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Recreation Program Drive For \$4000 To Start Monday

Representatives of a number of organizations will make a drive starting Monday morning to raise \$4000 for the community summer recreation program.

They are to meet at 7:30 o'clock Saturday evening in the basement of the city hall to be briefed on the program and to lay final plans for the campaign.

Each worker will be assigned a certain block, which he is to work thoroughly. And it is planned to have a sufficient number of workers so each will have only one block to cover.

Each of the service clubs, civic organizations and the United Veterans Club has been asked to furnish five members for the solicitation and to be present at the planning meeting Saturday night.

The money is to be raised on a subscription or sponsored basis, in which everyone contributing will be considered a sponsor of the summer program and will be given a card attesting to the fact.

Businesses may become sponsors by contributing \$10 or more. For individuals, the sponsoring fee will be \$1 or \$5. Of course, one may give more if he desires.

It was explained by Bill Keys, who is in charge of the money raising drive, that the \$4000 is to be used in the program this year, by way of purchasing necessary equipment and paying a part of the salaries of supervisors. In the future, it is hoped, the program will be self sustaining, with the continued assistance of the school system and the city.

To this end nominal admission will be charged for softball and baseball games and some of the other events planned. And special featured ball clubs will be brought in from time to time, to be matched against all-star teams selected from the local leagues.

Two of the supervisors will be furnished by the school system, as has been done in past years of the summer program sponsored by the schools for students. It is expected about four more supervisors will be needed for the larger program being planned for everyone in the community.

A portion of the general program will be a continuation of the schools' summer program, with swimming and other activities for both boys and girls mornings during the summer vacation season. Arts and crafts sessions will be held afternoons, except for the first two weeks of vacation, which will be held open for summer Bible schools.

Plans are for softball leagues for the various age groups, various other participation and spectator sports, tournaments, special days, a little theater guild with divisions for both adults and children and almost every other type of wholesome recreation activities for men and women, boys and girls, in all age and racial groups.

Here's How Artesians Voted

	Nazarene Church	City Hall	Central School	City Warehouse	High Gym	Vets Bldg.	TOTALS
MAYOR							
Billie Gray	27	20	28	22	26	36	159
Oren C. Roberts	173	76	265	155	63	66	798
JUDGE							
Arba Green	48	17	37	34	23	17	176
Jack Staggs	18	20	39	42	31	29	189
J. D. Josey	63	24	74	45	14	25	245
Jerry Losee	76	36	136	59	21	33	361
BOND ISSUE							
For	133	38	175	99	46	37	528
Against	18	6	22	17	15	11	89

Jaycee Charter To Remain Open Until April 15

Charles E. Currier, president of the Artesia Junior Chamber of Commerce, has announced the charter of the new organization will remain open for men of the community 21 to 35 years old, inclusive, until the time of the charter night banquet and dance Saturday evening, April 15.

The Jaycee president extended an invitation to young men of the community to join the organization and urged those interested to attend the next regular meeting, which will be held at 7:30 o'clock next Wednesday night in the basement of the Artesia Hotel.

He pointed out the Jaycees is not a closed group, but that all eligible men are wanted and needed as members.

Men more than 35 years old may become associate members, President Currier said. They enjoy all privileges, except voting for or holding elective offices. They are needed as well as the younger men, he said.

The charter night banquet will start at 7:30 o'clock Saturday night of next week, with the food to be prepared and served by members of the American Legion Auxiliary. After the dinner, there will be dancing to Tony King and His Orchestra.

The presentation of the charter will be made by Tom Childers of Santa Fe, state president of the New Mexico Junior Chamber of Commerce. Dave Button will be master of ceremonies.

The general chairman for the charter night activities is William C. White and the program chairman is Ed Ward.

Believed False Registrations Were Made

It is not known for sure whether some impostor or impostors have taken alleged registration of voters in Artesia or not, but a number of citizens who thought they were registered found out on election day, Tuesday, they were not.

Some related that about last December they were called on at their homes to register to vote and complied with the request, but were given no receipt.

Mrs. R. A. Wilcox, county clerk, said no one was authorized to make a canvass of citizens for registration and that registration sheets for those approached had not been turned in to her office.

The authorized registrar here is Mrs. Erma G. Williams, Room 212, Booker Building and either she must be called on locally or a citizen must go to the clerk's office in the Eddy County courthouse in Carlsbad. Those qualified may register up to May 6 for the party primaries on June 6.

Roberts And Losee Elected; \$150,000 Bond Issue Carries

Mayor Oren C. Roberts was re-elected Tuesday at the biennial city election over Billie Gray by a vote of 798 to 159, while A. J. (Jerry) Losee, young Artesia attorney, was elected police judge over three other candidates.

The proposed \$150,000 sewer bond issue carried by an overwhelming vote of 528 votes for to 89 against.

The vote was extremely light, with only 957 voting for a candidate for mayor and 971 voting for a candidate for police judge.

In the race for police judge, Losee polled 361 votes, to 176 for Arba Green, incumbent; 245 for Justice of the Peace J. D. Josey, and 139 for Jack Staggs.

Seven members of the City Council were re-elected without opposition, although there were a few write-ins.

Those named for four-year terms were Frank Smith, first ward; Ed Gillespie, second ward; Fred Brainard, third ward, and Marshall Rowley, fourth ward.

Elected for two-year terms were W. R. Petty, first ward; Harold Kersey, third ward, and H. D. (Dude) Dunn, fourth ward.

William H. (Bill) Yeager, councilman from the second ward, has two more years to serve and was the only member of the City Council who was not a candidate.

Considerable confusion resulted from the dividing of the city into six voting divisions, which was done for the first time. For the



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municipal election two years ago there were four divisions, and they were increased for the primary and general elections that year to five.

Many of the registered electors did not know where they were supposed to vote, and in many cases the registration sheets had been placed in the wrong books.

In addition, some citizens who thought they were registered were not, or their names had been removed from the books for not having voted in the two most recent general elections.

Paul Dillard Is Kwanis Club Meet Speaker

Rev. Ralph O'Dell, vice president, substituted for the ailing president, Justin P. Newman, at the last Thursday Masonic Temple luncheon meeting of the Artesia Kiwanis Club.

Paul Frost, program chairman, introduced the club's own Lt. Gov. Paul Dillard, as principal speaker.

Governor Dillard, interesting and able, as always, recapitulated the aims and community service record of the Kiwanis Club since its formation. It was a most enjoyable session.

Joint announcements by Vernon Bryan, Harry Nelson and Waldo Ports were made concerning arrangements that are being made for the Kiwanis Club jamboree anniversary celebration, which is to (Continued on Page Six)

Officers Of Elks Lodge Installed By Carlsbad Team

Officers of Artesia Lodge 1717, B.P.O. Elks, headed by J. Lloyd Walker as exalted ruler, were installed Wednesday night by members of the Carlsbad Elks Lodge, serving as Grand Lodge officers.

Walker succeeds W. T. (Doc) Haldeman, who had been the Artesia lodge's only exalted ruler, serving three years since it was founded early in 1947.

Exalted Ruler Walker and other elective officers for the coming year were named March 15.

They were: Leading knight, Chuck Aston; loyal knight, Bill Keys; lecturing knight, F. O. (Ash) Cook; treasurer, George E. Currier; Tyler, Victor Haldeman; trustee, W. T. Haldeman.

Appointive officers, named by the new exalted ruler, who were also installed Wednesday night: Esquire, Jerry Marshall; Chaplain, W. T. French; inner guard, Bob Rheaberg; organist, A. L. Bert.

The installing officers from Carlsbad: Grand exalted ruler, John Pulis; Grand leading knight, Morris Vorenberg, present exalted ruler of the Carlsbad lodge; grand loyal knight, Leon Lacy; grand lecturing knight, Robert Cunningham, exalted ruler-elect of (Continued on Page Eight)

National Guard Annual Inspection Is Held Tuesday

The annual inspection of Battery C, 697th Anti-Aircraft, Automatic Weapons Battalion, New Mexico National Guard, was held at the armory in Artesia Tuesday night by Col. Charles R. Stark, from the inspector general's department, Fourth Army, Fort Sam Houston, Texas.

Colonel Stark inspected all equipment, administration, and training. At the same time a medical detachment of the battalion was federally recognized here, with Dr. L. J. Bunch, who recently came here to practice medicine, assuming command as a second lieutenant.

At present the detachment is made up of Lieutenant Bunch and two enlisted men, Pfc. Willard V. Hecker and Pvt. Albert E. Comeau, both of whom were transferred from Battery C. It was announced the detachment will have an aggregate of an officer and five enlisted men, leaving an opening for three.

And it was suggested that any former service medics will find an opportunity for service in the National Guard.

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Arrests, Meter Violations Total 773 In March

A summary of arrests and violations by the Artesia Police Department for March this week, released by Chief Earl D. Westfall, disclosed there were 773 arrests and parking meter violations during the month.

Of the total, 611 were meter violations, leaving 162 more serious charges.

During the month Police Judge Arba Green collected \$2491 in fines, which was one of the largest amounts ever collected by him during a calendar month.

Chief Westfall said that during March, officers answered 105 complaints, which included the theft of five automobiles, all of which were recovered.

Others include: Speeding, 38; reckless driving, 2; illegal parking, 14; non-observance of traffic lights and signs; other violations of traffic and motor vehicle laws, 22; improper license plate registration, 3; assault, 8; possession of stolen property, 2; vagrancy, 7; intoxication, 7; driving while intoxicated, 7; held for investigation, 5.

During the month, Chief Westfall said, there were seven accidents within the city limits, in (Continued on Page 8)

STEPHENS INFANT TO BE BURIED SATURDAY

Graveside services will be held in Woodbine Cemetery at 10 o'clock Saturday morning for the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Stephens of Morningside, who died Thursday afternoon shortly after birth at the Artesia Osteopathic Clinic & Hospital.

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Anyone who paints is eligible to enter two pictures, which must be framed, wired, and bear a label bearing the artist's name and address and also stating:

If the painting is for sale; if so, the price; if the work is a copy, classroom work, or original.

Place of the exhibit, the Carlsbad Woman's Club Building, will be open to receive pictures this afternoon and tomorrow morning only.

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That stunt over at Hot Springs in renaming the city Truth or Consequences was worth a million dollars in advertising. But it will result in a 10-million-dollar headache, or we miss our guess.

In other words, the truth is that there will be consequences!

In spite of the national publicity and advertising of the town, it loses its identity as a place having hot springs, for which it was originally named.

Frankly, we can't understand the citizens of the community voting for the change of name, in spite of the fact that our good friend, Senator Burton Roach, manager of the Hot Springs Chamber of Commerce, undoubtedly saw the advertising value and pugged the venture for all it was worth.

How many people in Artesia would vote to change the city's name to that of a national radio program? Very few, we believe.

Artesia was named for the artesian water basin, an identity which has considerable value, just as the hot springs had at Hot Springs.

We believe the old-timers here would put up a stiff fight against any such move.

But People Are Funny!

We heard a wail the other day to the effect that "they're ruining Central Park," because a number of trees are being removed.

In fact, 64 trees are being taken out, which seems like quite a few, so many it would give the impression there will be none left, so many it is almost unbelievable there are that many in the park.

But, John D. Josey, Jr., city supervisor, assures us, there will still be about 75 trees remaining. In other words there were about 140 trees in the park when the program was started.

If they had been laid out in straight lines and equally spaced, they would have been about 15 feet apart, which is too close. And as they were not laid out that way, undoubtedly in many instances they were much closer than that.

The trees being removed were carefully selected before the job was started.

The upshot of it is the trees being taken out will not be missed, the others will make for a prettier picture, it will be possible to reseed the park, and the grass will grow better.

When the project has been completed, we will all be proud of Central Park and happy that it has been carried out.

As time goes on, more and more of the reliable publications are printing articles about flying saucers. And we predict it will not be long until there is an official announcement about them.

You will recall that only two or three weeks ago Senator Clint Anderson of New Mexico hinted that perhaps something is going on in this state, which we already know, including Los Alamos, Sandia Base, and the White Sands (Continued on Page Eight)

Jimmie Nellis, Driller, Fatally Injured On Oil Rig Wednesday

J. W. (Jimmie) Nellis, Sr., 64, an oil-well driller here since the early days of Eddy County production, was fatally injured about 1:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon in an oil-rig accident in the southwest part of the Maljamar area in Lea County.

It is probable he was killed instantly, but on the chance he might be alive fellow workers rushed him towards Artesia. The car in which he was being brought to Artesia was met about five miles east of the city by an ambulance and a physician, who pronounced him dead.

Mr. Nellis, an employee of the Carper Drilling Company, was working on the Simon No. 8-B, on which the casing was being pulled, preparatory to plugging and abandoning. Others in the crew said they had unscrewed a joint and were letting it down with a pick-up line, which came loose, allowing the joint to drop.

None of the other five members of the crew actually saw the accident, they said, as all ran when the joint started to fall. However, they said they believe he was struck by the casing buggy.

Working on the job with Mr. Nellis were D. M. Walter, M. A. Lapsley, Bill Hayhurst, O. R. Brown and Jim Vandagriff.

Walter, Lapsley, Hayhurst and Brown left immediately for Artesia with Mr. Nellis and Brown dropped off at the Carper Camp to phone to Artesia, asking that an ambulance and doctor meet the others who continued.

Funeral services are to be from Paulin Chapel at 4 o'clock this afternoon by Rev. Francis Geary, pastor of St. Anthony Catholic Church. Burial will be in Woodbine Cemetery.

Honorary pallbearers are to be J. T. Caudie, Charles Pyatt, Dr. J. Clarke, Sr., Glenn Booker, D. R. Watson, M. A. Lapsley, Reed Dowell, Glenn Robinson, O. R. Brown, Bill Boyce, B. E. Spencer, W. M. Fleming and Everett Lapsley.

The active pallbearers will be M. A. Mapes, Pat Ransport, Marshall Rowley, Stanley Carper, D. M. Walter and Dr. J. J. Clarke, Jr.

Mr. Nellis is survived by his widow, two children, James W. Nellis, Jr. of Carlsbad and Mrs. Mary Margaret Dunn of Midland, Texas; two sisters, Mrs. H. L. Jones of Naples, N. Y. and Mrs. M. E. Shannon of Bath, N. Y. and five grandchildren.

James Warren Nellis, a son of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Nellis, was born at Naples, N. Y., May 21, 1885.

On Jan. 27, 1913, at Bath, N. Y., he married Mary McNally, who survives with their two children.

Mr. Nellis and family came to Artesia in 1925 and worked since then almost continuously first with Emery Carper and then for the Carper Drilling Company, which was founded in 1936 and of which Mr. Carper is president. He was the oldest employe in point of service with the Carper Drilling Company.

Youths Who Are To Attend Third Annual Boys State Are Announced

Names of the local boys, all juniors in Artesia High School, who have been selected to attend the third annual New Mexico Boys State at Eastern New Mexico University, Portales, June 21-27, were announced this week by John Simons, Jr., chairman for the American Legion, sponsor.

Simons said five boys and three alternates have been named, but that the local post of the American Legion may be assigned a sixth boy to attend Boys State, in which case one of the alternates will be moved up.

The five are Clarence Connor, 17; Travers Waltrip, 17; Russell Johnson, 16; Don Kincaid, 17, and Bobby Thorp, 17. The alternates are James Briscoe, 17; Jimmy Neagle, 16, and Bob Bryant, 16.

The chairman said the American Legion will assume the complete sponsorship of one of the boys, but that the others are to have co-sponsoring organizations, which will underwrite the fee of \$30 each. They will be announced when all are obtained. In addition, the veterans' organization will transport the boys to and from Portales.

Simons said every American Legion post in New Mexico has been assigned a certain number of high school juniors to attend Boys State out of a total of 200. A boy in order to be eligible must be 15 to 19 years old, inclusive, and be selected by his principal.

Boys State is designed to develop civic leadership, so the qualities stressed in the selection of candidates are leadership, character, scholarship, service, and citizenship.

Simons said the objectives of Boys State are to educate the youth of New Mexico in the duties, privileges, rights, and responsibilities of true American citizenship, and to inspire and instill a deep sense of personal responsibility and obligation which citizenship entails.

At Boys State the 200 high school juniors from over the state will be divided into "cities" of 50 boys each. Two cities will comprise a "county" and the two "counties" will make up the "state." The boys will elect their own officials in each of the three categories, will make their own laws, and will hold their own courts.

From the state two outstanding boys will be selected to attend the American Legion Boys Nation, to be held at Washington, D. C., July 21-27, under the organization's national Americanism commission.

Committees Are Named Tuesday For V-J Day

Second meeting of the Artesia V-J Day celebration committee for this year has been called for 7:30 o'clock on the night of April 19 in the Veterans Memorial Building.

In a meeting held at 7:30 o'clock Tuesday night in the same place, first gathering of its kind this year and also the first since last December, five committees were set up.

J. T. (Jack) Easley, soon to retire as commander of Clarence Keppel Post 41 of the American Legion and vice chairman of the central committee, presided at the meeting.

Date of the fourth annual celebration (Continued on page 8)

Withers Named On State Freight Rate Board

C. L. Withers, vice president and general manager of the New Mexico Asphalt & Refining Company of Artesia, has been appointed as a member of the New Mexico Freight Rate Equalization Board, according to a notice from Santa Fe Thursday addressed to the Artesia Chamber of Commerce, the board of directors of which nominated him.

The equalization board is a statewide body formed to make a study aimed at more equitable freight rates in New Mexico.

It was created by the New Mexico Economic Development Commission, which, in turn, had been created by the State Legislature last year at the insistence of Chambers of Commerce, industry, and others throughout the state.

When the commission found one obstacle to economic development in the state was excessive freight rates, it set up the Freight Rate Equalization Board which, it is felt, will be able to do some good. It is made up of business and industrial leaders in the state.

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Membership Cards Delivered As Part Of Manager's Tour

Delivery of 1950 membership cards is being combined with a geographically mission by Bob Koonce, new manager of the Artesia Chamber of Commerce.

Mr. Koonce, who came here from Lovington, is making 10 to 15 personal calls daily on members for the purpose of getting acquainted and at the same time is delivering the gold and blue cards.

He asked that members be patient if they do not obtain their cards immediately.

Headquarters of the chamber of commerce is in the Artesia Hotel. Membership totals 165. Bill Stegentshler is president of the organization.

Growing Artesia Needs More Water

Growing Artesia is more thirsty than ever.

While it is not likely the water supply here will sink to the New York City rationing level, a peak load of four million gallons a day is estimated for this summer.

This means the city needs a sixth well to boost its water supply. To get that well the City Council has already acted on a recommendation of John D. Josey, Jr., city supervisor, and has made application for drilling the well to the state engineer.

A report by Josey, submitted at the last council meeting, summarizes the situation:

Average number of gallons used daily in 1949 was 1,900,000. Pumping capacity of the city water system for the heavy-draining summer months is only 3,400,000.

Based on this figure the city will need another well, says Josey, that will produce 1000 gallons a minute.

The four-million-gallon peak day is figured on the 14-hour period, from 7 o'clock in the forenoon to 9 o'clock at night, based on the requirement of two gallons a minute on 2000 meters.

Josey submitted a lengthy statistical table, showing by years 1940 to 1949, the number of meters, gallons of water pumped and used, and the difference between the two latter factors.

His report also contained a breakdown over the same period on the number of meters.

The city's present five wells can pump five and one half million gallons each 24 hours, equal to 126 1/2 acre feet, but even that amount isn't sufficient for evergreening needs.

The council has approved the recommendation that application be made to drill another artesian well located, Josey suggests, between Eighth and Mosley and 13th and Mosley; further, to make arrangements to use the well on 13th and Hermosa Drive as soon as possible.

From Dec. 31, 1949, to March 20

Church Services

Easter Sunday, April 9

The glorious story of the Resurrection will be told in hymn, prayer, sermon and special rites Sunday in Artesia as local churches join those of the nation and of the world in homage to the Saviour.

Some local churches will have reception of new members and baptisms as a part of their special services. Nearly all will have special Easter music.

At one church, a new choir will make its first appearance.

First Baptist

Meaning of Easter will be the theme of a sermon by Rev. V. E. McGuffin, assistant pastor, at 11 o'clock Sunday morning in First Baptist, corner Grand and Rose-lawn.

"My God and I" will be a special song by the 24-member choir, of which Rev. McGuffin is director. The choir will also sing at the 8 o'clock service that night.

Regular Sunday school classes will be held at 9:30 o'clock in the morning and training union at 7 that night.

First Methodist

Featuring Easter at First Methodist, 510 West Grand will be the cantata, "Victory," by the 32-voice choir, to be presented at 4:45 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

The choir is directed by Mrs. Glenn Caskey. Mrs. L. C. Bivins is organist.

Two special anthems will be sung by the choir at both the 8:30 and 11 o'clock services. Rev. R. L. Willingham, the pastor, will preach the sermon at each service.

Baptism and reception of new members will also be a part of each forenoon ceremony.

First Christian

Junior choir of the First Christian Church, 512 West Quay, will make its initial appearance at the morning worship at 11 o'clock.

The 40-voice white-robed choir will join the senior group in an

Easter hymn. M. D. Estill is director of the junior choir.

"The Risen Lord," by Finke and Hadler's "Thy Life Was Given for Me," will be other Easter music.

A baptismal ceremony will be held at 4 o'clock that afternoon. Rev. Arthur G. Bell, pastor, has announced.

Regular church school will be at 9:45 o'clock Sunday morning.

Maundy Thursday candlelight communion service was held at 7:30 o'clock last night.

Regular meeting of Chi Rho will be held at 5:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon of Christian Youth Fellowship, at 6:30.

First Presbyterian

Baptism, reception of new members and of a class of 13 communicants confirmed last (Palm) Sunday, with special music by the choir, led by Mrs. J. T. Caudle, will be parts of the 11 o'clock service at First Presbyterian, Fourth and Grand, of which Rev. Ralph L. O'Dell is pastor.

Loco Hills

A special Easter service will be held in Loco Hills Community Church at 11 o'clock. It will be conducted by the Rev. L. B. Trone, Pecos, Texas, district superintendent.

Lake Arthur

At noon there will be a basket dinner, it was announced by the pastor, Rev. Charles F. Mitchell, who is also pastor of Lake Arthur Methodist.

A sunrise service and breakfast will be held by the Lake Arthur church at the river.

St. Anthony

At St. Anthony's Catholic church the reversal of Masses that occurs only at Easter will be the order. Thus, the High Mass Eastern Sunday will be at 7:30, Low Mass at 9.

Sister Mary Irene, choir leader

Circle B Drive-In Theater, Opening Sunday, Something New To Artesia

Theater-goers of Artesia and vicinity are going to have to revise their habits come Sunday.

They will learn that gate-men have replaced doormen and ushers are now ramp ushers and not to back up automobiles.

Reason is the city's third and newest theater and the first of its kind here, the Circle B Drive-In Theater, will open. Location is one and one-half miles west of Artesia on the Hope highway. Other local theaters are the Landsun and Occitilo.

The Circle B has a red and yellow color scheme and is in ranch style. It's so western that cattle brands, many of them local, decorate the concession building.

Also, to the children's delight, there is also found the brand of Hopalong Cassidy, the Bar 20.

Here's the way the new place looks:

You drive your car up to the entrance gate and ticket stand on the west side of the theater.

A gate-man asks the customary "how many?" takes your money to the cashier, returns with change and tickets, after dropping the stubs in a box. Your ticket is put under the windshield wiper on your car.

Now you drive up one of the nine circular caliche based ramps, point your car toward the 30x40 foot screen, with the metal post supporting the basket-held in a car speaker by the driver's door.

You lift out the speaker and hook it on your car and you're all

and organist, will lead the choir at the High Mass, which will be followed by Benediction.

Today, Good Friday, Mass of the Presanctified was said at 7:30 o'clock. Way of the Cross will be at 3 o'clock this afternoon. At 7:30 tonight will be the Way of the Cross and sermon by the pastor, Rev. Francis Geary.

Blessing of the Easter Water, New Fire, Paschal Candle and Baptismal Water will be at 7:30 o'clock tomorrow morning, to be followed by the Mass.

Confessions will be heard from 4 to 5 o'clock Saturday afternoon and again from 7:30 to 8:30 o'clock

set to enjoy the show. Incidentally, that night.

the speakers are 1950 models, lighter, less cumbersome than the old and have volume control. Cords are eight feet long.

If you are hard of hearing you can make just the right adjustment to enjoy the film, due to this volume control device.

Hungry? Thirsty? Well, there will be a pushcart that can come right up with refreshments. In case you want to get out of your car you can find soft drinks, coffee, hot dogs, ice cream, popcorn and candy also inside the concession building.

And, to add to your further enjoyment, maybe you'd like to sit outside your car to see the picture. Right in front of the concession place is a patio with eight tables, 32 chairs.

Maybe the children are too young to take much interest in the show. Instead of having to leave them at home, there's a place for them to play, a fenced in area containing a merry-go-round, slide, teeter-totter.

The play area is near the base of the screen which rises 60 feet above the ground.

Rest rooms and the projection booth are located in sections of the concession location, which is situated one-third of the distance from the screen to the sheet metal fence that surrounds the 400-car capacity area.

When the show is over and you are ready to leave, don't back up for you'll likely ram a car back of you if you do. Just drive straight ahead, into the next ramp lane and head toward the exit gate on the east.

Although out of place at this point, it might be well to remind you to be careful in parking your car near the posts. Watch the cord length as you maneuver so as not to break it, in case you affix the speaker to your door, then move your car for adjustment of vision to the screen.

Construction of the \$60,000 theater began with surveying and grading last Nov. 1. Actual building was in full swing in mid-January

and the job was finished the first of this month.

J. E. Waller, who has headquarters in Lubbock, Texas, was the contractor.

Pictures to be shown at the Circle B will be 25 per cent first run, balance best of second run, Ray Bartlett, theater owner, said.

For the premiere, the pictures will be one featuring Russ Morgan's orchestra; a cartoon, "Barber of Seville"; one of Universal's specials, "The Nevada Trail," in technicolor and Paramount's technicolor and picturization of the John Fox, Jr., classic "Trail of the Lonesome Pine," in which the chief players will be Henry Fonda, Fred Mac-

Murray and Sylvia Sidney.

Gate will open at 6:30 o'clock Sunday night; shows begin at 7 and 9 o'clock. This will be the regular nightly schedule with the exception of a "step-up" of 15 or 20 minutes as the days grow longer.

Admission will be 15 cents for children under 12 years of age; 35 cents for those in the high school range and 45 cents for adults. These prices include tax.

Staff of the Circle B:

Fred Stowe, manager and chief projectionist; Mrs. Ralph McWhorter, cashier; Robert and Gary Blair, brothers, gate-men; Altha Crouch and Barbara Bowman, who will work in concessions; Sidney Jenkins, Amon Howard, ramp ushers.

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Guy Chevrolet Co. first knew Mr. Gilman as district manager with the Chevrolet Division of General Motors Corporation. His territory included the southern half of New Mexico and El Paso, Texas. During 1948 and 1949 he made regular visits in Artesia and at that time Guy Chevrolet Co. was under his supervision. Mr. Guy was very much impressed with the efficient way he handled his job and he liked the way they operated, so Mr. Guy offered him the place of general sales manager over all departments of the organization and he moved to Artesia with his family Aug. 1, 1949.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilman with their son and daughter, reside at 301 Bullock Avenue. He is a member of the Lions Club and Junior Chamber of Commerce.

During World War II he served as an instructor for the U. S. Air Force near Phoenix, Ariz., for three years.

Mr. Gilman tells us that he likes Artesia and plans to be here to see it become the city we all expect. He is a very enthusiastic salesman, for he knows that when selling Chevrolets, Buicks and Oldsmobiles, he is selling the best cars for the money, backed by one of the oldest manufacturers of quality automobiles and the oldest automotive sales and service dealer in Artesia.



Ray Griffin
Truck Specialist

Four years ago, Mr. Griffin came to Artesia from Hobbs, N. M. Ray and Mrs. Griffin have two sons and own their home at 208 South Cowan. He spent three years in the U. S. Navy yards on the West Coast. As an active member in the 20-30 Club and the Elks, he is interested in civic improvements.

Mr. Griffin came to Guy Chevrolet Co. from the Cox Motor Co. April 15. His experience in the automobile business is varied, as he has worked as a salesman in parts, accessories, tires, cars and trucks. Ray has had a lot of experience in trucks and special truck equipment. If you bring your hauling problems to him, he will recommend the size of truck, the kind of body or special equipment that will best suit your needs.



Mr. Clyde Guy, Owner

Mr. Guy has owned and directed the Guy Chevrolet Company since 1926. Mr. and Mrs. Guy have two sons, Joe Lamar and Eddie and own their home at 705 Grand Avenue.

Mr. Guy came to Artesia in 1925 when it was just a small community of about 3000 people. His business has kept pace with the town and has expanded from four employees at its beginning to 36 today. Like other foresighted business men in this area, his faith in Artesia has helped it grow to its present size.

Mr. Guy's able direction and administration of the company's business and policies have made the Guy Chevrolet Company one of the most outstanding automobile dealerships in New Mexico. Through his sound judgment and fair treatment of customers he has given Artesia one of its most substantial business establishments.

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James Anderson
Used Car Manager

Mr. Anderson came to Artesia 14 years ago from Littlefield, Texas. He is married, has a son 15 years old and own his home at 601 Dallas Avenue. He is an active member in the Elks Lodge.

Mr. Anderson came to Guy Chevrolet from Boyd-Cole Motor Co. the first of this year. He has had several years experience in the automobile business, specializing in used cars. His knowledge of the used car market and of car values enable him to give you top dollar value for your trade in or to recommend the best buy in the OK Used Cars.



Orville "Rooster" Durbin
New Car Manager

"Rooster" doesn't remember living any place other than Artesia, for it was 21 years ago that he came here. Mr. and Mrs. Durbin have a daughter and son. They own their home at 813 South Fifth Street. Orville spent two years in the U. S. Marine Corps in the South Central and Asiatic Pacific. He is active in the V.F.W., on the board of directors of the 20-30 Club and the Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Mr. Durbin has been engaged in the automobile business for 10 years and all of this time he has been with Guy Chevrolet Co. He has served as service station attendant, parts manager, service manager and new car manager. His grand personality has won for him a host of friends. His wide knowledge of the mechanics and the construction of the new Buicks, Oldsmobiles and Chevrolets is very beneficial in helping you appreciate the comfort, performance and economy offered in these fine cars. He will appreciate the opportunity of helping you select your next new car.

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Eddy Rancher Heads Cattlemen



New officers of the New Mexico Cattle Growers Association, left to right: J. S. Culberson, Lordsburg, vice president; Roy Forehand Carlsbad, president; Hal R. Cox, Las Cruces, vice president, and W. R. Thompson, Santa Rosa, vice president. Ed Heringa of Clayton, another vice president, was not present because of illness in his family.

Roy Forehand, Carlsbad rancher, was elected president of the New Mexico Cattle Growers Association at the conclusion of the 36th annual convention in Albuquerque March 28. Vice presidents named were Hal R. Cox, Las Cruces; J. S. Culberson, Lordsburg; Ed Heringa, Clayton, and W. R. Thompson of Santa Rosa. Horace H. Hening, Albuquerque, was re-elected secretary.

More than 3000 of the organization's 5387 members attended the three-day meeting and voiced strong opposition to current federal spending and a trend toward Socialism in the nation's capitol.

Other resolutions adopted called for public lists of all state employees to be issued at periodical intervals. The Brannon Farm Plan was rejected as being "unsound and entirely impractical."

Calling for basic legislation to cover administration of the Forest Service, the group requested Congress to "unremittingly work to preserve the Taylor Grazing Act."

The association called for speedy construction of an international boundary between this country and the republic of Mexico from El Paso west, endorsed S-3038 which would establish record of title to all lands held by the federal government, urged more work in beef cattle improvement, and recommended more research in cattle disease known as "water belly," and commended the governments of the United States and Mexico on the successful campaign to eradicate foot and mouth disease south of the border.

A special committee headed by W. O. Culberson, Jr., of Bueyeros recommended an over-all program to prevent cattle theft in New Mexico.

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- CRACKERS Sunshine Krispy lb box 27c
- SUGAR Powdered or Brown 2 1/2 lb 25c
- PORK & BEANS Van Camp 303 can 14c
- SARDINES Alco flat can 9c
- SALMON Raec Land 45c
- RIPE OLIVES Haases 8 1/2 oz tall can 39c
- SYRUP Vermont Maid 12 oz bottle 29c
- PEANUT BUTTER K B 12 oz mug 41c
- PINTO BEANS Mountain Pass No. 2 can 25c
- KRAFT DINNER 2 1/2 lb 25c
- JELLY Rex 5 lb jar 69c

SALAD DRESSING
Miracle Whip Pint 29c

BLEACH Sani Clor Quart 10c

- Fresh Dressed Fryers lb. 63c
- Bacon Squares lb. 18c
- Fresh Cut Pork Chops lb. 43c
- Picnic Hams lb. 33c
- Half or whole Hams lb. 48c
- Peyton's Slab Bacon lb. 33c
- Peyton's Ace or Wilson Lakeview Sliced Bacon lb. 29c
- Mountain Crisp Lettuce lb. 12c
- Golden Ripe Bananas lb. 12c
- Cabbage lb. 7c
- Celery lb. 9c
- Yellow Onions lb. 7c
- Delicious Apples lb. 15c
- Sunkist Oranges lb. 12c

CHEESE SPREAD Asstd. 23c

CRACKERS Hi Ho 1 lb box 29c

MACARONI Franco American 19c

POTATOES 50 lb bag 1.15

PINTO BEANS 5 lb Bag 39c

RICE White House 14 oz 14c

LEMON JUICE Tree Sweet 13c

- GRAPEFRUIT JUICE Kimbles No. 2 can 19c
- ORANGE JUICE Del Monte No. 2 can 21c
- CORN Mission whole kernel 12 oz can 10c
- PEARS Hunt's No. 2 1/2 can 25c
- DOG FOOD Champ 3 1/2 lb 25c
- DOG FOOD Ideal 2 1/2 lb 25c
- SPAM 12 ounce can 39c
- STRAWBERRIES Frozen 47c
- BABY LIMA BEANS Diamond 303 can 3 1/2 lb 25c
- CAKE MIX Cinch 42c
- FINE TOILET SOAP Wrisley—in plastic bag 59c
- VEL Beauty Soap bar 25c
- VEG ALL 303 size 19c
- PICKLES Hunt's C.H.B. Country Style 34c
- PIGS FEET Wilson's 9 oz jar 25c
- KOOL AIR Assorted flavors 3 1/2 lb 10c

Large Size **TIDE** 22c
Diamond Cream Style No. 2 can **CORN** 10c

LARGE FAB with wash cloth 2 1/2 lb 58c

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REGULAR 5c BARS **Candy and Gum** 3 1/2 lb 10c

KOBEY'S 303 can **Shoestring Potatoes** 15c

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Rev. O'Dell Brings Easter Message To White Shrine; Substitutes Named

Rev. Ralph O'Dell, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, brought an Easter message to members and guests of the White Shrine No. 2, Order of the White Shrine of Jerusalem, at a meeting Tuesday evening in the Masonic Temple.

Preceding the meeting a covered-dish supper was enjoyed by members and guests. The dining tables were covered with white linen tablecloths and centered with a large basket of yellow and purple flowers and yellow tapers tied with purple bows in crystal holders.

During the dinner hour Miss Marietta Woodruff of Carlsbad, formerly of Artesia, entertained by whistling several numbers. She was accompanied by Mrs. Joanna Gerhardt of Carlsbad.

Mrs. Owen Hensley, worthy high priestess, and Ralph Pitt, watchman of shepherds, presided over the business meeting.

Mrs. Ott Strock was installed as third handmaid by Mrs. Rufus Stinnett, assisted by Mrs. O. A. Pearson.

Mrs. Hensley appointed Mrs. Clarence Roach color bearer and Mrs. C. A. Mesinger Shrine banner bearer.

Mrs. Hensley announced the following substitute officers: Mrs. Earl Darst, worthy high priestess; Dr. D. M. Schneberg, watchman of shepherds; Mrs. Rufus Stinnett, noble prophetess; Arba Green, associate watchman of shepherds; Mrs. A. R. Wood, worthy scribe.

Mrs. Don Riddle, worthy treasurer; Mrs. Lewis Story, worthy chaplain; Mrs. Clarence Roach, worthy shepherdess; Mrs. Oscar Pearson, worthy guide; Mrs. Clare Mesinger, worthy herald.

Rufus Stinnett, first wise man; Claud Hacknew of Carlsbad, second wise man; J. L. Briscoe, third wise man; Stanley Carper, king; Mrs. Max Stephens, queen; Miss Ina Cole, first handmaid; Mrs. Saide Bowen, Hagerman, second handmaid; Mrs. Buford Gray, third handmaid.

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Building-Loan Officers Have Been Re-Elected

Emery Carper and Clyde Guy were re-elected president and vice president, respectively, of the Artesia Building & Loan Association Monday, when the board of directors organized for the coming year after the annual stockholders' meeting.

Besides Carper and Guy, the other three old directors were re-elected and the board was increased to seven by the naming of two new directors.

Those re-elected were Allan K. Richardson, Glenn Booker and Sam Sanders. The new directors are Hollis G. Watson and Tom Heflin.

The board re-elected Harry Nelson and John E. Cochran, Jr., as secretary and attorney, respectively.

By-laws of the association, which were amended last October, were ratified by the stockholders at their meeting.

Miss Woodruff whistled, "Calm As the Night," accompanied by Mrs. Gerhardt, during the meeting.

A duet composed of Glenn Caskey and Howard O. Miller sang, "Open the Gates of the Temple," and "The Palms."

Rev. O'Dell talked on "The Meaning of Christ's Resurrection For Today."

To celebrate the resurrection of Christ as a past event is worthless for us today," said Rev. O'Dell. "To think of Christ's resurrection in terms of enjoying eternal life in some distant Heaven is also worthless. The only time a human being can live is that moment of time we call the present. You cannot go back and live the past moment, you cannot jump ahead and live one moment in the future. The only moment you can ever live is the present one. This is a practical case of this thing we call time."

Mrs. Hensley announced the Supreme Shrine will meet May 2-4 in Omaha, Neb.

Owen Hensley, husband of the worthy high priestess, and their daughter, Miss Carol Hensley, grand worthy advisor of the Order of Rainbow for Girls of New Mexico; Mrs. Ralph O'Dell, and Howard O. Miller were guests of the Shrine during the Easter program.

Miss Carol Hensley, Worthy Advisor of Rainbow, On Visits

Miss Carol Hensley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Owen Hensley, has returned to Artesia from the University of New Mexico in Albuquerque to begin her official visits as grand worthy advisor for the state of New Mexico of the Order of Rainbow for Girls.

There are 36 assemblies throughout the state, and it will take her eight weeks to complete the inspection.

Miss Hensley is enrolled in the fine arts department of the university, is an honor student, and had a part in the last major production at Roddy Theater, which ran two weeks. She will return to the university next fall.

Four Babies Are Born At Hospital Tuesday, Wednesday

Two girls and two boys were born in Artesia General Hospital Tuesday and Wednesday. They were:

A daughter, Peggy Kay, born Tuesday to Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Rhoades. She weighed seven pounds 12 ounces.

A son, Teddy Lane, born Wednesday to Mr. and Mrs. Henry G. Savoie. He weighed five pounds eight ounces.

A son, born Wednesday to Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Hartwell, weighed seven pounds three ounces and has not been named.

A daughter, born Wednesday to Mr. and Mrs. Ted Buck has not been named. She weighed eight pounds four ounces.

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Attendants For 'Womanless Wedding' Named

In connection with the "Womanless Wedding," sponsored by the local chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star, Mrs. Harold Kersey, worthy matron, today told of attendants named for the ceremony.

The play is to be staged at 8 o'clock Friday night, April 14, in the high school auditorium.

Miss Tiny Oats is played by Coach Jack Tinson; her fiancé, J. Fliverton Barley III, by J. D. Smith.

Maid of honor will be Miss Mudie Ricefield (Bill Siegenthaler); Percy Birdseed (Lawrence Coll) will be best man.

Henry Weatherarts, uncle of the bride (C. E. Johns), and Mrs. Wheathearts, aunt of the bride (F. L. Green), will come for their niece's wedding. Mr. Shucky Stringbeans, (Cecil Waldrep) has been named ring bearer.

Kate and Duplicate Cornsnut (Tom Johnson and Emmett Gage) will be train bearers. Miss Oats has selected the following bridesmaids: Lee Francis, Thaid Cox, G. W. Watts, and David Sakin.

The bride's grandparents are planning to be here also. Pappy Roke'n Rye (Boone Barnett) and Granny Rye (Dick Corbett).

Two young ladies have been selected for the ushers, Bill Keys and Marshall Rowley. Rev. Tieknot (Everett Blomberg) will officiate at the ceremony.

Invitations are being extended to the public for this "Womanless Wedding."

Rebekah Lodge Announces Baby Contest Winners

Mrs. Jack Conner, noble grand of the Rebekah Lodge has announced the winners in the baby contest that was conducted by the lodge and closed Monday evening. They were:

First prize winner of age group 3 to 6 years was Charlotte Jean Frazier, and second prize winner of the same age group was Tommy Wayne Box.

First prize winner of age group of infants to 3 years old was Ronnie Lanning, and second prize winner was Karen Evans.

Honorable mentions were Daave Anna Jenkins, Alice Estella Roark, Donna Gayle Ham, Elizabeth Diane Adams, Virginia Lynn Warren, and Dennis Robinson.

S. & S. Society Has Regular Meeting At Mermis Home

The S. & S. Society had its regular monthly meeting Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Fred Mermis.

The afternoon was spent in sewing, after which the hostess served refreshments to Mmes. Orvil Bratcher, Melvin Mayberry, Paul Morris, Button Shultz, David King, and M. Tipps.

The next meeting will be at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, May 3, at the home of Mrs. Button Shultz.

Catholic Women To Attend Area Spring Session

Artesia will be represented at the diocesan spring convention of the National Council of Catholic Women, to be held in Las Cruces on April 25.

Rev. Francis Geary, pastor of St. Anthony's, said a delegation would go from this city to the convention. The pastor will also attend.

Two conventions are held each year, one in the spring, one in the fall. The latter is always in El Paso, Artesia is in the El Paso diocese, of which His Excellency, Most Rev. Sydney M. Metzger is bishop.

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Mrs. Parks Is Elected President Of Artesia Woman's Club Wednesday

Mrs. Robert Parks was elected president of the Artesia Woman's Club for the year of 1950-51 at a meeting Wednesday afternoon at the clubhouse. She will succeed Mrs. H. R. Paton.

Other officers elected to serve were: First vice president, Mrs. Carl Lewis; second vice president, Mrs. Grady Wright; recording secretary, Mrs. S. M. Laughlin; treasurer, Mrs. L. F. Hamilton, and corresponding secretary, Mrs. David Saikin. Mrs. Paton conducted the business meeting.

The club is sponsoring Becky Sharpe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Sharpe, to attend Girls State, which is sponsored by the American Legion Auxiliary. The federated news was given by Mrs. Fred Cole.

The Study Group of the club will meet Wednesday, April 12, at the home of Mrs. Robert Parks.

Refreshments of cookies and punch were served by the hostesses to guests and members. The table was covered with a linen cloth, and the trays were circled with greenery.

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Mrs. Joe Rainey Is Honored At Shower By Faithful Workers

Mrs. Joe Rainey was honored with a pink and blue shower by members of the Faithful Workers Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church at the regular meeting Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Paul Hewger, with Mrs. Leroy Holly as co-hostess.

After the business meeting the group enjoyed the shower for Mrs. Rainey. The meeting closed with a prayer service and hymn singing.

Those present were Mrs. J. T. Mitchell, teacher of the class, and Mmes. Joe Rainey, Cletus Tapp, Orville Chambers, W. D. Canningham, Marshal Belshe, David Simons, Fred Brewer, Joe Little, G. W. Wallace, W. T. Cranford, Ellen Murphy, John Simons, Jr., Charles Correll, William Holly, and Rufus Lee members.

Lioness Club Meets Wednesday Evening At D. D. Archer Home

The Lioness Club met Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. D. D. Archer with 13 members and three new members, Mrs. Clarence Key, Mrs. Chuck Johns, and Mrs. W. M. Jackson, present.

Mrs. Fred Cole, president, presided over the business meeting. After the business meeting a canasta was enjoyed. Refreshments of ice cream and cake was served and the Easter theme was carried out in the decorations.

Three Members Of Rebekah Lodge Are Honored At Supper

Three members of the Rebekah Lodge were honored Monday evening with a birthday supper at the I.O.O.F. Hall. They were Mrs. Bob Shepard, Mrs. Frank Thomas, and Mrs. Fannie Bruton.

The hall was decorated in greenery, and spring flowers were used on the table. About 75 members and their families enjoyed the supper.

The honored guests received nice gifts from their "mystery friends."

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FLOCALS

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Joe Hamman, sales manager of Artesia Auto Company, was called Tuesday to Denver by the death of his brother, Harlan, 50. Death was due to a heart attack. The Denver man, a salesman, made trips over a wide territory, was in Artesia a month ago.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Blue and daughter, Sally, spent last week visiting Mrs. Blue's sister, Mrs. John Birdwell, and Mr. Birdwell. Miss Georgia Ault left Friday of last week for Socorro, where she entered a hospital.

Miss Hilda Seivers of Oakland, Calif., arrived Tuesday for a two-week visit in the home of her sister, Mrs. Tom Hefflin, and Mr. Hefflin.

Misses Alyce Erickson, Alma, Sue Felix, and Nancy Haynes, and Misses Leota Williams, Augusta Spratt, and Nellie Gray Hamann attended the Delta Kappa Gamma state convention in Ruidoso last week end. They reported a large crowd attended this convention.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Carpenter and son, Don, a student at New Mexico Military Institute, Roswell, left Thursday on a 10-day vacation trip to Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Smith and son, Clarence, Jr., returned Monday night from El Paso, where they attended a baseball game between the New York Giants and the Cleveland Indians Monday afternoon.

Guests this week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Tatman are Mrs. Tatman's brother, E. L. Stone, and Mrs. Stone, and their daughter, Mary, of Hollywood, Calif. On Tuesday the guests visited Mrs. Stone's sister, Mrs. R. T. Schenck, and Mr. Schenck in Lakewood.

Rev. C. H. Murdock, pastor of the Baptist Church of Lakewood, is ill in a hospital in Carlsbad.

Merton D. Smith of Sioux City, Iowa, arrived Thursday morning for a visit in the home of his cousin, Mrs. Owen Hensley, and Mr. Hensley.

Miss Janice Lou Cranford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Cranford, a student at Abilene (Texas) Christian College, arrived home Thursday morning to spend the Easter holidays with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Fairley and Miss Carol Hensley left Thursday morning to spend the Easter holidays with Mrs. Fairley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Webster of Breckenridge, Texas.

Miss Fid Hamill, daughter of Mrs. Mittie Hamill, entered Artesia hospital Tuesday evening for an appendectomy. She is doing nicely.

Mrs. Robert McKee and children, Sherill and Bobby, of Denver, Colo., left for their home Tuesday evening after visiting Mrs. McKee's sister, Mrs. Neil Watson, and Mr. Watson.

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LEE STULCE

A top-ranking clergyman, Dr. John L. Slaughter of Birmingham, Ala., will conduct a two-week series of evangelistic services starting Sunday in First Baptist Church, corner Grand and Roselawn.

Hours will be 10 o'clock in the morning and 7:30 o'clock at night. Dr. Slaughter's engagement for the special services here was made two years ago when he was chairman of a committee on evangelism of the Southern Baptist Convention.

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St. Anthony Altar Society, baked food sale, Batie Food store, 9 a.m.

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Capt. Jack-O-Diamonds and his Hollywood Daredevil Aces are appearing in Artesia Saturday, April 15, for a safety-day tradesday program.

This program is free to the public and is being paid for and sponsored by leading merchants of Artesia and surrounding towns through the co-operation of the United Veterans Club.

The downtown safety-day parade is in the making and if plans are completed the parade will start at 2 o'clock and the downtown free show will start at 2:30 o'clock.

The 10 big daring auto and motorcycle thrill show at the Veterans' Speedway on the municipal airport west of Artesia will start at 2:30 o'clock Sunday, April 16. The gates will open at 1 o'clock and members of the United Veterans Club will be on hand to open the gates and sell tickets. The price of the two-hour Sunday show is \$1.20 for adults and 60 cents for children under 14.

Capt. Jack-O-Diamonds has gone to considerable expense to bring such well known stars as Miss Audrey Laster, world's champion lady daredevil stunt driver and flaming board wall crash artist and Al Kruger, one of the youngest stunt drivers in America, who will do his featuring daring leap with a standard stock automobile (furnished by the D. & D. Auto Sales. Kruger will leap this car over the distance of a bus. The troupe has been unable to borrow a bus locally, so he will leap the distance over a Greyhound bus and six or eight cars and land on top of the sixth or eighth car body.

Kruger comes from Santa Monica, Calif. and has been with the troupe the last six months of this season. He has gained quite a reputation as one of the most daring stuntmen in the game today.

Also performing will be the widely-known James Bird, known as Rocko the Clown and Harry (Speedy) Barney, also widely known who hails from the West Coast. He will thrill the spectators with his thrilling motorcycle acts of crashing a flaming board wall and also his flaming tunnel of death.

Don Maxwell and "Speedy" Barney will work as a team in many of the daring acts. Cars will be driven at 50 to 60 miles an hour in head-on collisions and T-bone crash, dive bomber and reverse spin. These daredevils will crash speeding cars through blazing board walls.

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Chorus And Band Concert Is To Be Held On Tuesday

A pre-festival music concert will be presented by the Artesia High School chorus and band in the school auditorium at 8 o'clock next Tuesday evening, with the vocal and instrumental numbers directed by Howard O. Miller and Russell Lewis, Jr., respectively.

The two groups will take part in the annual Southeast New Mexico music festival at Roswell Friday and Saturday of next week.

In the concert next Tuesday, after the vocal and instrumental groups have performed individually, both will take part in the finale.

Admission for the pre-festival concert will be 50 cents for adults and 25 cents for children. Students' activity tickets will be honored.

will participate. A percentage of the proceeds will go to the Boy Scouts.

Announcement was made here by Bill High, a Carlsbad barber shopper, who will sing on the program.

He said the program will feature the "Flying L Quartet" of Tulsa, Okla., which sang at the inauguration of President Truman.

Other quartets which will participate will include the "Melody Makers" of Pampa, Texas; "The Plainsmen" and "Chord Bored Four" of Lubbock, Texas; "Sage Bloomers" of El Paso, and "The Harmonizers" and "Cavern City Four" of Carlsbad.

"The Pecos Valley Four" of Artesia is composed of V. F. Lowery, tenor; Ben Caudle, lead; Albert Linell, baritone, and Howard Haynes, bass.

High said reserved seats will be \$1.80 and the seats behind them will be \$1.50, while seats in the balcony will be \$1, all tax included.

After the parade at the high school, the quartets will move to the Carlsbad Woman's Club for an afterglow, at which refreshments will be served. Admission for the afterglow will be \$1.50.

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Growing—

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For the present to stop all future meter connections, and if the new well could be located on 13th and Mosley an eight-inch line would have to be run from Mosley to Hermosa Drive and it would be advisable to do the same even if the new well was located at Eighth and Mosley.

Table with 2 columns: Year, Meters. Rows include 1940-41, 1941-42, 1942-43, 1943-44, 1944-45, 1945-46, 1947-48, 1948-49, 1949-49.

Total 1155
Years preceding July 1 to June 30, last period, July 1, 1949-Dec. 31, 1949.
The report also gave the yearly total, 1940-49 on new meters, gallons of water used and pumped, and difference. First year there were 80 meters, 188,701,000 gallons used, 233,979,000 gallons pumped, difference, 44,278,000.

Paul Dillard—

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be staged on the night of April 22. A club banquet will be held at the Masonic Temple, Jess Holmes, of the New Mexico Educational Society, will be the featured speaker. His topic will be "New Mexico's No. 1 Problem."

National Guard—

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tional Guard in the detachment. The medical detachment of the battalion was formerly located at Hobbs, but was transferred here when the doctor in command left that community.
First Lt. Marshall Belshe, commanding officer of Battery C, called attention to the young men of the community that the National Guard meets each Wednesday evening at the armory and invited those interested to attend and learn more about the service.

Committees—

bration will be Aug. 10-12.
Unfinished business of the committee includes publicity, finance, ticket sales, rodeo queen.
Howard Brown of Dublin, Texas,

who produced the rodeo here for the last two years, will again be in charge of that event for the 1950 celebration.

Committee appointments were:
"Fred" Jacobs, rodeo grounds;
"Doc" Elvin, John Lemley, John Norman Rogers, concessions; Garland Stuart, program; Jack Fauntleroy, Judge Roy Bean court; Harry Gilmore, dance; Julius Chandler, awards; Hugh Donald Bureh, chuck wagon feed.
Others present at the meeting were:
Bob Koonce, manager Artesia Chamber of Commerce; John Simons, Jr. and Bill White and Hub Mathis, the latter two representing the Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Withers—

Shippers in this area who feel they are being discriminated against were asked to compile facts and figures on the ways in which freight rates affect their businesses and to present them to Withers. This should be done promptly. It was pointed out, as the first statewide meeting of the board probably will be held in May.
William M. Siegenthaler, president of the Artesia Chamber of Commerce, said the chamber feels honored by the appointment of Withers, who is chairman of the industrial development committee of the Chamber of Commerce.

Simons—

central committee of the United Veterans Club. He is to announce his appointments for adjutant and service officer at the time of the installation.
Commander Easley announced that at the May meeting, besides the installation of officers, there will be an initiation ceremony for all members who have never been initiated.

At that time there also will be an election of delegates and alternates to the annual New Mexico department convention.

Quentin Rodgers and Curtis Bolton were appointed to serve on the veterans' delegation of the general community recreational program committee, which is to meet at 7:30 o'clock Saturday evening at the city hall. The Veterans of Foreign Wars is to name two members and the Disabled American Veterans one.

Jerry Losee, membership chairman, reported the post has a membership of 225, as against a quota of 273, which he urged be met by May 1, on which date national awards are made.

J. B. (Buster) Mulcock, vice commander, resigned, as he has entered the race as a candidate for state treasurer.

Bill Dunnam, service officer for the three veterans' organizations, who recently returned home from the Veterans Hospital at Albuquerque, where he was a patient several months, was welcomed back with a rising ovation.

Grocery Opens

35-Foot Extension

Shoppers who go today to the H. & J. Food Basket, corner of South First and Centre, will find a 35-foot addition to the frame and stucco building.

Present length of the structure is 110 feet; former length, 75 feet. The store has a big parking area.
It was only a month ago that the business opened but already trade was increased to the extent making necessary the extra space.

In a part of the annex will be a 10x20-foot produce walk-in box for sale of vegetables and especially for watermelons.

There are two employees, Buck McBea, meat cutter, and Arthur Dean Brown, produce man. Owners, J. T. Haile and Bert Jones, are both veterans. Haile was in the Navy, Jones the Army. Mr. Haile was formerly manager of Safeway Stores and of Batie's local grocery concerns, before going into partnership with Mr. Jones, who for two years was manager here of the C. R. Anthony Company department store.

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

Holsum Is Better Bread
FOR SALE—Dressed turkeys at the Locker Plant. Bryant Williams. 52-tfc

Holsum Is Better Bread
FOR SALE—New two-room house, 12x24, to be moved, price \$600. Call 082-J5. 25-4tp-29

Holsum Is Better Bread
FOR SALE—Cushman motor scooter, Model 1949. See at Artesia Advocate or call 097-NR6. 3-tfc

Holsum Is Better Bread
FOR SALE—Two outdoor motors and two boats and trailers. Will sell separately. Victor Haldeman, phone 088-J4. 23-tfc

Holsum Is Better Bread
FOR SALE—Get your baby chicks now. Hatches each Tuesday and Friday. McCaw Hatchery & Poultry Farm, Box 485, 13th and Grand, Artesia N. M. 22-tfc

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FOR SALE—Three-bedroom house 1105 Merchant. Call Ann Stefaniko, Phone 200-R. 23-tfc

Holsum Is Better Bread
FOR SALE—College Acala cotton seed 1517-A registered. Phone 085-R4, H. L. Green. 27-2tp-28

Holsum Is Better Bread
FOR SALE—Easter bunnies. Melvin Schneider, 904 West Hank. 27-2tp-28

Holsum Is Better Bread
FOR SALE—Three-room house and three lots. 812 North Roselawn. 27-2tp-28

Holsum Is Better Bread
STUDENT'S ZIPPER BINDERS, two-ring, choice of colors and finishes. Artesia Advocate. 27-2tp-28

Holsum Is Better Bread
FOR SALE—New three-bedroom house at 1103 Bullock Avenue with Hot Point kitchen. Phone 749-W after 4 p. m. May see after 7 p. m. 25-tfc

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Holsum Is Better Bread
FOR SALE—Canaries. Phone 097-NR6. 17-tfc

Holsum Is Better Bread
FOR SALE—Nursery stock, evergreens and flowering shrubs. Billy Albert, 1104 Merchant, phone 557. 28-tfc

Holsum Is Better Bread
FOR SALE OR TRADE—Good 1939 Buick. Phone 666. 28-2tp-29

Holsum Is Better Bread
FOR SALE—Fryers. Boone Jones, one mile south, two miles east. 28-3tp-30

Holsum Is Better Bread
FOR SALE—Tomato and pepper plants. Jim Wheeler. 301 E. Mosley. 28-2tp-29

Holsum Is Better Bread
FOR SALE—One show case, 8 ft. long, 42 in. high, 26 in. wide, fair condition. 114 W. Main Street or call 688-W. 28-tfc

Holsum Is Better Bread
FOR SALE—Real estate. If you want to buy or sell, see us. Check our listings. Key & Haskins, 412 West Texas. Phone 877. 28-tfc

FOR RENT—Tank type vacuum cleaner with attachments. Artesia Furniture Co., 2035 West Main, phone 517. 61-tfc

FOR RENT—Furnished three-room house. Apply at 412 West Dallas or phone 576. 28-1tp

FOR RENT—Small furnished apartment, private bath, private entrance, 506 West Dallas or phone 976-W or 538-W. 27-2tp-28

FOR RENT—Three-room unfurnished apartment, private bath. Two miles east, one-half mile south on Lovington Highway, phone 088-R2. 28-tfc

FOR RENT—Three-room apartments. 1008 North Roselawn. 28-4tp-31

FOR RENT, SALE OR TRADE—Good two-room house, just re-finished; also 13 acres on Roswell highway; 240 acres raw land, \$15 acre. C. C. Smith, phone 893-J. 24-5tp-28

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

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

FOR RENT—vacuum cleaners, floor polishers and portable sewing machines. Roselawn Radio Service, 106 S. Roselawn, phone 868. 28-tfc

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

Miscellaneous
FOR PHOTOSTATS see Rodke, 314 Booker Bldg. Fast confidential service, reasonable rates. Phone 0190-R2. 28-1tc

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

Miscellaneous
DONS' REAL ESTATE
Established reliable agents for farms, ranches, homes, businesses, lots and acreages. Call or see Don or Don, 314 Carper Building, phone 79. 27-5tc-31

Miscellaneous
HOUSE CLEANING TIME!
Rugs and furniture dry cleaned and shampooed, prices reasonable. All work guaranteed satisfactory. Call 299-W, A. R. Anderson. 27-3tp-29

Miscellaneous
ELECTROLUX SALES AND SERVICE
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Wanted
TIM'S PICK-UP AND DELIVERY SERVICE.
Phone 1055 5-tfc

WANTED To do concrete work in or out of Artesia. Also callie fill for driveways and roads. See Pablo Alvarez, 908 West Grand, phone 327-R. 2-tfc

WANTED — Dressmaking, tailor and alterations. See Mrs. Chipman, 308 West Missouri, phone 583-NJ. 35-tfc

WANTED—Children to keep at my home. Call 0191-J6. 28-1tp

WANTED—Real estate listings. If you want to sell your property, see us. We will treat you right. Key & Haskins, 412 West Texas, phone 877. 28-tfc

Lost
LOST — Bunch of keys Friday, March 31 on Fourth Street between the bank and Artesia Laundry. If found please Phone 637-J. 28-1tc

ORDINANCE NO. 137
AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF ORDINANCE NO. 184 OF THE TOWN OF ARTESIA, WHICH PROVIDED FOR A PLUMBING AND DRAIN-LAYING CODE FOR THE TOWN OF ARTESIA, TO REQUIRE CERTAIN TESTS FOR PLUMBING SYSTEMS, AND MAKING OTHER PROVISIONS.
BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Artesia, New Mexico, that Ordinance No. 184 of the Town of Artesia, New Mexico, be, and it hereby is amended, by adding the following provisions:
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High Announces Candidacy For Sheriff Of Eddy



W. L. (BILL) HIGH

W. L. (Bill) High, deputy county treasurer, has announced his candidacy for Eddy County sheriff on the Democratic ticket in the June primary election.

"In making my announcement for this important office," High said in a statement, "I am not asking for an office that is strange or new to me as I have had six years' experience as a deputy sheriff."

"With this experience," High said, "I feel that I have the qualifications to fill this office honestly, courteously, efficiently and impartially."

"All of my experience as an officer of the law, he said, "has been here in Eddy County."

High served more than two years with the old 36th Division in World War I, and was overseas for one year. He and his wife moved to Eddy County Aug. 14, 1923, and they have been continuous residents ever since.

High is a member of the American Legion and the Veterans of Foreign Wars. He is a member of the First Baptist Church of 17 years' standing.

High is a member of "The Harmonizers," a Carlsbad barber shop quartet, with which he has appeared several times in Artesia.

"I feel that the juveniles and teen-agers need someone as sheriff that they can go to and confide in their troubles," High said. "I will say that I will have a special interest in these boys and girls and will help them in a kindly manner."

To the citizens of Eddy County communities outside Carlsbad High said, "I want to assure you that every consideration will be given you in selecting the officer or officers for your community. They will have to be efficient, impartial and courteous to everyone in every way."

Pencil Sharpeners in many styles for sale at The Advocate.

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Jess Funk Is Candidate For County Sheriff

Jess I. Funk, 56, prominent Cottonwood farmer and rancher, this week announced as a candidate for sheriff of Eddy County, subject to the Democratic primary, Tuesday, June 6.

In fact, he was the first in line when the county clerk's office opened at 9 o'clock Tuesday morning when the first filings for county and state offices were acceptable. The place was held for him by "sit-ins."

The first 15 minutes after the office opened 10 candidates for county offices and one for state representative filed their nominating petitions.

Funk served as an Eddy County commissioner two terms, for which he was elected in 1936 and 1938. He was elected a state represen-

tative from Eddy and Lea Counties in 1940.

The candidate was born at Bryan, Kan., but has lived in New Mexico since 1906, when he settled in the Cottonwood community. He is married and has three children. In announcing his candidacy, Funk called attention to his wide knowledge of the county through his many years of residence and his former service in public office.

He said that if elected he will conduct the office of sheriff in an economical and efficient manner and that he will provide well-qualified deputies for all parts of the county.

"I can promise you an honest administration with fairness to everyone concerned in all matters having to do with the sheriff's office," Funk said.

Potpourri

(Continued from Page One) Proving Grounds. United States News and World

Report recently declared the armed services have been working on flying saucers since 1942 and that it is assumed the Navy has charge of the project at this time.

The magazine says the saucers are 105 feet in diameter and 10 feet thick, circular in shape, and are powered by jet nozzles around the outer rim. It says they are made of a whitish metal alloy, that there are no protruding surfaces, and that they conform to well-known principles of aerodynamics. It is declared in the magazine that the idea of the discs being manned by intelligent beings from Mars or Venus is fantasy.

Considering the fact more people in the Southwest claim to have seen the things and experiments are being carried on in other lines

in this state, it is not out of reason to presume the discs are being tested in New Mexico and that the eyes of the world will be focused on the Land of Enchantment again one of these days, as they were after the announcement of the first A-bomb test.

And speaking of flying saucers, we see by the papers a fellow over at Hobbs was struck by one. It seems he was drying dishes when a saucer slipped off a shelf above his head and it brushed his nose.

One thing we like about the way the recreation program is to be underwritten in the individual sponsorship idea, in which each business or individual contributing will be considered a sponsor and

will receive a card to attest to the fact.

The workers are not going out after big sums from only a few, but will try to interest everyone in the community in giving something and thus having a part in the great program.

Have at, everybody, and get in the big deal.

Well, we see the nation got around to its census at last. —A.L.B.

Officers Of

(Continued from Page One) the Carlsbad lodge; esquire, Bill Kilgore; organist Gene Solters; Tyler, John Simon. After the installation, Vorenberg

gave an inspiring talk on the benevolent work carried on by the Elks Lodge and the fact it has probably done more than any other similar organization in fighting the spread of Communism.

Retiring Exalted Ruler Halde-man expressed his thanks to officers and members who have worked with him the last three years in building the Artesia Elks Lodge from a small beginning to a strong and active organization and pledged his continued efforts in working with the new exalted ruler and officers.

Arrests, Meter

(Continued from Page One) which two persons were injured. The police reported one case of

aggravated assault with a deadly weapon, three cases of breaking and entering, and three of grand larceny, all of which are state offenses.

Chief Westfall said he plans to have similar compilations made each month.

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Cherries Honeybird R.S.P. No. 2 tin 25c
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Green Beans Gardenside Cut No. 2 tin 10c

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WHITE EGGS Breakfast Gem Large Grade A Dozen 47c
JEWEL SHORTENING Pure Vegetable 3 lb. ctn. 45c

- Margarine Dalewood Uncolored 1 lb pkg 15c
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Catsup Taste Tells 14 oz glass 18c
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Flour Kitchen Craft, all purpose 25 lb bag 189

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Spam Luncheon Meat 12 oz tin 39c
Vienna Sausage Libbys Finest No. 1/2 tin 18c
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Pork and Beans Van Camps No. 300 tin 13c
Fleet Mix New Biscuit Mix 40 oz box 43c
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FARM INCOME SHARPLY IN 1949

The Bureau of Agricultural Economics estimates that net farm income for 1949 fell 17 per cent below 1948. Cash marketing receipts were 27.5 billion dollars against 32.5 billion, and government payments fell from 275 million to 186 million. Values of home consumed goods and rental values of farm houses, less farm expenses, gives 1949 net income of 13.8 billion dollars. This equals \$763 per person on farms, against \$905 in 1948, and compared to \$1555 and \$1572 respectively for non-farm income.

Crop acreage controls in 1950 will allow for an increase in farm flock numbers of sheep. In Texas and Oklahoma as much as 20 per cent of wheat lands may be taken out of acreage probably more than 40 per cent of cotton land in New Mexico.

A 5 per cent increase in live-stock population would use up all of so-called grain surpluses.

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MUGGS AND SKEETER



Fire Chief Richards Says Store Check-Up Helps Reduce Hazards

Calling upon all merchants to undertake a complete clean-up and check-up in their stores and places of business, Fire Chief Albert Richards suggests they dedicate this year's spring clean-up to pulling down fire losses in mercantile stores.

Statistics show that most fires start with common hazards, such as discarded cigarettes and accumulations of rubbish, the chief said. By getting rid of combustible rubbish that fire feeds on, merchants will have fewer fires.

Spring clean-up will benefit stores in other ways too, he added. A neat store displays merchandise to better advantage, is more attractive to customers.

In conducting spring clean-up, the chief recommends owners begin by inspecting the basement, where fire records show 42 per cent of all store fires start.

Clean out all refuse that may have collected.

See that stock is always placed in special storage rooms rather than in any handy place in the basement. Flammable liquids, paints, etc., necessary to the business should be stored in fire resistant rooms or outside the building.

Keep special metal bins with covers on them for waste paper, rags, packing materials or other combustibles.

Good housekeeping is a must in

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Cotton Furnishes Most Of Linen Supply In U.S.

Keeping clean is good business, and the folks who serve are sold on the idea to the tune of 275

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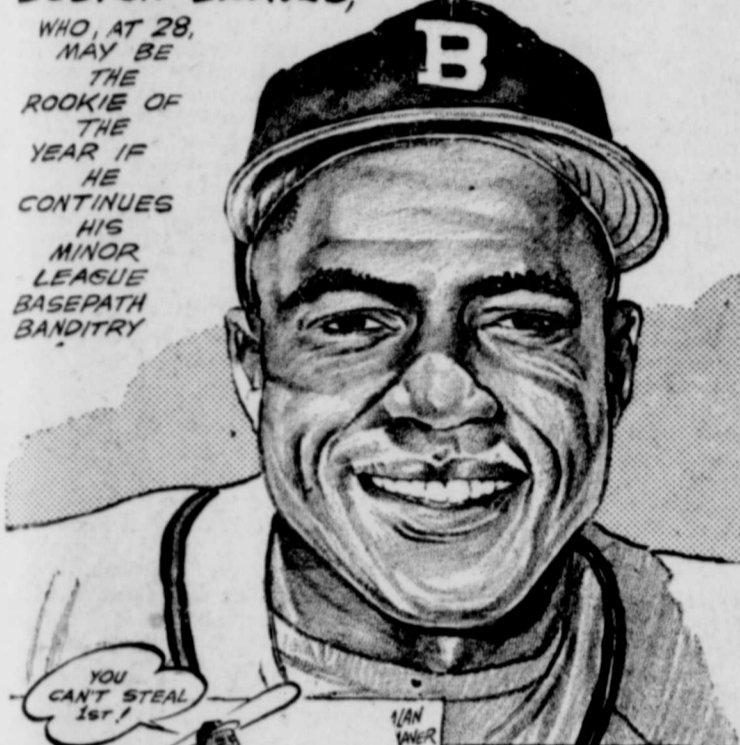
THIS arrangement of the stars in the flag has been suggested should Alaska and Hawaii be admitted to statehood. There are ten stars across and five down, where the present flag contains a field of eight stars across and six down. The flag is being held by an employee of a New York firm which manufactures Old Glory (International)

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By Alan Maver

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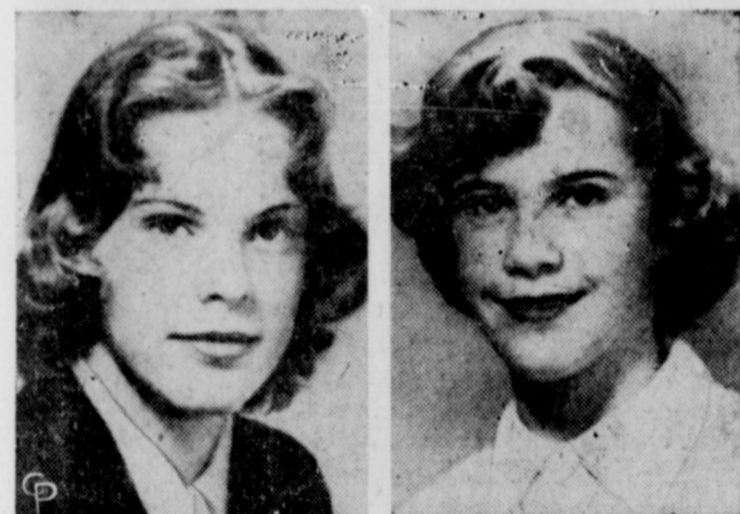
'Big Mo' Skipper



Capt. Irving T. Duke
 A WORLD WAR hero, Capt. Irving T. Duke has been assigned to take over command of the battleship Missouri April 17. Presently the commanding officer of the heavy cruiser Rochester, Capt. Duke will replace Capt. William D. Brown, who is to be tried before a general courtmartial shortly on charges growing out of the Missouri's grounding on January 17. (International Soundphoto)

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ADMITS SLAYING TWIN SISTER



Alice Richard, "not sorry." Sally Richard, slain twin.

A PSYCHIATRIC examination will be asked for 14-year-old Alice Richard at Fresno, Cal., who told authorities she shot her twin sister Sally to death because Sally was "stupid and loud." The slaying occurred in the Richard home when the twins returned from baby-sitting. "I'd kill Sally again if I had the chance," officers quoted Alice. Murder charge is planned. (International Soundphotos)

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Sales of the rental supply industry show that cotton accounts for about 99 per cent of the linen supply tonnage volume, 109,130 bales being consumed in 1948 in about 20 different kinds of items. Aprons used about 23,500 bales of cotton in 1948, bar and glass towels 18,000, hand towels 12,000, coats 10,500, barber towels 7000, con-

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A MESSAGE FROM BURL SEARS ON WHAT LIFE INSURANCE DOES

IT PAYS DEBTS: Life insurance will provide funds needed to pay debts resulting from illness and incidents of death. Policies can be bought to cover these specific needs. A contract is available that will pay off the mortgage on the family home or farm. Inheritance and estate taxes, probate costs, executors' and lawyers' fees can be liquidated through life insurance funds. And most important of all is the fact that the much-needed funds will be available immediately at death.

IT PROVIDES FAMILY INCOME: Life insurance guarantees an income to the widow and children. The proceeds can be paid so that the funds will not be dissipated, squandered, or lost through imprudent investment. It will create adjustment funds to tide the family through the probate period. It will give children a start in life, by providing funds for business and marriage.

IT EDUCATES THE CHILDREN: Life insurance will provide funds for educational purposes in two ways: (1) life contracts on the life of the parent to yield the necessary funds, should the parent die; (2) endowment contracts to yield the necessary funds when the children reach school age.

IT PROVIDES OLD AGE SECURITY: Life insurance creates a savings fund, in addition to the protection it gives. This fund can be used to create retirement income for the insured alone, or under a joint arrangement for the insured and his wife to the death of the last to die. Or the savings funds can be used to satisfy some of the "little pleasures" we hope to enjoy in our old age.

IT ESTABLISHES AN EMERGENCY FUND: Life insurance creates an emergency fund through its loan values at a fixed rate of interest. And the loan is available without the need to call on an endorser or post security for the repayment of the loan.

IT GIVES ACCIDENTAL DEATH BENEFITS: Life insurance, by provision in the contract, can create special benefits, should death result from accidental causes. Gen-

erally, the contract will provide that if the death is accidental the benefits payable to the beneficiary shall be doubled. There is more need for this double benefit than may meet the eye. Accidental death usually means sudden death; this can create costly estate problems, since the insured may have lost the opportunity to arrange his affairs. The double indemnity benefit can offset these additional costs.

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Legislature Sets Taxes

A LOCAL BUSINESSMAN recently pointed out
in discussing the approaching elections and the
general governmental situation insofar as the state
is concerned that the public does not place sufficient
importance on the State Legislature.

It is the State Legislature, he declared, which
places taxes on business. It is the State Legislature
which appropriates the state funds; it is the State
Legislature which controls the expenditures of the
various schools of the state, state institutions and
state departments.

It is the State Legislature which passes laws
regulating and controlling state business.

We can talk about candidates for the various
state offices and the various county offices, but the
most important offices in this state, insofar as the
citizens, the business people and the taxpayers are
concerned, are the members of the State House and
the State Senate.

And this individual is absolutely right. We go
along apparently not much concerned about who
runs for the State Legislature. We make no par-
ticular effort to get high-type men and the best can-
didates possible to seek the posts of state senators
and state representatives. Yet the fact remains that
these are the men who assess the tax levies and who
actually appropriate the money that is spent.

When we are honest and frank about it and
take a little time off to check into the situation, we
know that we haven't always had the best Legisla-
tures possible. And we also know there have been
some awful dumb and stupid things done by our
State Legislature.

We know that too many of the members elected
to the Legislature are not qualified and are not
able actually to provide the best representation pos-
sible for their districts or their counties.

The fact is we have sent people to the Legisla-
ture whose educational qualifications do not fit
them for the job they have to do. We have permit-
ted legislators to be elected whose only interest has
been to serve the political bosses and get what they
can get out of the state sessions.

And the situation isn't going to change much
just as long as we go along and fail to send the
best possible men to the State Legislature.

We recall once when a well qualified legisla-
tor from Eddy County was checking over with the
committee appropriations for cars of a department
of the state. Funds being requested called for the
maintaining of six cars. The department actually
only had one car and it was only used part of the
time.

The legislator actually got a reduction of two
off the six but not down to the one car the depart-
ment owned.

A handful of good legislators might not be
able to get the job done that needs to be done, but
they could certainly slow things down.

And maybe if we got more than a few good,
honest, conscientious and qualified legislators we
could reduce the tax bill as well as the spending
bill.

But in order to be able to do this we need to
get the best qualified men possible to seek the of-
fices and then help elect them.

We can't do it just talking about it and one
or two individuals can't do it.

But it is a pretty well-known fact we could
stand considerable improvement as a state in the
type and kind of individuals we are sending to the
State Legislature actually to levy the taxes and to
spend our money.—O.E.P.

Public's Business

IF AS MUCH ENERGY and effort were employed
to inform and advise the public and keep them
posted regarding their own business as sometimes is
used to keep them from knowing what is going on
there would never be much question of having the
public's help when we need it for our various civic
or government projects.

It is amazing sometimes to learn just how much
effort is employed to keep the public from know-
ing about its own business. We have never been
able to fully appreciate or understand such an atti-
tude but we have seen it prevail on not one but
many occasions.

Seemingly many feel that government proj-
ects, civic movements and various undertakings
which are being carried out with public funds are
no business of the public. Yet the public pays the
bill with taxes they have voted, bond issues they
have voted, contributions, gifts or donations they
have made.

And it should follow if there is sufficient in-
terest on the part of the public to provide the funds
regardless of whether it is by taxes or by popular
subscription, those raising the funds and handling
the project would desire to keep them informed.

It certainly always makes it far easier to se-
cure the aid and the help of the public if we keep
them informed on what is being done, what is to be
done, the cost and the general plans. When we keep

them posted, then they are in a position to know
our needs and are far more willing to give us their
help.

And this newspaper and every other newspaper
seeks this information for the purpose of giving it
to the public. It is part of this newspaper's job. But
now and then those contacted to provide the in-
formation take the attitude that the paper is trying
to pry into some private business, yet it is the pub-
lic's business.

In many instances the newspaper may not par-
ticularly care about the project. Their interest all
results from the fact that it is the paper's job to get
the information for the public. The public expects
the paper to do just that.

And it is always well to remember that often-
times when the paper seeks information on a definite
project or a program or on the spending of pub-
lic funds that it is not trying to dig into something
which some may feel is no concern of theirs but
rather they are merely seeking information to help
keep the public posted on its own business.—O.E.P.

Be Optimistic

CHAMBER MANAGER BOB KOONCE hit the
nail on the head Friday of last week at his first
monthly Artesia Chamber of Commerce luncheon
since assuming his duties here, when he said we
must be optimistic, even in this H-bomb age.

"We must get in and pitch today and look
ahead to tomorrow," he said.

That meeting marked the start of a new admin-
istrative program for the Chamber of Commerce, to
continue for the remainder of this year and until
the next board of directors is named.

And the municipal election Tuesday marked
the start of a two-year administrative program for
the city.

So we're all set for the next few months. We
won't have to be thinking about who is going to
run what.

As individuals we are interested in the forth-
coming party primaries and general election and all
will be giving some thought to them. But they do
not directly affect Artesia, except insofar as we
want good administration and laws coming from
upstate.

So, we say, we are all set for the present and
we can be striving for better and bigger things for
Artesia.

As Bob Koonce suggested the other noon, we
must not sit back and take the attitude that things
may be in a mess and that we may be wiped out to-
morrow by an H-bomb, getting into a mental state
of defeatism, as it were. If we do, we can only go
backwards.

On the other hand, as Bob implied, we must
look forward constructively and ever be planning
and building for Artesia. We must plan things to
do and then do them. For if we don't we will be
smothered under the activities of other communi-
ties, which are planning and building.

We could have written an editorial on Bob's
thought as to national thinking, that we must not
sit back and assume a defeatist attitude, feeling there
is no use, that the H-bomb is coming, that we will
be killed, that the world is coming to an end, when
we have everything to look forward to in this day
of better use of the natural forces which have always
been here for us and which scientists are now de-
veloping for us.

Perhaps we will write that editorial sometime.
But right now we are narrowing it down to Artesia.

With this week we start anew with a Chamber
of Commerce program—a progressive program, too,
if you please—and we start a two-year city admin-
istrative term.

If we all take advantage of the start of these
two periods of activity in Artesia, get in and pitch
today and look ahead to tomorrow, we will continue
to grow and thrive and be the greatest little city
in the nation.—A.L.B.

Let's Keep That Business

IT IS OFTEN just a very little thing or a
small thing which may cost the community the
business of an individual or a family or a group
of families.

Frequently some of our shoppers in our trade
territory are about as close to one community as
another. Oftentimes there is very little difference
in the advantages which one community offers over
the other.

And sometimes we are just lucky or fortunate
that we have the business from some farm or ranch
family or some one in a small community.

One little thing can change this whole situa-
tion and can result in us losing this business. It can
be something a clerk does; it can be an unsatisfac-
tory reaction; it can be our failure to offer the
merchandise wanted or the price or the failure to
provide service.

It can be a matter of a parking ticket or some
unpleasantness with our city police. It can be some
unpleasantness that prevails in our community.

For a good many years now we haven't had
to be too much concerned about these things. We
didn't have to bother about them because we all
had and enjoyed plenty of business.

But the day and time have come when we have
to go after business; we have to seek business and
we have to invite business. And we have to do those
things that are required and expected if we are go-
ing to have this business.

Far too often for the good of the community
we seemingly don't appreciate this fact or we fail
to realize that it is our job, each and every one of
us, to encourage more business in our community.
It is also our job to help see we keep the business
we have.

And we can't do it by handicapping those who
come to trade with us or by giving them parking
tickets; or being unreasonable with them; or by
failing to extend every consideration to them.

And this is of more importance to our business
firms and concerns than we sometimes realize.

It certainly is to our interest if the shoppers
don't want to use our streets having parking meters
and put their coins in these meters to see they do
have places to park and extend to providing these
places.

It is just good business to take care of the cus-
tomers we have.—O.E.P.

John L. Lewis' plan to have his miners work
only three days a week has a catch in it—the miners
want to eat seven days a week.—Fairmont (Minn.)
Daily Sentinel.

A holdup man pointed a gun at a movie cash-
ier and told her to act natural. So she screamed.

EASTER BUNNY TOUCH IN WASHINGTON



Assignment New Mexico

By G. WARD FENLEY

(Doc Fenley, the bald-headed professor at the University of New Mexico, used to flag his weekly efforts "New Mexico Newsletter," which we thought lacking in color, so we ran his column as "Adding Sunshine to the Sunshine State," which we thought it did quite nicely. Now Doc is using a new flag, "Assignment New Mexico," which is more to the point, as his news beat is the entire state, so with this issue we allow him to write his own headline.—A.L.B.)

A name by any other cognomen would smell just as sweet if we can believe the Bard of Stratford-on-Avon.

And in this day of high-powered poop and propaganda, names of faces and public places assume an ever increasing importance.

For most of us, the names we are born with are the only ones we'll ever have. That's excepting the women, who for time immemorial have broken every rule man has laid down.

Now comes one Jimmy Barber of the Raton Range who proposes that other New Mexico cities follow lines set down by Hot Springs to remake the map of New Mexico.

For Raton (and Jimmy knows Raton best) he would rename the city after the popular radio program: "Take It or Leave It." On second thought, Jimmy contends that a better name for Raton might be: "People Are Funny."

For Albuquerque, he would substitute "Big Town."

Uncle Sam Says



Political independence, our "Declaration of Independence," was proclaimed to a young and vigorous nation on July 4, 1776, when citizens were summoned to Independence Hall plaza in Philadelphia by the stentorian tones of the historic Liberty Bell. The actual tone of the Liberty Bell will again be heard throughout the nation during the U. S. Savings Bonds "Independence Drive" May 15-July 4. This time it will peal forth a message of financial independence for the individual, a reminder to every citizen of the importance of savings and savings Bonds. They make you better equipped to face the future, secure in the reality that yours will be a better, more comfortable future.

For Santa Fe, with the unorthodox pot boilings coming now and then to a brilliant spout, he would rename it "Suspense."

In Jimmy's category, the only name for Washington, D. C. would be "Double or Nothing" or Break the Bank."

He signed his "News and Views" column in the Range last week, "Not Playing It Safe, Jimmy."

Typo Name Howlers
Kicking off from Jimmy's jaunty jingles, we scanned the New Mexico papers to see how important were names and spelling and, above all, proofreading.

The Carlsbad Current-Argus wants to start some sort of epidemic. In a nice feature article dealing with a Cavern City woman who has a hobby making copper plaques, Jack Sitton slipped on his proof-reading to say, "Everyone wants a horse plague."

The El Paso Times, talking about school tax money and where it goes, said, "Tax money is earmarked for free school boys." Meaning books, we suppose. Anyway, we've got enough boys—we don't care for more.

Again, The Times told of a mother's search for her son with not even one clue as to his fat.

Other papers were not any freer of those screaming howlers. The Santa Fe New Mexican had a payroll: The Albuquerque Tribune, a city fire trick and perchance; the Lovington Leader, adverse popularity for (evidently) publicity; and the Espanola Valley News wants us to steel clear of the earnestness of the peaker.

Mr. A. L. (Pot) Bert of The Artesia Advocate, remembering the flying discs, said that 12 little men crawled out of a foreign planet's space ship and walked into a local store to buy some Mars Candy Bars. Guess they have sweet poets up there also, according to Pot.

There's one thing on which Bud Rouse of The Cruces Sun-News requested us to ask Jack Sitton for a bit of clarification. Jack said that the first rule to follow at a concert was to applaud only after someone else does so.

Open letter to Current-Argus:
Dear Jack: Now, just who starts the applause? Please elucidate.

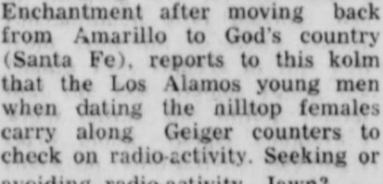
Signed: Bud and Ward.
Wallace Barnes, on the other hand, needs no clarification on his yarns. He told last week of the vain efforts of a high school girl to get conversation out of her dancing partner—a bashful boy.

Conversation Stoppers
The girl propounded several questions: Do you think dancing makes a girl's feet larger? Does swimming make a girl's shoulders bigger?

Finally, after much thought, the boy, who had merely granted an assent to her questions, countered: "You must ride quite a bit, too."

Up and Atom
Jawn Kirkwood, who admits to an undying love for the Sand of Enchantment after moving back from Amarillo to God's country (Santa Fe), reports to this koin that the Los Alamos young men when dating the ailtop females carry along Geiger counters to check on radio-activity. Seeking or avoiding radio-activity, Jawn?

And In Conclusion
That's all this week except to remind you that a man who gives in when he is wrong is wise, but a man who gives in when he is right is married.



'She came here to spy on our methods. So what!'

Try and Stop Me

By BENNETT CERF

PUBLISHER Frank Sheed writes a story about Arnold Lunn, England's arch-enemy of Communism, and such a persuasive orator that it has become increasingly difficult to find opponents brash enough to stand up to him. Lunn finally, was reduced to descending upon an open meeting of the Communists, posing as a member, and demanding loudly, "Why is everybody running away from that man Lunn? It gives Marxism a black eye. I demand that something be done about it!"

The chairman assured him, "The matter is in hand. Something will be done about it immediately." "High time," yelled the intruder, as he made for the exit, "because I'm Lunn, and I need some opponents!"

A visitor to the studio of Picasso found the great painter staring dejectedly at his latest creation, and muttering, "It's a failure." "How can you say such a thing?" protested the visitor. "I think it's one of your masterpieces." "No," said Picasso, "the nose is wrong. It throws the whole picture out of perspective." "Well, then, why don't you fix the nose?" asked the visitor. "That's not possible," said Picasso. "I can't find it."

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Inside WASHINGTON

MARCH OF EVENTS
Economy-Minded Congress May Force New Slashes | Experts Predict Approval Of Forty Billion Budget

Special to Central Press
WASHINGTON—Economy-minded legislators, who already have succeeded in tentatively slashing President Truman's 1950 budget by one billion dollars, probably will force further cuts in the spending program. Most of the additional reduction in the 42 and one-half billion dollar budget asked by Mr. Truman will be made in foreign aid funds, despite strong administration pressure on Capitol Hill.

Fiscal experts in Congress predict that the Senate and House eventually will approve a budget of about 40 billions for the fiscal year starting July 1.

This, of course, is more than two billions less than requested by the president.

The House appropriations committee already has approved a one billion dollar cut in the 30-odd billions asked by Mr. Truman for new cash and commitments. GOP economy leaders say they will demand an even deeper slash when the bill reaches the House floor.

Further, the House foreign affairs committee approved a billion dollar cash cut in funds for the European Recovery program, substituting surplus United States foods for the money. These actions are indicative of the strength of the economy bloc. Look for this group to win substantial reductions in appropriations before Congress adjourns.

● IKE AND THE GOP—Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower's latest speech the first in a long time—has set Republican pulses singing with the possibilities of "winning with Ike" in 1952. The fact that the general criticized the state of the national defenses and talked about foreign policy is enough for the GOP at this stage of the game.

Now, bowing to the dictates of wishful thinking, big chunks of the Republican party feel that they may persuade "Ike" to take the nomination he could have had for the asking in 1948.

Of course, close backers of Senate GOP policy leader Robert A. Taft of Ohio, and far right conservatives would rather "Ike" were not emerging as a possibility. But most Republicans, the experts point out, realize they must have a superlative candidate two years from now. They do not see how they could lose with Eisenhower heading the ticket.

The experts quickly add that once the battle for the nomination is over the chances are that the GOP could unite completely behind Eisenhower. There even is to be detected, among the singing GOP pulses, a suggestion of an Eisenhower-Taft ticket.

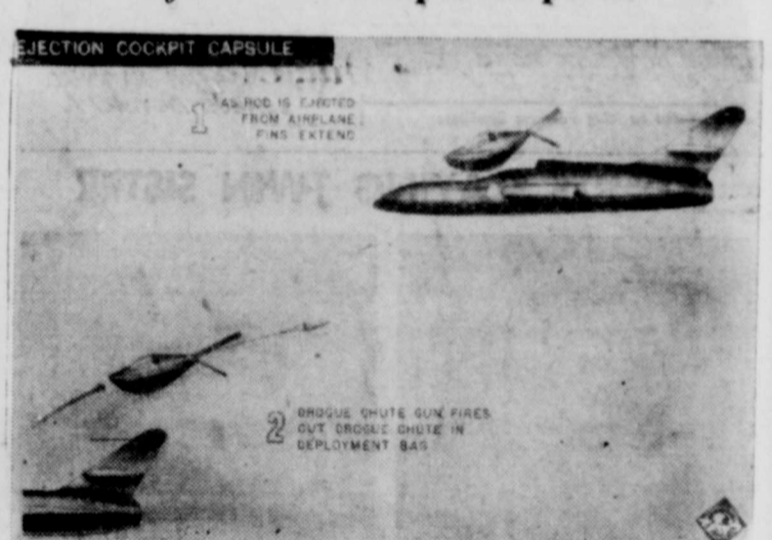
● FRESHMAN CAP—Young Franklin D. Roosevelt, Jr., learned a lesson the other day in Congress. The New York congressman found that it did not pay for a freshman to get facetious with a veteran colleague who could dish it out as well as take it. The man who put FDR, Jr., in his place was Representative Frank B. Keefe (R) Wisconsin, a member for 12 years.

The incident occurred while Democrats and Republicans were doing a little politicking. Keefe was answering several Democrats who had preceded him when, in the middle of his speech, Roosevelt shouted "louder."

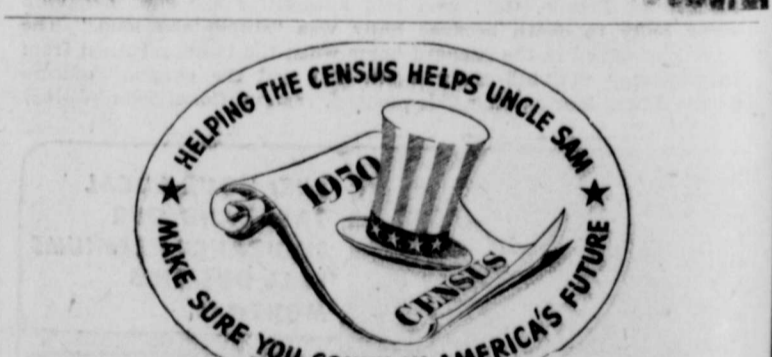
Keefe, whose strength of voice is exceeded by no one, didn't let Roosevelt's heckling go unheeded. Representative Pointing a finger at Roosevelt, Keefe retorted in a Has Comeback voice that boomed through the House chamber:

"You will get it loud enough, and if you cannot hear, you may move up front, and if you move up front, you may learn something. I submit to the gentleman from New York that he has a lot to learn."
Roosevelt flushed, but sat silent.

Ejection Cockpit Capsule



Defense Dept. THIS ILLUSTRATION shows a "ejection cockpit capsule developed by the Navy to serve as a parachute-borne emergency escape vehicle for pilots of high-altitude, super-sonic planes. The cockpit capsule, completely enclosed and pressurized, is blown from the plane when pilot pulls a release. Stabilizer fins prevent the capsule from tumbling through the air and a large parachute drops it gently to earth. Waterproof, the capsule floats in water and will serve as a boat for pilots forced down at sea.



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YOU'RE TELLING ME!

By WILLIAM RITT
Central Press Writer

HAVING, apparently, run out of inventions to claim, Moscow now declares that the prehistoric Neanderthal man was a native of Russia, as well as Europe and India. The real McCoy, Moscow insists—and not a steppe-brother.

Why anyone should be anxious to claim Old No Brow as a fellow citizen is not clear save only to the wisenheimers of the Kremlin clique.

The trouble with artificially-induced rain, points out Zedek Dumkap, it may not fall when ordered but come down, say, during a Sunday afternoon double-header.

Report that a woman in New Brunswick claims to have sight-

ed a flying saucer with two tails leaves Grandpappy Jenkins cold. He figures, maybe, they were just the handles of a couple of spoons.
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What's this about somebody developing scented strawberries? Huh!—just as though that heavenly concoction—the shortcake—needed benefit of perfume!
!!!
Let's hope April doesn't try to imitate March, which did a far too successful job of trying to imitate February.
!!!
Experts in photography point out that the recent picture purporting to show Stalin voting is a phony. Well, what can you expect in a phony election?

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF O. R. GABLE, Deceased.

No. 1612

NOTICE

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Notice is hereby given that an instrument purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of O. R. Gable, deceased, has been filed for probate in the Probate Court of Eddy County, New Mexico...

Therefore any person or persons wishing to enter objections to the probating of said Last Will and Testament are hereby notified to file their objections in the office of the County Clerk of Eddy County...

Dated at Carlsbad, New Mexico, this 15th day of March, 1950.

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF CLARENCE N. McNALLY, Deceased

No. 1602

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT OF EXECUTOR AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned was on the 8th day of March, 1950, appointed Executor of the estate of Clarence N. McNally, Deceased, by the Probate Judge of Eddy County, New Mexico.

Therefore, all persons having any claim or claims against said estate are notified to file the same with the County Clerk of Eddy County, New Mexico, as provided by law, within six months from the date of first publication of this notice...

(Signed) Artie McNally, Executor.

Clip boards for sale at The Advocate.

Jets for Gen. MacArthur



DISMANTLED F-80 jet fighters are shown lined up at Los Angeles docks for loading aboard the freighter S.S. President Harrison. This consignment of eight planes is destined for General MacArthur's air units in Japan.

Hagerman News

(Mrs. Edna Burck) A sunrise prayer meeting will be held at 5:45 o'clock Sunday morning at the entrance to Hagerman cemetery. Resurrection hymns will be sung by the high school chorus, directed by Miss Webb.

Mrs. Sidney Allen received word Monday of the sudden death of her son, Jim Allen of Bisbee, Ariz. Mrs. Allen with her son, Dick, who was here on an Easter vacation from Denton, where he is attending college, and another son, Kenneth Allen, and her grandson, Sidney, left at once for Bisbee.

Palm Sunday was observed at the Methodist Church with appropriate music which included a trio by Mrs. Joe E. Bell, Mrs. Horace Freeman, and Mrs. Elwood Watford. The Rainbow Girls and others connected with the lodge attended in a body and Rev. John A. Bell preached an inspiring sermon.

Mrs. Harry Cowan, Mrs. C. W. Curry, and Miss Esther James attended the funeral of J. N. Chedester at Roswell Sunday afternoon. Mr. Chedester was formerly of Hagerman. A daughter, Mrs. Browning, also well known here,

was in two train accidents en route from her home in Oregon. The first was caused by a snowslide and the second, west of El Paso, was a truck-train accident. Her injuries were painful, but it is hoped that they are not serious.

Mr. and Mrs. Pickens West of Pauls Valley, Okla., left Monday after a visit of several days at the home of Mr. West's mother, Mrs. W. P. West and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Watford were hosts at a family dinner Sunday having as their guests Mr. and Mrs. Pickens West of Pauls Valley, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Curry and son, Alva Jr., of Roswell, and Mrs. W. P. West.

Mrs. Earl Stine, Mrs. J. F. Campbell, Mrs. L. R. Burck, and Miss Esther James were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mrs. J. L. Mann.

Mr. and Mrs. Al White and children of Melrose and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hill, Jr., of Roswell were week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hinrichsen.

Mrs. C. M. Hannah of Artesia spent Sunday at the Hinrichsen home, where she became acquainted with her little great-granddaughter, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Hannah and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hannah of Artesia were Sunday afternoon guests at the Hinrichsen home.

Mrs. Jack Menoud and daughter, Gloria, accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Davis of Artesia to Texas



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for a week-end visit. Mr. and Mrs. Davis visited at Dallas and Mrs. Menoud and daughter at Snyder. Miss Willie Lou Webb, who has been ill several weeks, is again able to resume her duties as music supervisor of Hagerman School.

Miss Webb will be in charge of the chorus which will sing at the Good Friday assembly in the school auditorium this afternoon. Several Hagerman ministers will give brief talks.

Achievement tests were given Monday to the pupils of the six highest grades of Hagerman School.

A box supper was given by the F.F.A. boys on Thursday evening at the school gymnasium.

The F.F.A. boys will go to Las Cruces for a two-day state contest, which will be held April 13-14.

The Lions and their ladies enjoyed two basketball games Friday evening in which the ladies defeated the Dexter Woman's Club and the Lions were defeated by the Dexter School faculty.

The senior class play will be presented at 8 o'clock Friday evening, April 21, in the school auditorium. The play, "Faith Hope and Charity" will be well worth attending and every loyal Hagermanite should be present and give the actors a big hand.

Mrs. A. N. Franklin received a message Sunday morning informing her of the critical illness of her mother at Alice, Texas, and left that day for Texas with her brother of Mountainair and her son, Ernest.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. McKinstry and son, Lon Edmund, of Loco Hills, visited relatives here Sunday afternoon.

Dr. Akin, formerly of Missouri, has rented the Willoughby offices

Odd Fact Two young Cadillac, Mich., boys had a lucrative racket nipped in the bud when a grocer discovered that the empty refund bottles they were selling him were taken from the rear of his store and resold to him at his own front door.

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Oui, Oui, Oui!



THIS STARRY-EYED mademoiselle (the poses are pretty, too) is eyeing filmland's stardom. She's Gaby Andre who came from her native France to make her American screen debut. Her initial American picture will be for Warner Bros. entitled "The Two Million Dollar Bank Robbery."

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Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed Administratrix of the Estate of D. M. Allen, deceased, by Honorable 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 31st day of March, 1950, the date of the first publication of this notice, or the same will be barred.
SUSIE M. ALLEN,
Administratrix.
26-41-F-32

IN THE DISTRICT COURT IN AND FOR EDDY COUNTY, STATE OF NEW MEXICO.
GENEVA STURGEON, Plaintiff,
vs.
RODNEY STURGEON, Defendant.
Case No. 11560

NOTICE OF PENDING SUIT
STATE OF NEW MEXICO, to Rodney Sturgeon, GREETING:
You will take notice that there has been filed in the District Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, a civil action numbered 11560 on the docket of said Court, wherein Geneva Sturgeon is plaintiff and you, Rodney Sturgeon, are the defendant; that the purposes of said suit are to obtain an absolute divorce from you on the grounds of incompatibility and to be awarded the custody of Judy Van Sturgeon, the minor child of your marriage with plaintiff, and that unless you appear, answer or defend herein on or before the 12th day of May, 1950, the plaintiff will apply to the Court for relief prayed for in her verified complaint filed herein and judgment will be entered against you in said cause.
The plaintiff's attorneys are ARCHER & DILLARD, whose office address is Booker Building, Artesia, New Mexico.
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal, this, the 27th day of March, A.D., 1950.
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Carlsbad
For County Commissioner, Dist. 2: W. T. (Doc) HALDEMAN
Artesia

"Volcanoes I Have Known"
JOHN ELIOT ALLEN
"Volcanoes I Have Known," is a title of an illustrated lecture given by Dr. John Eliot Allen, act-head of the Geology Department of New Mexico School of Mines, before a meeting of the Mexico Miners and Prospectors Association in Santa Fe recently.
It was one of a series of talks given by the staff of a New Mexico School of Mines at a part of its public education program.
Five distinct types of volcanoes were described by Dr. Allen, including two excellent examples

of Oregon, the greatest chain of volcanic peaks in the United States. His undergraduate work at the University of Oregon involved a study of the Three Sisters Peaks, and his master's thesis was on the Columbia Gorge and the great volcano, Mount Hood.
At the University of California Dr. Allen studied three years under one of the world's greatest volcanologists, Howell Williams, and his first job on leaving was as range-naturalist at Crater Lake Park, where he made several contributions to the history of that great cauldron. After three war-time years working of examining chromite deposits, Dr. Allen joined the Oregon Department of Geology and Mineral Industries, where he spent eight years, much of it in the volcanic areas of the state. In 1947 he left for Pennsylvania State College to go into teaching, and came to New Mexico School of Mines from that position last fall.

per Building at 4th and Quay in the City of Artesia, New Mexico, on March 22, 1950, adopted the following Resolution, to-wit:
BE IT RESOLVED: That a dissolution of the corporation of Hi-Go Products, Inc. be had at the earliest possible date and that all Stockholders be notified as required by law.
By Order of the Board of Directors.
Velma F. Matthews,
Secretary-Treasurer.
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Morning worship, 11 a. m.
Evening services, 7:30 p. m.
Wednesday prayer meeting, 7:30 p. m.
Young People's Endeavor, Friday, 8:30 p. m.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Sixth and Quay
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
Worship service, 11 a. m.
Bible Fellowship, 5:30 p. m.
Men's Council, first Thursday, all-day meeting; second day, executive meeting and Thursday, missionary program.
Arthur G. Bell, Minister

THE BAPTIST CHURCH
Seventh and Chisum
Sunday school, 10 a. m.
Worship service, 11 a. m.
Wednesday prayer meeting, 7:30 p. m.
Choir rehearsal, Friday 7:30 p. m.
Rev. J. H. Horton, Pastor

LAKE ARTHUR BAPTIST CHURCH
Sunday school, 10 a. m.
Worship service, 11 a. m.
Prayer Union, 7 p. m.
Evening preaching, 7:30 p. m.
Wednesday prayer meeting, 7:30 p. m.
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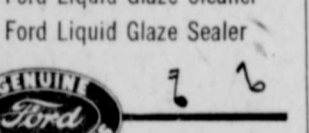
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Wednesday, Bible study, 7:30 p. m.
Friday, P.H.Y.S. service, 7:30 p. m.
Rev. S. W. Blake, pastor

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. Visits by pastor, second Wednesday; preaching same night, 7:30 p. m.

SHERMAN MEMORIAL METHODIST CHURCH
(Oliveira 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

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH
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Chief A. McDougal, Pastor
Radio KSVP, 8:15 a. m.
Sunday School, 10 a. m.
Prayer Service, 11 a. m.
Young Peoples Bible Study, 6:30 p. m.
Prayer Service, 7:30 p. m.
Prayer Meeting Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

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.

MALJAMAR BAPTIST CHURCH
Church service, 11 a. m.
Training Union, 6 p. m.
Evening worship, 7 p. m.
Wednesday service, 8:30 p. m.
Rev. James Barton, preacher.

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.

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.
6:30 p. m.
Bible study and prayer meeting, Thursday 7:30 p. m.
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Morningside Addition
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship, 11 a. m.
Evangelistic services, 7:30 p. m.

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Sunday school, 10 a. m.
Prayer service, 11 a. m.

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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

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.

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

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.

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

'HAPPY TO GET MATTER CLEARED'



EN ROUTE TO WASHINGTON to answer charges of Senator Joseph McCarthy (R, Wisconsin, that he is pro-Communist, John S. Service, former U. S. consul at Calcutta, India, tells a reporter at Seattle-Tacoma, Wash., airport, "Charges against me have been investigated and re-investigated and I will be very happy to get this matter cleared up." Service's assignment to Calcutta was canceled while he was on his way there. (International Soundphoto)

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Hagerman, N. M.
Men's Bible class meets in Woman'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.
Borning worship and sermon by the pastor, 11 a. m.
Mebane Ramsey, Minister.

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Mass Sunday at 7:30 and 9 a. m.
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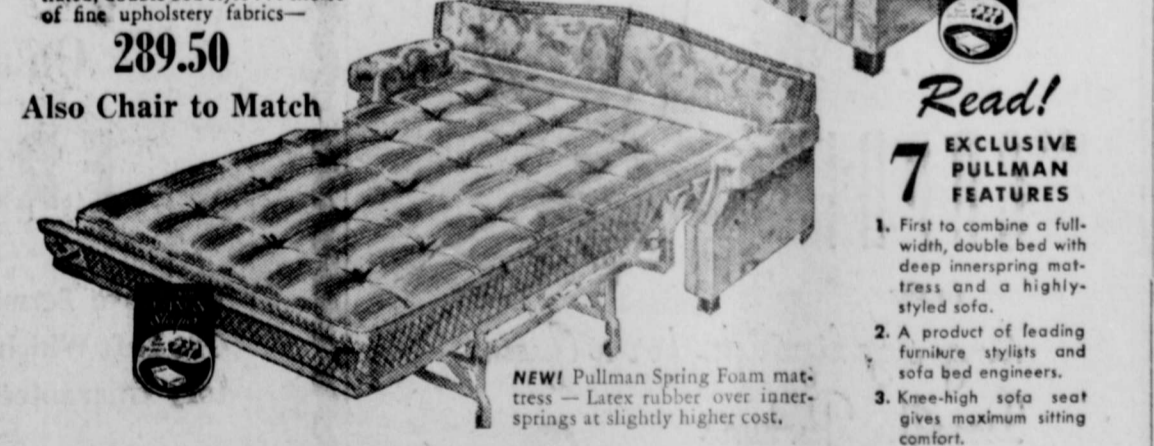
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Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship, 11 a. m.
Epworth League, 6:30 p. m.
Evening services, 7:30 p. m.
Midweek services, Thursday, 7:30 p. m.
Rev. S. J. Polk, Pastor.

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

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RICHARDS ELECTRIC SHOP IN NATIONAL RADIO PROGRAM

Richards Electric Shop, 514 West Main, Hotpoint appliance dealer in Artesia, is joining with 13,000 dealers throughout the country who are cooperating with Hotpoint, Inc., in presenting a special Easter Sunday radio broadcast over the entire Columbia Broadcasting System network of 175 stations.

The "Hotpoint Holiday Hour" will present Charles Boyer, Paul Douglas, John Garfield, Otto Kruger, Deborah Kerr, Dorothy McGuire and Rosalind Russell in the stage and screen success "Dinner at Eight." The program will be heard over a CBS coast-to-coast network in a full hour program at 3 p. m. The well known play was written by Edna Ferber and George S. Kaufman.

Mr. Richards said that this is the second in a series of Hotpoint Holiday Hours, to be followed by other programs this year. The first in the series, "The Man Who Came to Dinner," was presented last Christmas.

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Hangar Flying

Charles Henson, who was ill about a week, is on his feet again and was at the airport Saturday to report for duty.

Park Inn Grocery gave Artesia a look at flying discs Thursday afternoon of last week. Two planes dropped paper plates over Artesia on which free awards were offered. High winds caused the plates to drift to all parts of town.

Dave Crockett of Meeker, Colo., visited the Artesia airport Thursday of last week.

Glen Gentle visited the airport Thursday afternoon of last week. He is one of the Flying Farmers of the Pecos Valley.

Tom Marshall put an all-metal prop on his Luscombe 8-A this week. "Sug" Hazel flew Dr. Towles Stinson to Snyder, Texas, Saturday. The Stinson had gone through Bob Ehle's shop for a 100-hour inspection.

Claude McCausland visited at the Artesia airport Sunday morning.

Members of the Artesia squadron of the CAP welcomed two Albuquerque pilots Sunday morning.

One of the Albuquerque boys flew back the L-4 to Albuquerque that has been stationed at Artesia. The Artesia squadron now hopes to obtain a L-5 Stinson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Lund and daughter, Helen, flew to El Paso Saturday afternoon.

Among those in Artesia over the week end from Loco Hills were Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Brashears and Mr. and Mrs. George Wier. The James Brasfields, who usually come in, have a new baby in their family.

C. C. Brashears soloed the Er-coupe Sunday.

Herman Fuchs flew to Albuquerque and return Monday.

Raymond Pearson soloed Sunday afternoon. A number of pilots were on hand and Raymond took the usual kidding, having to buy everyone a soda pop.



Girl Scout Notes

Troop 2 made "walking salads" of cored apples filled with celery, nuts, and apple.

Troop 3 made woven Easter baskets of construction paper. The little girls made arrangements to attend a theater party Saturday in celebration of Martha Ann Cabot's birthday.

Troop 6 had a play day at the home of Mrs. Pat Riley. The Scouts played relay games, and had a picnic luncheon with Easter favors. They have just completed some leather work and have made memory books creating covers with original designs.

Troop 10 made a tray of Easter centerpiece suggestions to display at the Woman's Club program

Wednesday afternoon. The girls made faces on Easter eggs and made salt-clay chickens. Katherine Downey served refreshments. At the last meeting the girls went on a short hike to practice laying trails with rocks. Hollis Cockburn served refreshments.

Troop 13 talked about Girl Scout rules and laws in preparation for their fly-up. They made plans for an Easter party at the home of Mrs. Chuck Brown. The troop plans to meet next time from 4 to 5 o'clock Wednesday afternoon with Troop 5.

Troop 16 had an Easter egg hunt at the Episcopal Church with troop committee members, Mrs. Orville Durbin and Mrs. Verle Allen, assisting the leaders, Mrs. Neil Watson and Mrs. B. E. Northcutt. The

A FORMULA FOR ENDING THE COLD WAR—MR. ACHESON'S SEVEN POINTS



I. PEACE TREATIES
Mr. Acheson says Russia should help unify Germany (1) under free government and write treaty; also, treaties for Austria (2), Japan (3).

II. SATELLITES
Mr. Acheson says Russia should withdraw her military and police forces from all of the satellite countries (4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9).

III. THE U. N.
Mr. Acheson says Russia should give up "policy of obstruction" at Lake Success (10), accept U. N. as an "instrumentality" for peace.

IV. ATOMIC CONTROL
Mr. Acheson says Russia should join in "realistic" system of control—cover such installations as Oak Ridge (11) and Lake Baikal (12).

V. SUBVERSIVE ACTIVITY
Mr. Acheson says Russia should stop subversive activity—notably in such countries as France (13), Italy (14) and Indo-China (15).

VI. DIPLOMATS
Mr. Acheson says Russia should stop treating our diplomats as "criminals"—as happened recently in Hungary (16) and Bulgaria (17).

VII. PROPAGANDA
Mr. Acheson says Moscow (18) should refrain from "systematically distorting" the picture of the U. S. presented to the Russian people.

toward cutting down the take of trout, Thompson said.

The commission at its last meeting also made it illegal to use live minnows for bait in any trout fishing lakes or streams, with the exception of a number of specified bodies of water, according to Thompson.

The purpose of the regulation is to prevent the infestation of trout waters with carp, gar and other injurious species of fish which have already ruined many of the good trout waters of the state. According to Thompson, if the regulation had not been set many of the fine fishing waters would soon be in the same condition as El Vado Lake, Middle Fork Lake, and a number of others where the use of live minnows has allowed the rough fish to gain a foothold.

Trout waters where live minnows may be used for bait are El Vado and Chama River below El Vado Lake, all parts of the Rio Grande and drainage canals and other waters in the Middle and

Lower Rio Grande Valley, and the Pecos River below Alamogordo Lake and Bluewater Lake, provided that all minnows and other live fish used for bait in Bluewater Lake must be obtained by fishermen from the concessionaire for which marked minnow buckets will be provided. Such live minnows or fish provided for bait shall be only those taken under permit from inspected waters that are free of undesirable species.

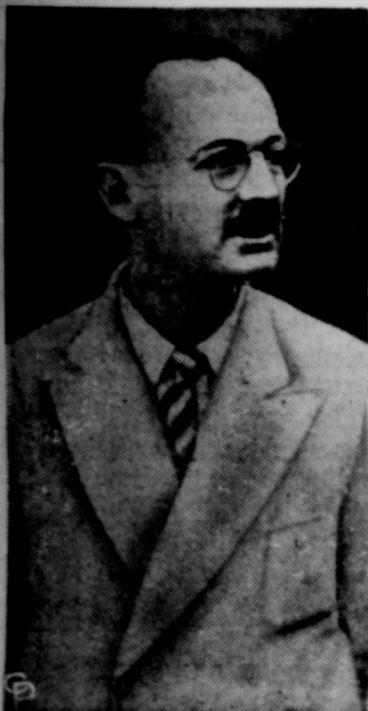
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DEPARTMENT MAKES NEW QUAIL PLANTINGS

Additional plantings of 335 scaled quail have been made by biologists of the Department of Game and Fish.

Of the quail which were trapped from the area around Tucumcari, 188 were released in Bernalillo County, 48 in Luna County near Cambray, 75 in the vicinity of Las Vegas, and 24 were planted in Northern Curry County.

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Trout Season Is Shortened This Year In State

In addition to the change of the regular trout fishing season this year to May 25 to Oct. 31, which will chop 31 days from last year's season, there have been some changes in special waters authorized by the Game Commission, according to Fred Thompson, director of fisheries for the Department of Game and Fish.

These changes will be found in the new game law digest and it would be advisable for the fishermen to obtain copies of this digest before fishing any of the special waters, Thompson said.

The regular season this year was made shorter because of the increased fishing pressure on all of the trout waters of the state. There has been such a phenomenal increase in the number of people who fish in New Mexico that it was necessary to take some step

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