearing room.

THE COMMANDER of the Eastern Sea Frontier, Adm. Thomas C. Kinkaid, protests a "Maginot line mentality" of placing too much emphasis on the atom bomb in testimony before the House armed services committee in Washington. He is lined up with other admirals in testimony against Navy budget cuts and what Navy argues is overemphasis of Air Force's B-36. (International Soundphotos)

**Insecticides Will Control Roaches**

Cockroaches may be controlled with little difficulty if the job is done thoroughly and properly, says E. J. O'Neil, extension entomologist.

"The insecticide which makes the job of controlling this pest so easy is chlordane and is may be applied either as a 2 per cent spray or as a 5 per cent dust," the entomologist points out. "Roaches or their eggs may be brought into the house in boxes and bags and may be found in even the cleanest homes."

"Roaches feed on about the same food products as man and in addition eat starchy materials, such as bindings of leaves of books and magazines, paper covering of boxes and wallpaper. They may be found in dark corners of closets, behind baseboard under sinks, around drain pipes, on shelves and running freely around buildings."

O'Neil recommends three steps which may be taken to eradicate these pests from the home: Cleanliness and sanitation; guarding against infestation by sealing openings around pipelines entering the house, sealing all cracks where they may gain entrance to the house, eliminating places in the house where they may hide and the use of insecticide to kill those pests which have gained entrance.

For roach control in the house using chlordane, O'Neil offers the following hints:

Remove all food stuff, utensils and clothes from cabinets and storage closets.

Wash with soap and water if musty roach odor is present.

Spray with 2 per cent-chlordane, being careful to spray all cracks, crevices, underside of drawers, behind baseboards and all other places where they may hide.

After spray has thoroughly dried,

replace foodstuff, utensils, clothes, but do not remove the residue which remains on the sprayed surface.

Chlordane sprays, under various trade names, are sold by most dealers. O'Neil says and may be purchased either in an oil or water base. "Oil-base sprays are transparent or slightly straw-colored and water-base sprays look milky white. Both evaporate after spraying, leaving an invisible odorless film on surfaces to kill pests coming in contact with it. This residue will remain effective in its killing action for weeks and under some conditions for months."

O'Neil advises that chlordane should not be used for general spraying of rooms but should be applied on places where insects enter the house, hide, feed or crawl. An oil spray may irritate skin, nostrils or throat and care should be taken when applying chlordane, or any other oil-base spray. Always wash hands and ex-

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**Cottonseed Price Support Program To Be Broadened**

Ralph S. Trigg, president of the Commodity Credit Corporation, U. S. Department of Agriculture, announced CCC is considering the possibility of augmenting the cottonseed farm storage loan price support program, announced first on July 27 and now in effect in cotton states, by utilizing and expanding storage facilities at gins and oil mills.

Such storage facilities would be used for the storage of loan cottonseed, as well as cottonseed and cottonseed products to which the Com-

modity Credit Corporation might acquire title.

Under the program, CCC makes non-recourse loans at 90 per cent of parity on clean, safely-stored cottonseed having a moisture content of 11 per cent or less. The loans, secured by chattel mortgages on the seed, are made on cottonseed stored on or off the farm.

As a first step in exploring the possibilities for augmenting present program operations, the Production and Marketing Administration will send representatives to the field to confer with representatives of cooperative processors regarding the availability of storage space and the feasibility of action which might be taken to make the present support program more effective.

Blocks of salt are the favorite form of currency among the Bertat tribe of Western Asia.

**NEW VET SCHOOL RULES NO BUGABOO, SAYS VA**

WASHINGTON (APPS) — Servicemen and veterans who plan to enroll for bona fide vocational training under the terms of the Veterans Readjustment Act have nothing to fear from new regulations now in effect, the VA recently stated.

The regulations, the Federal agency said, are designed to keep the Government from paying for recreational or avocational courses, such as parlor dancing, and "personality development."

To make sure that the VA would have a record of all courses taken, the new regulations provide that all veterans must submit applications for certificates of eligibility for any new courses to be undertaken.

NOTICE OF PENENCY OF SUIT STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO: J. B. Trotter, if living, if deceased, the unknown heirs of J. B. Trotter, deceased, impleaded with the following named defendants against whom substituted service is sought to be obtained, to-wit: The following named persons by name, if living, if deceased, their unknown heirs, J. B. Trotter; Edward C. Stocumb; James Denney; Carl C. Ritters; unknown heirs of Charles N. Bassett, also known as C. N. Bassett, deceased; unknown heirs of C. F. Knight, deceased; and all unknown claimants of interest in the premises adverse to the estate of the plaintiff, GREETINGS:

You are hereby notified that a suit has been filed against you and each of you, by Basset-Birney Oil Corporation, a corporation, as plaintiff, in the District Court of the Fifth Judicial District of the State of New Mexico, within and for the County of Eddy, that being the County in which said cause is pending and being Cause No. 11320, the general object of said suit being to quiet and set at rest plaintiff's title in fee simple in and to the property described in the Complaint in said cause, situated in Section 2, Township 19 South, Range 26 East, N.M.P.M., Eddy County, New Mexico.

The plaintiff's attorney is Donald S. Bush, whose office is in the Booker Building, Artesia, New Mexico.

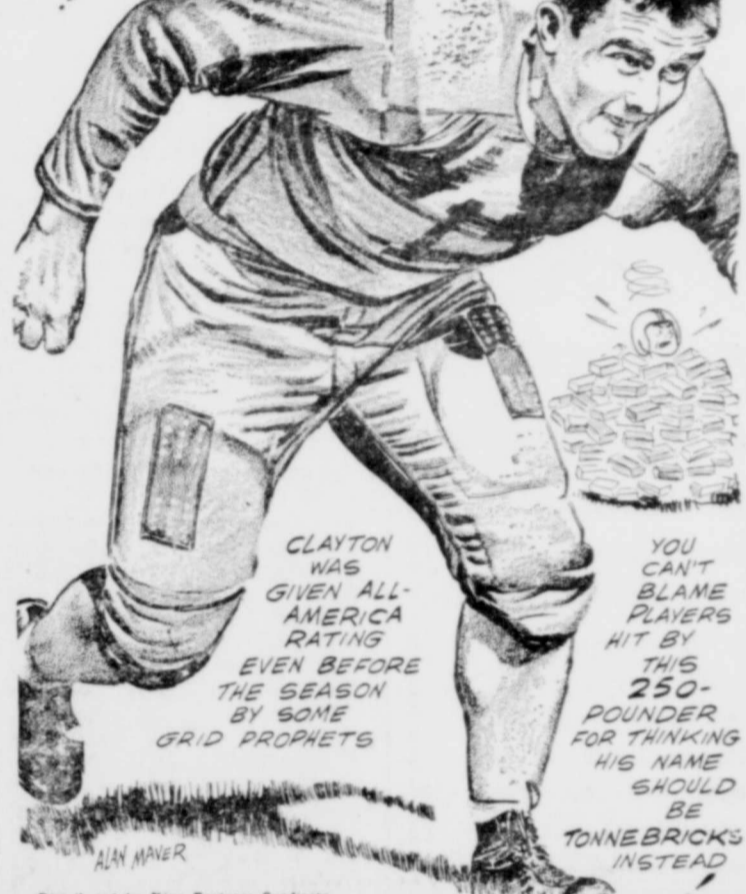
You and each of you, are hereby further notified that unless you enter your appearance in said cause on or before the 16th day of December, 1949, judgment will be rendered against you in said cause by default.

WITNESS my hand and seal of said Court this 27th day of October, 1949.

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### Veterans to Receive Disabled Pay Raise

WASHINGTON (APPS) — Veterans of World Wars I and II and of the Spanish American War will receive increased disability and dependency payments estimated at \$12 million annually under the provisions of a bill recently signed by President Truman.

The Veterans Administration estimated that 2,024,000 veterans will be affected under the section liberalizing disability and death benefits. Men of World War I with disabilities presumed to be service-connected will get full compensation instead of the current 47 per cent.

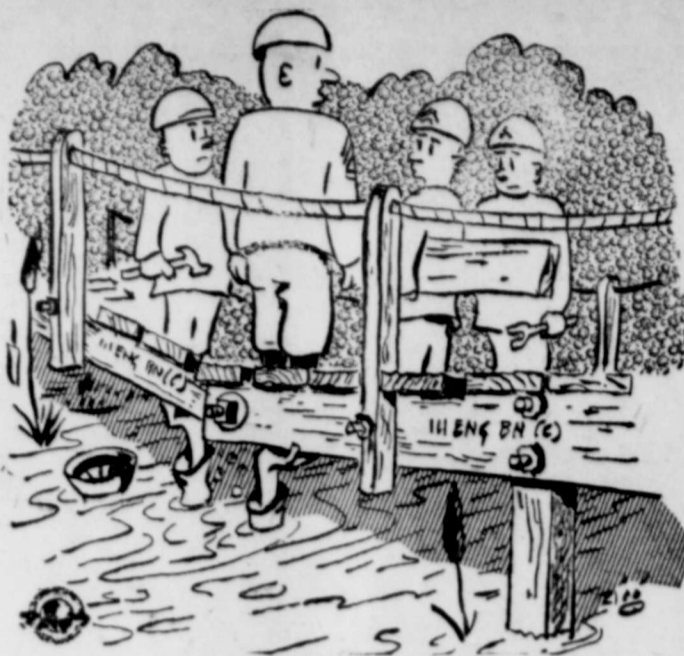
Provisions of the bill applicable to veterans of all three wars increase the length of time for which payments may be made for arrested cases of tuberculosis and set up a new disability schedule based on \$150 monthly for total disability and \$15 for 10 per cent disability. The old rate was \$135 and \$13.80.

In addition, the bill grants increased monthly allowances to widows with a child or children; and states that veterans with 50 per cent or more disability will receive additional payments for dependents.

### NSLI Deadline For War II Vets Is Set Jan. 1

World War II veterans with service-incurred disabilities were reminded by Veterans Administration of an important deadline in connection with their entitlement to National Service Life Insurance. Prior to Jan. 1, 1950, such disabilities actually incurred in service between Oct. 8, 1940 and Sept. 2, 1945, if less than total in degree,

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"OK, men! The bridge's finished—but has anyone seen Carbaugh lately?"

are disregarded in determining eligibility under the health requirements for NSLI purposes.

This means that veterans who might not otherwise qualify for life insurance for health reasons may reinstate lapsed NSLI or buy additional insurance up to the \$10,000 maximum if they apply before the end of the year.

A physical examination is required, however, for all insurance applied for under this special provision. Such examinations are made by VA without cost to the veteran. Likewise, after the end of 1949, any disabled veteran who permits his National Service Life Insurance policy to lapse will not be eligible for reinstatement after a lapse of 90 days if his disability would normally bar him from insurance.

### Martin Says Government Will Buy Cottonseed

To give farmers more adequate price protection this year, the government is starting to buy cotton-

seed from farmers. W. Leslie Martin of Artesia, chairman of the State Production and Marketing Administration, said that this program—effective for this year only—will supplement the farm storage loan program which is already in effect.

Purchases may be made through local co-operating gignners or directly from farmers at \$46.50 per ton—the purchase price established by the Commodity Credit Corporation. Farmers should check with their local PMA committees for further details, including information on when first deliveries can be accepted, Martin said.

Farmers who take out loans on their 1949 cottonseed will receive a base payment of \$49.50 per ton. The established price under the purchase program is less because farmers who sell their cottonseed do not have to bear storage service and other costs which farmers must assume under the farm-storage loan program.

Cottonseed bought under the purchase program, or products processed from such cottonseed, will be resold in the domestic market only at prices which will cover the full cost to the government.

Rats bit 125 people in Chicago during the first six months of 1949.

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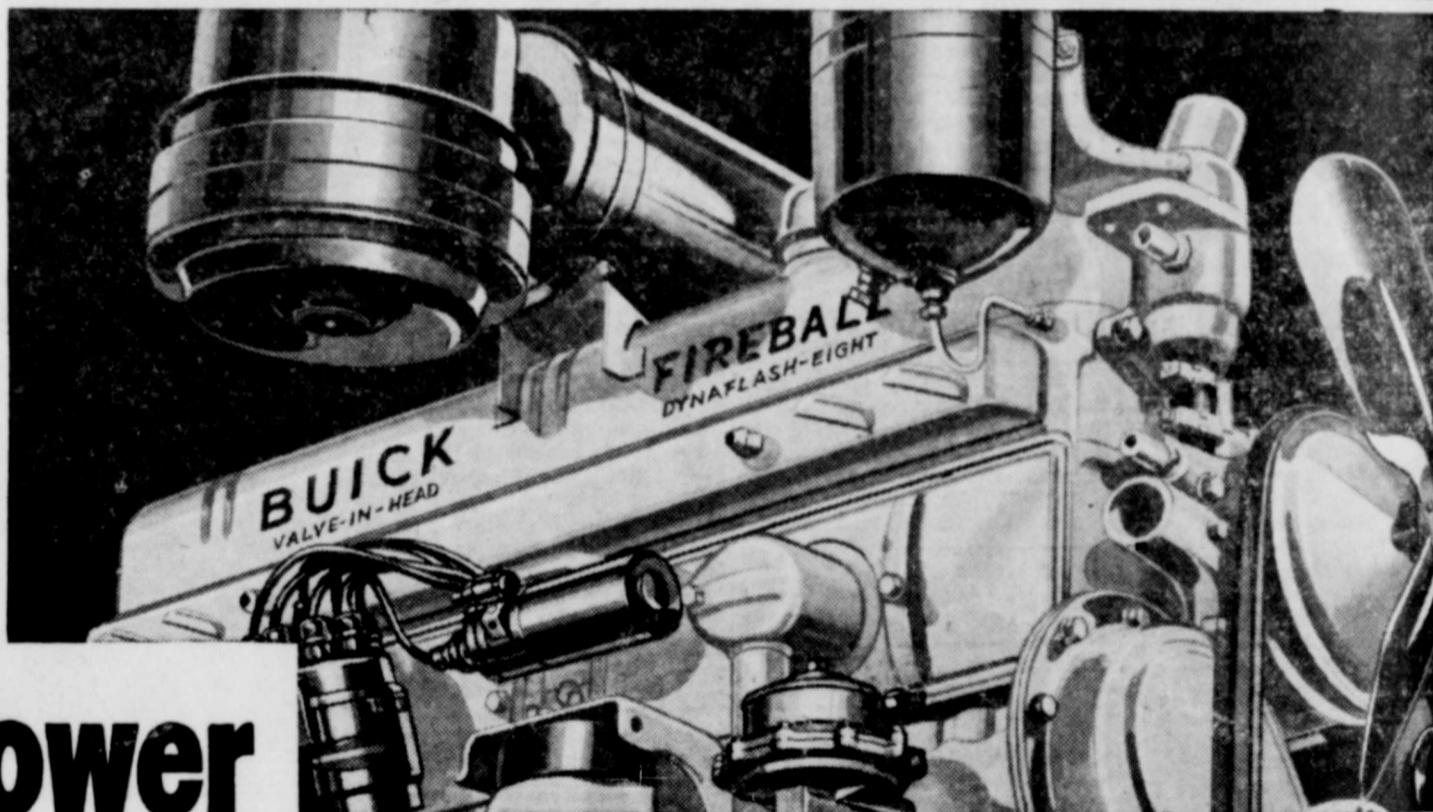
### Assailis Hearings



CONFIDENCE of the American people in their government has been shaken by the congressional hearings on defense policies, Gen. Omar Bradley declares in testimony before the House armed services committee in Washington. General Bradley is chairman of Joint Chiefs of Staff, nation's top military body. (International)

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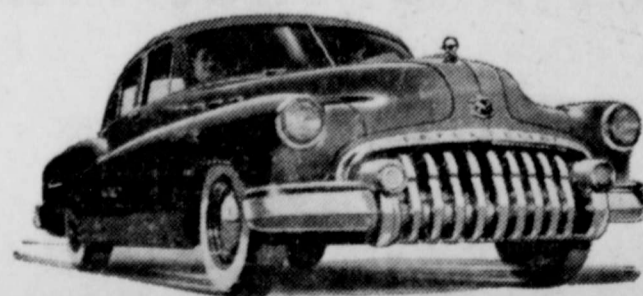
as fast as better fuels came along.

So perhaps you'll want to remember, when you hear the term "valve-in-head," that this is the type of power that made Buick famous.

If others want to climb on the bandwagon, we say "more power to them"—and no pun is intended.

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### Agriculture Secretary Brannan Tells Why Price Support Is Needed

Why the prices of agricultural products should be supported in preference to those of certain other basic industries was explained by Secretary of Agriculture Charles F. Brannan in a report before Chicago businessmen.

"The answer," the secretary said, "lies in the nature of agriculture . . . the old classical theory held that when the price of any particular commodity falls, a reduction in the output of that commodity is the inevitable result. The theory works out fairly well in those industries that are able to shut down or to work fewer shifts a few days a week.

"For the farmer, however, the effect of falling prices is likely to be increased production. He takes a look at his taxes, interest, debt, upkeep of machines and equipment, and he says: 'It takes twice as many hogs to stay in business at 10 cents a pound as it takes at 20 cents.' His natural inclination is to increase output to compensate for smaller unit prices.

"I have heard businessmen say: 'When our inventories are too big, we close them out. We don't ask the government to put a floor under our prices.'

"Let's think about that. 'Before the war, it is estimated that industries which together produced one-third of all our in-

dustrial production were each controlled by four or fewer than four firms. It's not too hard to adjust production in those circumstances. But how would you adjust production to demand if instead of being in competition with five firms or even 500, you were competing against five million?

"How would you go about closing out your inventory if your commodities were as perishable as most farm commodities are? . . . How would you go about closing down production once your crop is in, and your only choice is either to harvest it or allow it to go to waste in the fields? Suppose you had machines that once you started them, you couldn't shut it off for six months—or if you did shut them off, you put yourself out of a job. Suppose you had machines that didn't produce a given quantity in a given time—but that gave you bumper production or almost no production at all, depending on the sun and the rain.

"Suppose finally, that you had almost no control over the prices of your product and that they could leap way up or fall way down without any reference to your labor and your costs.

"Think about that. Then ask yourselves whether a price stabilization program for that kind of an industry isn't just the same kind of common sense that causes a person of come inside when it's raining . . .

"I believe . . . that the very heart of an adequate farm program, at this time, is the stabilization of farm prices at levels which will promote agricultural abundance and prosperity.

"I am completely and unshakably convinced that farm price supports are necessary not only for agriculture, but for all the people of the Nation."

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Sgt.-At-Arms: "Would you like to play basketball with the NCO club this year?"

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An Englishman driving through our country for the first time, read a highway sign which said "Drive Slowly—This Means You!" "By jove!" he exclaimed, "How did they know I was here!"

A doctor had an urgent call from a man saying he just swallowed a fountain pen.

"What shall I do until you get here, Doc?"

"Use a pencil," said the doctor.

Joe: "What kind of a guy is the new I and E non-com?"

Schmoe: "Well, last night when he stubbed his toe, I heard him say, 'Oh, the perversity of inanimate objects!'"

"I married a widow with six children. I had five myself by my late wife. We have been married four years and our union had been blessed with three more, and the other day my wife came in hurriedly and said, come into the yard, quick! For goodness sake, hurry! There is a terrible row going on, and I said, 'what is it?' 'Well,' she said, 'your children and my children are whipping our children.'"

Husband: "Honey, if I had it to do over again, do you know whom I'd marry?"

Wife: "No, I don't. Who?"

Husband: "You."

Wife: "Oh, no, you wouldn't."

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Robert Painter of Artesia has been elected vice president of the junior class at Texas Christian University at Fort Worth.

As vice president of the class, Painter plans to expand class-sponsored activities during his term of 1949-50.

### Referendum On Cotton To Be Held On Dec. 15

The State Production and Marketing Administration is making plans to hold a cotton referendum on Dec. 15, in every cotton growing county in the state, according to W. Leslie Martin of Artesia, state PMA chairman.

The statement follows the Oct. 13 proclamation of Secretary of Agriculture Charles F. Brannan that a national cotton referendum will be held on that date. The secretary also announced a national cotton acreage allotment of 21,000,000 acres.

Chairman Martin advises that the national allotment will be broken down to states, counties and farms and that every effort is being made to get the figures to farmers before the referendum. County PMA offices in recent weeks have been getting production records from farmers upon which farm allotments will be based.

Under the law, the chairman explains, the secretary of agriculture must proclaim marketing quotas when the total supply of cotton will exceed the normal supply. Normal supply is the amount needed to take care of domestic and export needs plus 30 per cent. The law also places a 21,000,000-acre minimum on the national acreage allotment for 1950. This acreage at average yields will produce 11,733,000 bales which is the marketing quota for 1950.

The total supply of cotton for the current marketing year is estimated at 20,659,000 running bales and the normal supply, 16,250,000 bales. The normal supply figure includes an estimated 8,000,000 bales for domestic consumption, 4,500,000 bales for export and a 30 per cent carryover of 3,750,000 bales.

### Humoresk

Wife: "George, put down that paper. Ever since the baseball season started, we've had 11 people here for breakfast."

CPO: "Eleven?"

Wife: "Yes; you and me, and the Brooklyn Dodgers."

Mac: "I think women make too much fuss about clothes. After all, they're sisters under the skin."

Joe: "True, and by the looks of my wife lately, I think they're holding a convention under hers."

Kulo: "Why did you leave your girl's house so early last night?"

Pace: "We were sittin' on the sofa and she turned out the lights. I can take a hint."

WAVE: "Do you read movie magazines?"

WAF: "Only when I go to the dental clinic. You know, I had 6 teeth pulled in the last two weeks."

WAVE: "I didn't know you were having trouble with your teeth!"

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**Game Commission Will Acquire Spectacular Cimarron Canyon Area**

Acting for the State Game Commission, State Game Warden Elliott S. Barker has formally agreed to purchase 33,000 acres of land, including the beautiful and popular Cimarron Canyon in Colfax County. The action culminated a long-time endeavor of the Game Commission and fervent hope of sportsmen to bring this valuable and spectacular area into public ownership, the warden said.

The area includes eight miles of the Cimarron Canyon lying between Eagle Nest Dam and Ute Park and all of Tolby and Clear Creek watersheds and much additional fine game country both north and south of the canyon. Deer, bear, turkey, grouse, beavers and some elk are to be found on the area. Cimarron Canyon is not only one of the most popular and intensively used recreation spots in the state, but the river is one of the best fishing streams.

The area is being acquired under the Pittman-Robertson Federal aid act whereby the Game Department will be reimbursed for 75 per cent of the purchase price. The agreed price is \$375,000 to be paid in three annual in-

stallments consisting of \$187,000 \$108,000 and \$100,000.

Last July 5 an option to purchase the tract was taken at the price of \$400,000. Then the U.S. Forest Service was given a contract to map the area from existing aerial photos and to appraise the timber. Their report shows there is more than 100 million board feet of saw timber on several million linear feet of pole and prop size timber on the tract. Of this, 13 million feet of saw timber and 1,800,000 linear feet of poles are accessible and merchantable and valued at \$86,000.

It is planned never to mar the scenic beauty of the area by cutting any of the timber in and adjacent to the canyon. Furthermore for safety reasons and to protect game along the canyon for spectacular purposes, no hunting will be permitted within a distance of a mile on either side of the highway through the canyon.

The value of the tract as appraised by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service and the State Game Department was slightly less than the original option. Through negotiations a reduction from \$400,000 to the agreed price of \$375,000 was obtained.

**More Than Half Of State's Farms Now Electrified**

More than one half of New Mexico's farms are now connected to electric power lines, according to the Rural Electrification Administration's annual unelectrified farm survey released by the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

The number of electrified farms in the state is now 15,561 or 52.4 per cent of the total number of farms reported in the 1945 farm census.

According to the survey, 14,134 farms in New Mexico are still without central station electric service, as of June 30, on the basis of the total number of farms reported in the 1945 census. Rural non-farm dwellings, crossroads businesses, schools, churches, and other rural establishments are not included in the survey.

For the nation as a whole, 4,583,016 farms (78.26 per cent) in

**'HERE'S HOW!' SAY SWISS MISSES**



DEMONSTRATING a skating leap without skates, Swiss ice-skating sisters Helga and Inga Brandt sail gracefully through the air at Miami Beach, Fla. Their form looks perfect. (International)

the U.S. are now electrified.

Eleven states have more than 95 per cent of their farms electrified, but 19 states are still below the national average.

Less than 10 per cent of the population of Arizona was engaged in manufacturing in 1948.

**Back From Moscow**



MORE ARMY officers are to be seen on the streets of Moscow than were to be seen in Washington at the height of the war, according to Edward Dowling, Indianapolis, Ind., arriving at Idlewild airport, New York, after a tour of Russia. Dowling reports that 90 per cent of Moscow is composed of stunts. He says the Red carpet of welcome was rolled out for him when he, with party of 25 business men, identified himself as "the most important man in the world—an American citizen." (International)

own request, or under the reduction in officer personnel program are being sought to fill high enlisted grades. Recruiting service regulations permit enlistment in the top bracket enlisted grades under several sets of circumstances considering enlisted grades held prior to acceptance of a commission, and date of entry on the present tour of active duty, and other special conditions. The Army and the Air Force have separate guides on such enlistments. As the conditions in which an officer can be enlisted in the top enlisted grades vary with each officer, the recruiting service has indicated that they would be open for consultation with officers contemplating release from active duty. Recruiting service personnel have the latest information on the rights and privileges who desire to enlist upon release from active duty.

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Staff Specialist Reserve will contain only specialists who cannot properly be assigned to other Arms or Services, including those holding Mos's in the following fields, whether officers or en-

listed men; Public Information; Special Services; Historical Revision; Civil Affairs Division Education, and Selective Service.

The doctor's new secretary, conscientious girl, was puzzled by an entry in the doctor's notes in an emergency case: "Shot in the Lumbar region," it read. After the moment she brightened and, in the interest of clarity, typed in the record: "Shot in the woods."

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WEDS GIRL WHO BEFRIENDED HIM



LES PERI, 29, Washington advertising man and once a paralytic, kisses his bride, the former Sylvia Ferraiuolo of Naples, Italy, as they arrive at LaGuardia field, New York, en route from Marsailles, France, where they were married. She befriended him when he was a child in Italy suffering from paralysis. His parents brought him to the U. S. in 1930, and, remembering Sylvia, he started writing to her three years ago. Marriage is the result. (International)

FOR SALE—One D-S-35 International long wheelbase truck. I also have winch trucks for heavy oil field hauling. K. J. Williams, phone 534-R. My business is trucking the public. 33-tfx

FOR SALE—Good used NCM hay baler, used SC tractor and cultivator and several new Case tractors. Joe Mitchell & Son, 1001 S. First, phone 174-W. 23-tfx

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Words of the Wise Men whose dearest wishes are fixed on objects wholly out of their own power, become in all cases more or less impatient and prone to anger. —(Coleridge)

FOR SALE—Six-room house at 201 West Dallas, phone 243. 50-2tp-51

Miscellaneous ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS Box 891 37-tfx

FOR PHOTOSTATS see Rodke. 314 Booker Bldg. Fast confidential service, reasonable rates. Phone 0190-R2. 6-tfx

JOHN A. MATHIS, SR., AND JR. —Fire, casualty and life insurance, phone 938. 29-tfx

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STORAGE SPACE—Inquire of J. W. Busselle at 512 S. First St. 8-tfx

FOR RENT—Vacuum cleaners, floor polishers and portable sewing machines. Roselawn Radio Service, 106 S. Roselawn, phone 866.

FOR RENT—Floor polishers and vacuum cleaners. Billy Albert, 1104 Merchant Ave., phone 557. 24-tfx

FOR RENT—Room in private home, gentleman only. 303 West Grand or phone 150. 31-tfx

FOR RENT—Bedroom, across hall from bath, outside entrance, gentlemen preferred. Mrs. C. E. Tarant, 601 Richardson. 50-1tc

FOR RENT—Three-room house, modern, \$40, at 504 East Chisum. Phone 34 or 735-R. 50-1tc

FOR RENT—New two-room furnished house, one-half mile west of town, phone 082-J5. 50-2tp-51

FOR RENT—Unfurnished three-room and bath apartment. See at 1302 West Main or phone 675-M. 50-1tc

Wanted WANTED—Good homes for beautiful Cocker Spaniel puppies, already weaned, prefer to be in homes with children. R. F. McQuay, see at 813 South Fourth Street. 49-2tp-50

WANTED TO BUY—100 geese. R. L. Paris, phone 260. 49-4tc-52

Wanted WANTED—Used aquarium, 8 to 10 gallon size. Call Mrs. W. T. Haldeman, phone 088-R2. 50-1tp

Wanted WANTED—Good cook and housekeeper, middle aged Christian woman will exchange housework for living quarters. Phone 169. 50-1tp

Wanted WANTED—Fuller Brush dealer for Artesia, good commission, bonus. Bill Jolley, Artesia Hotel, 8 1/2 9 a. m. and after 5 p. m. 50-1tp

WANTED — Dressmaking, tailoring and alterations. See Mrs. Chipman, 100 1/2 S. Roselawn, upstairs. 35-tfx

Lost LOST—Knights Templar gold pendant, set with diamonds and rubies, probably at Shrine carnival. Liberal reward. G. Rex Holmes, phone 844 or 438-W. 50-1tc

Strayed STRAYED — From the Lawrence Ranch east of Espuella, N. M., one red sorrel mare mule, one-eyed and one brown horse mule. Please notify Hal Bogle, Dexter, N. M. 49-4tc-52

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Advertisement for Holsum Is Better Bread, featuring John Simons, Jr. and various household items like ward tires, batteries, and furniture.

Pandas for L'il Puddle-Jumpers! advertisement featuring a cartoon illustration of a child in a raincoat and a large rubber boot, promoting the Shoe Tree brand.

Sears Roebuck and Co. advertisement for Mrs. Irene Whitcomb, Representative, located at 109 South Roselawn, Artesia, New Mexico. Includes contact information and a 'Satisfaction guaranteed' slogan.

Maljamar Items

(Mrs. Kenneth Shields) The Wednesday Bridge Club met at the home of Mrs. John McMurray last week. Those attend were Mrs. Harold Adams, Charles Tyler, Cliff Whitefield of Loco Hills, Kenneth Shield, Charlie Shannon, Zealey Edwards and Albert W. Golden. Mrs. Edwards and Mrs. Golden held high scores. The club members gave Mrs. John McMurray a shower gift.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Kelly have as houseguests her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Sanders of Anson, Texas. Pat Edwards was ill at her home last week.

Frank Jacobson, executive vice president and H. B. Taubman president of the Buffalo Oil Company, Dallas, Texas, were visitors in the Maljamar area Monday of last week on business.

Mrs. Snooks Lister and Mrs. Woodrow Woods of Lovington, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Zealey Edwards Sunday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Leo were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Dr. G. P. RUPPERT Dentist Peoples State Bank Building Office Hours: 9-11 and 1-3-4

McMurray Monday evening of last week. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Miller of Loco Hills were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Patterson Tuesday of last week.

The Recreation Club held a business meeting at the Goodman residence Wednesday. Ways and means of securing a building were discussed. Those attending were Cecil Holeman, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Shields, Mrs. M. P. Blakley, Mrs. John Leo, Noble Milton, James McMurray, Steve Carter, Oscar Loyd, Dale Kennedy, Oscar Goodman and John McMurray.

Mr. and Mrs. Ike Iverson left Saturday evening for Boger, Texas to visit Mrs. H. Fowler. Iverson spent the night and returned Sunday, while Mrs. Iverson planned to take her mother to Oklahoma City to visit Mrs. Dorothy Coe Parks two days.

The Kewanee Sewing Club met at the home of Mrs. Floyd McCarthy Thursday. Everyone welcomed Mrs. Dru Taylor back after a three-week absence. Those attending were Mmes. Dru Taylor, Ira Pleasant, Kenneth Shields, F. H. Alexander, James McMurray, John Leo, M. P. Blakley and Ike Iverson who became a recent member.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Miller of Los Angeles, Calif., stopped in Maljamar last week to visit Mr. and Mrs. Dru Taylor and were told they were in Hot Springs, so they went to

Hot Springs and visited them there. Mrs. W. D. Wilson went to Duncan, Okla., to visit her parents. She left Tuesday of last week with Mrs. Oscar Goodman.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Loyd had guests Friday, Mr. and Mrs. Durwood Mills and children Dorena, Bobby and Donald Lee of Bakersfield, Calif., former residents of Loco Hills.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Pleasant visited Mr. and Mrs. Glen Howard in Artesia Friday.

Terrel Hatridge who was hospitalized two weeks in Artesia was expected to return here Monday. Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Davis were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Otis O. Vowel Friday evening. The group attended a performance of the Stamps Quartet in Lovington later in the evening.

Peggy Vowel attended a Halloween party Friday night at the home of Eddy Mack Robinson in Lovington. Mr. and Mrs. Lacy Dunlap went to Eastland, Texas, Saturday to visit his grandparents. Mr. and Mrs. Ike Iverson went to Wink Friday night and attended the homecoming game. They also visited his aunt, Mrs. Mike Fitzgerald.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Potts and family went to Muleshoe, Texas, Friday and visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Shanks.

Artis O. Vowel and Peggy went to Clovis on business Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hatfield and Joey went to Denver City and visited Mr. and Mrs. Vester Sanders Tuesday of last week.

Mrs. Western Mills took her small daughter Karen, to Roswell Friday for medical attention.

Mrs. Dick Davis of Pecos, Texas, was a visitor in Maljamar Tuesday of last week.

Mrs. Zelmer Glover returned home Tuesday after spending a few days in San Angelo, Texas. Rev. and Mrs. Charles Mitchell, Jr. and Mrs. Charles Tryer of Loco Hills were visitors in several of the Methodist homes here Thursday. Mrs. Oscar Loyd and two daughters Janie Kay and Judy, went to Pecos to visit her mother Thursday.

Mrs. Herbert C. Hunter and children Rennie and Kenzie, went to Skellytown, Texas, to visit her parents Tuesday of last week.

Rattlesnakes are really choosing their camps lately and the beautiful new Kewanee Camp seems to be their special choice. The dog of Ed Strickland, Jr., found one Friday on the lawn near the house and was bitten, trying to kill it.

Frank Hines of Hobbs, was over-seeing the wrecked plane brought through here on a truck Friday going to Hobbs. It was the plane Jake Favorman crashed recently.

Mrs. Artis Vowel and daughter

He's Just Her Type



SCREEN star Robert Montgomery takes a quick look at what Val Jan Shalom, 3, is writing about him as they meet at LaGuardia Field, N. Y. Both were awaiting incoming plane from London. (International)

GIRLS INDICTED IN HOLLYWOOD EXTORTION RING



TWO HOLLYWOOD PLAYGIRLS, Toni Hughes, 29, and Helen Keller, 16, are under indictment as members of a "sex extortion" ring in latest sensation in the long probe of Los Angeles vice and corruption. In grand jury testimony Paul Behrman, former talent scout, named the pair and said Mickey Cohen, alleged underworld chief, was leader of the ring. Another witness, Ben M. Kleckner, 51, University of Hollywood president, told jurors he had been bilked of around \$3,000 over a period of years. Extortion was allegedly perpetrated by making secret recordings at parties. (International)

left for Merkel, Texas, Saturday morning to visit her sister, Mrs. Kenn Whitely, who is ill. She will also visit "Ma" Payne while there. "Ma" Payne had been staying with

Mrs. Whitely during her illness. Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Holeman and daughter went to Lubbock and spent the day Thursday.

from a block away?" the lawyer demanded. "Can you see the moon at night?" the witness retorted. "How far away is that old moon? I can see that."

Homestate

HARLINGEN, Tex. (AFPS) — Proud of the \$4,000,000 expansion program at its huge La Palma power plant, Central Power and Light invited 400 guests on a tour. At a company sponsored dinner afterwards the visitors were assured: "This plant is capable of meeting every emergency." That was when the lights went out.

SYRACUSE, N.Y. (AFPS) — The Chamber of Commerce and the Weather Bureau hope they can achieve better cooperation by Dec. 25. When workmen strung the first municipal Christmas decorations recently it was 85 degrees.

PHILADELPHIA (AFPS) — The defense attorney looked shocked when a witness admitted he was a block away from the accident in question. "How could you see an accident

Vic Vet says

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FLIPS WAY TO CHANNEL RECORD



A CALIFORNIA SEA LION, "Pierre Clilon" gets a pep talk in Paris from Burt Kennedy before swimming across the English Channel in the record time of four hours and 54 minutes. "Pierre" touched British territory near Dover but was rushed back to France. English police had threatened to arrest the aquatic champ and trainer for violation of Trained Animals Licensing Act if "Pierre" set flipper in England. (International)

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## BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL

# REVIEW

### U.S. ENVOYS MAP COORDINATED EUROPEAN POLICY



LEADING AMERICAN diplomats in Europe are shown in Paris as they met to review and coordinate present United States policy in regard to Germany and the Soviet Union. Left to right, are: James Dunn, Ambassador to Rome; John J. McCloy, U. S. High Commissioner for Germany; Lewis B. Douglas, Ambassador to Britain; George W. Perkins, Assistant Secretary of State; David K. Bruce, Ambassador to France; W. Averell Harrison, roving Ambassador for the Marshall Plan, and Adm. Alan G. Kirk, envoy to Moscow. (International)

### Large Selection Wall Paper At Mayes & Co.

Owner Chester Mayes, of Mayes & Co., 601 South Second Street, announces this week that never before in the history of his business has he carried such a large and varied stock of wall paper as he has on hand at the present time.

If you are thinking of papering any of the rooms in your home, Mr. Mayes suggests that you come in now and look over the wide selection of interesting patterns that he has to offer.

You will also find a full line of Sewart Paints and Varnishes at the

Mayes Co. One important item in the Sewart paint line is Semi-Namel, that velvet finish for interior woodwork in fashion selected colors.

Semi-Namel produces that much desired, half gloss finish which gives maximum light reflection and even light distribution, because the direct and angular sheens are the same. Semi-Namel is easy to apply and will not show brush marks, laps or ropes. It is a real enamel finish and dries to a uniform, smooth, half-gloss sheen that is hard, tough, and elastic. Semi-Namel is the ideal "over-all" finish for woodwork or walls requiring beauty, long service and easy maintenance. Semi-Namel is a practical paint for use in home or industry.

Don't forget the complete line of unfinished furniture carried by Mayes & Co. If you are looking for a special piece of this type of furniture which is not carried in stock it can be made to your specifications.

Better come in and look over the stock of "priced to sell" shells and cartridges, Mayes is carrying this year, before you buy elsewhere.

Why not come in soon for a free demonstration?

**WHITE HOUSE REPAIRS ARE NEAR COMPLETION**

WASHINGTON (AFPS) — President Truman should be able to move back into the White House by Christmas, 1951. So says Building Administrator W. E. Reynolds. The President and the First Family now occupy Blair House.

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### Gulf Products At Jack's Service Station

H. H. (Jack) Staggs extends an invitation to all of his friends to pay him a visit at his new service station, located at 201 North First Street.

Jack has lived in Artesia for twenty years, except for a four year Army hitch, and has spent a good portion of that time in the service station business.

In addition to handling a complete list of No-Nox Products he is carrying tires, tubes and a full line of automotive accessories and Delco Batteries. He points out that his Gulf Pride Motor Oil is the finest there is.

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Jack says he will show you what special service really means if you will give him a trial.

### Frigidaire Solves Christmas At Artesia Electric

A. W. Harrall, Artesia Electric Co., 206 W. Main Street, offers these observations to men on the holiday gift problem:

A gift of Frigidaire Home Appliances presents three new ways to help her... they will give her ease, comfort and years of care-free happiness!

A Frigidaire home appliance might prove to be just the gift suggestion the man-of-the-house has been searching for. Ask yourself if you haven't considered giving "mother," "wife," "sister," or "daughter," a gift to make her work easier and more pleasant all year round, as well as provide benefits the whole family can enjoy. A new Frigidaire appliance not only adds beauty and efficiency to the kitchen or laundry but is a "gift of leisure" for mother and wife, to be enjoyed the whole year-round.

Your Christmas gift of a practical Frigidaire Product, represents a savings three-ways: (1) it is time-saving, work-saving gift that the woman will appreciate and enjoy for years to come; (2) a new Frigidaire appliance saves in operating and maintenance costs when compared with less efficient ways of keeping or cooking foods, doing laundry, etc.; (3) a saving is made by giving a new Frigidaire product as a gift item when it may be something you would have bought eventually anyway.

All in all, it will be a mighty

### Laff-O-Gram



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happy Christmas for both giver and receiver if you make it a Frigidaire gift from the Artesia Electric Co.

### ATOMIC DEFENSES TAUGHT AT MEDIC SCHOOL

Randolph Air Force Base, Tex. (AFPS) — The first course in atomic defense ever offered at the School of Aviation Medicine began here recently with 14 enlisted men of the Strategic Air Command in attendance.

The course, known as radiological monitoring, is the first of five to be offered here before the end of April, 1950. Approximate

by the same number of students will attend each class.

The Fleet type submarine — "hero" of World War II's Navy — first appeared in service in 1938.

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Partnership—

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and an army of trained workers who can go out and find it.
This human resource can only exist in a favorable condition in which workmen receive wages comparable to the standard of living and in which the independent industry can compete and receive a fair profit for its interests, the I.P.A.A. president said.

the production and manpower need to maintain the industry.
He said the ECA recently announced this nation must import at an increased rate of two billion dollars a year, in order to bridge the money gap which exists between imports and exports. This, with the recent sterling devaluation, has a direct effect on imports, he said.

see the import problems solved within the industry, the organization's president said, but in the controversy the last year, there has not been a solution advanced by the importing companies that would assure the independent production in this nation imports would be limited to that necessary to supplement domestic production, produced under conservation methods.



UNEVEN HEMLINE-BLOUSED BACK—In a New York designed black 'Taffeta mousseline' redingote-cocktail dress for fall, 1946. Buttoned all the way down the front, the dress has a full skirt with apron-like drapery. (N. Y. Dress Institute Photo)

Potpourri—

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not the only one who is allegedly sharp.
The other morning as that big, white truck belonging to the city, which works the alleys, was about to pull away from a cluster of garbage cans, a woman, clad in a dressing gown and her hair up in curlers, ran out and asked the man in charge, "It is too late for the garbage truck?"
"No, lady," the man replied, "climb in."

to the fact one does not need to fly to become a Civil Air Patrol member. However, observation flying time will be offered to those interested.
Humble Oil—
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Suppes & Suppes, Johnson 15, SW NE 33-16-31.
Leonard Oil Co., State 16, NE SW 28-17-29.
Drilling at 2679.
Grant Keys, State 1, NW SW 23-19-27.
Drilling at 760.
J. W. Jones, Wright 1, SW SW 18-18-29.
Drilling at 550.
Weier Drilling Co., Foster 3-A, SE NE 17-17-31.
Drilling at 2310.
S. P. Yates, State 1-E, NW NE 25-18-27.
Drilling at 1965.
American Republics Corp., Robinson 15-A, NW NE 34-17-29.
Drilling at 2592.
Malco, Resler & Yates, Dunn 1, SW NE 12-18-28.
Drilling at 404.

Robert E. McKee, McKee-McGavock 1, SE SW 3-19-29.
Total depth 3040; plugged back to 1650; testing.
York & Harper, State 2, NW NW 36-24-27.
Drilling at 225.
Grayburg Oil Co., Burch 16-B, SW NW 30-17-30.
Drilling at 1160.
Rev. Morgan—
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Tuesday evening, preceding the official opening of the general convention. He was also master of ceremonies at a special luncheon, attended by the former students and friends of Hardin Simmons University of Abilene, Texas, on Wednesday noon.
Wayne Hornbaker, local artist, presented a chalk drawing at one of the evening sessions, accompanied by pipe organ music. Rev. McGuffin led the congregational singing at the sessions of the Baptist Brotherhood and sang a solo in the general convention on Wednesday evening. Rev. McGuffin and Mrs. Fred Cole were both members of the large choir that presented

ed a 40-minute musical program on Wednesday evening. This was composed of 125 voices, representing the many churches of New Mexico Baptist Church was under the direction of Forderhaze, music director of First Baptist Church of Albuquerque.
The convention next year will be held in Albuquerque, a city which has five Baptist churches.
Afterthoughts
A flirt is a woman who has it is every man for herself.
Rich or poor, it's nice to money.
Puffed rice should be used in weddings of the swells.
Wife: "What did you do to deserve a wife like me?"
Hubby: "That puzzled me until I thought of what a little boy I was."
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Colonel Fell said it is important to realize that without depletion the producer over the years would be penalized by having to pay income taxes at a high rate in the years in which he was taking a risk. He would lose the cost of the dry holes with no income tax credits in the years in which he was unfortunate. Depletion, he said, is the means of equalizing profits and losses over a long period.
If it were not for that and the expensing of intangible drilling costs charged off in the years spent, there would not be half as many wells being drilled, Colonel Fell said.
He stressed that the members of the I.P.A.A. as individuals should take part in all government affairs for the purpose of maintaining the competitive system of free enterprise, free government and the American way of life.
Other officials of the I.P.A.A. who were here from a distance for the banquet included B. H. Vickrey of Wichita Falls, Texas, field representative; Paul Davis of Midland, Texas, vice president for the Permian area and John Starr of Midland, a member of the executive committee.

Mayor Roberts
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However, the mayor said, although the Rocky Arroyo route has been surveyed, there has been no survey made for the Cottonwood route.
The mayor said he learned at the meeting \$58,200 had been withdrawn from county and county roads in the Malaga area and that plans now are to shorten the proposed Rocky Arroyo road two miles.
He reported the next section of Highway 285 to be let for contract probably will tie in with the recently completed section this side of Carlsbad and that in his opinion it will not be let until spring. Likewise, he said, it appears plans have been dropped to straighten and improve the Artesia-Hope highway, except possibly for a new, double-lane bridge over Eagle Draw.
At the opening of the discussions, Luther E. Sharpe, secretary-manager of the Chamber of Commerce, reported on the recent hearing by the Civil Aeronautics Board in regard to Artesia being made a stop on the Amarillo-El Paso flight of Pioneer Air Lines.
He said that through a meeting of representatives with Pioneer and Continental Air Lines prior to the hearing, a compromise as to Artesia was reached, whereby Continental agreed not to fight the petitions for a stop here. And because of that compromise, Manager Sharpe said, the assistance of Congressmen Antonio M. Fernandez and John E. Miles was obtained.
Manager Sharpe said there are three lines of action the CAB might take, to grant Pioneer the Artesia stop, refuse to act on that phase until after a report of the examiner is made as to continuation or discontinuation of the Pioneer El Paso-Amarillo flight, or order Continental to serve Artesia on the Albuquerque-El Paso flight, as it was established Artesia needs the air service.
President Smith reviewed the agreement reached last January at meeting of the Artesia and Carlsbad Chambers of Commerce with the county commissioners for a road construction program in 1949, for both primary and secondary construction, which included widening and structures from White's City to Carlsbad and from Carlsbad to the Chaves County line through Artesia.
Manager Sharpe declared the holding back of promised construction to be bait for the elections next year, until when there will be no further construction started.
William M. Siegenthaler and G. Taylor Cole, chairmen, reported on progress in plans for the annual Chamber of Commerce banquet Dec. 6 and the Christmas street lighting program, respectively.

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squadron was given by Captain Bridges for the successful re-activation program and the activity of personnel in search and rescue.
Accompanying Captain Bridges on the trip here were Major Derr, Lieutenant Mire and Flight Engineer Sergeant Wickham of the Air Force.
The CAP cadet training program will start at the regularly scheduled squadron meeting at 7 o'clock tonight in the girls' gymnasium at the high school. Cadets will have their first class in theory of flight and will receive CAP orientation and drill.
There are still openings for CAP cadets, it was announced by Captain Worley, who invited all young men and women interested in aviation, who are between the ages of 15 and 18 years, to apply for cadet training at the meeting tonight. Those 18 years old or older may make application to become senior members.
Captain Worley called attention

KSVP PROGRAM SCHEDULE
1450 ON YOUR DIAL
Subject to Change without Notice
TUESDAY
8:15 Musical Roundup
8:20 Meet the Band
8:45 Top of the Morning
9:00 Variety Time
9:20 Morning Devotional
9:45 Lullaby in Rhythm
10:00 News
10:05 Harmonies for the Housewife
10:30 Western Jamboree
10:45 Public Health Series
11:00 This Rhythmic Age
11:15 Your Morning Concert
11:45 Voice of the Army
12:00 Personality Time
12:15 Farm and Market
12:30 Melody Scrapbook
1:00 Saddle Serenade
1:15 Treasure Chest
1:30 Tops in Pops
2:00 News
2:05 It's Reminiscent Rhythm
3:30 Hoe-Down Party
3:00 Americana
3:45 Tin Pan Alley
4:00 News
4:05 Revolving Rhythm
4:30 Record Shop
5:00 Straight Arrow
5:30 Captain Midnight
6:00 Gabriel Heatter and the News
6:15 Fulton Lewis, Jr.
6:30 Official Detective Drama
6:55 Bill Henry and the News
7:00 Twilight Serenade
7:15 South American Way
7:30 Mysterious Traveler
8:00 Commentator
8:15 Mutual Newsreel
8:30 Dance Band
9:00 I Love a Mystery
9:15 Dance Orchestra
9:30 Dance Orchestra
9:55 Mutual Reports the News
9:59 Sign Off.
WEDNESDAY
8:15 Sign On
8:30 News
7:00 Church of Christ
7:30 1450 Club
8:00 News
8:05 Background for Breakfast
8:15 Musical Roundup
8:20 Meet the Band
8:45 Top of the Morning
9:00 Variety Time
9:20 Morning Devotional
9:45 Lullaby in Rhythm
10:00 News
10:05 Harmonies for the Housewife
10:30 Western Jamboree
10:45 Eddie LaMar
11:00 Trade Winds Tavern
11:15 Year Morning Concert
11:45 Naval Air Reserve Show
12:00 Personality Time
12:15 Farm and Market
12:30 Melody Scrapbook
12:45 News
1:00 Saddle Serenade
1:15 Rhythm and Reason
1:30 Tops in Pops
2:00 News
2:05 It's Reminiscent Rhythm
2:30 Hoe-Down Party
3:00 Americana
3:45 Tin Pan Alley
4:00 News
4:05 Revolving Rhythm
4:30 Record Shop
5:00 Straight Arrow
5:30 Captain Midnight
THURSDAY
8:15 Spanish Program
9:15 Mutual Reports the News
9:59 Sign Off.
THURSDAY
6:55 Bill Henry and the News
7:00 Comedy Flashback
8:00 Commentator
8:15 Mutual Newsreel
8:30 Dance Band
8:50 I Love a Mystery
9:15 Spanish Program
9:55 Sign Off.
FRIDAY
6:55 Sign On
7:00 News
7:05 Church of Christ
7:20 1450 Club
8:00 News
8:05 Background for Breakfast
8:15 Eddie Arnold Show
8:30 Meet the Band
8:45 Top of the Morning
9:00 Variety Time
9:30 Morning Devotional
9:45 Novelty in Rhythm
10:00 News
10:05 Harmonies for the Housewife
10:30 Western Jamboree
10:45 Eddie LaMar
11:00 This Rhythmic Age
11:15 Year Morning Concert
11:45 Front Page Drama
12:00 Personality Time

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Membership—
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