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Times don't change so much, we learned the other day in looking over some old newspapers brought for us to look over by Quentin Rodgers.

In the Silver City Independent of Feb. 19, 1901, was the reprint of a cartoon from The St. Louis Republic, in which "Trust, Owner of the Earth," was shouting to a man on Mars, who was signaling with a lantern.

"Trust" was saying, "Just wait until I get up there, young fellow and you'll be sorry you signaled."

Then, it seems, we were misled by monopolies and even there was thought of inter-city communication and travel. Wonder if they had flying saucers in those days.

Another of the newspapers, but not so old, was The Las Vegas Optic for July 1, 1916, which shouted in headlines, "Mexico Is Not Seeking Peace" and "War Not Likely Until After Tuesday."

But there were a number of much older papers than that in the collection a half dozen or so of which were issued in August, 1896. Why there were so many for that month we could not figure out, as there seemed to be no common news in them.

And among the half dozen for that month there were two of special interest to Eddy County people, The Eddy Current and The Pecos Valley Argus, both published at Eddy, the little town in South Eddy County which is now Carlsbad. Today the two are combined in The Daily Current-Argus.

One thing which struck us in The Argus was a front-page picture of the plant of the Pecos Valley Beet Sugar Company, then in process of erection at Eddy and

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Congrats to the Boy Scouts of America

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Telephone Plant In Artesia Is Being Increased By Third

Work increasing the outside plant of the Mountain States Telephone & Telegraph Company at Artesia about a third from the office out will make approximately 4500 telephones available to the people of the community, according to W. F. Hinde, local manager. Hinde said the current work involves increasing cables to all parts of the city, being installed in addition to those already in use. He said it is hoped the work will be completed by March 30.

Here for the work are two cable crews and a construction crew, 14 men in all.

At present the plant has 2504 telephones and when the work now being done is completed, the exchange will be able to handle an additional 1800 or approximately 4300 in all, as compared with 213 telephones in 1920 and 2009 a year ago.

As a result of the extension of the plant, many persons who heretofore have been unable to have telephone service can be served. And it will be possible to give much more single-line service to those desiring it, Hinde said.

However, the local manager said more expansion is being planned and the company has started engineering for another job, even before this one is completed. Hinde said in extending the

Jack Frost Talks On River Trips At Oilfield Program

Jack Frost of Artesia gave an illustrated talk on his trips down the San Juan River at a program Friday night of last week at Oilfield School, arranged by Pat Evans, Lorrie Evans and Jim Francis.

He first showed on a map of the United States the route of the perilous trip through the deep canyons. Frost explained that on one trip the party was divided in two boats.

The pupils of the school sang a group of four songs that were announced by Billy Jo Forsyth. Mary Ann Beard played a piano solo, "LaFontain," for the March of Dimes, which netted \$31.54.

Haldeman Seeks Re-election As Commissioner

W. T. (Doc) Haldeman, Eddy County commissioner from District 2, has authorized the Advocate to announce his candidacy for the nomination to succeed himself for a second term, subject to the Democratic primary Tuesday, June 6.

The candidate, during whose term the Eddy County Board of County Commissioners has accomplished much, is a lifelong Democrat and has taken an active part in party and civic affairs for many years. He is exalted ruler of the Artesia Elks Lodge.

In a prepared statement of accomplishments and views, Commissioner Haldeman said:

"Desired public road projects in Eddy County are of three categories, primary, secondary and urban. Two primary highways traverse the county. These are U.S. Highways 285 and 180. From the standpoint of usage and tonnage, that portion of U.S. Highway 285 from a point 8.8 miles northwest of Carlsbad to the north Eddy County line is the most important highway in the county presently in need of improvement. This segment does not meet standards for primary roads. There exists a number of extremely hazardous curves, narrow bridges and inadequate width of roadway. We strongly urge that early consideration be given to its improvement.

Artie McAnally Is Again Cotton Council Officer

Artie McAnally of Artesia has been re-elected vice chairman of the New Mexico state unit of the National Cotton Council.

Announcement of McAnally's election was made at the closing session of the 12th annual meeting of the council in Memphis last week. More than a thousand cotton industry members attended the three-day meeting and heard President C. E. Wilson of General Motors Corporation, President Allan Kline of the American Farm Bureau Federation and Harold A. Young, National Cotton Council president, call for opposition to restriction of free enterprise.

As a delegate member of the Cotton Council, McAnally, manager of the Artesia Alfalfa Growers Association, took part in the planning of a program of research and promotion designed to increase the consumption of cotton, cottonseed and their products.

Cotton Council activity during 1950, as approved by McAnally and other delegate members of the organization, will call for promotion and advertising to increase the sale of cotton products, increasing the efficiency of producing, marketing and processing cotton and cottonseed, research to develop and improve cotton and cotton products, studies of markets and development of foreign trade.

Citywide Recreation Program For Artesia Is Being Planned

Tentative plans for a community-wide recreation summer program for people of all ages in Artesia and for the possible extension of the program into the winter months were discussed Tuesday night at a meeting of representatives of various organizations at the city hall.

At that time it was decided the program would be placed in the hands of a committee or board of six persons, one each representing the churches, schools, civic groups, women's organizations, city administration and veterans' organizations.

Those six are to be chosen by their respective groups by Monday and are to meet at the city hall at 7:30 o'clock that evening to work on definite plans for the venture.

The meeting Tuesday night was attended by about 20 persons representing the various groups and was the third such meeting, as the idea grew some days ago to a determination in the minds of many that such a program is needed in Artesia and should be instituted.

Wayne Paulin, who served as temporary chairman, said at the meeting Tuesday that the various organizations in each group should among them appoint one representative to the general board.

For the meeting Tuesday, however, Mayor Oren C. Roberts had been sent written invitation to have someone present to assist in discussing the proposed plan.

When the six group representatives meet Monday, they are to choose their own chairman or otherwise organize as they deem necessary and then go ahead with formulation of permanent plans. The permanent plans discussed

March Of Dimes Total Is Close To Last Year's

If the 175 counter coin containers in stores and other business houses during the March of Dimes, which were being collected Thursday, account for more than \$60 in contributions, the 1950 campaign will surpass that of a year ago, when the North Eddy County chapter of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis reported \$3035 collected.

Fred Cole, treasurer of the chapter, said late Thursday he had deposited \$2725.46 up to that time and that it was hoped the coin containers would bring the funds up to a figure exceeding the total for a year ago.

Jerry Losee, chapter chairman pointed out there is another chance for the 1950 funds to be swelled more and that is the March of Dimes dance at Hope Saturday night, Feb. 11. Although the official campaign ended here and over the nation Tuesday, the dance there was not held during the two-week period because of conflicting dates.

However, Losee said, the official ending of the campaign does not mean more funds are not needed or welcome. He suggested that those who have failed to contribute and wish to make donations, send their check or cash to Treasurer Cole at the First National Bank.

The largest item in the total amount accounted for to date is from checks and other donations mailed or taken to Cole, he said. From this source \$1048.68 was accounted for.

Second on the list was the \$538.57 taken in as a result of the "disc jockey" programs over radio station KSPV, in which the Rotary, Lions, Kiwanis and 20-30 Clubs participated, with their members serving as "disc jockeys."

The four organizations which canvassed the city in both the business and residential districts turned in a total of \$818.79, Cole said. By organizations they collected: Order of the Eastern Star, \$506.22; Parent-Teacher Associations, \$197.27; American Legion Auxiliary, \$115.30.

The remainder of the total was

Artesia Community Welfare Center Set Up By Council Social Agencies

The Artesia Community Welfare Center was set up at 511 West Main Street and a far-reaching program of welfare work through a number of agencies was discussed at a luncheon meeting of the Council of Social Agencies of Artesia Monday noon at the Club Cafe.

Arrangements were completed for the center in the building formerly utilized by radio station KSPV for offices and studios.

At present welfare work here is carried on in office space at the rear of the Southeast Engineering Company office at 509 West Main Street.

At the new Community Welfare Center there will be the offices of community welfare, the Council of Social Agencies, American Red Cross, State Welfare Department and State Child Welfare Department. Rev. Ralph O'Dell, president of the council, said the possibility of the State Welfare Department office being moved there is now in the study stage.

Rev. O'Dell said it is hoped by the council one room in the building can be used as a welfare work center, where community sewing and other handicraft projects can be carried out by local organizations.

Mrs. Z. V. Betts, part-time director of the North Eddy County chapter of the Red Cross, has been officially hired as executive secretary of the community welfare fund, formerly known as the Artesia Community Chest.

A special committee was appointed at the meeting Monday by Rev. O'Dell to set up policies for the welfare fund. Mrs. T. C. Williams is chairman. Other members are Homer Heathman, Mrs. H. R. Paton, Mrs. J. E. Walters and Mrs. Betts.

Rev. O'Dell announced the hours or days when representatives of various agencies may be contacted at the center: Mrs. Betts, community welfare and Red Cross, 9 to 12 o'clock each morning Monday through Friday; Mrs. Mabel Holman, social visitor, all day Tuesday; Mrs. Rufus Graham, county welfare director, all day Wednesday; Julian Brantley, county child welfare director, all day Thursday.

He said in case of any social need whatsoever, a person should call the Community Welfare Center, phone 346-J.

At the meeting Monday, action was taken for the local council to affiliate with the National Council.

Eddy And Lea Wells Confused In Oil Report

From one of a number of sources from which information for the Tuesday weekly oil report story is compiled, a Lea County completion of considerable interest was tied in with a dry hole in Eddy County, leading to the misinformation that the Eddy County well was unusual and important.

The M. M. Bradley, Bradley 1, SE NW 12-24-26, in the Black River Pool, which was reported as a good deep producer, was in reality a duster and has been plugged and abandoned.

On the other hand, statistics for the J. R. Sharp, Federal-Yeekie 1, NE NE 14-9-35, in the Bough Pool in Lea County, are exactly those which were erroneously attributed to the Bradley well.

The Sharp well, which was drilled to a total depth of 9615 feet, had an initial production natural flow of 335 barrels of oil per day.

It is regretted the two wells were confused, as the erroneous news perhaps led some persons having acreage in the Black River Pool area to rejoice. How it happened cannot be determined, but it did happen. And the information—or misinformation—as published, was exactly as received from one of the sources employed for the weekly report.

Mexican Nationals Are Processed For Six Months Longer

A total of 162 Mexican nationals were processed here Saturday for continued work on farms for six months through the New Mexico State Employment Service.

Of them 98 were processed to farmers under the quota of 150 for the Artesia Alfalfa Growers Association, 50 under the total quota of the Eddy County Farm Bureau and 14 for the Tucumcari community.

Of the 162 processed for six months more, some planned to go home on 15-day vacations, which were granted them.

The nationals, or "braceros," came here with hundreds of others from Chihuahua last fall to pick cotton.

Artesia 'Boy Scout Week' Is Proclaimed

A PROCLAMATION

Whereas, the Boy Scouts of America has a great influence on the youth of our community, state and nation in helping to build them into useful, upright citizens, and

Whereas, the 2,300,000 boys and leaders of the Boy Scouts of America throughout the nation will observe the 40th anniversary of the founding of the organization in the United States from Monday, Feb. 6, through Sunday, Feb. 12, and

Whereas, it is fitting and proper that all citizens of the community give recognition to the work done and being done by this great organization for our boys and young men,

Now, therefore, I, Oren C. Roberts, mayor of Artesia, proclaim the week from Feb. 6 through Feb. 12 as "Boy Scout Week" in our community and call on everyone to help these boys and young men in its observation and ask that all give them encouragement not only at this time but in the future, as the Boy Scouts of America continues to help mold the future leaders and citizens of our nation.

OREN C. ROBERTS,
Mayor of Artesia.

'Boy Scout Week' To Be Observed In Artesia Starting Next Monday

Boy Scouts of Artesia, the Gateway District, the state and nation will observe "Boy Scout Week" from Monday through Sunday, Feb. 12, with plans made here for a number of activities in which these young American will take part.

"Boy Scout Week" this year is in observation of the 40th anniversary of the Boy Scouts of America, an organization which today is composed of 2,300,000 boys and adult leaders.

Local Boy Scout troops will call attention to the work they are doing by means of window displays in downtown store windows. Each troop will be responsible for its own display and will decide on what phase of activities will be depicted.

Plans are being made for Boy Scouts and Cubs to appear at meetings of the various civic clubs and other organizations, at some of which they will part on the entire program.

Each troop is expected to do a "good turn" during the week for its sponsoring organization. The "good turns" are expected to take a number of forms, each as worked out by the troop.

During the entire week the Boy Scouts and Cubs are to wear their distinctive uniforms. They also will be worn on "Boy Scout Sunday," Feb. 12, when all Scouts and Cubs are expected to attend the churches of their choice.

A number of other activities are being worked out for the various troops.

In connection with the anniversary observation, Mayor Oren C. Roberts has issued a proclamation, calling on the citizens of the community to lend assistance to the Boy Scouts in their efforts.

President Truman will greet 12 outstanding Boy Scouts in the White House during "Boy Scout Week." The Scouts will present to Mr. Truman the "Report to the Nation" telling of Scouting's service to the community since he greeted a similar group of 12 outstanding Scouts a year ago. President Truman is honorary president of the Boy Scouts of America.

"Boy Scout Week" this year finds the organization at the midpoint of its two-year crusade to "strengthen the Arm of Liberty," which seeks to bring more boys into its ranks, give them richer experiences in all phases of its programs under volunteer leaders of high character who take training

Josey Announces Candidacy For City Police Judge

Judge J. D. Josey, justice of the peace for Precinct 6 and a former Artesia police judge, this week announced his candidacy for police judge, subject to the biennial Artesia municipal election Tuesday, April 4.

In making his announcement, Judge Josey said he is seeking the office on his own merits, experience, knowledge of the job and his reputation for fair dealing with all appearing before him.

Judge Josey, who came to Eddy County originally in 1918, has been a resident of the county and Artesia continuously since 1938. During his previous residence in the county, he lived at Hope 12 years.

He became Artesia police judge in 1940 and served until 1948. And he was elected justice of the peace for this precinct in that year and took office in January, 1941, an office he has held since.

Judge Josey pointed out that compensation for services as police judge or justice of the peace is none too great and that it takes both offices to provide a living for a man and his family.

He asked that all electors in Artesia give his candidacy for police judge consideration and said he will appreciate all support given him.

Additional \$4000 Pledged Wednesday For Chamber Budget

More than \$4000 was pledged Wednesday towards the 1950 Artesia Chamber of Commerce budget, as the drive for funds continued, it was reported by William M. Siegenthaler, president.

Workers on that day brought the total pledged during the campaign to about \$12,000 of the budget of \$17,610, as set up by the board of directors in December.

President Siegenthaler said those who canvassed Wednesday met with ready response, but that some of those who had planned to assist were not able to give the time on that day. He expected they will complete the calls assigned them in the near future.

G.P.A. To Discuss Needed Changes In Game Laws

Recommendations for changes in the game laws and regulations in New Mexico will be discussed at the February meeting of the North Eddy County chapter of the Game Protective Association, to be held at Artesia High School at 7:30 o'clock Tuesday evening, it was announced by Clyde Roberts, president.

He said out of discussions of this and other chapters the Game Protective Association will be able to make constructive recommendations to the State Game Commission for consideration.

It is desirable there be a large turnout not only of members but of other sportsmen and sports-women, in order that many of the problems may be brought up and discussed.

Four motion pictures of game and fish are also to be shown, Roberts said.

He extended an invitation to everyone interested to attend and take part in the discussions and to enjoy the movies.

Hunt Zumwalt Takes First In Speaking Contest

Hunt Zumwalt took first place in the Southeast New Mexico district Future Farmers of America public speaking contest held in Cloudercroft Saturday last week.

The district is composed of chapters at Artesia, Cloudercroft, Capitlan, Hagerman, Carlsbad, Hobbs, Lovington and Tatum.

Three carloads of Future Farmers of America from the Artesia High School vocational agriculture department attended the district meeting.

Besides the public speaking contest, recreation including basketball, ice skating and tobogganing, was enjoyed by the boys.

Young Zumwalt will now compete against the winners in the other five districts in the state F.F.A. public speaking contest, to be held in Albuquerque Saturday, March 4.

Gridders Of High School To Join Club On Sunday

Eight Artesia High School athletes are to be initiated into the Artesia Bulldog Football Club at the Elks ballroom at 2:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

The club was organized Jan. 6 with a charter membership of 14, of whom Joe Harbert is the president. They will be in charge of the initiation ceremony Sunday.

Other officers: Vice president, Bobby Morgan; secretary-treasurer, Sonny Garner; sergeant-at-arms, A. L. Terpening; chaplain, Buster Brown.

The club is composed of football players, both letter winners and those coming out for the squad. There are two types of members, the active, who are lettermen and the novices, those who are on the grid squad and working for letters.

Coach Jack Tinson said the boys plan to have other initiations from time to time and to build up the membership of the club to about 50.

He said the idea of the club is to build team unity and a co-operative spirit among football athletes of the school.

All parents of the boys, school officials and sports-minded members of civic clubs or individuals were extended an invitation to attend all ceremonies put on by the boys, especially the one scheduled for Sunday afternoon.

The club is planning to present a comedy show, "Bells a-Poppin'," Friday, March 3.

After Defeat To Hobbs, Bulldogs Face Toughies

Still burning from the 54-32 defeat handed them by the Hobbs Eagles Tuesday night at Hobbs, the young Bulldog cage crew takes on two more high school basketball toughies this week end.

Artesia takes to the road again today for its fifth grueling game in eight days away from the friendly confines of its local boards to meet rugged Hondo tonight at Hondo.

The Bulldogs come home tomorrow for their first outing here in two weeks to face belligerent St. Mary's of Albuquerque at 8:15 o'clock Saturday night.

Both Hondo and St. Mary's will be tough customers for the disappointing "Dogs" to handle.

Hondo fields a fast, sweet-passing, torrid shooting aggregation that is mighty wicked on its home floor and that's where the Bulldogs catch them.

Not too much is known about St. Mary's here, although the Catholic school played high-stepping St. Michael's, generally considered the No. 2 prep school quintet in the state, of fits feet before dropping a four-point decision last week.

Coach Reece Smith's vastly improved Bullpups make the mountain trek with the Bulldogs today, seeking their third in a row against the Hondo B's in a preliminary

Lanes Of Endeavor Of Rotary Explained By Panel Tuesday

The four lanes of endeavor of Rotary International were discussed by a panel of as many members of the Artesia Rotary Club Tuesday noon at the weekly luncheon, with Rev. R. L. Willingham, past of the First Methodist Church as moderator.

The panel members and the aims and objects which they discussed: Fred Jacobs, club service; Dr. C. A. Strzjewski, community service; Ray Thompson, vocational service and Dr. M. Schneberg, international service.

At the conclusion of the discussions, Rev. Willingham pointed out that Rotary has no place for a little man, that the bigger the man the bigger the Rotarian.

Christmas Seal Sale Brings In Total Of \$1341

The annual sale of Christmas Seals from last Thanksgiving to Christmas brought in more funds in North Eddy County than ever before, it was disclosed in the final report as of Feb. 1 to the National Tuberculosis Association by Mrs. Joe Nunn, president of the Artesia Nurses' Club and chairman of the campaign.

The Christmas Seals sale amounted to \$1341.53, as compared with about \$900 the year prior.

Of the total, 60 per cent remains here for use in the fight against tuberculosis and 40 per cent goes to the National Tuberculosis Association. Of the moneys received by the state association, 5 per cent goes to national headquarters.

Mrs. Nunn expressed the thanks and appreciation of the Artesia Nurses' Club, sponsor of the campaign in North Eddy County, to everyone who assisted in the annual drive by purchasing Christmas Seals or contributing or in any other way helping to make it successful.

She said that although the annual campaign ended officially on Christmas, funds are always needed and welcome and invited everyone wishing to send in contributions at any time.

Brownlee Buys Artesia Shoe Store From Huff

Thomas W. (Tommy) Brownlee, formerly of Los Alamos, has purchased the Artesia Shoe Store from C. D. Huff and is now in full charge of the campaign.

Huff was one of the original owners of the store, when it opened at 114 West Main Street in March, 1947.

The new owner is married and has one son, Johnny, 13 months old. And one of the family's greatest concerns at this time is finding a house.

Brownlee said he plans to run the type of establishment known for friendliness and hopes that he and Mrs. Brownlee will be generally known as "Tommy" and "Virginia" as they make friends and become better acquainted in Artesia.

The new store owner is a veteran of the Army Air Corps in World War II, in which he served three and a half years. Of that time he served two and a half years in the European theater of operations as a glider pilot with the rank of second lieutenant.

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National Crusade

It apparently is going to take a national crusade to bring about efficiency and economy in our governmental departments and especially in the spending of federal funds.

Herbert Hoover, former president of the United States and chairman of the Hoover Commission, declared that such a movement—a national crusade—is now being organized over the nation.

Former President Hoover and his commission worked for many months planning an efficiency and economy program to offer to the nation. The program recommends certain consolidation of government bureaus and agencies; the modernizing of certain branches of our government; the halting of waste and extravagance in the federal spending.

Such a movement, of course, is never popular. It is never popular because it destroys to a certain extent "pork barrel" practices that have ruled in our government for many years.

The halting of the spending of money is never popular with anyone. We all like to spend money. And the reducing of expenditures means that certain departments or bureaus or agencies will be abolished. It means certain individuals will be thrown out of jobs; it means that the number on the payrolls will be lessened.

Yet most of us realize that we cannot continue in the future as we have in the past. Most of us know we cannot continue to spend more than we take in; most of us appreciate we cannot continue to go in debt each year. And we have been doing exactly that.

In the past 21 years there have been only four years in which the federal income exceeded the federal outgo. Nineteen years of deficits have increased the federal debt from 16.9 billion to 252.7 billion dollars. That means from an average of \$139 per person to \$1,700 per person. In the 12 non-war years, the federal debt was increased 57 billion dollars and President Truman has estimated a deficit of 5.5 billion for the present year, which will increase the federal debt by that amount.

And common sense tells us that either we must reduce federal spending or we must increase the taxes. We are all agreed the taxes have about reached the limit. Even congressional leaders realize they cannot wisely increase the taxes any more.

Business must be permitted to operate and earn a profit if we expect to encourage business. It is business that provides jobs.

So since it is not wise to increase taxes the next step seems to be halt the waste and extravagance in our federal spending and to live within our budget.

This may mean that many of the proposed projects cannot be carried out. It may mean that many of the pet schemes of the various congressmen designed largely to get them votes must be forgotten; it may mean that the federal government must halt assuming the responsibilities of the state and county governments.

And certainly it means that efficiency and economy must be practiced by the federal government. It means that only one agency instead of two must be doing the various jobs two agencies are doing today. It means that duplication must be eliminated and that consolidation and unification must be started and carried out.

But the present situation has developed and the widespread spending has been carried on because it has proved profitable to the politicians and best served their interest. It has been continued because we as citizens have continued to clamor for the federal government to assume more and more duties and responsibilities.

It has reached the point where we can't have our cake and eat it, too.

And it is time for us to join hands with those who are demanding that our government modernize, economize and adopt efficiency in all of its bureaus, agencies and departments.

We must do more than say we want it. We must demand it and then do those things expected when we join in making such demands.—O.E.P.

Employees Double

EVER WONDER just how many employees the state has and how much the payroll in New Mexico for the state government have increased in just a short eight years? Well the New Mexico Tax Bulletin points out this increase.

The number of employees today is approximately 11,338, while back in 1941 the number was only 6590. This is an increase of some 4743 in just eight short years. Wonder if it will continue to double in the next eight years.

During the first six months of last year, it cost the state some \$8,616,875 in salaries while back in 1941 the payroll for a six-month period only totaled \$2,912,233. So although the number of employees has only increased about twice the actual payroll figure has been increased about four times. This is an increase in the payroll of some \$5,704,642.

For the fiscal year ending June 30, 1949, the

total state payroll amounted to \$16,152,414 as compared with \$14,703,720 for 1948, \$11,943,735 for 1947; \$9,096,950 for 1946 and \$7,456,051 for 1945.

These figures, of course, do not include the salaries for any other of the branches of government except the state. They do not include the city and county payrolls of the various cities and counties over the state.

So it seems that not only the federal government continues to increase its number of employees and its payroll but the state does a pretty good job too. And the chances are that almost as much increase in the city payrolls and the county payrolls would be disclosed if the actual figures were checked.

There is no question but what the citizens of the nation are going to demand that some of the Hoover Commission recommendations be put into effect in the federal government but it also appears they are going to have to demand that there must be something done about the state government, too.

Certainly there is a limit to this continuing to increase the number who can be placed on payrolls and the salaries that the people can continue to pay out from their tax monies.

But it will continue until the taxpayers of the nation halt it.—O.E.P.

'Boy Scout Week'

THE BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA will observe "Boy Scout Week" Feb. 6-12. This splendid organization is dedicated to enriching the nation by helping its boys and young men to grow physically, mentally, morally and spiritually.

But in spite of all the good the Boy Scouts of America does for the youth of this nation, we are informed that the youth who most need the program are losing interest in it. And as the interest lags, juvenile delinquency increases.

We have been told that part of the waning interest stems from the mistaken idea among some boys that the Boy Scouts are a bunch of sissies. Nothing could be further from the truth. But that doesn't keep some boys from thinking so.

We don't know wherein the Boy Scout movement falls down. Perhaps some parts of the program are outmoded. Perhaps the over-all program is lacking somewhere, is not as carefully prepared as should be and this in spite of the great sums of money expended in this splendid work.

However, it is true that other fine programs have become somewhat obsolete without anyone realizing it, when all at once the fact becomes quite obvious. Then a shuffling starts.

We don't want to mislead anyone into believing that we are not strong for the Boy Scouts of America. For we do believe in the organization, think it is one of the finest youth movements in the world, along with the Girl Scouts. Nor do we know just what is wrong. But we do believe the organization is falling down somewhere. It is not reaching the very boys who could gain most through it. It does not appeal to those youth who need a guiding hand.

Surely, such a far-reaching and outstanding movement should have the support of everyone and it should be so set up that it appeals to all boys, especially those needing guidance.

The falling off in interest is especially noticeable since the war. But war brings about changes. So perhaps that might be a clue to the difficulty.

We don't know, but it may be that the war brought on juvenile delinquency and that a delinquent, or a boy who does not want to do right, can find no appeal in the Boy Scouts of America.

Then it is up to the Boy Scouts to take some other tack, so as to reach boys before they have a tendency to become delinquent, to provide that ounce of prevention, which so many thousands of the youth of our nation need.

So while we congratulate the Boy Scouts of America on the occasion of its 40th anniversary and figuratively tip our hat to the two and a half million men and boys in the movement, we admonish the organization to take stock and to find where in it is falling down.—A.L.B.

Nearing The Goal

NEW MEXICO A. & M. COLLEGE is now nearing its goal of \$50,000 to be used as part of the cost of a Memorial Stadium and tower to honor those Aggies who gave their lives in the two World Wars.

When the task of raising the \$50,000 has been completed—and the committee is now within \$8000 of that goal—another \$100,000 given by the college will be employed.

Plans call for the erection of a stadium at the football field to seat some 7000. The tower will probably be at the entrance of the stadium. It will contain a memorial room honoring those from A. & M. who lost their lives in the wars.

Much interest has been displayed in the new Aggie Memorial Stadium and tower over the entire state and many gifts have been received. Some from Artesia and Eddy County have participated in the program. They have joined because of their interest in the school; because they have had or have sons or daughters at the school; or because they appreciate the fine contributions that New Mexico A. & M. College has made to the farming, ranching and livestock industries of the state.

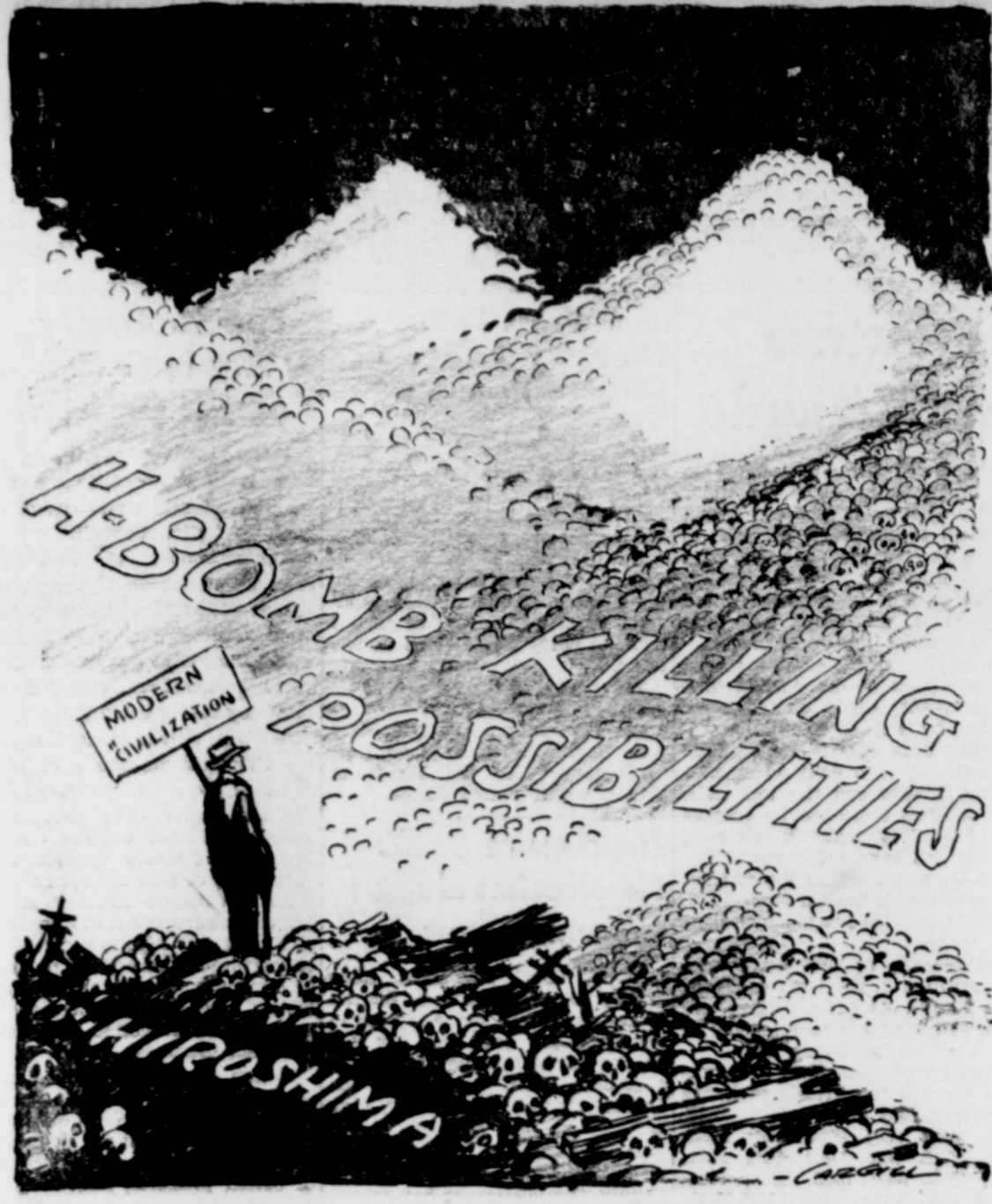
They have indicated their appreciation for this by making a contribution to this fund and to aid the school in securing its stadium.

With only \$8000 now needed to reach the goal invitations are extended to all desiring to assist the school to make their gift or contribution. No campaign will be conducted here and no personal contacts will be made.

Those who would like to assist the school in securing the remaining \$8000 are invited to make out their check for any amount they desire to give to the Aggie Memorial Stadium fund and mail it to the Aggie Memorial Stadium Committee, State College, N. M.

It will be deeply appreciated and will assist the Aggies, the college officials and the school boosters in completing the job they started some three years ago of raising this fund.—O.E.P.

"AND I THOUGHT THE A-BOMB WAS TOPS!"



Adding Sunshine Sunshine State

By Dr. G. Ward Fenley
 I only made it through last week with the aid of something less than a million aspirin tablets. Djever go through the woes of waiting outside and playing the role of an expectant father?

Well, sweating out the selection of a new head football coach at the University of New Mexico—or any other institution—is just about as bad.

When it was all said and done, I felt like the little boy who asked his teacher: "What part of the body is the fray?"

"What do you mean?" asked the puzzled teacher.

"Well," the boy replied, "it says in my history book that the general was shot in the thick of the fray."

The woes of a public relations officer. The Army calls them only by initials (not President Truman's pet initials, thank goodness) but with a sort of sneer when referring to a "PRO."

Oh well, maybe my lot is no worse than yours and yours and yours. There's a big headache coming up right soon for all of us—income tax day.

Pot Bert of Artesia refers to it last week: "Admitting there is nothing certain except death and taxes, one notes that death does not get worse every time Congress meets."

In fact, it is too bad that American is nurturing its growing pains on aspirin.

My little 15-year-old Jane was baby-sitting recently with a couple of small 7 and 8-year-old girls. She put them to bed and an hour later, the smaller one came in whining: "Jane, I can't go to sleep, I want an aspirin."

Jane was horrified: "Now listen here young lady. Who ever heard of a baby's taking aspirin simply because she couldn't sleep. My mother doesn't let me take tablets for just any old reason—and you can't have one either."

The little girl came up with a reason that stumped Jane: "Well, I don't see why. My mother lets me take them all the time."

It's Part of America

It seems to be a part of the American scene: Eat aspirin to keep

us in the rush of things and then guzzle aspirin to get us out of the rush so we can sleep.

In spite of medical advances we are killing ourselves by degrees and fast at that. We've got to the point where physical progress—not humane betterment—is the watchword.

The Cruces Citizen had it right in referring to what the farmer's wife said to her husband: "Be real sure and mark those bottles of medicine plain so I'll know what is for the horse and which is for you. I don't want nothing to happen to that horse before the spring plowing."

While down at Carlsbad with the Eddy County News we learned that D. W. Raymond is one doctor who claims and advertises that all his patients die. Dr. Raymond is a B.D. (bug doctor) and operates the Carlsbad Exterminators.

This past week a 20-year-old college-trained Belgium youngster was in my PRO office. Reluctantly he contrasted his little war torn country with the Great Big Old United States.

Our mode of living just didn't stack up—even beside a weak nation that was still recovering from bombings.

Americans put their dough, said the Belgian, in cars, radios, refrigerators and television sets—while the Belgians invest in nice home furniture, books and the cultural side of life.

Furthermore, while the Belgian mother begins dinner or supper hours ahead with elaborate care and preparation—the average American housewife rushes in from the bridge party and opens cans during a 15-minute dizzy spell.

More headaches and more aspirin.

Understand, I'm not griping. I like America—with all our television sets—and am contemplating buying one.

Even at my ripe old age (old as Ruby Cree at Hatch), I like to keep up with the trend of the times. I'm sorta like the old man Wallace Barnes was talking about last week.

He seemed to suffer from arthritis especially every time he bent over and put his hands down to his knees and pulled them up again.

"Why do you do it then," his companion asked.

"Well," he replied, "I can't figure any other way to put my pants on."

And that's all this week, except to remind young ladies that no nice

girl need have a hard row with a hoe if she knows a nice old rake.

Dick Powell Sings Again In 'Mrs. Mike'

In some of the most careful casting Hollywood has ever seen for the important featured roles in United Artists' "Mrs. Mike," a Regal Films Production which opens next Sunday at the Landis Theater, co-starring Dick Powell and Evelyn Keyes, players of outstanding ability were chosen, some comparative newcomers to the screen, others of long and distinguished screen experience.

"Mrs. Mike" is adapted from the best-seller of the same title, authored by Benedict and Nancy Freedman and is a fictionalized version of the actual story of Sgt. Mike Flannigan, Royal Canadian mounted and his wife, circa 1907.

Most movie-goers are so well acquainted with the past performances on the screen of Dick Powell and Evelyn Keyes, it is not necessary to enlarge upon them here. But few know Angela Clarke, who is sensational in the role of good, kind Sarah Carpenter in the role of Georgette Beauclair. A newcomer also plays Pierre Carpenter.

However, J. M. Kerrigan, who plays Evelyn Keyes' uncle in "Mrs. Mike," comes from the famed Abbey Players in Dublin. John Miljan, another veteran, plays the role of the pathetic gold prospector, Henry Howard. And Will Wright, who plays Dr. MacIntosh, dates his career back to high button-shoe days.

Dick Powell, who has spent the last five years in pictures as a tough "private eye," and who can currently be seen playing a Royal Canadian Mounted policeman in "Mrs. Mike," has decided it is safer to sing again.

Dick originally took on the hard-boiled roles to escape being permanently catalogued as a crooner. Between motion picture vehicles and mystery roles in radio, he finally succeeded in getting away from the crooner category.

However, a scene in "Mrs. Mike" does require that Dick sing to Evelyn Keyes. So Dick sings again—just one song—"Rose of Tralee," to his co-star, Evelyn Keyes, who plays Mrs. Mike. He sings simply, without fanfare, because the song is necessary to the story and—because he is glad of the opportunity to sing.

Lake Arthur

(Joyce Foster)

Lloyd Dale and Louise Cogdill were honored Thursday of last week with a farewell party in the high school gymnasium. Games and square dancing were enjoyed by all. Cold drinks and doughnuts were served to about 30 guests.

Mirla Reynolds, Delbert Robinson and Jack and Nan Robinson, students at Eastern New Mexico College at Portales, spent last week end visiting their parents and friends. They returned to Portales Sunday.

Mrs. Effie Turner spent several days last week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Orrin Smith and girls. She returned to Roswell Sunday, where she is staying with her daughter, Mrs. Bueany Carroll.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Shands have purchased the Joe Cogdill home. Mr. and Mrs. Cogdill and

Inside WASHINGTON

MARCH OF EVENTS

Dean, Pike Given Mention | Expect High-Pressure Drive
 As Successor to Lilienthal | For a 70-Group Air Force

Special to Central Press

WASHINGTON—Comment in administration circles is that President Truman will turn to the Atomic Energy Commission to find a successor to David E. Lilienthal, who is resigning as commission chairman Feb. 15.

Sumner Pike and Gordon Dean, commission members, are mentioned for the post. Both stand well at the White House. Dean is said to favor Dean, since Pike is a Republican.

The feeling in some quarters is that the president will name a commission member to the top post because he will be sufficiently familiar with atomic problems. Moreover, many otherwise qualified men would not take the job because they would be under fire from Congress if anything went wrong. A comparatively small salary is not conducive to encouraging men to risk public criticism.

● **AIR POWER BATTLE**—Another high-pressure drive to secure funds to build the Air Force up to 70 fighting groups is expected at the present session of Congress.

So say congressional leaders, despite assurances from some previous advocates of a 70-group force that they intend to refrain from further attempts to create a force of this size.

Although several former advocates have repented, a large number of combat-veteran congressmen are determined not to give up the fight. As a result, a renewed attempt to tack additional Air Force funds on the defense budget is in prospect.

● **CHICKEN FEED**—Next time you have the urge in these days of high costs to call the change you get in coins "chicken feed" just remember this:

Mrs. Nellie Taylor Ross, director of the Mint, says that although no one knows just how many United States coins are in circulation, it's estimated that their combined total value is about \$2 billion.

Mrs. Ross says the reason no one can tell exactly how many coins are in the hands of Americans is that there is no way to figure the number of children's banks or the pennies and dimes that are "lost in the street."

She explains that the growth of vending machines, the sales tax and cash-carry merchandising have increased the use of coins.

● **WHITE HOPE IKE**—A group of leading southern Democrats Congress look upon Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower as the one man who can draw southern conservatives over to the Republican party.

They figure that if Eisenhower runs for president on the Republican ticket in 1952—a big "if"—the break will come and a new coalition party will be formed.

Then, they say, the American people of both the north and south will have an opportunity to choose between a liberal government and a conservative government.

The big stumbling block is GOP support of civil rights legislation. But the southerners say that Ike's reputation for fairness and common-sense would do much to drive away the fears of a civil rights platform.

● **DOCTOR DRAFT**—No draft of physicians or dentists for the armed forces is in sight this year.

The defense budget carries no funds for them, although a little more than a year ago there were widespread complaints of a shortage of such men.

Defense officials say that, with a reduction in total personnel, they will get along with fewer doctors and dentists. In addition, many men in the reserve forces are seeking regular status now.

Officials are commenting on the 8,000 medical graduates who have completed their education at government expense or who were deferred to complete their education. Of the 8,000, only 600 volunteered for extended active duty.

family have moved to Cleburne, Texas, where they plan to farm.

Pearlie Wilson, who suffered a stroke last week and was paralyzed on his right side, is reported to be doing well as can be expected.

Mr. and Mrs. Newman Byrum and son of Camel spent the week end visiting with Mrs. Bynum's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Guff.

Dinner guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. Z. McCullough were Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Whalley.

Harvey Murphy, who was injured seriously in a car wreck near El Paso on the Alamogordo highway Thursday last week, is improving a little. He has a fractured skull, a broken hip and a bad cut over an eye. He is in a hospital in El Paso and will be there six weeks or more. Horace Hatch, who was with him in the accident, was not hurt. Mrs. Jack Murphy is in El Paso with her son.

Rev. Alvie Taylor spent several days in Albuquerque last week attending a laymen's and pastors' meeting.

Miss Jessie Mueller, who is in El Paso taking treatments from a specialist, is reported to be improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Needham motored to Carlsbad last week to attend to business.

Howard Sims of Encino spent the week end here and in Hagan man visiting from friends.

The school bus drivers attended a bus drivers' meeting in Roswell last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Bostick of Carlsbad spent several days visiting with Mrs. Bostick's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Cummins.

A large crowd attended a farewell party for Mr. and Mrs. Cogdill at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Orrin Smith Monday of last week. Mrs. Cogdill was presented a beautiful corsage of red and white carnations and some pastel sheets and pillow cases. Dominoes and games were enjoyed by everyone. Mrs. Ray Pate and Mrs. Barbara Chandler assisted Mrs. Smith serving sandwiches, cake, coffee and punch.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Sands of family have moved to Missouri where they plan to farm.



DEAR NOAH DOES A HAM ACTOR USE MORE TIME CHEWING THE FAT THAN BRINGING HOME THE BACON?
 T.V. RUGGLES CUMBERLAND, MD

DEAR NOAH IS A PIGGY BANK JUST ANOTHER COIN-FLIPPING GAME?
 B. BURRIN CHARLOTTE, N.C.

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Try and Stop Me

—By BENNETT CERF—

BILL MAULDIN tells the tall tale of a couple of Life reporters who arrived in a remote town in Yucatan and announced that they had made the journey from Vera Cruz by jeep.

"Nonsense," scoffed the native pundit. "There aren't any roads through that impenetrable jungle." "Quiet," begged the Life men. "Our jeep hasn't found out about roads yet and we don't aim to spoil it."

Major Klopfer heard a young bride express delight in gift towels embroidered "His" and "Hers," so he promptly sent her an olive drab blanket with the letters US stamped in the middle.

Little Pete Carlin tripped over a box on the Madison Avenue pavement and fell flat on his face. A worried bystander stood him up on his feet, and said soothingly, "There, there, don't you cry." "Cry nothing," declared little Pete angrily. "I'm going to sue the heck out of somebody for it."

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7th day of March, 1950.
JOHN H. BLISS,
State Engineer.
10-31-F-14

DECLARATION AND ORDER
Extension of the Chaves and Eddy Counties Underground Water Basin, Known as the Roswell Artesian Basin.

WHEREAS, Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931 declares that the waters of underground streams, channels, artesian basins, reservoirs and lakes having reasonably ascertainable boundaries are public waters and subject to appropriation for beneficial use in accordance with the statutes and with the rules and regulations formulated by the State Engineer; and WHEREAS, the Roswell Artesian Basin has been declared and bounded by order of the State Engineer dated August 21, 1931 and by his subsequent extensions of the basin; and WHEREAS, it now appears that

the area of the underground basin both shallow and artesian as defined and extended does not include an area with reasonably ascertainable boundaries which lies westerly of the presently declared basin and in part of which development of underground water is now feasible.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY DECLARED that the area in Chaves and Eddy Counties adjacent to the presently declared basin and more fully described as follows is an underground water basin which comprises a part of the Roswell Artesian Basin subject to the provisions of the aforesaid law as it has been or may be amended:

Beginning at the northeast corner of Section 25, Township 20 South, Range 25 East; thence southerly along range line to the southeast corner of said township; thence westerly along township line to the southwest corner of Section 34, Township

20 South, Range 23 East; thence northerly along section line to the northwest corner of Section 3, Township 17 South, Range 23 East; thence westerly along township line to the northeast corner Township 16 South, Range 23 East; thence northerly along range line to the northwest corner of said township; thence westerly along township line to the southwest corner of Township 15 South, Range 22 East; thence northerly along range line to the northwest corner of Township 13 South, Range 22 East; thence easterly along township line to the southwest corner of Township 12 South, Range 21 1/2 East; thence northerly along range line to the northwest corner of said township; thence easterly along township line to the southwest corner of Township 11 South, Range 22 East; thence northerly along range line to the northwest corner of Township 7 South, Range 22 East; thence easterly along township line to the northeast corner of Section 3, Township 7 South, Range 23 East; thence in a general southerly direction along those subdivision lines defining the existing western boundary of the Roswell Artesian Basin to the point of beginning, and

WHEREAS, the State Engineer finds that additional development of the underground water supply in the above described area will be a detriment to existing rights within the Roswell Artesian Basin, NOW, THEREFORE IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the area above described and bounded is hereby closed for an indefinite period of time to the filing of applications to appropriate underground waters both shallow and artesian in nature excepting for domestic uses.

WITNESS my hand and the official seal of my office this 31st day of January, A.D. 1950.
(SEAL) JOHN H. BLISS,
State Engineer.
10-21-F-12

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NOTICE OF BIDS FOR CITY OF ARTESIA, NEW MEXICO WATER METERS
Sealed bids will be received by BALL POINT PENS by Finaline, the student's choice at \$1.50. Artesia Advocate, office supplies.

New Flight Mark



SPEED FLYER Paul Mantz holds up his watch at New York to indicate claim to a new transcontinental flight record for planes powered by reciprocating engines: four hours, 52 minutes, 58 seconds from Burbank, Cal., averaging about 402 mph for the 2,453 miles. (International)

Independent Saar?



THE TINY but highly industrial 738 square miles called the Saar is in the news again, again a bone of contention as it was after World War I. Saar Premier Johannes Hoffman says Saarlanders want to continue independent from Germany, a view supported by France, the occupying power, and U. S. Secretary of State Dean Acheson. West German republic accuses France of wanting to present an independent Saar as an accomplished fact at a German peace conference in future.

the City Clerk of the City of Artesia, New Mexico at the City Hall until 7:00 P. M., on February 16, 1950, for furnishing water meters to the City of Artesia under the following specifications and requirements:

100 each 5/8"x3/4" water meters with couplings. Meter shall meet Artesia specifications, of all bronze case and interior mechanism, meters shall be interchangeable with Trident Split Case Meters as to one meter replacing the other.

50 each meters to be delivered within two weeks after notification of acceptance of bid. The other 50 meters to be delivered when required. Meters to be paid for as delivered.

All bids shall be F.O.B. Artesia, New Mexico and a 50% variance in quantity either under or over bid quantities permitted. The City reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids. BY ORDER OF THE CITY COUNCIL.

CITY OF ARTESIA,
John D. Josey, Jr.,
City Supervisor,
10-21-F-12

NOTICE

STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE
Number of Application RA-8, Santa Fe, N. M., January 26, 1950.

Notice is hereby given that on the 23rd day of January, 1950, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, Ara N. Buel for the Luella A. Buel Estate of Artesia, County of Eddy, State of New Mexico, made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a permit to change place of use of 11.38 acre feet of artesian water per annum by abandoning the irrigation of 11.38 acres of land described as follows:

Subdivision Part E 1/2 SW 1/4 SW 1/4, Section 20, Township 16 S., Range 26 E., Acres 9.08.

Subdivision Part SE 1/4 NW 1/4 SW 1/4, Section 20, Township 16 S., Range 26 E., Acres 2.30 and commencing the irrigation of 11.38 acres of land described as follows:

Subdivision SW 1/4 SW 1/4, Section 20, Township 16 S., Range 26 E., Acres 0.80.
Subdivision SE 1/4 SW 1/4, Section 20, Township 16 S., Range 26 E., Acres 8.38.
Subdivision NE 1/4 SW 1/4, Section 20, Township 16 S., Range 26 E., Acres 2.20.

The lands to be moved from to be dried up to any further irrigation by artesian water. No additional rights over and above those set forth in Declarations Nos. RA-8 and RA-9.

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

Any person, firm, association, corporation, the State of New Mexico or the United States of America, deeming that the granting of the above application will be truly detrimental to their rights in the waters of said underground source, may protest in writing the State Engineer's granting approval of said application. The protest shall set forth all protestant's reasons

why the application should not be approved and shall be accompanied by supporting affidavits and by proof that a copy of the protest has been served upon the applicant. Said protest and proof of service must be filed with the State Engineer within ten (10) days after the date of the last publication of this notice. Unless protested the application will be taken up for consideration by the State Engineer on that date, being on or about the

Hangar Flying

Fritz Moeller flew to Snyder, Texas and returned Sunday. He was accompanied by Merrill D. Sharpe, Jr.

R. E. Perry flew to Hobbs Sunday, where he spent the night, returning the next morning.

H. P. Termain and Earle Allen of New Mexico Asphalt & Refining Company flew to Fort Worth, Texas, Monday.

"Sug" Hazel met the airline Monday in Carlsbad, meeting Mrs. Phyllis Ferguson and small daughter. Mrs. Ferguson is a sister of Mrs. Herbert Termain.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Fuchs drove to Carlsbad Saturday. Claude Spangler flew to Odessa and returned Saturday.

J. T. Miller and Ramon Davidson flew to Alpine, Texas, Monday morning. Gene Sherwood departed Monday for Prescott, Ariz. He was flying the Beech Bonanza.

A course in meteorology will state at 7:30 o'clock Wednesday evening. Night flying also will be held the same evening.

Burton Dwyer, engineer of the State Highway department, flew in to Artesia Saturday afternoon in the department's Beech Bonanza.

Left-Over Turkey Dishes

By ALICE DENHOFF
NO explanation or apologies are necessary for this bunch of left-over ideas and recipes!

First, a really fine soup that owes its flavor to turkey bones. Break the bones of the stripped, left-over critter. Then place in a large soup kettle with 2 quarts cold water, one raw, sliced carrot, 1/2 tsp. celery salt, 1/2 tsp. onion salt, tsp. dried parsley flakes, 1/4 tsp. poultry seasoning, a small bay leaf, and, if desired, 2 peppercorns. Bring to boil and simmer covered, for 2 hours. Strain. Makes about 1 1/2 quarts. Rice or noodles may be added before serving, if desired.

If you can salvage 3 c. chopped or ground cooked turkey, you have the main ingredient for a nice dish, a Turkey Roll, enough for 6 servings. Prepare one recipe baking powder biscuit, and cut biscuit dough in half, rolling each piece into oblong shape 1/4 inch thick. Blend the turkey, 1/2 tsp. salt, 1/4 tsp. pepper, 1/2 tsp. onion salt, 1/4 tsp. each powdered sage and thyme, and 3 tsp. taken from a can of condensed mushroom soup. Spread half of the turkey mixture on one of the pieces of biscuit dough. Moisten edges with water and roll up like

jelly roll. Press ends together to seal, and place, seam side down, in greased baking pan. Prepare second roll. Brush rolls with melted butter. Bake at 425 F. 15 to 20 min. Blend remainder of soup and 1/4 tsp. powdered marjoram. Heat. Place rolls on platter and pour mushroom sauce over them. Sprinkle with paprika to garnish.

Turkey Pie
For a tasty turkey pie arrange alternate layers of sliced or diced cooked turkey in greased baking pan. Heat gravy and pour over top. Season warm mashed potatoes with celery and onion salt. Spoon on top of casserole. Brush with melted butter. Bake at 350 F. about 20 min. or until nicely browned and mixture is heated through.

For an elegant pie with turkey with a biscuit crust, remove all meat from bones and dice. Cut up stuffing. Combine all with pieces of stuffing become broken up. Turn into greased baking dish. Top with baking powder biscuits seasoned with celery and onion salt. Bake at 425 F. 20 to 25 min. Any left-over vegetables such as peas, carrots, etc., may be added to the turkey mixture.

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Miss Winifred Kathleen White Becomes Bride Of George Dixon

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Hubbell of Albuquerque was the scene Saturday afternoon of last week for the spring-theme wedding of Miss Winifred Kathleen White, Mrs. Hubbell's niece and George Harvey Dixon, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Dixon of Artesia. The couple repeated their vows in a setting of white stock and carnations arranged in low white bowls on an antique piano-desk, illuminated by the glow of white tapers in tall wrought-iron candleabra.

Rev. G. P. LaBarre of St. Mark's-on-the-Mesa, read the vows which united the bride, daughter of Mrs. W. R. Cooper and John F. White of Los Angeles, Calif.

Unusual arrangements were highlighted by the bride's gown, which was of champagne satin, styled with a jacket of hand made imported Italian lace with a high neckline and buttoned front, short sleeves terminating in little cuffs of matching satin and a full, ballarina-length skirt of champagne satin.

Her hat of champagne straw was trimmed with spring flowers in beige brown, yellow and green and completed her bridal ensemble with little mits of gold mesh.

For something old, she wore a coin in her shoe which belonged to her grandmother, Mrs. Ella Robertson of Albuquerque. Her something new was a gold choker, a gift from the bridegroom. She carried a blue lace handkerchief, carried by her mother at her wedding, for the traditional something borrowed and something blue. Her bridal bouquet was fashioned of brown orchids and eggshell satin ribbon.

Prior to the vows, Dick Robertson, Jr., of Springer and Stephen Reynolds of Albuquerque, cousins of the bride, lighted the white tapers.

A navy blue crepe ensemble was the choice of the bride's mother for her daughter's wedding and her gown was accented with wide tucks at the bodice. She wore a navy blue straw hat, navy blue accessories and a corsage fashioned of pink carnations.

Mrs. Dixon, mother of the bridegroom, was dressed in a navy blue ensemble, worn with black accessories and her straw hat was trimmed with a large taffeta bow. Her corsage was of pink carnations.

Immediately after the ceremony 200 guests congratulated the couple at a reception at the Hilton Hotel, where gardenias surrounded the wedding cake.

The four-tiered cake was decorated with a cascade of white snapdragons and other white flowers and surrounded by gardenias. White and pastel spring flowers carried out the remainder of the decorative theme.

After the reception, the newlyweds left on their honeymoon to Colorado Springs and Denver, Colo. The bride changed to a going-away ensemble, a brown gabardine tailored suit, worn with a spring felt off-the-face cloche of black, trimmed with cinnamon veiling interlaced with a seed pearl rope. Her blouse was of cinnamon brown tucked nylon, her other accessories were brown and she wore the brown orchids of her bridal bouquet.

They will be at home at their South Columbia apartment by the beginning of the next semester at the University of New Mexico, the first week in February.

A graduate of Albuquerque High School, Mrs. Dixon is majoring in commercial education at the university and is in her junior year. She is a pledge of Phi Gamma Nu, honorary business women's fraternity.

Mr. Dixon is a lifelong resident of Roswell and graduated from high school there. He will graduate from the university at the end of this term, with a major in geology and plans to continue studies for a master's degree and work with the U.S. Geological Service, Albuquerque. He is a member of Kappa Sigma fraternity and Alpha Phi Omega, honorary service fraternity and vice president of the Geology Club.

Beside the bridegroom's parents, attending the wedding from Artesia, were Mrs. Ira Dixon, aunt of the bridegroom. Also attending was his grandmother, Mrs. Ann St. John of Roswell.

Kongential Kard Klub Meets Wednesday At Carpenter Home

Mrs. Ray Carpenter was hostess to the Kongential Kard Klub Wednesday evening at her home.

High score for club members was held by Mrs. Mildred Chipman, second high score by Mrs. Leroy Cranford and low score by Mrs. Ernest Thompson and for guests high score by Mrs. O. R. Brown and low score by Mrs. G. Taylor Cole. The bingo prize was awarded Mrs. Dave Bunting.

Refreshments of a salad plate, candy and coffee were served.

Those present were Mmes. Dave Bunting, G. Kelley Stout, A. R. Compary, Earle McDorman, Mildred Chipman, Ernest Thompson, Leroy Cranford and Carpenter, members and C. R. Baldwin, F. C. Hart, G. Taylor Cole and O. R. Brown, guests.

The next meeting will be Wednesday, Feb. 15, at the home of Mrs. Chipman.

Deputy Instructor Of O.E.S. Conducts School Here Monday

Miss Ina Cole, deputy instructor of the Order of the Eastern Star, District No. 13, conducted a school of instruction Tuesday evening at the Masonic Temple.

Among those attending were Mrs. Don Connell, worthy matron and Glenn McCoy, worthy patron, of Carlsbad chapter, No. 54; Mrs. George O. Teel, worthy matron and Floyd Cole, worthy patron of Penasco Valley Chapter No. 32 at Hope and Mrs. Harold Kersey, worthy matron and Ralph Pitt, worthy patron of Artesia Chapter No. 18.

Visitors attended from Hobbs, Lake Arthur and Albuquerque.

The chapter room was decorated with ferns and potted plants. Refreshments were served to 88 members and guests.

Dual Birthday Party Given For Loco Hills Girls

Mrs. R. L. Byrd of Loco Hills entertained with a dual birthday party Saturday afternoon of last week at her home. The honored guests were Barbara Byrd, who was celebrating her eighth birthday and Sharon Meador, who was celebrating her ninth birthday.

Sharon's birthday cake was pink and Barbara's was green and each held the proper number of candles. The children played party games. Prizes of color books and barrettes were won by Nona Chase, Sharon Ferguson, Estella Sandifer and Evelyn Swan. Vari-colored balloons were given as favors. Barbara and Sharon received many lovely gifts.

After the gifts were opened, the refreshments of birthday cakes, fruit salad, cold drinks and candy were served.

Those present were Tonya Williams, Freda Duckworth, Sandra Westall, Nona Chase, Janice Danley, Ginger and Janet Ward, Jimmy Chase, Sandy Meador, Sharon and Karen Ferguson, Estella Sandifer, Jerry and Evelyn Swan, Jimmy and Eddie Arthur, Ray Westall, the honorees and Mrs. Garel Westall and Mrs. Lake Arthur.

Lowell Byrd who is stationed at Goodfellow Army Air Base, San Angelo, Texas, called long distance Saturday to wish his little sister, Barbara, a happy birthday.

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Artesia Woman's Club Antique Show On Wednesday Is Lovely Affair

One of the loveliest affairs of the year of the Artesia Woman's Club was an antique show Wednesday afternoon at the clubhouse, which was well attended by the club members and guests of Artesia. A number from Hagerman and 20 members of the Dexter club also attended.

Antique pieces on display were many lovely and precious heirlooms many of them dating from before the turn of the century. The clubhouse was lighted with many antique lamps placed on marble-top tables which belong to Mrs. H. R. Paton, president of the club.

Handmade coverlets more than 100 years old one belonging to Mrs. Ralph Shugart and the other to the Blocker family, were draped on the piano. Old china including imported Haviland and Dresden and old glassware were found on tables spread with lovely crocheted clothes and old portrait paintings and prints in antique frames were hung on the walls.

Another interesting feature was an Oriental table of both old and new models. One of the unusual exhibits was an antique organ with an entrancing lovely tone belonging to Mr. and Mrs. Russell Floore.

Mrs. Paton, club president, was attractively gowned in costume of the early 20th century, as was the secretary, Mrs. S. M. Laughlin. Mrs. Paton presided as she sat in a graceful platform rocker by a walnut table with a marble top, lighted with a large green antique lamp and a spinning wheel placed nearby. Mrs. Laughlin was seated in a very small old mahogany rocker.

Mrs. Carl Lewis, chairman of the committee on entertainment, was gowned in a period costume, as were Mrs. John Rowland, Mrs. H. T. Gissler and Mrs. E. M. Perry. Others on the committee were Mmes. Glenn Caskey, William M. Siegenthaler, C. A. Meisinger, C. D. Hopkins, Guy Crockett, Forest A. Brook, Stanley Blocker, F. G. Hartell and James Griffin.

The Dexter club members brought a series of delightful musical numbers and two of the members were dressed in Colonial costumes of wide hoop skirts and gay little parasols. They sang a series of songs familiar of the early century, including "My Wild Irish Rose," "Irish Lullaby," and others.

Mrs. C. R. Blocker spoke on "Our World at the Turn of the Century." In opening the discussion Mrs. Blocker said, "At the beginning of the 20th century, as we look back, it is an era with a golden haze, but God was in His Heaven and the Devil in His Hell and we were at peace in the world," and she added this was shortlived and the last time that the nation has known peace and felt security. It was amusing and informative as many of the listeners recalled events of the half century past. In closing, Mrs. Blocker said, "With man's mind educated so far behind that of the heart and unless mankind finds a way to live in peace in the world, man will probably destroy himself."

A unique feature of the program was a letter written during the Civil War period to the grandmother of Mrs. E. M. Perry by one living in the Deep South. Mrs. Perry was costumed as a Southern belle of the gay-nineties period. The tea table was spread with a hand-drawn cloth made by the late mother of Stanley Blocker and was centered with a lovely old-fashioned bouquet. Mrs. Paton presided at the silver service.

Social Calendar

Friday, Feb. 3
C.H.B. Class of the First Presbyterian Church, class party at the girls' gymnasium high school, 7:30 p. m.

Sunday, Feb. 5
Jewel pin ceremony of Epsilon Sigma Alpha sorority, at the home of Mrs. H. R. Paton, sponsor, 2:30 p. m.

Monday, Feb. 6
Library board, meeting at the library, 1:30 p. m.

Mary Griggs Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution, meeting at the home of Mrs. J. R. Caudle, 610 South Roselawn Avenue, 7:30 p. m.

Tuesday, Feb. 7
Atoka Woman's Club, meeting at the home of Mrs. John Rowland, with Mrs. W. M. VanHorn as co-hostess, 2 p. m.

Artesia Shrine No. 2, White Shrine of Jerusalem, covered-dish supper, 6:30 p. m., regular stated meeting, Masonic Temple, 7:30 p. m.

Epsilon Sigma Alpha, meeting at the home of Mrs. William Linell, with Mrs. Albert Linell as hostess, 8 p. m.

Advocate Want Ads Get Results!

Miss Trimble Is Married Monday To F. M. Howard

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Trimble have announced the marriage of their daughter, Miss Billy Jean Trimble, to Floyd Monroe Howard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Howard of Artesia, Monday afternoon at Carlsbad at the home of Dr. William S. Dando, retired Presbyterian minister.

The bride was dressed in a green suit with a gold blouse and black accessories. She wore a corsage of white carnations.

Mr. and Mrs. Trimble, the bride's parents, were the only attendants.

After the wedding, a reception was held at the home of the newlyweds in Carlsbad for relatives and friends.

Mrs. Howard is a member of the Artesia High School class of 1950. Mr. Howard is a graduate of Artesia High School in the class of 1947.

Mrs. Burl Willis Honored Monday At Pink-Blue Shower

Mrs. Roy Gill and Mrs. Bill Gelwick were co-hostesses at the home of Mrs. E. K. Angel Monday afternoon for a pink and blue shower honoring Mrs. Burl Willis.

Mrs. Willis has been employed at the Gilma Beauty Shop the last two years, but is moving to Elida this week.

The home was decorated with pastel sweetpeas and pink rosebuds and after several games were played, refreshments of pink and white cake and lime sherbet punch was served to Mmes. Buddy Idecker, Glenn Goodman, Bernice Shanklin, Loyd Kidd, George Dunkin, Joe Walker, Richard Gill, V. A. Lane, J. S. Mills, Lynus Davis, Loma Letcher and Anne Bruner, the two hostesses and Mrs. Angel.

Those sending gifts were Mmes. Ira Dixon, C. L. Withers, Troy Rogers, H. L. Green, Kenneth Ragsdale, Ernest Butting, C. R. Vandergriff, Bill Trembley, Bill Bennett, H. A. Scott, Phillip Kranz and H. L. Wade.

Sunshine Scatterers And Rainbow Girls Have Joint Dinner

The Sunshine Scatterers and Rainbow Girls of the Sunday school of the First Baptist Church held a joint covered-dish dinner Friday evening of last week at the home of Mrs. Ivan A. Herbert.

After the dinner, the Sunshine Scatterers surprised their retiring teacher, Mrs. H. W. Croft, with a lovely shower. The remainder of the evening was spent in playing games.

Those present were Ruth Faulk, Margaret Belle Henderson, Marquita Dunson, Faye Marie Tennant, Charlene Scarborough, Billie Sue Stuewig, Alma Lee Blackwelder, Marilyn Smith, Angie Ward, Ramona Stevens, Lila Fae Beene, Janelle Hood and Mmes. H. W. Croft, R. L. Smith, V. S. Henderson and Ivan A. Herbert.

LOIS NIVENS TO WED JAMES R. CHILTON

Mrs. Elise Nivens has announced the approaching marriage of her daughter, Lois, to James R. Chilton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Chilton of Hermon, N. Y. The wedding will take place Tuesday, Feb. 14.

LOCALS

Guests Sunday for a fish dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Gleghorn and Mr. and Mrs. Dale Gleghorn were Mr. and Mrs. "Curley" Ackerman and Mr. and Mrs. Erve Hancock of Artesia and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Cave of Hagerman. The fish were caught by Dale Gleghorn in Mexico.

Mrs. Michael S. Herzog and Mrs. Jack Roach of Denver, Colo., arrived Tuesday for a 10-day visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. McLean. Mrs. Herzog will be remembered as the former Glenna McLean and Mrs. Roach as Nina McLean.

Misses Shirley Sherwood and Maxine McAnally planned to leave today for Fort Worth, Texas for 10 days. They are going to visit friends at Texas Christian University and attend the Fat Stock Show.

Mrs. Wade Gilliam and daughter Judy Lynn of Lubbock, Texas, arrived Monday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Cobble. Gilliam will join his family today for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry P. Stacy returned from New Hyde Park, L. I. N. Y., Friday last week to visit in the home of Mr. Stacy's aunts, Misses Emma and Eleanor Clark. Mr. and Mrs. Stacy had spent five months visiting in the home of their daughter, Mrs. J. G. Anderson and Mr. Anderson.

Miss Ruth Fore, Albert Nelson Marry Saturday

In a quiet ceremony, Miss Ruth Fore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Fore, became the bride of James Nelson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Nelson, of Port Orchard, Wash., Saturday evening at the home of Rev. R. L. Willingham, pastor of the First Methodist Church of Artesia.

The bride was dressed in a blue crepe dress with black accessories. Mrs. Nelson is employed as a telephone operator in the Mountain States Telephone & Telegraph Company office here.

Mr. Nelson received his discharge from the Air Force at Walker Air Force Base, Roswell, last week.

Mrs. Leslie Martin Is Hostess Tuesday To Fortnightly Club

Mrs. W. Leslie Martin was hostess to the Fortnightly Bridge Club Tuesday for a 1 o'clock luncheon and bridge at her lovely country home southeast of Artesia.

The main dish was barbecued chicken and was served buffet style. The table was centered with a lovely bouquet of sweetpeas. Large bouquets of snapdragons were placed in the living room.

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Cottonwood 4-H Entertains Atoka Club Last Week

The Cottonwood 4-H Club recreation night was held Wednesday last week at the Cottonwood gymnasium with the Atoka 4-H Club members as guests.

During the evening, folk dancing was taught by Maxine Pycatt and Allen Beck, assistant county agents. They were assisted by Lyle Barron, Kenneth Bridwell and Edgar Smith, 4-H Club members from Carlsbad.

Miss Jimmie Starkey Becomes Bride Of Paul Meadows Here Saturday

Miss Jimmie Starkey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Starkey, became the bride of Paul Meadows in a double-ring ceremony in the parsonage of the First Baptist Church Saturday evening of last week officiating.

Joe Collins sang "The Lord's Prayer."

The bride was attractive in a white wool suit with black accessories and carried a bouquet of orchids placed on a white prayer book with streamers of sweetpeas hanging from the book.

In the old tradition, her ensemble was something new, for something borrowed she carried a handkerchief belonging to Mrs. C. R. Baldwin's grandmother, for something borrowed was a pair of earrings belonging to Mrs. Joe Collins and she wore a blue garter belonging to her sorority.

Mrs. Jack Rowland, sister of the bride, was her only attendant. She wore a gray suit with black accessories and a shoulder corsage of red roses.

George Griswold attended the bridegroom as best man.

Mrs. Starkey, mother of the bride, chose a light brown suit with dark brown accessories and wore a shoulder corsage of gardenias.

A reception was held immediately after the ceremony in the duration hall of the church. A three-tiered cake, topped with a miniature bride and bridegroom, centered the lace-covered table. A selection of white carnations and sweetpeas encircled the cake and bouquets of sweetpeas were placed on each side of the cake. After the bride and bridegroom cut the first piece, Mrs. P. H. Coats III served and Mrs. Joe Collins presided at the punchbowl. Mrs. Eugene Batie presided at the guestbook.

Mr. and Mrs. Meadows left for a short trip and will make their home in Socorro where he is a student at the School of Mines.

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Seven Tires Ruined By Cutting During Wednesday Night

Ed Horn of 1219 West Grand Avenue reported to police Thursday morning that someone had cut and ruined seven tires on vehicles parked in the driveway alongside his residence the night prior.

He said three of the tires were 12-ply truck tires and that a fourth had been cut, but had not been punctured.

Horn told police he is new in Artesia and knows of no enemy he might have acquired here and could attribute no reason for the attack on his property.

Sixth-Graders Of Park School Selling Mag Subscriptions

The sixth-grade Park School students of Miss Hilda Klettek started Tuesday selling subscriptions to Curtis magazines to raise funds for playground equipment, visual aids and other equipment for the school. The campaign will continue through Feb. 14.

Walter G. Short, Park School principal, said that in similar magazine campaigns by the children in past years, they have met with good response and expressed the hope they will again have a successful sale.

All of the children taking subscriptions for the magazines are carrying cards issued by the Artesia Chamber of Commerce, showing the project has been cleared with that organization.

PROGRAM OF MEXICO TO BE GIVEN MONDAY

The Mary Griggs Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution will hold its regular monthly meeting at 7:30 o'clock Monday evening at the home of Mrs. J. R. Caudle, 610 South Roselawn Avenue.

Mrs. Charlene Rice, a member of the Artesia High School faculty, will give a program about Mexico.

Goldstein's Store Has Good Opening Here On Tuesday

Goldstein's Book & Stationery Store at Roselawn and Quay Avenues had a good opening Tuesday, with 375 guests registering during the day.

Irvin Goldstein, owner, said many of the people did not just call to pay their respects and to look at the new store, but that he enjoyed a good business.

Gifts totaling \$50 in trade were given at 5 o'clock in the afternoon.

Classification Of Sheep Pays, Say Stock Specialist

Selective breeding of sheep for greater wool production has paid off for New Mexico ranchers who have co-operated in the classification program of the Extension Service during the five years.

According to Ivan Watson, stock specialist of the New Mexico Extension Service, these ranchers have shown an increase of about 40 to 50 per cent in yearly amount of wool produced per ewe since 1944.

Watson explained this is because the classification program has been built around the medium to top 35 or 40 per cent of the ewes in the flock and the keeping of replacement ewes resulting from the matings.

"Herds that are running formerly fine wool in their past are producing four and a half pounds of clean wool at this time," the livestock specialist said. "Several of the co-operators are raising small super-ewe herds which are producing from five to six pounds of clean wool per ewe."

A few buck lambs from these herds are being saved.

Watson also pointed out that the type of sheep and grade wool the co-operators' ranches are raising is more uniform and the lambing has improved considerably as a result. "It would be a safe estimate to say that over the year period the gross income per ewe has been increased from 30 to 35 per cent because of the improvement in the type of sheep and lambs produced."

The livestock specialist said that a few years ago definite standards were set for the amount of clean wool and the weight per ewe. These standards or goals have been reached or surpassed on many of the cooperating ranches, he said.

"We are encouraging ranchers to compute their wool returns on a ewe basis or fleece basis," Watson said. "By doing so, ranchers see fleeces with high shrinkage will compare favorably with lighter fleeces of lower shrinkage. The price per pound on a greasy basis may mean very little to the grower unless there is a high dollar-a-cent return per fleece."

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Price Support Wool Program Is Extended The 1949 wool price support program is being continued through March 31, 1950. As originally announced, support on the 1949 clip would have terminated on Dec. 31.

Jay Ogden, chairman of the Eddy County Production and Marketing Administration Committee, points out that this action will give producers an additional three months in which to decide whether to sell their wool into private channels or to the Department of Agriculture. It will also provide the same program of support for the small amount of the 1949 shorn wool clip to be marketed in the latter part of the marketing season as for the main portion already disposed of. The extension will also apply to pulled wool.

The Agricultural Act of 1949 provides a new basis for the wool price support program. Ogden says, "and permits wider latitude in the type of operations. However, the new provisions of the Act apply to 1950 production." The chairman indicates that the price support program for the 1950 clip will be announced early in 1950, and will become effective on April 1.

The extension of the 1949 program will not affect the small portion of the 1950 clip shorn early in the year, he states. Normally little of the new clip is delivered to handlers before April 1, and as this part of the clip is ordinarily appraised after April 1, it will be included in the new program. The chairman explains that since August, 1947, support of wool has been mandatory at the 1948 price support level of 42.3 cents per pound for shorn wool, grease basis. Under the new act, the secretary of agriculture is directed to support wool at a level between 60 and 90 per cent of a modernized parity that will encourage the annual production of approximately 360 million pounds of shorn wool, or about 60 per cent more than the 1949 clip.

ORDINANCE NO. 134 AN ORDINANCE DECLARING THE NECESSITY FOR ISSUING WATER AND SEWER REVENUE BONDS OF THE CITY OF ARTESIA, NEW MEXICO, IN THE PRINCIPAL SUM OF \$125,000, PAYABLE OUT OF THE NET INCOME TO BE DERIVED BY SAID CITY FROM THE OPERATION OF ITS MUNICIPALLY OWNED WATERWORKS AND SEWER SYSTEMS FOR THE PURPOSE OF MAKING NECESSARY IMPROVEMENTS AND EXTENSIONS TO SAID WATER AND SEWER SYSTEMS, AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE AND SALE OF SUCH BONDS, PROVIDING FOR THE PAYMENT THEREOF AND THE INTEREST THEREON, AND OTHER DETAILS IN CONNECTION WITH THE ISSUANCE AND PAYMENT OF SAID BONDS, AND REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES OR PARTS THEREOF IN CONFLICT HERewith, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY. WHEREAS, the City of Artesia,

Eddy County, New Mexico, owns and operates, and for many years has owned and operated municipal water and sewer systems; and WHEREAS, pursuant to Ordinance No. 90 of said City, adopted and approved March 4, 1946, the City issued \$150,000 of Water and Sewer Revenue Refunding and Extension Bonds, dated March 1, 1946, bearing interest at 3 1/4% and 2 1/2% per annum, there being \$132,000 of said bonds now outstanding, maturing in the years 1951 to 1966 inclusive; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Ordinance No. 109 of said City, adopted and approved January 28, 1948, the City issued \$120,000 of Water and Sewer Revenue Bonds, Series 1948, dated January 1, 1948, bearing interest at 3 1/4% and 3 1/2% per annum, there being \$112,000 of said bonds now outstanding, maturing in the years 1951 to 1968 inclusive; and

WHEREAS, in order to supply said City and its inhabitants with good and sufficient water and with proper and adequate sewer facilities, it is imperatively necessary to improve and extend its water and sewer systems; and

WHEREAS, the income derived from the operation of said water and sewer systems after the payment of maintenance and operation expenses and the interest on principal of said bonds dated March 1, 1946 and January 1, 1948, may be pledged to the payment of the principal of and interest on revenue bonds issued to improve and extend said systems;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ARTESIA, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO: Section 1. That for the purpose of protecting the public health, conserving the property and advancing the general welfare of the City of Artesia, Eddy County, New Mexico, and its inhabitants, it is hereby declared necessary that said City issue its Revenue Bonds in the principal amount of \$125,000, payable solely out of the income to be derived from the operation of its water and sewer systems after the payment of maintenance and operation expenses and the interest on principal of said bonds dated March 1, 1946 and January 1, 1948, and that said City pledge, irrevocably, such income to the payment of such bonds and interest thereon, the proceeds thereof to be used solely for the purpose of making necessary improvements and extensions to the existing water and sewer systems.

Section 2. That to provide the funds to meet the cost of such improvements and extensions, bonds of the City of Artesia, each to be known as "Water and Sewer Revenue Bond, Series 1950" are hereby authorized to be issued from time to time, or at one time, in the aggregate principal amount of \$125,000, pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 57 of the Session Laws of the State of New Mexico, 1933, as amended, and all other laws thereto enabling.

Section 3. That said bonds shall be dated January 1, A. D. 1950, shall consist of 125 bonds in the denomination of \$1,000 each, numbered 1 to 125 inclusive, shall bear interest payable semi-annually on the 1st days of January and July of each year, and shall mature on January 1st, \$4,000 in each of the years 1952 to 1954 inclusive, \$5,000 in each of the years 1955 to 1957 inclusive, and \$6,000 in each of the years 1958 to 1961 inclusive, at the rate of 3 1/4% per annum; \$7,000 in each of the years 1962 to 1967 inclusive and \$8,000 in each of the years 1968 to 1971 inclusive, at the rate of 3 1/2% per annum.

Bonds maturing in the years 1961 and thereafter shall be redeemable at the option of the City on and any time after January 1, 1960, at par and 2% of principal; provided, however, that bonds called prior to maturity shall be paid in inverse numerical order, and provided further, that a notice of redemption of bonds prior to maturity shall be published in a newspaper of general circulation in Denver, Colorado, and mailed to the original purchaser of said bonds thirty (30) days prior to the date fixed for such redemption.

The principal of and interest on said bonds shall be payable in lawful money of the United States of America at the office of the City Treasurer in Artesia, New Mexico, shall be negotiable coupon bonds payable to bearer, and each of said bonds shall contain a recital that it is issued pursuant to the provisions of the Constitution and laws of the State of New Mexico, and particularly under the terms and provisions of Chapter 57 of the laws of the State of New Mexico, 1933, as amended, and all other laws thereto enabling; said bonds shall be signed in the name of the City of Artesia by the Mayor of said City, attested by the City Clerk, with the seal of said City affixed thereto, and the interest coupons thereto attached shall be authenticated by the facsimile signature of the City Treasurer.

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(The following paragraph to be inserted in bonds maturing in the years 1961 to 1971 inclusive.) This bond is redeemable at the option of said City upon payment of principal, accrued interest and a premium of 2% of principal; provided, however, that bonds of this issue called for payment prior to maturity, shall be paid in inverse numerical order, after thirty days' notice of call, as provided in the Ordinance hereinafter mentioned.

Payment of this bond and interest thereon shall be made solely from the revenues to be derived from the operation of the waterworks and sewer systems of said City, after provision for all reasonable expenses of operation and maintenance, for payment of current installments of principal and interest on Water and Sewer Revenue Refunding and Extension Bonds dated March 1, 1946, and Water and Sewer Revenue Bonds, Series 1948, dated January 1, 1948, of said City, and Reserve Funds for said bonds. The City of Artesia, New Mexico agrees with each and every person who may become the holder hereof that it will keep and perform all the covenants of the ordinances of said City authorizing said bonds dated March 1, 1946 and January 1, 1948, and the bonds of this Series 1950, including its covenants against the sale or encumbrance of said systems, or of any substantial part thereof, unless provision shall be made for the payment of the principal of and interest on the bonds of each of said series, and it covenants that it will fix, maintain and enforce such rates for service to consumers that the income of said systems will be sufficient to pay all operating expenses and other charges and the payments required by the ordinances authorizing said bonds dated March 1, 1946, January 1, 1948, and the bonds of this Series 1950.

It is expressly agreed that the holder of this bond may not look to any general funds of said City for the payment of principal or interest on this obligation, this bond being payable and collectible solely from the revenues to be derived from the operation of said waterworks and sewer systems.

This bond is issued for the purpose of improving and extending the waterworks and sewer systems of the City of Artesia, and is issued under and in strict compliance with Chapter 57 of the laws of the State of New Mexico, 1933, as amended, and all other laws thereto enabling, and pursuant to Ordinance No. 134 of said City, adopted and approved on the 31st day of January, 1950. It is hereby certified that all conditions, acts and things required by the Constitution and laws of the State of New Mexico, to exist, to have happened and to have been performed, precedent to and in the issuance of this bond, exist, have happened and have been performed; and that this bond does not exceed any limitation prescribed by the Constitution or laws of the State of New Mexico.

For the payment of this bond and the interest thereon the City of Artesia, New Mexico, pledges the exercise of all of its lawful powers. IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the City of Artesia, New Mexico, has caused this bond to be signed by its Mayor, sealed with its corporate seal, attested by the Clerk, and the coupons hereto annexed to be signed with the facsimile signature of the City Treasurer, as of the 1st day of January, A. D. 1950. (S E A L) Mayor

ATTEST: Clerk (Form of Coupon) No. 1625 \$16.25 1750 \$17.50 July, On the 1st day of January, A. D. 1950, (unless the bond to which this coupon is attached has been called for prior redemption) the City of Artesia, in the County of Eddy and State of New Mexico, will pay to the bearer of the sum of SIXTEEN & 25/100 DOLLARS SEVENTEEN & 50/100 DOLLARS in lawful money of the United States of America, solely from the revenues of the water and sewer systems of said City, as provided in the bond to which this coupon is attached, being the semi-annual interest due on its Water and Sewer Revenue Bond, Series 1950, dated January 1, 1950, bearing No. (Facsimile Signature) City Treasurer (This clause to be inserted in coupons maturing July 1, 1960 and thereafter.) Section 5. After withdrawing from the "Water and Sewer Revenue Refunding and Extension Bond Fund" (created by said Ordinance No. 90) the amounts required by subdivisions (1), (2) and (3) of Section 6 of said Ordinance No. 90, and the amounts required by said Ordinance No. 109, there shall be deposited in a bank account, separate from all other amounts, in approximately equal monthly installments during each fiscal year, amounts sufficient to meet the aggregate interest and principal requirements for such fiscal year of the bonds, Series 1950, herein authorized. Such amounts are irrevocably pledged to the payment of the bonds authorized hereon, and the interest thereon, and the owners of said Series 1950 bonds shall have a first and prior lien thereon.

KSVP PROGRAM SCHEDULE

Table with columns for time slots and program names. Includes '1450 ON YOUR DIAL Subject to Change without Notice' and 'MONDAY' section.

close of each fiscal year, a complete financial audit of the systems covering said fiscal year, such audit to be certified by a competent accountant, True and correct copies of such statements and audits shall be promptly mailed to said Boettcher and Company. Each such audit, in addition to whatever matters may be thought proper by the accountant to be included therein, shall include the following:

- (1) A statement in detail of the income and expenditures of the systems for such fiscal year; (2) A balance sheet as of the end of such fiscal year; (3) The accountant's comment regarding the manner in which the City has complied with the requirements of the Water and Sewer Revenue Bond Ordinances, and the accountant's recommendation for any change or improvement in the operation of the systems; (4) A list of the insurance policies in force at the end of the fiscal year, setting out as to each policy the amount of the policy, the risks covered, the name of the insurer and the expiration date of the policy; (5) The number of water and sewer customers at the end of the year.

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40 acre farm \$8000, \$6000 will handle.
Four-room house, \$500 down, \$2750 160 acres, third down, balance crop payment.
5 section ranch, 473 acres deeded, 40 acres under irrigation 2 good houses, good grass, plenty water, \$25,000, \$17,500 will handle.
6000 acre ranch, good improvements, \$12,000, \$8000 will handle.
3 section ranch, ideal dairy set up, 1200 acres patented, 100 acres cultivated, canal rights, very modern, 3-bedroom house, on good highway, \$15,750, terms.
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New houses in Hightower and Carper additions, especially suited for G.I.'s.
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FOR SALE—1948 truck, in A-1 condition, low mileage, 22-ft. Schultz trailer house or will trade either for equity in good residence property. Alvin Kincaid, west end Grand Avenue. 6-tfc

FOR SALE—1949 Studebaker Champion, two-door. See at 616 South Second. 9-2tp-10

FOR SALE—In Lake Arthur, nice 7-room house, two lots, good gas, den, lights and water in house, on corner lot, price \$2000. Also International truck, \$400. Louis Hillin, Lake Arthur, N. M. 9-2tp-10

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47 Chevrolet Sedan Delivery, completely reconditioned and a very bright red! Best buy at 895

46 Chevrolet 4-Door, new paint and a good car for only 925

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48 Ford Club Coupe, radio, heater, overdrive, white sidewall tires, spot light. No question about it, this is the cleanest used car in town, for only 1250

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FOR SALE—Good house, 25-foot square and four acres of land, half mile northwest of Atoka school on highway. House has double floors and outside walls, no partitions but livable. Price \$2500, \$500 down, balance monthly payments. Also, have late 1949 three-quarter ton Chevrolet pickup, only 3500 miles, priced \$300 less than cost. Jesse F. Cook, turn south at dip on Hope Highway to second house on left. 9-2tp-10

FOR SALE—By owner, duplex seven rooms and bath, completely furnished, 808 W. Missouri Ave. See W. A. Jones, 810 W. Missouri Ave. or phone 371-R. 8-3tp-10

FOR SALE—Eleven-unit tourist court, air conditioned; also five-bedroom house, modern three-quarter acreage, garage, numerous shrubs, trees, lawn, all located on South First. G.I.'s call 089-R3. 6-tfc

FOR SALE—New large house, I must sell within two weeks. Phone 636-J. 8-3tp-10

FOR SALE—One Jersey cow, four years old, giving two gallons milk per day, will be fresh March 23. Also two fine Jersey heifers, six and nine months old. C. E. Terrell, Route 1, phone 0190-R1. 10-4tc-13

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

FOR RENT—Tank type vacuum cleaner with attachments. Artesia Furniture Co., 203-5 West Main, phone 517.

FOR RENT—Modern unfurnished one and two-bedroom apartments 12th and Main. Phone 434. 43-tfc

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment, private entrance. 506 W. Dallas. Phone 976-W. 10-2tp-11

FOR RENT—Two-room modern furnished apartment. Artesia Motel. 10-2tc-11

FOR RENT—Three-room unfurnished apartment. Apply at 202 West Texas. 10-1tp

FOR RENT—Bedroom at 308 West Dallas, phone 246. 10-1tc

FOR RENT—Three-room furnished apartment. Bills paid. Call 397-W after 6 p. m. 10-1tc

FOR RENT—Store room, choice location for small business, cheap rent. Also ground-floor office, newly decorated. Cunningham Bros., 112 S. Roselawn, phone 211 or 126-R. 10-tfc

FOR RENT—Three-room unfurnished house and garage. Phone 603-J. 10-1tc

POSTER CHILDREN SHARE A BIRTHDAY



THE 1949 MARCH OF DIMES Poster Girl, Linda Brown, 5, of San Antonio, Tex., is joined by previous and present poster children at her fifth birthday celebration in Washington. They called on President Truman to start the 1950 March of Dimes drive. Dorothy Cales holds the cake for (l. to r.): Linda; Wanda Wiley, 8, Austin, Tex., 1950 Poster Girl; Nancy Drury, 7, Louisville, Ky.; Terry Tullos, 5, Laurel, Miss., and (seated) Donald Anderson, 9, Warm Springs, Ore. (International Soundphoto)

NATION'S FIRST LADIES AID FUND



FIRST LADY OF THE U. S., Mrs. Harry S. Truman (left) and Mrs. Aiben W. Barkley, wife of the Vice President, make their first public appearance together in Washington. They shared honors at a fund-raising luncheon for the National Symphony Orchestra. (International Soundphoto)

WANTED—Ironing to do in my home. Second house from Green and Mays store, north highway, phone 0180-R2, the former Mrs. Frank Marshall. 10-2tp-11

WANTED—Man wanted to supply Rawleigh's household products to consumers. We help you. Good profits for hustler. No experience necessary to start. Pleasant, profitable, dignified work. Write today. Rawleighs, Dept. NMB-311-53, Denver, Colo. 10-1tp

WANTED TO RENT—Four or five room unfurnished house. Call 428. 10-1tp

WANTED—To keep children in my home. Phone 505, 1007 West Dallas Avenue. 7-11tc-17

WANTED—Painting and papering. Clean responsible workman, satisfaction guaranteed. I. G. Ayer, phone 0182-J3. 7-6tp-12


WANTED TO BUY a good used office desk. Call 672-R or write Box 541, Artesia. 9-2tc-10

WANTED — Ironing to do, also keep children. 610 West Chisum. 5-6tc-10

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

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WANTED — Dressmaking, tailoring and alterations. See Mrs. Chipman, 306 West Missouri, phone 563-NJ. 25-tfc

WANTED TO RENT—Permanent established business man wants two or three bedroom unfurnished house. Write F. M., c/o Box 427, Artesia, N. M. 10-2tp-11



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Lost
\$25 reward offered for return of registered blond female Cocker Spaniel lost in town or oil field about four weeks ago. No collar on. Answers to name of Duffy. She is expected puppies the first of March. Please, if you know of this dog, call Mrs. L. W. Hancock, phone 082-R2 or write Box 483. 10-1tp

District Judge George T. Harris Seeks Re-election
District Judge George T. Harris this week announced his candidacy for election on the Democratic ticket to the position which he now holds in the Fifth Judicial District.
Judge Harris was appointed to the position by Gov. Thomas J. Mabry in March, 1949, after a second judgeship had been created in the district by the New Mexico Legislature. At the present time the district is comprised of Eddy, Chaves and Lea Counties with duties divided between Judge Harris and Judge C. Roy Anderson.
From 1933 to 1940 inclusive, Judge Harris represented Lea and Eddy Counties in the State Legislature, the first four years as representative and the last four as senator.
From 1940 to 1949 Judge Harris was engaged in private law practice in Hobbs.
He was born in Denton County, Texas and was graduated from the Tupelo (Okla.) High School. After that he attended the Hugo (Okla.) Business College and then entered the Okmulgee (Okla.) Law School. He was admitted to the bar in Oklahoma on Dec. 5, 1925.
During World War I Judge Harris saw active duty with the 90th Infantry Division in France and Luxembourg and later with the Army of Occupation in Germany.
In 1928 he moved to New Mexico and was admitted to the bar here in 1932.
His announcement was made after an endorsement from the Lea County Bar Association which stated: "We feel that you have a highly commendable record while on the bench and that your experience, your qualifications and your personal integrity require your re-election for the full term."
"The Lea County Bar Association

unanimously and wholeheartedly endorse you for re-election as district judge and respectfully request that you offer yourself for re-election."
Judge Harris is married and the father of two children, a boy and a girl, who are both living in a buqueque. The son is at present enrolled as a senior in law at the University of New Mexico and his son-in-law is a sophomore in pharmacy at the same school.
He is a member of the Methodist Church, the Masonic Lodge #4 each of the major veterans' organizations.

Odd Fact
The loot of thieves who robbed the car of an Oronota, N. Y. man was three sample cases containing 48 shoes, all for the right foot, and \$40 worth of woolen socks, none of which matched.

Odd Fact
An Englewood, Colo., man, who was kind enough to stop and drive to the station house a policeman whose patrol car was stalled on the road, was surprised, upon reaching their destination, to have the policeman thank him for the ride and hand him a ticket for speeding and driving through a red light.

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CHURCHES

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Fourth and Grand
Sunday church school, 9:45 a. m.
Sunday morning worship, 11 a. m.
Westminster Youth Fellowship, Sunday, 6 p. m.
Choir rehearsal, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.
Women's Association, first Thursday 2:30 p. m.
Circles, third Thursday 2:30 p. m.
Mary Gilbert Circle, third Thursday 7:30 p. m.
Fellowship supper, Thursday 8:30 p. m.
Bible study and prayer meeting, Thursday 7:30 p. m.
Ralph L. O'Dell, Pastor.

OUR LADY OF GRACE CATHOLIC CHURCH
North Hill
Mass Sundays, 7 and 9 a. m.
Spanish sermon.
Confessions every Saturday, 4 to 5 p. m., and before Mass Sunday mornings.
Father Stephen Bono, O. M. C., pastor.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Hagerman, N. M.
Men's Bible class meets in Women's Club building with the pastor as teacher, 9:45 a. m.
Women's Bible class under Mrs. Holloway and the church school meet in the church, 10 a. m.
Morning worship and sermon by the pastor, 11 a. m.
Mebane Ramsey, Minister.

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

CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER-DAY SAINTS
Sunday school at 10 a. m., Sacrament Service, 7:30 p. m., in the basement of the Artesia Hotel. Everyone welcome.

BETHEL BAPTIST CHURCH
Usher board, Tuesday, 7:30 p. m.
Mission, Wednesday, 3:30 p. m.
Prayer service, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.
Choir rehearsal, Friday 7:30 p. m.
Rev. J. H. Horton, Pastor

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

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, EPISCOPAL
Seventh and Grand Street
Church school every Sunday 9:45 a. m.
Holy Communion and sermon, second, third and fourth Sundays, 11 a. m.
Many and sermon, every fifth Sunday, 11 a. m.
Young People's Fellowship, every Sunday, 7 p. m.
Rev. G. W. Ribble, D.D., Vicar.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Corner Grand and Roselawn
Bible school, 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship, 10:50 a. m.
Baptist Training Union 6:30 p. m.
Evening worship, 7:30 p. m.
Wednesday service, 7:30 p. m.
S. M. Morgan, Pastor

LAKEWOOD BAPTIST CHURCH
Sunday school, 10 a. m.
Preaching service, 11 a. m.
Training Union, 6:30 p. m.
Evening preaching, 7:30 p. m.
Wednesday prayer meeting, 7:30 p. m.
Rev. C. H. Murdock, Pastor

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Sixth and Quay
The church school, 9:45 a. m.
Worship service, 11 a. m.
Chi Rho Fellowship, 5:30 p. m.
CYF, 6:30 p. m.
Women's Council, first Thursday, all-day meeting; second Thursday, executive meeting; and third Thursday, missionary program.
Arthur G. Bell, Minister

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

LOCO HILLS METHODIST CHURCH
Sunday school, 10 a. m.
Services, 8 p. m.
Chas. F. Mitchell, Pastor.
Kenneth Whitely, Superintendent.

PENTECOSTAL HOLINESS CHURCH
15 North Oak in Morningside Addition
Sunday School, 10:00 a. m.
Morning Worship, 11:00 a. m.
Evening Services, 7:30 p. m.
Wednesday, Bible study, 7:30 p. m.
Friday, P.H.Y.S. service, 7:30 p. m.
Rev. S. W. Blake, pastor

MANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH
(Missouri Synod)
Services at 7:30 p. m. on Tuesday at St. Paul's Episcopal Church.

PANISH-AMERICAN METHODIST CHURCH
North Mexican Hill
Sunday school, every Sunday, 10 a. m., Mrs. Lucinda H. Martinez, superintendent.
Sunday, 11 a. m.
Preaching service, every other Sunday by pastor, second Wednesday; preaching same night, 8:30 p. m.

SHERMAN MEMORIAL METHODIST CHURCH
(Oilfield Community)
Sunday school, 10 a. m.
Church services, 8 p. m., second and fourth Sundays; 11 a. m. on fifth Sunday.
Chas. F. Mitchell, Pastor

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

LAKE ARTHUR-COTTONWOOD METHODIST CHURCHES
Sunday school, 10 a. m. each Sunday.
Worship service, 11 a. m., second and fourth Sundays.
Ladies' Aid, third Thursday.
Sunday school, 10 a. m. each Sunday.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCH
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship, 11 a. m.
Wednesday evening meeting, 7:30 p. m.
Reading room, Wednesday and Saturday, 2 to 4 p. m.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
Fifth and Quay
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
Sunday services, 11 a. m.
N.Y.P.S., 7:15 p. m.
Evangelistic service, 8 p. m.
Midweek prayer service, Wednesday, 7:45 p. m.
Young people's prayer service, Friday, 7:45 p. m.
John W. Eppler, Pastor

ST. ANTHONY CATHOLIC CHURCH
Ninth and Missouri
Mass Sunday at 7:30 and 9 a. m.
English sermon.
Mass weekdays, 8 a. m.
Confessions every Saturday, 7:30 to 8 p. m., and before Mass Sunday mornings.
Rev. Francis Geary, pastor.

PRIMER IGLESIA BAUTISTA MEXICANA
Sunday school services, 11:20 a. m.
Marquez, superintendent, 10 a. m.
Preaching, sermon by pastor, 11 a. m.
Evening worship, 7:30 p. m.
Prayer meeting, Wednesday 7:30 p. m.
Rev. Donaciano Bejarano, Pastor

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Eighth and Grand
Sunday—
Bible study, 10 a. m.
Worship, 10:50 a. m.
Evening service, 7 p. m.
Wednesday—
Efficiency hour, 7:30 p. m.
Mid-week service, 7 p. m.
Thursday—
Ladies Bible class, 2:30 p. m.
Thomas E. Cudd, Minister.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
Fourth and Chisum
Sunday services:
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship, 11 a. m.
Evangelistic services, 7:30 p. m.
Mid-week services:
Tuesday, Women's Missionary Council, 2 p. m.
Wednesday, evangelistic services, 7:30 p. m.
Friday, Christ's Embassadors, 7:30 p. m.
J. H. McClendon, Pastor.

THOMPSON CHAPEL COLORED METHODIST CHURCH
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship, 11 a. m.
Epworth League, 6:30 p. m.
Evening services, 7:30 p. m.
Midweek services, Thursday, 7:30 p. m.
Rev. S. J. Polk, Pastor.

LAKE ARTHUR BAPTIST CHURCH
Sunday school, 10 a. m.
Preaching service, 11 a. m.
Training Union, 7 p. m.
Evening preaching, 8 p. m.
Wednesday prayer meeting, 7 p. m.
Rev. A. C. Taylor, pastor.

Go to Church

SALY'S SALLIES



The lady wants to know if this covers her husband's dog-house.



ROBES REPRESENT ABSENT KING

THE ERMINE ROBE of the king of Sweden is draped on the throne in the Hall of State at the inauguration of the Swedish Riksdag in Stockholm. It is symbolic of the presence "in spirit" of King Gustav, absent for the first time since his accession in 1907. At left, shown while reading the "speech from the throne" is Crown Prince Gustav Adolf. (International)

Prices Effective Friday and Saturday

HERE'S THE PROOF!

of Low Prices At Baties

EGGS	FRESH COUNTRY	DOZEN	34c
PEARS	HUNT'S No. 303 Tin in Heavy Syrup		20c
FLOUR	Packard's Best 10 lb Print Bag		69c
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Bring Us Your Procter & Gamble Coupons	DUZ with coupon 2 large pkgs. 41c or — 1 giant pkg. 58c	Tide with coupon 2 large pkgs. 41c or 1 giant pkg. 58c	DREFT with coupon 2 large pkgs. 39c or — 1 giant pkg. 58c	CRISCO with coupon 3 pound can 72c
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Cleaning Supplies	Garden Fresh Produce
Perma Starch 79c Babo 13c Sani-Clor Bleach 15c Satina 7c Johnson's Liquid Wax 95c	YAMS PORTALES GROWN Pound 5c GRAPEFRUIT TEXAS MARSH SEEDLESS Pound 6c POTATOES U. S. NO. 1 COLO. REDS 10 lb. Mesh Bag 37c

Batie's 100% Self-Service Meats

SAUSAGE PEYTON'S PURE PORK 1 lb. Rolls 25c	BACON Peyton's English sliced 1 lb cello 37c	BACON Wilson's Sliced 1 lb cello 29c
PORK ROAST Boston Butts lb. 39c	NECK BONES Fresh Pork lb. 15c	FRYERS Fresh Dressed lb. 59c
OX TAILS 17c	PORK BRAINS Packed in Cello lb. 25c	

Fresh—for Soup lb.

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20-tfc

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FOR SALE—Apples, several varieties, oranges, grapefruit, pecans, beans and potatoes. A. G. Bailey, 110 Richardson, phone 239. 63-tfc

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FOR SALE
280 acre farm \$27,000, \$14,000 will handle.
80 acre farm \$225 per acre, including machinery.
18 acres adjoining town, \$350 per acre.

40 acre farm \$8000, \$6000 will handle.
Four-room house, \$500 down, \$2750 160 acres, third down, balance crop payment.

5 section ranch, 473 acres deeded, 40 acres under irrigation, 2 good houses, good grass, plenty water, \$25,000, \$17,500 will handle.
6000 acre ranch, good improvements, \$12,000, \$8000 will handle.

3 section ranch, ideal dairy set up, 1200 acres patented, 100 acres cultivated, canal rights, very modern, 3-bedroom house, on good highway, \$15,750, terms.
5 room house \$5000, \$3000 will handle.

New houses in Hightower and Carper additions, especially suited for G.I.'s.

See us for businesses such as Laundries, Beauty Shops, Trailer Courts, Grocery Stores, Restaurants, Cabin Camps.
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Office Phone 79-J
Residence Phone 092-J3 or 202-J 52-tfc

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

VENETIAN BLINDS—We guarantee perfect fit. No charge for estimates or installations. Key Furniture Co., 412 West Texas, phone 241-J. 37-tfc

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A-1 USED CARS CLEARANCE SALE!

Too Many Used Cars in Stock!
Wonderful Buys!

48 Ford Farm Truck with grain bed, less than half of cost new \$1095

46 Pontiac Torpedo Club Coupe. A steal at this price 975

46 Buick Sedanette, excellent condition 1025

47 Chevrolet Sedan Delivery, completely reconditioned and a very bright red! Best buy at 995

46 Chevrolet 4-Door, new paint and a good car for only 925

46 Chevrolet 2-Door, belonged to a guy who really kept it up. A wonderful car for this price 1045

46 Chevrolet Coupe. This is without a doubt, your best buy of all 750

46 Mercury 2-Door. New paint wonderful transportation at 950

48 Ford Club Coupe, radio, heater, overdrive, white sidewall tires, spot light. No question about it, this is the cleanest used car in town, for only 1250

48 Ford Tudor, black. A one-owner car. You will like this at 1095

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ONE 1941 Ford Tudor

6 Cyl., Good Motor
Good Tires
The Rest of It Is Pretty Rough BUT

We Will Sell It to the Highest Bidder

Between Now and 5 P. M., Sat., Feb. 4

SEE IT ON OUR USED CAR LOT!

Artesia Auto Co.

302 West Main

FOR SALE—Good house, 25-feet square and four acres of land, half mile northwest of Atoka school on highway. House has double floors and outside walls, no partitions but liveable. Price \$2500, \$500 down, balance monthly payments. Also have late 1949 three-quarter ton Chevrolet pickup, only 3500 miles, priced \$3000 less than cost. Jesse F. Cook, turn south at dip on Hope Highway to second house on left. 9-2tp-10

FOR SALE—By owner, duplex seven rooms and bath, completely furnished, 808 W. Missouri Ave. See W. A. Jones, 810 W. Missouri Ave. or phone 371-R. 8-3tp-10

FOR SALE—Eleven-unit tourist court, air conditioned; also five-bedroom house, modern three-quarter acreage, garage, numerous shrubs, trees, lawn, all located on South First. G.L.'s call 089-R3. 6-tfc

FOR SALE—New large house. I must sell within two weeks. Phone 636-J. 8-3tp-10

FOR SALE—One Jersey cow, four years old, giving two gallons milk per day, will be fresh March 23. Also two fine Jersey heifers, six and nine months old. C. E. Terrell, Route 1, phone 0190-R1. 10-4tc-13

FOR SALE—One 4-inch turbine pump and electric motor, also barn 24x24. See Pat Fairey, phone 617-W. 4-tfc

ATTENTION CHURCHES AND SCHOOLS! Special prices available on demonstrator models of Wurlitzer Electronic organs. Models 5, 6, 10, 50 and 20 available in perfect condition, fully guaranteed. Write or call Ginsberg Music Co., Roswell, N. M. Phone 10. 8-8tc-15

FOR SALE—Lots 100x173 feet in Westview subdivision, also four acre block 900 foot frontage. J. B. Clapp, Hope highway. 8-6tp-13

FOR SALE—Good weaning pigs. See Hal Harris, three miles west Hope, N. M. 8-3tp-10

FOR SALE — By owner, two-bedroom modern house, 10 years old, paving paid, ideal neighborhood, recently redecorated, insulated, less than block from Central School. \$7000, some terms. Phone 463-J. 8-3tp-10

FOR SALE—Farmall tractor regular, disc and cultivator. Frank Clowe, phone 085-R6. 10-2tc-11

FOR SALE—Two bedroom house, 1107 W. Chisum, phone 287-J. 10-1tp

FOR SALE—1942 Ford club coupe, radio, heater, new tires. Must sell this week for \$500. 603 West Missouri or call Jimmie Elton at Smith's Ranch House after 6 p. m. 10-1tp

FOR SALE—We make draperies and curtains, also have materials and supplies. Helen J. Collins, phone 353-R. 10-1tp

FOR SALE—Thor washing machine, good condition. Call 542-M or see at 1202 West Merchant Ave. 10-2tp-11

FOR SALE—Office space. 509 W. Main. 10-tfc

FOR SALE — turkeys at the Locker Plant. Bryant Williams. 52-tfc

FOR RENT—Storage space, phone 845. 28-tfc

FOR RENT—Office space. 509 W. Main. 10-tfc

FOR RENT—Building on South First occupied by Artesia Animal Hospital. Also entire upstairs over Hub as living quarters. One office room in Gilbert Building. C. C. Smith, phone 603-J. 8-3tp-10

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POSTER CHILDREN SHARE A BIRTHDAY



THE 1949 MARCH OF DIMES Poster Girl, Linda Brown, 5, of San Antonio, Tex., is joined by previous and present poster children at her fifth birthday celebration in Washington. They called on President Truman to start the 1950 March of Dimes drive. Dorothy Cales holds the cake for (l. to r.): Linda; Wanda Wiley, 8, Austin, Tex., 1950 Poster Girl; Nancy Drury, 7, Louisville, Ky.; Terry Tullos, 5, Laurel, Miss., and (seated) Donald Anderson, 9, Warm Springs, Ore. (International Soundphoto)

NATION'S FIRST LADIES AID FUND



FIRST LADY OF THE U. S., Mrs. Harry S. Truman (left) and Mrs. Aileen W. Barkley, wife of the Vice President, make their first public appearance together in Washington. They shared honors at a fund-raising luncheon for the National Symphony Orchestra. (International Soundphoto)

FOR RENT — Vacuum cleaners, floor polishers and portable sewing machines. Roselawn Radio Service, 106 S. Roselawn, phone 866. 10-2tp-11

FOR RENT—Tank type vacuum cleaner with attachments. Artesia Furniture Co., 203-5 West Main, phone 517. 61-tfc

FOR RENT—Modern unfurnished one and two-bedroom apartments 12th and Main. Phone 434. 43-tfc

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment, private entrance. 506 W. Dallas. Phone 976-W. 10-2tp-11

FOR RENT—Two-room modern furnished apartment. Artesia Motel. 10-2tc-11

FOR RENT—Three-room unfurnished apartment. Apply at 202 West Texas. 10-1tp

FOR RENT—Bedroom at 308 West Dallas, phone 246. 10-1tc

FOR RENT—Three-room furnished apartment. Bills paid. Call 397-W after 6 p. m. 10-1tc

FOR RENT—Store room, choice location for small business, cheap rent. Also ground-floor office, newly decorated. Cunningham Bros., 112 S. Roselawn, phone 211 or 126-R. 10-tfc

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Come In and See This List of Special Buys Today

- 1950 Buick 2-Door
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- 1947 Chevrolet Aero Sedan
- 1946 Chevrolet Club Coupe, very good condition.

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SKRIP INK, the finest, for sale at The Artesia Advocate.

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Lost — \$25 reward offered for return of registered blond female Cocker Spaniel lost in town or oil field about four weeks ago. No collar on. Answers to name of Duffy. She is expected puppies the first of March. Please, if you know of this dog, call Mrs. I. W. Hancock, phone 082-R2 or write Box 483. 10-1tp

WANTED—Ironing to do in my home. Second house from Green and Mays roads, north highway, phone 0180-R2, the former Mrs. Frank Marshall. 10-2tp-11

WANTED—Man wanted to supply Rawleigh's household products to consumers. We help you. Good profits for hustler. No experience necessary to start. Pleasant, profitable, dignified work. Write today: Rawleighs, Dept. NMB-311-53, Denver, Colo. 10-1tp

WANTED TO RENT—Four or five room unfurnished house. Call 428. 10-1tp

WANTED—To keep children in my home. Phone 505, 1007 West Dallas Avenue. 7-11tc-17


WANTED—Painting and papering. Clean responsible workman, satisfaction guaranteed. I. G. Ayer, phone 0182-J3. 7-6tp-12

WANTED TO BUY a good used office desk. Call 672-R or write Box 541, Artesia. 9-2tc-10

WANTED — Ironing to do, also keep children. 610 West Chisum. 5-6tc-10

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

SHE NEEDS A Special RATION WHEN DRY...



TO DROP A BIG, STRONG CALF
FOR EASY CALVING
FOR LOTS OF MILK NEXT LACTATION

The dry cow has a job to do. She's building her calf—actually builds 2/3 the calf in the last two months. That's why she needs a body-building ration to keep up condition for calving and for her next milking period.

PURINA DRY and FRESHENING CHOW

YOUR STORE WITH THE CHECKERBOARD SIGN.

F. L. WILSON Feed & Farm Supply Store
Purina Chows — Baby Chicks
111 S. Second
Sherwin-Williams Paints
Phone 24

Odd Fact
The loot of thieves who robbed the car of an Oncoonta, N. Y., man was three sample cases containing 48 shoes, all for the right foot, and \$40 worth of woolen socks, none of which matched.

Odd Fact
An Englewood, Colo., man, who was kind enough to stop and drive to the station house a policeman whose patrol car was stalled on the road, was surprised, upon reaching their destination, to have the policeman thank him for the ride and hand him a ticket for speeding and driving through a red light.

FEBRUARY FLAVOR OF THE MONTH

Cherry Vanilla

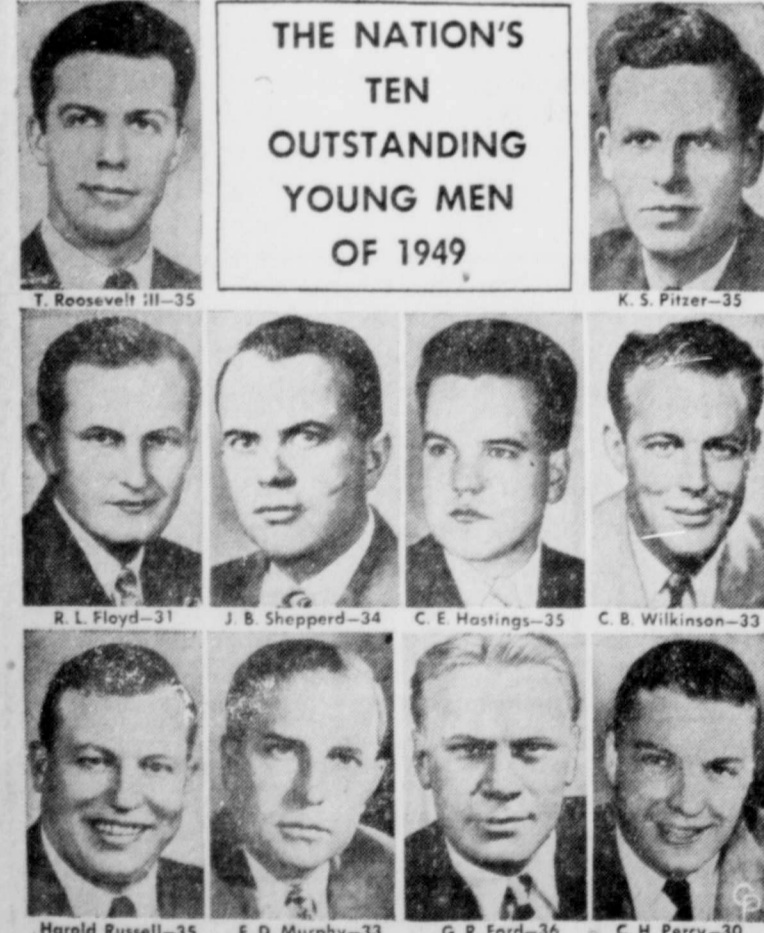
Prices VELVET



American Hostess ICE CREAM

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THE NATION'S TEN OUTSTANDING YOUNG MEN OF 1949



T. Roosevelt III—35
K. S. Pitzer—35
R. L. Floyd—31
J. B. Shepperd—34
C. E. Hastings—35
C. B. Wilkinson—33
Harold Russell—35
F. D. Murphy—33
G. R. Ford—36
C. H. Percy—30

HERE ARE THE NATION'S ten outstanding young men of 1949, all thirty-six years or younger, selected by a panel of ten judges for the United States Junior Chamber of Commerce at Tulsa, Okla. They are: Harold Russell, 35, handless veteran and actor; Gerald R. Ford Jr., 36, U. S. Representative from Michigan and political reformer; Charles H. Percy, 30, business executive; Robert L. Floyd, 31, Mayor of Miami, Fla.; C. B. "Bud" Wilkinson, 33, Oklahoma Univ. football coach; Charles E. Hastings, 35, aeronautics inventor; John B. Shepperd, 34, lawyer; Theodore Roosevelt III, 35, Pennsylvania Secretary of Commerce; Franklin D. Murphy, 33, dean of School of Medicine, Univ. of Kansas; Kenneth Sanborn Pitzer, 35, a U. S. director of atomic research. (Central Press)

CHURCHES

ST. PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Fourth and Grand
Sunday church school, 9:45 a. m.
Sunday morning worship, 11 a. m.
Worship service, 7:30 p. m.
Worship service, every other Sunday, 6 p. m.
Choir rehearsal, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.
Women's Association, first Thursday 2:30 p. m.
Circles, third Thursday 2:30 p. m.
Mary Gilbert Circle, third Thursday 7:30 p. m.
Fellowship supper, Thursday 6:30 p. m.
Bible study and prayer meeting, Thursday 7:30 p. m.
Ralph L. O'Dell, Pastor.

OUR LADY OF GRACE CATHOLIC CHURCH
North Hill
Mass Sundays, 7 and 9 a. m., English sermon.
Confessions every Saturday, 4 to 9 p. m., and before Mass Sunday mornings.
Father Stephen Bono, O. M. C., pastor.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Hagerman, N. M.
Men's Bible class meets in Women's Club building with the pastor as teacher, 9:45 a. m.
Women's Bible class under Mrs. Redway and the church school meet in the church, 10 a. m.
Morning worship and sermon by the pastor, 11 a. m.
Mebane Ramsey, Minister.

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

CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER-DAY SAINTS
Sunday school at 10 a. m., Sacrament Service, 7:30 p. m., in the basement of the Artesia Hotel. Everyone welcome.

BETHEL BAPTIST CHURCH
Usher board, Tuesday, 7:30 p. m.
Mission, Wednesday, 3:30 p. m.
Prayer service, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.
Choir rehearsal, Friday 7:30 p. m.
Rev. J. H. Horton, Pastor

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

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, EPISCOPAL
Seventh and Grand Street
Church school every Sunday 9:45 a. m.
Holy Communion and sermon, second, third and fourth Sundays, 11 a. m.
Bible study and sermon, every fifth Sunday, 11 a. m.
Young People's Fellowship, every Sunday, 7 p. m.
Rev. G. W. Ribble, D.D., Vicar.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Corner Grand and Roselawn
Bible school, 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship, 10:50 a. m.
Baptist Training Union 6:30 p. m.
Evening worship, 7:30 p. m.
Wednesday service, 7:30 p. m.
S. M. Morgan, Pastor

LAKEWOOD BAPTIST CHURCH
Sunday school, 10 a. m.
Preaching service, 11 a. m.
Training Union, 6:30 p. m.
Evening preaching, 7:30 p. m.
Wednesday prayer meeting, 7:30 p. m.
Rev. C. H. Murdock, Pastor

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Sixth and Quay
The church school, 9:45 a. m.
Worship service, 11 a. m.
Chi Rho Fellowship, 5:30 p. m.
CYF, 6:30 p. m.
Women's Council, first Thursday, all-day meeting; second Thursday, executive meeting, and third Thursday, missionary program.
Arthur G. Bell, Minister

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

LOCO HILLS METHODIST CHURCH
Sunday school, 10 a. m.
Services, 8 p. m.
Chas. F. Mitchell, Pastor.
Kenneth Whitely, Superintendent.

PENTECOSTAL HOLINESS CHURCH
1515 North Oak in Morningside Addition
Sunday School, 10:00 a. m.
Morning Worship, 11:00 a. m.
Evening Services, 7:30 p. m.
Wednesday, Bible study, 7:30 p. m.
Friday, P.H.Y.S. service, 7:30 p. m.
Rev. S. W. Blake, pastor

EMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH
(Missouri Synod)
Services at 7:30 p. m. each Tuesday at St. Paul's Episcopal Church.

JAPANESE-AMERICAN METHODIST CHURCH
North Mexican Hill
Sunday school, every Sunday, 10 a. m., Mrs. Lucinda H. Martines, superintendent.
Sunday, 11 a. m.
Preaching service, every other Sunday, 6 p. m.
Visits by pastor, second Wednesday; preaching same night, 7:30 p. m.

SHERMAN MEMORIAL METHODIST CHURCH
(Oilfield Community)
Sunday school, 10 a. m.
Church services, 8 p. m., second and fourth Sundays; 11 a. m. on fifth Sunday.
Chas. F. Mitchell, Pastor

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

LAKE ARTHUR-COTTONWOOD METHODIST CHURCHES
Sunday school, 10 a. m. each Sunday.
Worship service, 11 a. m., second and fourth Sundays.
Ladies' Aid, third Thursday.
Sunday school, 10 a. m. each Sunday.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCH
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship, 11 a. m.
Wednesday evening meeting, 7:30 p. m.
Reading room, Wednesday and Saturday, 2 to 4 p. m.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
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John W. Eppler, Pastor

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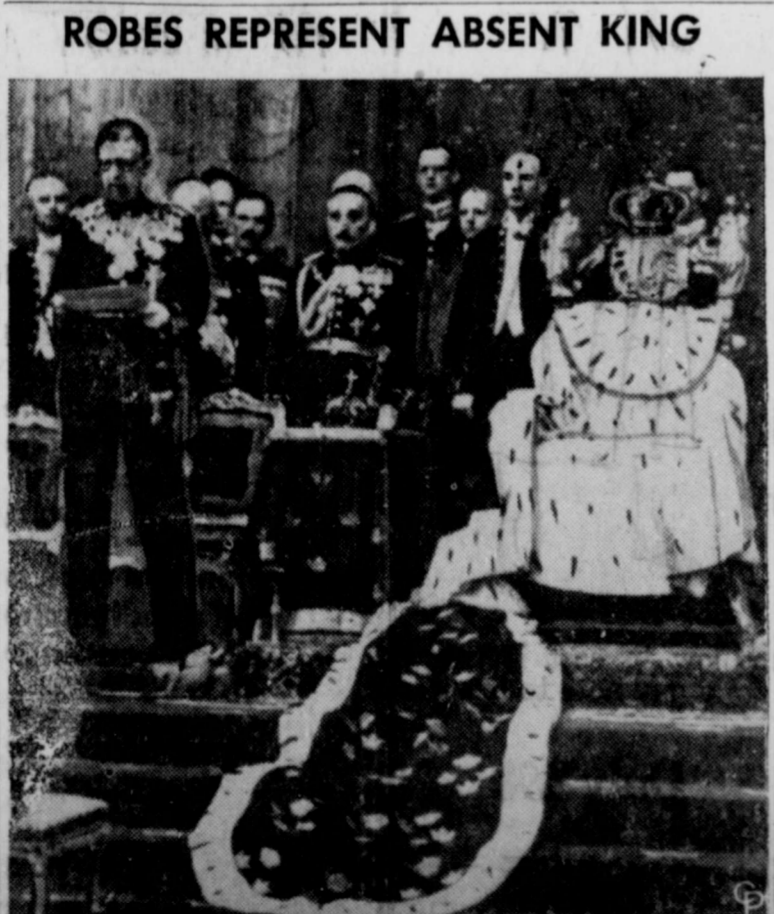
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Worship, 10:50 a. m.
Evening service, 7 p. m.
Wednesday—
Efficiency hour, 7:30 p. m.
Mid-week service, 7 p. m.
Thursday—
Ladies Bible class, 2:30 p. m.
Thomas E. Cudd, Minister.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
Fourth and Chisum
Sunday services:
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship, 11 a. m.
Evangelistic services, 7:30 p. m.
Mid-week services:
Tuesday, Women's Missionary Council, 2 p. m.
Wednesday, evangelistic services, 7:30 p. m.
Friday, Christ's Embassadors, 7:30 p. m.
J. H. McClendon, Pastor.

THOMPSON CHAPEL COLORED METHODIST CHURCH
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship, 11 a. m.
Epworth League, 6:30 p. m.
Evening services, 7:30 p. m.
Midweek services, Thursday, 7:30 p. m.
Rev. S. J. Polk, Pastor.

GO TO CHURCH
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SALLY'S SALLIES
The lady wants to know if this covers her husband's dog-house.



ROBES REPRESENT ABSENT KING
THE ERMINE ROBE of the king of Sweden is draped on the throne in the Hall of State at the inauguration of the Swedish Riksdag in Stockholm. It is symbolic of the presence "in spirit" of King Gustav, absent for the first time since his accession in 1907. At left, shows while reading the "speech from the throne" is Crown Prince Gustav Adolf. (International)

HERE'S THE PROOF!

Prices Effective Friday and Saturday

PEAS	Empson's Champion	2 1/2 29c
No. 303 Tin		
For Breakfast		
Hunt's	Prune Juice	31c
Hunt's 303 Tin		
Adams	Tom. Juice	2 1/2 19c
No. 2 Tin		
Log Cabin	Orange Juice	16c
2 lb 10 oz tin		
	Syrup	58c
For Quick Lunches		
Ireland's	Barbecued Beef	15 oz tin 67c
Wilson's Certified	Spaghetti-Meat	1 lb tin 28c
	Spam	12 oz tin 45c
	Kraft Dinner	7 1/2 oz box 15c
Canned Vegetables		
Hunt's, Picnic tins, all green	Asparagus	No. 1 tin 31c
A.B.—Dry	Lima Beans	No. 1 tin 5c
Buffalo	Tomato Puree	4 1/2 oz tin 4c
Campbells	Tomato Soup	Reg. tall tin 11c

EGGS	FRESH	DOZEN	34c
	COUNTRY		
PEARS	HUNT'S	DOZEN	20c
	No. 303 Tin in Heavy Syrup		
FLOUR	Packard's Best	10 lb Print Bag	69c
APRICOTS	LIBBYS HALVES	DOZEN	25c
	in Heavy Syrup No. 2 1/2 Tin		
SUGAR	10 Pound PURE CANE	10 lb Print Bag	85c
	Why Buy Beet Sugar?		

Bring Us Your Proctor & Gamble Coupons	DUZ with coupon	Tide with coupon	DREFT with coupon	CRISCO with coupon
	2 large pkgs. 41c or 1 giant pkg. 58c	2 large pkgs. 41c or 1 giant pkg. 58c	2 large pkgs. 39c or 1 giant pkg. 58c	3 pound can 72c

Cleaning Supplies		Garden Fresh Produce	
Perma Starch	79c	YAMS	5c
Babo	13c	GRAPEFRUIT	6c
Sani-Clor Bleach	15c	POTATOES	37c
Satina	7c		
Liquid Wax	95c		

Batie's 100% Self-Service Meats

SAUSAGE	PEYTON'S PURE PORK	1 lb. Rolls	25c
BACON	Peyton's English sliced	1 lb cello	37c
BACON	Wilson's Sliced	1 lb cello	29c
PORK ROAST	Boston Butts	lb.	39c
NECK BONES	Fresh Pork	lb.	15c
FRYERS	Fresh Dressed	lb.	59c
PORK BRAINS	Packed in Cello	lb.	25c

Fresh—for Soup lb. **OX TAILS 17c**

BATIE'S SUPERMARKET



Your State Government

By Thomas J. Mabry, GOVERNOR

(Starting early this year, Gov. Thomas J. Mabry has been releasing weekly columns to the New Mexico newspapers, expressing therein various thoughts and giving information on developments. During the period of mechanical uncertainty, while changing presses, The Advocate has withheld publication of the governor's column, but it is planned for it to be a regular weekly feature in the future. The thoughts expressed in Governor Mabry's column are his observations and not necessarily those of The Advocate.)

I am asking the liquor control director to grant no more liquor licenses for dispensary or package store for a period of at least six months. All licenses will be frozen. There have been none issued so far in 1950. I am anxious to determine whether we cannot go through the entire year 1950 without the granting of any additional liquor outlets in the state.

Under my administration there have been only 29 commercial licenses issued in more than three years I have been in office, compared to 329 issued in the four years of the previous administration. Nevertheless, I still feel that we have in New Mexico many more liquor stores than we need.

We have in New Mexico one liquor store or dispensary for every 469 population. While, according to this, we have less liquor stores per population than many states, it still does not follow that we need all we have.

Looking a few of the other states, for example, we find one liquor store or dispensary to 445 population in California, 339 in Connecticut, 345 in Illinois, 345 in Montana, 147 in Nevada and 350 in New Jersey.

I am happy to report, in this connection, that although the director has authority under the law to grant licenses without approval by local governing authorities, without a single exception liquor licenses have been issued only upon request or recommendation of the local authorities; that is, within incorporated towns and cities the recommendation would come from the town or city and in the outside area, from the commissioners of the county involved.

This system has worked well in that it gave to the local elected spokesmen for the people the full right to "home rule" in this connection. But, even with this precaution it appears to me that there are more liquor outlets than we need.

The director of this agency has done, I feel, an outstanding job and I offer no criticism of his performance in office. I have had not one single bona fide complaint that he ever used the license granting or withholding right for political purposes.

The fact that the final say as to whether there would be a license granted in any particular locality was always made only after the approval of the local authorities, although the law required no such consideration as I have said, removed the state director from any considerable controversy with the applicant. However, many applicants have been refused licenses, notwithstanding local approval, where it was thought there were already enough people in the business at such places. I am in hopes that this policy of freezing licenses will work out satisfactorily.

I am persuaded that when the liquor field is crowded the temptation for the dealers to sell to irresponsibles, youngsters and drunks increases and we thus have more drinkers on the highways. Drinking and sleepy drivers cause most of our highway accidents. We must find a way to reduce this terrific hazard to highway travel.

Carlsbad—
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their fiscal year.
It was advised that the local chapter could have a charter night and installation at that time or earlier, if convenient.

The young men of Artesia were invited to attend a meeting in Carlsbad Saturday and Sunday of this week end of the board of the New Mexico Junior Chamber of Commerce, in connection with which there will be a barbecue at 8 o'clock Saturday evening and a dance from 8 to 11 o'clock at the Crawford Hotel. Those from Artesia attending will be admitted to both affairs at no cost and Gossett urged all young men in this community interested in the Jaycees to attend.

Advocate Want Ads Get Results!

Confab Christian Churches To Be Here On Tuesday



DR. CHURCH H. SMILEY

A convention of Christian Churches of the Southeast New Mexico District will be held at the First Christian Church of Artesia next Tuesday, at which Dr. Church H. Smiley, a missionary from India, will speak at morning, afternoon and evening sessions.

The convention will convene at 10 o'clock in the morning with a study of women's work in the church. There will be general sessions in the afternoon and evening and a banquet for laymen of the district at 6:30 o'clock in the evening.

Dr. Smiley is scheduled to speak at 11:30, 3:40 and 8 o'clock at the several sessions.

Joe Carpenter of Roswell, district governor of the Laymen's League, will preside at the banquet.

Speakers from out of town at the various sessions will include Maurice F. Lyerla of Phoenix, Ariz., newly elected secretary-evangelist for New Mexico and Arizona; Mrs. H. R. Howland of Denver, superintendent of missionary education for the Rocky Mountain area; Mrs. Lee B. Corn of Roswell, state president of the women's missionary organizations of the church; A. A. Halbert of Carlsbad, state president of the Laymen's League of New Mexico; Clifford B. Thomas, minister at Carlsbad and Marion W. Nilsson, minister at Roswell, who is also president of this district of Christian Churches, officially known as The Disciples of Christ.

Dr. Smiley, a missionary in India since 1921, is in the United States on furlough this year with his wife and family. He represents the United Christian Missionary Society, national board of missions and Christian education of Disciples of Christ, in Central Province, India.

Rev. Arthur G. Bell, pastor of the host church, announced all sessions of the convention are open to anyone wishing to attend.

Citywide—

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such as softball, horseshoes, tennis and volleyball. Tournaments in those and other sports and activities were suggested.

Other activities could include special playdays, contests and the like.

March Of—

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made up of \$270.01 from the school children and 49.43\$ for the March of Dimes dance here.

Mrs. Charles E. Currier, campaign chairman, asked that managers or owners of stores and other places of business having counter coin collectors take them to Cole at the First National Bank promptly. Although they were put out by the Girl Scouts, the businesses were asked to be responsible for turning them in.

READ THE ADS

Political Announcements

(The following have announced their candidacy for city offices, subject to the biennial Artesia municipal election on Tuesday, April 4, 1950. Payment for inclusion of names in this list is cash in advance. Rates on application.)

ARTESIA POLICE JUDGE
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Potpourri—

two stories in the same issue about sugar beets.
The peculiar thing about it is that in our Jan. 27 issue we reported that Eddy County farmers, whose cotton acreage is to be greatly curtailed this year, were considering the possibility of raising sugar beets in the Pecos Valley. We had presumed that if any sugar beets were raised it would be an experiment. But it seems they were being raised here in 1896 and a sugar factory was being built in Eddy for processing the beets.

In another of the August, 1896, newspapers was The Clayton Enterprise for Aug. 8, from which we gleaned the interesting information that William Jennings Bryan was the Democratic candidate for president and Arthur Sewall was running for vice president.

Even more interesting than that was an ad in one of the newspapers, disclosing that suits, with an extra pair of pants, could be had for \$15 and up.

There is nothing unusual in the statement that The Advocate enjoys a high degree of popularity in this community and elsewhere. But we have received a letter, which demonstrates a new angle of popularity, in that the writer just can't wait for delivery of her Advocate by letter carrier, so she buys it regularly on a newsstand, as do hundreds of other readers.

Mrs. Ollie L. Smith wrote, in part: "... I don't think I will renew at present and I will explain why. I do not receive my paper until 5 o'clock. I would not think of doing without your paper, nor will I depend on borrowing. I live near a newsstand and can get my Advocate so much earlier, I will just take it regularly from there. So because I do not renew, don't think that I am not reading and buying your paper."

And then we received another type of communication in regard to The Advocate, which likewise made us feel good and realize that this newspaper is appreciated.

Mrs. Naomi L. Votaw, in returning the first of our customary series of notices which we send out prior to an expiration date, enclosed her remittance and penned, "Thank you for the notice."

Everyone is now as kind as Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Votaw!

Humorists and cartoonists have poked fun for years at the expectant father, who is pictured as pacing the floor, suffering more than his wife.

He is unable to concentrate on anything other than the blessed event about to take place. And sometimes that blessed event is delayed a number of hours, adding to the woes of the father.

That's the fix we are in this Tuesday afternoon, writing for the Friday issue, as we sweat it out, while our first baby on the new Goss Cox-O-Type web press is delayed.

The blessed event, which we had hoped for by 9 o'clock this morning, has not happened yet and it is nearly 3 o'clock.

Guess all that we can do is to light another cigaret and pace up and down, as do the expectant fathers in the hospitals outside the delivery rooms.

—A.L.B.

Eugene Foster, 6, Injured Wednesday When Bike Is Hit

Eugene Foster, 6-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl C. Foster of 910 Washington Avenue, was injured about 4:15 o'clock Wednesday afternoon while riding his bicycle, when struck by a car driven by Mrs. S. D. Cole.

The boy sustained a fracture of his left arm between the elbow and shoulder and was taken to Artesia General Hospital, where he is doing nicely. He also sustained bruises and cuts.

The fender of the Cole automobile struck Eugene and his bicycle, when Mrs. Cole was unable to avoid hitting him.

Artesia—

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munity Chests and Councils of America.

The Council of Social Agencies of Artesia now embraces 32 local organizations, agencies and individual officers. They are:

American Red Cross, Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, Artesia Ministerial Alliance, High School Parent-Teacher Association, Central School P.T.A., Park School P.T.A., Artesia Education Association, Artesia Woman's Club, Junior Woman's Club.

Council of Church Women, District Nurses' Association, staff of Artesia General Hospital, National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, Crippled Children's Association, National Tuberculosis Association, National Cancer Society, State Board of Health.

Eddy County Welfare Department, Eddy County Child Welfare Department, American Legion Auxiliary, Eddy County Board of County Commissioners, Judge J. D. Josey, juvenile officer for North Eddy County.

Pilot Club, 20-30 Club, Lions Club, Kiwanis Club, Rotary Club, Artesia Chamber of Commerce, Salvation Army, Community Chest and School Nurses' Association.

Boy Scout—

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courses so they can carry on effectively.

The theme of the 40th birthday observance is "Strengthen Liberty." In countless meetings across the nation, this theme will be portrayed in pageants, demonstrations, public ceremonies and parents' night gatherings.

The highlight of the second year of the crusade will be the National Jamboree at Valley Forge, Pa., at which 40,000 Scouts and leaders from every section of the nation and several hundred Scouts of other lands will camp together from June 30 to July 6.

After Defeat—

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inary tilt to the main attraction tonight. That one goes at 7 o'clock.

Two Artesia grade school teams will unwrap the Saturday night warring at 7 o'clock. A quintet from Park School will face one from Central in the preliminary.

Tuesday night it was the same old story at Hobbs.

The Bulldogs started slow, playing sloppy, dismal basketball and got so far behind they never had any chance of catching up when they did come to life.

It was a rugged ball game from start to finish with two "Dogs and four Eagles being eradicated by the four route and at the wind-up both Artesia forwards, Stanley Saikin and Jimmy Reiger, were nursing four apiece.

The always rugged Eagles jumped off to an 8-4 first period lead, the arn besraker in the second stan-

THE OLD HOME TOWN



HIGHER, PAW--HIGHER-- I THINK THIS WILL BE THE LAST ONE... BACK ROAD FOLKS--EASY DOES IT--

za to open it up to 24-7 at the half-time intermission.

Artesia played Ralph Tasker's charges on about even terms throughout the final 16 minutes, but it was too late. The third period count was 41-20 Hobbs.

The brightest spot of an otherwise dismal evening for the "Dogs was the return to early season for mop sophomore Guard Albert Calloway, who racked up 11 points to pace the Artesia scoring although only seeing action in the last half.

Six-foot six-inch junior Center Charlie Nolan and Larry White both counted 12 for a deadlock on the high scoring honors for the night.

Smith's Bullpups finished fast to plaster a 38-32 defeat on the Hobbs B's after leading 10-6 at the half-way mark. Chunky Guard Jimmy Juarez topped the scoring column with 14 points, his high-water mark for the season.

Haldeman—

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struction as such in Eddy County, though two projects are definitely indicated and under consideration by the state highway department.

The city of Artesia has expressed itself as being definitely in need of such a project on that portion of U.S. 285 which passes through the city. The city of Carlsbad is also on the same highway. Within its city limits there are two very narrow bridges which do not meet modern standards and which carry all traffic entering the city from Carlsbad Caverns National Park, from the Carlsbad Reclamation project, from the United States Potash Company refinery and from the Pecos Valley Cotton Oil Mill and from Texas points to the south.

"These two cities are not in position to meet the necessary construction costs to modernize these portions of U.S. highways and assistance appears to be not only desirable but economically justified.

"This presentation would be incomplete without mentioning the heavy growth of Eddy County in population and wealth over the past few years. Population has approximately tripled in the past 20 years due principally to large oil development in the northeast portion of the county and the concurrent development of potash in the central-eastern portion. Travel to Carlsbad Caverns has grown from a mere trickle 25 years ago to over 400,000 each of the past three years. In the same period the county has witnessed the mechanization of every form of transportation

with its resultant demand for more and better highway construction, yet the vast reaches of this county with it 4163 square miles has caused its road program, primary, secondary, as well as urban, to be a well nigh unmountable difficulty.

"When the construction of Highway 285 from 8.8 miles northwest of Carlsbad to the Chaves County line is completed, there are several primary highways set up leading east and south out of Carlsbad recommended by the land use committee, the highway commissions of the Artesia and Carlsbad Chambers of Commerce and the Board of County Commissioners."

Loco Hills Items

(Mrs. Earl Smith)

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Thomas of Vernon, Texas, arrived Wednesday of last week to visit her sister, Mrs. Lee Lucas and Mr. Lucas. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas formerly lived at the Malco Pump Station Camp. They left Monday to visit relatives and friends in Texas before returning to their home.

Guests in the L. L. Underwood home Sunday were his brother, O. A. Underwood and Mrs. Underwood and children and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Quinn and children, all of Artesia and friends from Clovis.

Mr. and Mrs. Evan Fisher spent Sunday visiting old friends, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Cook at Monument. Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Garel Westall over the week end were her brother, Bill Wimberly and his friends, R. D. Kilmer. The young men are students at Eastern New Mexico University, Portales.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Trammell of Texas-New Mexico Camp spent Saturday of last week in Roswell visiting her sister.

Mrs. Fred Heard and son of Artesia were visiting friends here Friday of last week. They were guests of Mrs. Garel Westall and Mrs. A. Trammell.

Frank Ashlock caught his right arm in a pump jack and was unable to work for a week. He is back on the job now. Mr. and Mrs. Ashlock visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Dyar in Maljamar Sunday.

Mrs. Fanny Beford has moved to Carlsbad. Her son, Norman, will remain here with his aunt, Mrs. Charles Wier and Mr. Wier, until school is out. Mrs. Beford is managing a grocery store recently purchased by her brother, Wesley Meador, in Carlsbad.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Miller and daughters of Sundown, Texas,

spent Sunday here as guests of their son, Harold and his family in the Booker Camp.

Mrs. G. B. Grubbs, who had been in Texas with a sister who was ill for some time, has arrived in Artesia to be with her husband. He is an uncle of Mrs. Earl Smith. Mrs. Grubbs visited in the Earl Smith home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Grubbs took their small son to Roswell last week for medical attention. His condition has improved.

School children who were interested, received whooping cough shots Monday.

Guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mills were their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Case and son of Artesia.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Stewart and Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Saverance and son enjoyed a motor trip to the mountains Sunday.

Among those on the sick list last week were Rex Ward, Mrs. Wilburn Davis, members of the Chase family, Bennie Melton, Mrs. Weaver McClendon and Norman Beford. Mrs. Carl Jones is confined in the hospital in Artesia.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Heard and son of Albuquerque spent last week end here visiting Mr. Heard's father, Jewel Heard.

Mr. and Mrs. Truett Loyd and son, Ronnie of Artesia, were guests Sunday of his aunt, Mrs. Jeff Richardson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. N. G. Barton spent the week end in Big Spring, Texas, visiting their daughters. Their grandson, Johnny, came home with them for a visit.

Mrs. Wesley Meador's mother, Mrs. R. N. Thomas, is here visiting from Van Nuys, Calif.

Mrs. Garel Westall, president of the Loco Hills Parent-Teacher Association, has announced a social will be held at the school at 7:30 o'clock Friday evening, Feb. 17. Pie and coffee will be served. A large, beautiful hand-crocheted table cloth will be given away that evening. Mrs. W. E. Proffitt is in charge of the ticket sale and tickets may be obtained from her. The money raised will go to buy song books and other equipment for Loco Hills School.

George Ross, while installing a new lighted sign at the Loco Hills Confectionery, connected the wrong wire and caught the wiring on fire. Much smoke and excitement resulted, but the fire was soon extinguished with little damage. With a high wind blowing and so many buildings nearby it could have been quite serious, but for quick thinking and action.

Girl Scout Notes

Troop 3 learned new songs, "Campfire Song" and "Make New Friends." The girls played "Brave Indian," made Valentines and covered a Valentine box.

Troop 10 is practicing on the play which they will present Wednesday, Feb. 15, in the Central School gym for their parents and sponsors in celebration of the troop birthday.

Troop 11 is working on "My Community" badge and heard three reports on rules and regulations, recreational facilities and religions and churches in the community given by Sally Scott and Norma Hicks and Betty Burch report, read by Sandra Hubbard. The girls also sang songs and acted one of

them out.
Troop 13 played games outside "Red Rover" and "May 12." They also pantomimed a song.
Troop 14 met at Joan Day's home, where the girls had a round table discussion on courtesy manners. Mrs. Davis served sandwiches and pop at the close of meeting.
Troop 20 completed yellow Brownie scarves with Brownie stenciled in each corner. Brownies, Troop 20" in the center. The little girls played "Brave Indian" and told original stories.

DAUGHTER IS BORN TO 'CHUCK' BALDWIN

Mr. and Mrs. Charles (Chuck) Baldwin are the parents of a daughter, Judith Ann, born Wednesday morning in Artesia General Hospital. The baby weighed eight pounds three and a half ounces.

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Fruits		Was	Now
PEACHES		33c	27c
Libbys—sliced or halves	No. 2 1/2 tin		
PEACHES		32c	25c
Highway—sliced or halves	No. 2 1/2 tin		
PEARS		28c	21c
Libbys	No. 303 tin		
CHERRIES		30c	29c
Honeybird Red Sour Pitted	No. 2 tin		
Dried Fruits		Was	Now
PUFFED RAISINS		25c	21c
Cinderella seeded	15 oz box		
PITTED DATES		27c	25c
Bordo	7 1/2 oz box		
PEACHES		29c	25c
Del Monte	11 oz pkg		
Sauces		Was	Now
CATSUP		29c	27c
Heinz	14 oz glass		
TOMATO SAUCE		7c	7c
Taste Tells	8 oz tin		
ENCHILADA SAUCE		22c	20c
Ashleys	No. 1 tin		
CHILE SAUCE		23c	19c
Moneta	12 oz glass		
Sugar		Was	Now
BEET		51c	50c
Fine granulated	5 lb bag		
BEET		95c	95c
Fine granulated	10 lb bag		
POWDERED		13c	12c
Pure cane	1 lb box		
BROWN		13c	12c
Pure cane	1 lb box		
Crackers and Cookies		Was	Now
VANILLA WAFERS		31c	29c
Sunshine	10 oz box		
OREO SANDWICH		18c	16c
Nabisco	4 1/2 oz box		
GRAHAM CRACKERS		31c	29c
Pirates Gold	1 lb box		
SUGAR COOKIES		37c	37c
Merchants Sugar Tops	14 oz pkg		
Cereals		Was	Now
CREA. 1 OF WHEAT		18c	18c
Quick or regular	14 oz box		
QUAKER OATS		17c	16c
Quick or regular	20 oz box		
FARINA		15c	14c
Quaker	14 oz box		
RICE KRISPIES		16c	16c
Kelloggs	5 oz box		
SHREDDED WHEAT		18c	17c
Nabisco	12 oz box		

CHERUB MILK
PINEAPPLE JUICE
FLOUR Gold Medal all purpose 25 lb. Bag 1.79
KARO SYRUP Blue Label 5 lb. Tin 47c

Bathroom Needs		Was	Now
TOOTHPASTE		43c	43c
Pepsodent	5 oz tube		
SAL HEPATICA		31c	31c
Two 2/5 oz size			
ASPIRIN		19c	19c
Bayers	25c size		
CREME SHAMPOO		89c	79c
Toni	4 oz size		
FACE CREAM		83c	83c
Jergens	3 1/4 oz size		

Pet Foods		Was	Now
CAT FOOD		15c	13c
Puss N'Boots	15 oz can		
DOG MEAL		37c	33c
Gaines Meal	2 lb bag		
DOG FOOD		15c	13c
Ideal	No. 1 tin		
Horse Meat DOG FOOD		12c	11c
Vigo	14 oz tin		

Soups		Was	Now
TOMATO		13c	12c
Campbells	No. 1 tin		
VEGETABLE		15c	14c
Campbells	No. 1 tin		
CHICKEN-NOODLE		19c	17c
Campbells	No. 1 tin		

Question for Week of Feb. 2 to 8
 1. Delaware has the smallest population of any state True False
 2. Harvard was the first American University True False
 3. How do White Magic Soap suds feel to your hand compared with ordinary soaps and washing products? True False

"Creamy Rich" 2 for 15c
 Tall Tin
 Libbys 33c
 46 oz. Tin
 all purpose 25 lb. Bag 1.79
 Blue Label 5 lb. Tin 47c

Shortening and Oils		Was	Now
ROYAL SATIN		1.11	76c
Pure vegetable shortening	3 lb tin		
JEWEL		89c	57c
Pure vegetable shortening	3 lb ctn		
PURE LARD		23c	15c
In cartons	1 lb ctn		
OLIVE OIL		53c	43c
Pompelan	8 oz glass		
WESSON OIL		43c	35c
Salad Oil	pint		
MAYDAY		65c	63c
Salad Oil	quart		

Preserves and Jellies		Was	Now
GRAPE JELLY		25c	21c
Welchs	12 oz glass		
GRAPELADE		26c	25c
Welchs	16 oz glass		
FRUIT JELLY		73c	69c
Rex Imitation	86 oz tin		
APRICOT PRESERVES		29c	27c
Welchs	16 oz glass		
PEACH PRESERVES		33c	26c
Empress Pure Fruit	21 oz glass		
MARMALADE		24c	22c
Welch Orange	16 oz glass		

Vegetables		Was	Now
HOMINY		13c	13c
Van Camps	No. 2 tin		
BLACKEYED PEAS		17c	12c
Stillwell	No. 2 tin		
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Where, When, How To Join 4-H Are Explained By Extension Office

In Eddy County the 4-H Clubs have started to reorganize and this means new members, new officers and new projects. Each year there are some boys and girls left out of 4-H Club work because they do not know where, when and how to join a club. These are the things a boy and girl should know about 4-H work before they join a club, as suggested by the county extension office:

What is 4-H work? Local 4-H Clubs or community 4-H Clubs are the basis for the entire 4-H Club program. The members enroll in projects and each member works on his or her own project. In addition to their individual projects the members of a club sometimes enroll in a group project in which everyone works on some phase of the project. Some of the favorite projects are baking, beef calf, sewing, poultry, fat lamb, leathercraft and food preparation.

How much does it cost to join a 4-H Club? It costs nothing to join a 4-H Club. Members in co-operation with their parents select their projects and receive the records to be used in their project work from their local leader or from the county agent's office. Each local club decides whether it needs money and how to raise it and what to use it for.

Who do you see to join a 4-H Club? First, if the 4-H Club in your community meets at school, see your principal and he will tell you when the next meeting is to be held. If the 4-H Club in your town meets at night or after school, contact the local leader for the 4-H Club or write or visit the county agent's office in Carlsbad. If there are several 4-H Clubs in your community, try to find out which one it would be the easiest for you to attend and which club is interested in the same projects you are.

Who is eligible to join? Boys and girls who are 10 years old by Nov. 1 of the current year and who have not passed their 21st birthday by Nov. 1, are eligible to join. It is a voluntary program for every boy or girl who wants to join, regardless of membership in other organizations.

What is the purpose of a 4-H Club? To teach, through doing, better practices in agriculture and home economics; to develop leadership, sportsmanship, self-reliance and community pride; to develop high ideals of manhood, womanhood and citizenship; to teach boys

and girls to meet together, work together, play together and live together.

The 4-H'ers have many special activities during the club year. Plenty of recreation is included in the club program. Picnics and recreation nights are two popular events with 4-H'ers.

Clubs in the southern part of the state have a new camp in the Sacramento Mountains and the Eddy County 4-Hers will have a five-day camp this year.

Since the beginning of 4-H Club work there have been awards for work well done. Many of these awards have taken the form of educational scholarships, trips, Savings Bonds and similar awards. These contests are both national and statewide. The real purpose of these contests is to determine how one's product compares with another's and to learn how "to make the best better."

County agents. The county agents are part of the Extension Service of New Mexico A. & M. College. The 4-H program is a publically supported and directed educational program of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, New Mexico A. & M. College and your county.

The 4-H program in the county is under the direction of the county

Housing Act Benefits Farmers

Hopes for new farm homes or major improvements will become realities for many New Mexico farm families through some provisions in the Federal Housing Act of 1949.

"Farm families eligible for benefits under the act may obtain long-term loans at favorable interest rates, along with assistance in planning their improvements," Charley Taylor, extension agricultural engineer, said. "However, the loan must be repaid, as the act is not a relief or low-rent program."

Part of the program covers research in farm housing problems and structures. Results of these investigations by the State Experiment Station and the U. S. Department of Agriculture will make it possible for all farm families to obtain plans and planning help through the New Mexico Agricultural Extension Service.

Outright grants for housing will be made only in cases of extreme need in which small sums of not more than \$500 are necessary to protect the health and comfort of the family or to eliminate hazards to the community.

"Public attention has been centered mostly on the urban and slum clearance sections of the Housing Act," Taylor said. "Several billion dollars will be required to clear blighted city areas and build and operate 810,000 housing units in the U. S. But the money authorized for rural housing in the nation would build less than 50,000 houses if all the money were used for

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this purpose. Therefore, if widespread benefit is to be gained by farmers, it will be through research, planning service and extension work."

Taylor emphasized the importance of planning and educational service in farm housing, whether or not the improvements are made with Housing Act loans.

"Agricultural engineers and home economists at New Mexico A. & M. College are working on plans for new houses and remodeling," he said. "Their interest is mainly in service to farmers through research and extension. The Farmers' Home Administration handles the applications for loans and grants and provides supervisory assistance when loans or grants are made."

Protective Farm Program Helps To Hold Prices

The PMA program operates not only for the good of farmers but also for the good of the entire country, declares Ralph S. Trigg, administrator for the Production and Marketing Administration and president of the Commodity Credit Corporation.

The administrator cautions against "old voices" that are again being raised in opposition to farm price support sand to the basic principles of the farm program. The Technique, he points out, is

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DAUGHTER of Joseph Farrington, Congressional delegate from Hawaii, Beverly Farrington rehearses for the "Original Amateur Hour" to be held on Feb. 2 in Washington's Constitution Hall. It will be for the benefit of the American Heart Association's 1950 campaign. Top government officials and members of the diplomatic corps will participate in the show. (International)

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to select the few trouble spots where individual supports have been costly and using these to alarm consumers and taxpayers. By playing upon the desire for cheap food and cheap raw materials at the expense of farmers and appealing to farmers with cries of "regimentation," the effort, he charges, is to discredit the whole farm program.

"The lesson," says Trigg, "if we needed it again, is that we must never take farm programs for granted. A responsibility rests upon us and upon all friends of agriculture to see that the rest of the country understands the objectives and the benefits of these programs—for them as well as for farm people."

"We know that when soil resources are lost, the future of the nation is jeopardized. We know that every dollar spent wisely to get conservation is real insurance for that future."

"We know that when farm income is permitted to drop below

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the danger line, farmers themselves go out of the market for many products of industry and there is a major down-pull on the national economy. Small business houses on main street feel the pinch immediately. Manufacturers of things farmers buy also feel it promptly.

Eventually the whole economy, including industrial labor, suffers from the loss of farm buying power. We have a strong incentive toward a general depression."

Calling attention to the general price breaks that followed World War I he warns, "These things could happen again if we lost our protective farm program."

\$25.36. The average weekly wage for the state is \$49.21. The two counties with the highest weekly average, Eddy and Grant, draw heavily of natural resources—potash and copper.

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Eddy County Tops State In Highest Average Wages

Eddy County has the highest average weekly wage of any county in the state, \$69.11, according to Employment Security Commission reports.

Grant County is second, with an average weekly wage of \$59.71, Sandoval County third with an average of \$57.23. The Sandoval County average is high because of the Los Alamos payroll.

Mora county is at the bottom of the list with a weekly average of

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Heating Cable Prevents Pipes From Freezing

Farmers can keep pressure water systems from freezing by wrapping them with heating cable, according to County Agent Dallas Rierson.

He recommends wrapping heating cable around pipes and valves. The cable, which is thermostatically controlled, is set to turn on when the water temperature gets near freezing.

Heating cable is coated with rubber insulation and works on the same principle as other electrical heating units. Purchase price and operating costs of the cable are usually reasonable, Rierson said.

"Method of application will depend whether it is to be fire inside or out, and what the lowest temperatures will be," the county agent explained. "For a temperature of 10 degrees the tape should run straight along the pipe, for 7 degrees wrap the pipe in spirals six inches apart and for 5 degrees below zero, the pipe should be wrapped two inches between spirals. In case of doubt, follow the manufacturer's recommendations."

Heating cable is not a fire hazard if properly installed and protected with the correct fuse, according to Rierson, who advised that manufacturer's directions should be followed and that national, state and local codes should be complied with in installing such equipment.

Rubber Plays Important Part In Cars Today

Owners of 1950 automobiles are riding around on a cushion of 94 to 1434 pounds of rubber, depending on the model, according to a recent study by engineers.

Rubber parts, such as weather-strip for windshields and windows, floor mats, dust seals, accelerator, clutch and brake pedals, rubber arm rests, windshield wipers, body shims, motor mounts fan belt, radiator and heater hose, battery boxes, lamp gaskets and airfoam seats account for 70 to 100 pounds of rubber, while tires and tubes range from 24 to 43 pounds, depending on size and style.

Increasing importance of rubber's role in car safety, cushioning, noise reduction, vibration dampening, and insulation from heat, cold and rain is seen in a compar-

ison of figures spanning 25 years tallied by engineers.

In 1925, the average car used about three pounds of rubber, in addition to tires and tubes. Today there are 350 to 400 rubber parts in the modern car, weighing 70 to 100 pounds, exclusive of tires and tubes.

Importance of rubber in motor vehicle transportation can best be illustrated by imagining what an automobile ride would be like without it.

The automobile would start off with a great clatter and rattle because parts would not be cushioned in rubber and steel rims would be in direct contact with the hard-surfaced road. The car would not be able to stop because there wouldn't be a master cylinder, wheel cylinder, or brake hose to make the brakes function.

The car wouldn't get very far on its noisy and uncomfortable way before the motor ceased functioning because the cooling system would not operate without rubber hose and rubber fan belt.

But, of course, none of this could happen, because the car wouldn't start anyway without a battery and rubber insulated wiring.

Agricultural Act Promises Higher Support Prices

The new Agricultural Act promises higher support prices to the wool grower. Wool, a non-basic agricultural commodity, is to be supported at 80 to 90 per cent of a sliding parity scale.

Most sources agree that the secretary of agriculture will floor wool prices at the higher parity. One reason for this is that this year's shorn wool production was only about 215 million pounds, far below the present goal of 360 million pounds annually. Also under the new bill, parity is amended to include wartime subsidy payments and wages paid hired farm labor.

So the 1950 wool support level should be about 47 cents per average gross pound, nearly three cents above the September mean parity of 44.3 cents.

Further, once the secretary has announced 1950 market-areas on parity prices, support levels cannot be reduced during this selling period, even though the actual parity, when determined, were less than the secretary's estimate.

Under the Agricultural Act of 1949, wool includes mohair and pulled wool. Also, parity is based on average wool purchasing prices during the preceding 10 years. So each season a new year is added and the last year of this period is dropped. It appears that wool shorn in 1949 or before will not be subject to new price support levels, as the act went into effect

LATEST PHOTO OF THE PRESIDENT AND HIS CABINET



PRESIDENT TRUMAN AND HIS CABINET POSE in the White House for their latest official portrait. Clockwise (from left) are Interior Secretary Oscar Chapman, Commerce Secretary Charles W. Sawyer, Vice President Alben W. Barkley, Labor Secretary Maurice Tobin, Agriculture Secretary Charles Brannan, Postmaster General Jesse Donaldson, Defense Secretary Louis Johnson, Secretary of State Dean Acheson, President Truman, Treasury Secretary John W. Snyder and Attorney General J. Howard McGrath. (International)

Jan. 1. But 1949 wools can be sold through the Commodity Credit Corporation at present support prices, until March 31. Apparently the act now intends the outright purchase of wools by the CCC—not non-recourse loans such as are provided cotton co-operators.

USDA Studies Egg Marketing

In a recent egg-marketing study by the U.S. Department of Agriculture and the agricultural experiment stations of 13 Midwest states, which produce about half of the country's egg supplies, two outstanding things were discovered:

One of every three eggs marketed by producers had dropped below Grade "A" quality by the time the eggs were sold to country stores and other first handlers.

More than two out of every five of these eggs had lost their Grade "A" rating before they reached the carlot assembler, about two days later. This journey to market from the first handlers to the carlot assemblers takes an average of two to three weeks.

Egg producers and handlers have known all along that the quality of eggs hits the skids as they move to market. But until this study was made, here had been no broad-scale attempt to find out just how much the deterioration

amounted to at any one point along the line.

At the country receiving points during the three seasons studied, 65.4 per cent of the eggs rated "A" in the spring, 64.2 per cent in the summer, 71.6 in the fall. Stains and dirties among these eggs for all three seasons averaged 10.8 per cent.

Eggs selling on a graded basis averaged about 70 per cent Grade "A" and those selling on an ungraded basis averaged about 60 per cent. Another finding on the study was that the greater number of eggs that each producer delivered, the larger was the percentage of Grade "A" quality eggs. If this is true, the reason may be that these larger producers take better care of their eggs than small producers.

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By providing a part of the cost of the needed conservation practice through the ACP, the chairman explains, the people of the country through the government carry their fair share of the responsibility and they encourage and make it possible for farmers to carry out the needed conservation.

Aims Of 1950 ACP Announced
Farmers of this county who cooperate in the 1950 Agricultural Conservation Program will help insure their own future while strengthening agriculture generally and thus contributing to a stronger nation, says Jay Ogden, chairman of the Eddy County PMA Committee.

This is the foundation upon which the Agricultural Conservation Program rests, the chairman explains. The future of the nation—its health and strength—depends upon the productivity of the land. Because the people of this country have such a vital interest in keep-

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"It appears desirable that the electric co-operatives confine their operations to the power service field rather than enter the telephone business," Administrator Claude Wickard of the Rural Electrification recently said in issuing an important policy statement.

Wickard pointed out that under the act the REA is required, in making loans, to give preference to both commercial and non-profit applicants already providing telephone service in rural areas, and to co-operative, non-profit, limited dividend, or mutual associations which are not at present rendering such service. During the first year of the program, loan applications from existing companies "must be considered and acted upon before applications from new enterprises covering subscribers may be acted upon."

"In the event the existing systems do not take the initiative to provide adequate telephone service to the maximum practicable number of rural users and in areas where no telephone organization exists, it may be necessary for persons desiring service to form new telephone co-operatives," the administrator added. "If this should be necessary, the same persons who are at present members of rural electric co-operatives might well form the nucleus of these new and separate co-operatives."

REA Sets Record During Year 1949 Report Discloses

REA borrowers increased their operations to another all-time high in 1949, according to a year-end survey by the Rural Electrification Administration of the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

The survey, based on nine months of actual operation, shows that 175,506 miles of line and 524,550 consumers were added during the year. The cumulative totals now stand at 993 systems in operation (up 41 from the 1948 figure), 934,000 miles of line energized and 3,044,000 rural consumers getting service.

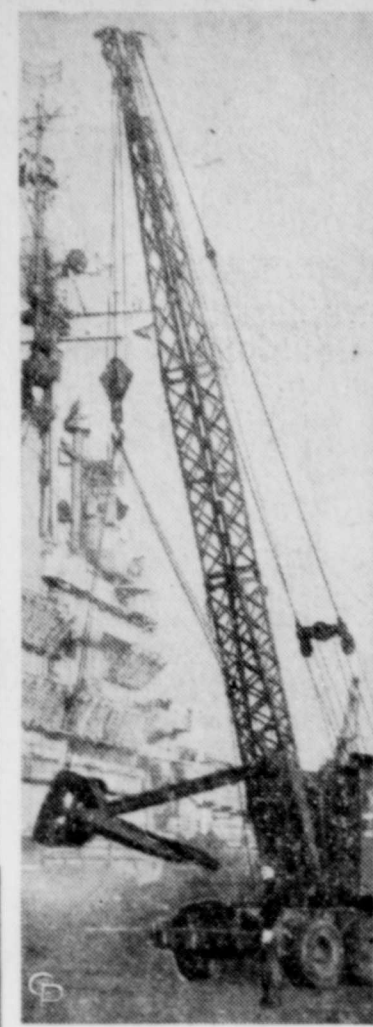
REA estimates that 78.2 of the country's farms were getting central service on June 30, 1949.

A significant increase took place in the amount of power sold by borrowers during the year. This total rose from 4,757,051,608 kilowatt hours in 1948 to 6,506,000,000 in 1949, a gain of 1,758,048. The increase indicates both that more farm families are getting service and that rural consumers find more and more uses for electricity once it becomes available to them. In many instances REA borrowers have discovered that their wholesale suppliers have exhausted their resources and are no longer able to meet the growing demand.

REA loan totals also showed increases. Loans approved reached \$1,996,000,000, an increase of \$421,075,539 over 1948. Loan funds advanced totalled \$1,143,500,000, an increase of \$326,632,013.

The cumulative total of payments to the government from borrowers was \$233,400,000, an increase of \$38,874,681. Payments in advance of due date totalled

Here's Ho for 'Mo'



CRANE at Norfolk, Va. Navy yards lifts one of the four-ton anchors which will be used in an attempt to free the battleship Missouri from mudbank she ran onto in Hampton Roads, Va. A dozen of these anchors will be cast astern and the "Big Mo" will try to pull free by her own steam while anchor cables are wound up. (International)

\$20,000,000, an increase of \$1,524,112. Amounts more than 30 days overdue dropped \$48,768 to \$958,768.

Objectives Of PMA Emphasized

Abundance without waste and fair prices without scarcity are the double-barreled aims of the conservation and price support program administered locally by the Eddy County PMA Committee, according to Jay Ogden, chairman.

Conservation and price supports all fit together in one program, says the chairman. Conservation protects and improves the use of soil and water resources so that farmers can continue to produce abundantly. Price supports protect the farmer in this abundant production and prevent ruinous prices when he has been successful on the production side.

Acreage allotments and marketing quotas, he explains, are means for assuring a balanced production—checking the use of land to produce surpluses and for which there is no market. They are means for assuring each farmer his fair share of the available market and to stimulate shifts in production which keep supplies in line with consumer needs.

The combined programs of conservation and price supports, to assure abundant, balanced production, also help to stabilize consumer prices. "Certainly this balanced abundance results in a more favorable price level to consumers," says the chairman, "that when there is far too much of one product and too little of another. If farmers were forced to resort to scarcity programs to maintain price levels it would mean that there would be too little to go around. The farm program is in fact a farmer-consumer program to assure continued, abundant, balanced production."

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FOLLOWING THE 63-19 passing in the Senate of the proposed constitutional amendment to guarantee women complete "equality of rights" with men, Mrs. Louise Pickett takes her place as the only woman in this band rehearsing for American Heart association amateur hour benefit. Her husband, Rep. Tom Pickett of Texas, plays a small ukule, while Rep. Ed Gossett of Texas plays the piano. Clarinetist is Ted Mack. (International Soundphoto)

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF EDDY COUNTY, STATE OF NEW MEXICO.

IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF CLARENCE N. McANALLY, Deceased. No. 1602

NOTICE OF DATE FIXED FOR HEARING PROOF OF WILL TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Notice is hereby given that an instrument purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of Clarence N. McAnally, deceased, has been filed for probate in the Probate Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, and that by order of said Court the 6th day of March, 1950, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M., at the Probate Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, in the City of Carlsbad, is the day, time, and place set for hearing proof on said Last Will and Testament.

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

file their objections in the office of the County Clerk of Eddy County, New Mexico on or before the time set for hearing.

DONE at Carlsbad, New Mexico, this 16th day of January, 1950. (SEAL) Mrs. R. A. Wilcox, County Clerk. 6-41-F-12

NOTICE STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE Number of Application RA-1458-S, Santa Fe, N. M., January 5, 1950.

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Notice is hereby given that on the 19th day of December, 1949, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, J. W. Everest of Artesia, County of Eddy, State of New Mexico, made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a permit to appropriate the shallow ground waters of the Roswell Artesia Basin by drilling a well 13 inches in diameter and approximately 300 feet in depth at a point in the NW 1/4 NE 1/4 NW 1/4 of Section 22, Township 16 South, Range 25 East, for the purpose of supplementing water obtained from shallow ground water Well No. RA-1458 for the irrigation of 128.77 acres of land described as follows:

Subdivision Part NW 1/4 SE 1/4, Section 15, Township 16 S., Range 25 E., Acres 28.42.

Subdivision Part SW 1/4 SE 1/4, Section 15, Township 16 S., Range 25 E., Acres 19.62.

Subdivision Part NE 1/4 SW 1/4, Section 15, Township 16 S., Range 25 E., Acres 14.20.

Subdivision Part SE 1/4 SW 1/4, Section 15, Township 16 S., Range 25 E., Acres 31.25.

Subdivision Part NW 1/4 SW 1/4, Section 15, Township 16 S., Range 25 E., Acres 13.80.

Subdivision Part SW 1/4 SW 1/4, Section 15, Township 16 S., Range

25 E., Acres 21.48. Appropriation of water from all sources combined to be limited at all times to a maximum of 3 acre feet per acre per annum.

No additional rights over and above those set forth in License No. RA-1458 are contemplated under this application.

Any person, firm, association, corporation, the State of New Mexico or the United States of America, deeming that the granting of the above application will be truly detrimental to their rights in the waters of said underground source, may protest in writing the State Engineer's granting approval of said application. The protest shall set forth all protestant's reasons why the application should not be approved and shall be accompanied by supporting affidavits and by proof that a copy of the protest has been served upon the applicant. Said protest and proof of service must be filed with the State Engineer within ten (10) days after the date of the last publication of this notice. Unless protested, the application will be taken up for consideration by the State Engineer on that date, being on or about the 14th day of February, 1950.

JOHN H. BLISS, State Engineer. 6-31-F-10

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF EDDY COUNTY, STATE OF NEW MEXICO.

IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF DAVID W. RUNYAN, Deceased. Case No. 1594

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT OF EXECUTOR

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed Executor of the Last Will and Testament of David W. Runyan, deceased, by Hon. M. F. Sadler, Probate Judge of Eddy County, New Mexico and has qualified as such.

All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to file or present the same as provided by law within six (6) months

from the 13th day of January, 1950, the date of the first publication of this notice, or the same will be barred.

JOHN F. RUNYAN, Executor. 4-41-F-10

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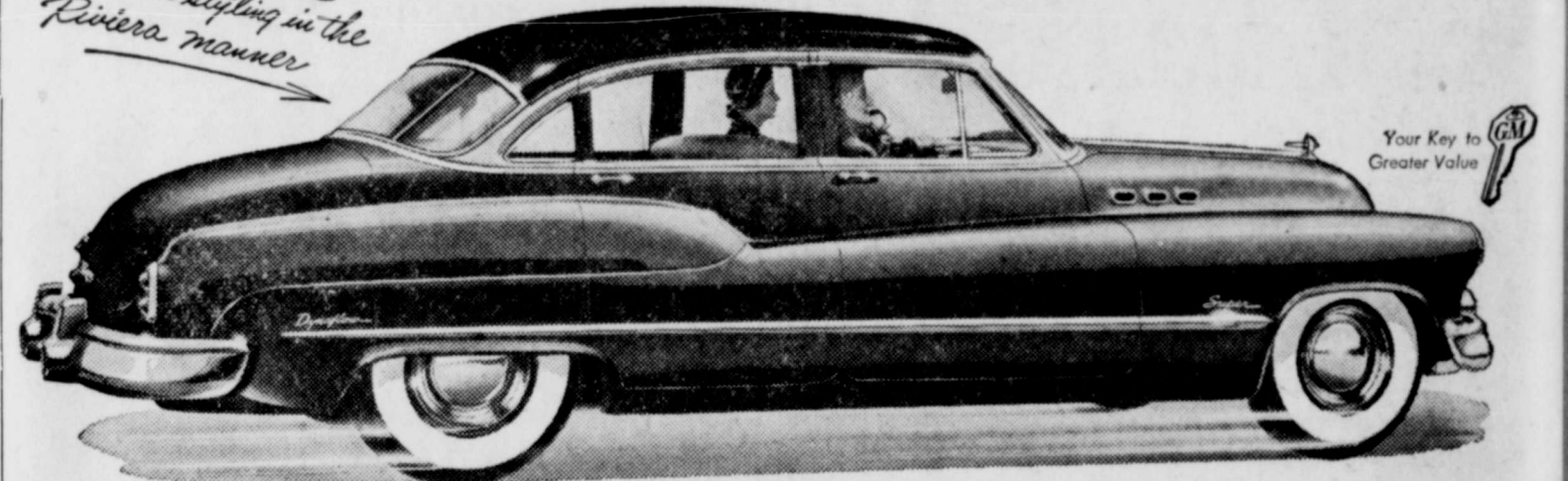
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We gave them the job of coming up with something that was bigger inside—for room and comfort—longer in wheelbase—always important to good riding qualities—yet unbulky and easy-handling in over-all dimensions.

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