chedule of mail delivery will af- as possible.

In such cases a substitute carmportant mail.

ours of substitute help.

5. There is no change in parcel

lay closing there is no change in elerical help.

Pot ourri

flying saucer.

ther comminities.

isappeared.

Having heard a number of Ray's

the years, we did not ask him for

an affidavit, but he declared he

had about a dozen witnesses to ver-

Has anyone else seen any fly-

ago? If so, let's hear about them.

We were accompanied to Hope

Frost of the United States Geolog-

ical Survey, an amateur photo-

When we arrived, we found that

ne of the councilwomen was in

Artesia, and a long-distance call

not be back until sometime after

ily in Hope and the publisher and editor of The Penasco Valley

News.. The only thing wrong with

was not in them, because he had

day's issue of The Advocate was

ut in use of the telephones.

of a newspaperman.

Judge Rood's handiwork.

... 36c

23¢

39¢

35¢

49¢

69¢

Artesia, both residential and Along with this explanation, the iness, has been reduced from postmaster had two comments to two trips daily to one trip daily. make, one on telephoning the post-The change became effective office, the other concerning stamps

Another note of the postoffice's On the first he said it would onomy measure is the closing not be necessary for patrons to service windows at noon on make inquiries by telephons about

He assured the public that ser Explaining how the revised vice would be expedited as much

When a telephone call to the postoffice is a necessity, he said 1. Carriers will deliver maga- patrons should talk with the emzines, circulars and less important ploye who answers the telephone, mail on the morning after day of not ask for some particular person, thereby taking that person away

and daily papers on the same day vending machine is granted and the machine installed in the lobby, 3. An exception to the one de- patrons would be wise to purchase livery rule will be in those cases a sufficient supply of stamps to where trains are late and mail carry them over Saturdey after-

Postmaster Truett said the requisition is already in for the marier may make a trip to deliver the chine. This device would be put in the lobby of the postoffice and nasium would be available for use at all times but would be specially convenient at those times when the stamp window is closed.

ost delivery.

The machine operates like similar vending machines and is in use in the Las Cruces and other New Mexico postoffices.

> Artesia Athlete **Makes Top Score** In Carlsbad Meet

later, as we have predicted sev-A group of about a dozen people t Artesia saw one of those things although they will not say it was Saturday, April 29.

But it was a something. And followed the behavior of other methings previously reported in blank second in pole vault, and a first in high hurdles and 220-yard dash, second in pole vault, and a first in high hurdles and 220-yard dash, second in pole vault, and a Kincaid racked 141/4 points, with t followed the behavior of other place on the champion sprint relay

Artesia theaters, said he was at the new Circle B Theater, the and one-half points, Artesia lost May 6-7 Made trive in west of town, about 6:45 the championship of the tourney drive in west of town, about 6:45 the championship of the tourney to Tucumcari, in the senior divihis attention was called to the sion; ranked only three points less thing, far off in the west, over the than the champion in junior.

the junior classification. pall of fire, perhaps circular, after cari, 431/2; Artesia, 37; Carlsbad, the First Methodist Church. the general description of most of 35; junior class, Hobbs, 361/2; Portales, 34; Artesia, 331/2; Alamogor-

Suddenly, said Ray, the thing do, 25. the manner of those previously rethe manner of those previously rerunner-up in individual scoring 6. The judging will be done that which the Lions Club co-operates mound most of the game for the heard another shot and then someM. Parham, Howard Miller, Don ported: It made a right-angle turn with 13 points. Another Tucumcari morning. the north, and then, traveling athlete, Ted Marshall, was third at a tremendous rate of speed, soon with 12.

shing and hunting stories over

Mile run, Richard Johnson, second, 4:59.6.

440-yard dash, Clarence Connor,

Walter Burch, second, 23.4. 120-yard high hurdles Kincaid,

away, or close enough to touch, as a Texas boy reported some days tie for second, 10 feet 6 inches.

Wednesday of last week by Jack 5 feet 6 inches. second, 153 feet 41/2 inches. grapher of no mean ability, with ne idea in mind of taking some pictures of Mayor Ethel Altman Kincaid, first, 1:36.3.

and her four petticoat council Junior Division

50-yard dash, Gray, fifth. 180-yard low hurdles, Richardson,

Gray, fifth, 10.8.

But Mayor Altman dug up some snaps which had been taken by Police Judge W. E. Rood, the one Grav. fourth. 24.8. male member of the official fam-

Discus throw, Brown, first, 141 feet, 5 inches.

Shot put, Brown, third, 46 feet

the pictures was that Judge Rood Artesia Lumber snapped the shutter in his capacity So the picture you saw in Fri- Is Burglarized Thursday Night

mpressed us in Hope was the in- Lumber Company on North First on the 1950 population of Artesia. the population figures of the in- Harvester home freezer or refriging 10 one-year subscriptions. One of the things which most Burglars broke into the Artesia ormality, not only of the citizens, Street Thursday night, damaged the safe beyong repair and stole has been a favorite sport here, es- "The official guessing ballot Favorite lawn mower. In her graciousness, Mayor Altabout \$7 from a counter drawer. specially since the war years. about \$7 from a counter drawer. Discovery of the burglary was The cautious have estimated the drom this page (the advertising Store, your pick of any two books ception of official census takers pelp us with the Hope story and made by patrolmen in a police car, made a number of telephone calls. Who noticed the night light was been all the way to 15,000.

The daily was population as 8000; the plungers page mentioned previously) or obtained from the participating mericant distribution as 8000; the plungers page mentioned previously) or obtained from the participating mericant distribution as 8000; the plungers page mentioned previously) or obtained from the participating mericant distribution as 8000; the plungers page mentioned previously) or obtained from the participating mericant distribution as 8000; the plungers page mentioned previously) or obtained from the participating mericant distribution as 8000; the plungers page mentioned previously or obtained from the participating mericant distribution as 8000; the plungers page mentioned previously or obtained from the participating mericant distribution as 8000; the plungers page mentioned previously or obtained from the participating mericant distribution as 8000; the plungers page mentioned previously or obtained from the participating mericant distribution as 8000; the plungers page mentioned previously or obtained from the participating mericant distribution as 8000; the plungers page mentioned previously or obtained from the participating mericant distribution as 8000; the plungers page mentioned previously or obtained from the participating mericant distribution as 8000; the plungers page mentioned previously or obtained from the participating mericant distribution as 8000; the plungers page mentioned previously or obtained from the participating mericant distribution as 8000; the plungers page mentioned previously or obtained from the page mentioned previously or obta

And it seems no one knows anynot burning and investigated.

Doing something about the chants.

The mayor It was found entrance had been population figure and to add in"Your blank can be mailed to job." And it seems no one knows any not burning and investigated. nerely cranked up the phone, lift- gained by taking the screen off of terest to the nose count, The Ar- The Advocate or left with the d the receiver, and said, "See if a north window and then raising tesia Advocate in cooperation with award offering merchants the window.

And sure enough, the operator In the attempt to get into the ing The Artesia Advocate 1950 each week, Monday through Sat- ity Western shirt for man or wo- west by Clouderoft and east by blaze could not be determined, unfew minutes later had found safe, the burglar or burglars are Census Sweepstakes. auline, who turned out to be believed to have used a hatchet The contest opens today, con- 1, No. 2, No. 3 and so forth. auline Schwalbe, Mayor Altman's and hammer, which were found at tinues until the time the official ister and a member of the town the scene. The knob, handle and figure is announced by Uncle Sam. 1, second closest Award 2, etc. Con- merchandise; Artesia Shoe Store, tion guessing event by submitting removed from the nearest lumber.

OFFICIAL PUBLICATION FOR EDDY COUNTY

# THE ARTESIA ADVOCATE

HELPING TO BUILD A GREATER ARTESIA

VOLUME FORTY-SEVEN

ARTESIA, NEW MEXICO, TUESDAY, APRIL 25, 1950

who did the shooting.

about 9 o'clock Saturday night a

been Martinez, came to the Arci-

talking through the partition,

through which it was easy to hear.

man had brought dresses to the

measures taken against him.

She said she understood that the

What Will the

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# THREE ARE SHOT TO DEATH IN DOUBLE MURDER AND SUICIDE

# **Pre-School Clinic To Be Held** All Day Thursday At Central

Hours of the clinic will be from noon; place, Central School gym- first time next year.

school officials associated with the aminations.

A statement on the clinic's pur-

improving the health of children clinic. entering school for the first time. It also aims to bring about continuous medical and dental supervi- ears, nose, throat, and heart. sion of children of all ages.

"The immediate purpose of the dren who will start to school in next year the benefit of a physical are eligible to enter. examination by medical doctors tesia High School team before the district tournament to be held here Saturday. April 29.

Flower Show On

ternoon, May 7.

help make the show a success.

having entries for the show.

DAUGHTER BORN HERE

TO LOVINGTON COUPLE

Effecting continuous medical "By means of a follow up comand dental supervision of children mittee corrections will be encourof all ages is one of the purposes aged. The records showing the the free pre-school children's physical conditions of these chilclinic to be held Thursday, April dren will be retained in the school by the school nurse.

"The school is cooperating by o'clock to noon and from 1 securing the names of those chilo'clock to 5 o'clock in the after- dren who will enter school for the

"School nurses will assist the In a story in Friday's issue start- doctors at the clinic. The school ing time was incorrectly given as nurses with P.T.A. members as as-9 o'clock. Name of C. A. Stalcup, sistants will be responsible for the Central School principal, was inad- follow up work as to checking up vertently omitted from a list of on corrections made after the ex-

"Diptheria toxoid and small pox vaccination will be given at the poses is set forth in a mimeo- clinic by the nurses. The second ingraphed bulletin issued by spon- jection for diphtheria will be given May 25 at Central School. These "The purpose of the clinic is to injections have been given previous arouse the interest of parents in years at a different time from the

> The general physical examination will include a check on eyes Parents are asked to bring chil-

clinic will be to give all children September, 1950. All children who who will start to school in Artesia will be 6 years old by Jan. 1, 1951, A parent or some other adult

should accompany the child. Children who belong to Central (Continued on page six)

Second Run Of **Amateur Contest** To Be Tonight

Second run of Artesia Lions Club amateur act program is scheduled for 7:30 o'clock tonight in will go to the state tournament the statement. Final plans have been made for the spring flower show sponsored the high school auditorium. by the Artesia Garden Club, to be Field of entrants, 400, was so

preceding the initial Mrs. H. G. Ellis, flower show staging that night.

are to be received between 8 and raise money for the benefit of the nered a pair of hits. with other organizations. The show will be open to the

public from 1:30 o'clock that af- held here Saturday, April 29. ternoon to 8:30 o'clock that night | Walter G. Short, Park School hander. and from 2 to 5 o'cclock Sunday af- principal, is chairman of amateur night.

Members of the club have urged everyone in the community to en- Meeting Called ter their flowers, even if only one flower or a bouquet, in order to To Outline City Mrs. Ellis and her committee Golf Tournament have pointed out a number of

things to be remembersd when se-Program of the annual city golf lecting and entering flowers, among tournament, to be held the first them being acquainted with the part of June, exact date not set. ord; Joe Harbert, tie for fourth, complicated, and the various tournement committee at 7:30 o'clock Wednesday night in the The complete rules and classi- First National Bank.

fications are to be announced by The meeting was made known Mrs. Ellis and her committee in by Jack Fauntleroy, tournament the Friday issue of The Advocate. committee chairman.

But in the meantime they urged Another in the periodic trips of everyone in the community having flowers to be looking forward to and Carlsbad golfers in the Artesia pried open. players first four-way match this Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Hartley of season.

daughter, Kathryn Carol, born Sat- the Carlsbad players 32½ to 21½ weighed five pounds four ounces. each team.

Good-Will Trip From Amarillo Is Postponed

The good-will trip of Amprofessional men this week, which was to have brought them to Artesia Wednesday, of the nation's railways, including the Santa Fe.

The Amarillo delegation traveling in a special train of eight ears, was scheduled to arrive in Artesia during the noon hour Wednesday.

W. B. (Bill) Sansing, director of the public relations department of the Amarillo Chamber of Commerce, said that when the railway strike has been settled new dates for the good-will tour will be set.

A delegation representing the various service clubs and other organizations in Artesia was planning to meet the good-willers at the station and escort them uptown.

### **Bulldogs Play** Errorless Ball To Beat Roswell

Roswell High School here Satur- the unidentified man was alluding. day afternoon, the Artesia High In fact, Mrs. Carlos said she heard School baseball team should be a him say he wanted to take Mrs. favorite in the district tilt to be Arciniego to the police, but that played April 27-28 at Rocket Field, she did not want to go. Roswell.

First and second place winners did not identify which man made in Santa Fe, May 12-13.

the junior classification.

It appeared something like a scores, senior division, Tucumall of fire, perhaps circular after cari, 43½: Artesia, 37: Carlsbad, the print recreational building at the print recreational building at the perhaps circular after cari, 43½: Artesia, 37: Carlsbad, the print recreational building at the print recreational building at the perhaps circular after cari, 43½: Artesia, 37: Carlsbad, the print recreational building at the perhaps circular after cari, 43½: Artesia, 37: Carlsbad, the perhaps circular after cari, 43½: Artesia, 43½: Artesia, 43½: Artesia, 43½: Artesia, 43½: Artesia, 43½: Artesia, 43½: Arte lanche of 15 hits, capitalizing each say, "Don't shoot him." into a run, and played errorless Then, she testified, she heard a ball.

to the plate. Two of his hits were band, who came home about mid- For Tennis Trophy good for a double. Jimmy Juarez, right fielder, an equal number of hits.

light of Bulldog fielding.

Gonzales Pool Hall Juke Box Nets \$180 In Nickels To Thief

Artesia golfers to Carlsbad will open and robbed of its coins. Gon- not brought out and was asked "to occur Sunday, April 30, when local zales estimated there should have be a go-between." This testimony players go to the county seat to been about \$180 in nickels in the was not enlarged upon, but it is there, the Williams duo defeated feet; plugged and abandoned. compete against Roswell, Hobbs, machine, the back of which was presumed the two men had quar-

Lovington are the parents of a Last Sunday the locals walloped which was forced.

urday evening in Artesia Osteo- on the links of Artesia Country 11 o'clock Friday night and 7 er I. W. (Bud) Smith. Their tespathic Hospital & Clinic. She Club. There were 18 players on o'clock Saturday morning, Gon-

east of Artesia, which a coroner's jury on Monday morning found to be two mur-

Texas, business and has been postponed because of a railway strike affecting four

Evidencing championship caliber away from the Arciniego place play by their 15 to 4 walloping of and it is presumed it was to this

There will be four teams com- to the Anglos, but it was apparent peting in the area tournament, the three were quarreling. Mrs. Artesia, Carlsbad, Roswell, and the Carlos said she heard one of the winner of the Dexter-Hagerman men say that if the woman left he would shoot her. But the witness

Mrs. Carlos said she thought Ar-In the game here Saturday af- ciniego went out of the house and ternoon, the Bulldogs battered the waited for Martinez with the rifle.

chairman, announced all entries Purpose of the contest is to Roswell made nine errors, gar- then heard Mrs. Arciniego groan and say she was dying. did something else exactly after the manner of those previously rethe manner of the

Artesia nine. He was relieved in or the seventh, because of a sore arm, ness testified she thought he was by Duane Tucker, another right going to reload. Soon she heard a Big gun in Bulldog batting was she heard a man groan.

Harman Bush, second baseman, Mrs. Carios said she did not go To Decide Credit who got four hits out of five trips outside, but waited for her husnight.

turned a trio of times at bat into come to Artesia in the afternoon, but the team doesn't know to what bringing Mr. and Mrs. Arciniego players to credit the victory. A spectacular catch in the fourth and others and that he had taken That is the odd situation result the last week was slim, with the by Elvis Batie, center fielder, that them back to the farm about 8:30 ing from the matches held Saturonly new production a stripper. nipped a Roswell run, was a high- o'clock Saturday night. He then re- day in Carlsbad as a part of the A second completion was plugged turned to town and went back to Cavern City track meet. res, on whose place he lives.

The Eddy Gonzales pool hall at only by sight, but that on Monday team. La Loma was burglarized Friday of the previous week-whether he night and the juke box was broken meant April 10 or April 17 was reled over the woman.

Entrance to the pool hall was Officers testifying at one or more gained through a door, which of the three inquests were Deputy and Reed Lewis. Sheriffs Irvin Martin and Cruz The burglary took place between Hernandez and State Police Offic-

# Census Sweepstakes To Pay Prizes

morning, lasted until dusk.

### Mayes Lumber Yard Any adult residing within Ar- Is Cause Of Alarm

less someone had dropped a lighted match or cigaret in the grass. The fire was a number of feet

Arciniengo, related what she knew of the shooting, but said she did not know Speaking in Spanish and with Deputy Sheriff Cruz Herandez serving as interpretor, Mrs. Carlos said that man, whom she did not identify, but who was presumed to have Mayfield, Teachers Are Re-elected

> has announced the re-election of lis, Marion Wood, Linna McCaw. Tom Mayfield, superintendent of Park School: Wilbur Ahlvers. plied for the coming year.

The age-old triangle apparently was responsible for a triple killing between

Manuela Arciniego, 34, whom the jury's verdict said died from gunshot

Florencio Arciniego, 50, whom the jury found died from gunshot wounds

Gilberto Martinez, 30, the other man in the case, whom the jury said died

The three inquests were held separately, but before the same jury and with

Mrs. Raul Carlos, the only known adult witness to the triple killing, but who

was within her own home in the same dwelling as that occupied by Mr. and Mrs.

9 and 10 o'clock Saturday night on the Joe Torres farm about five miles south-

wounds from a .22 rifle in the hands either of her husband, Florencio Arciniego,

The dead, in the order in which it is believed they died:

from a .22 rifle in the hands of Gilberto Martinez and,

from a gunshot wound from a .38 pistol, self inflicted.

Justice of the Peace J. D. Josey sitting as coroner.

he returned there there would be Four teachers in the system re-It was understood that Martinez Mary Lou Hamilton, and Lucille Caw. had been warned by officers to stay Bell, high school, and Betty Jane Harston, Park School.

been Martinez, came to the Arciniengo place and that she heard By School Board For Coming Year

and Vernon Mills, elementary su- Riddle, Helen Sperry, pervisor, and the four principals Stephens, Ralph Thompson were re-elected. The principals This testimony was not too clear

North Side School. Members of the high school fac- Lucian Hodges. ulty who were re-hired for the 1950-51 school year weer:

James L. Allen, William Bennett, berg, Hubert Burke, Floyd Davis, Esther Ekstrom, Alyce Erickson, Earl Grabhorn, F. L. Green, Calvin Hall, Alma Sue Felix.

Nell Hamann, Margaret Harsshot and then another one and gan, Lois Nethery, Duane Sams, Reese Smith, John Tinson, Rufus

The Artesia Board of Educaiton Emma Vandeventer, Charles Walheard in the conversation that if gie Roberts, Augusta Spratt, Helen signed. They were Charleen Rice, man, Ivan Herbert, Gertrude Mc

> Jean Stone, Marinell Dungan A. R. Wood, business manager, Eloise Finley, Bess Hubbard, Edith

Central School: W. A. Brown are T. Stovall, high school; W. G. Helen Gorman, Hazel Hocken-Short, Park School; C. A. Stalcup, smith, Mildred Lambert, Irene Central School, and R. M. Stinnett, Schnaubert, Leota Williams, Mary Lou Carson, Winifred Haralson,

Nina McCarter, Dorothy Swartz, Celeste Connor, Joyce Craig, Nannie Mae Haynes, Isabelle Macdon Margaret Bildstone, Evert Blom- ald, Milton Parker, Jonnyle Short. North Side School: Harry Ashby, Ellen Grabhorn, Ruth Joss, Morene Short, Lela Waltrip, Mary Barton,

Kathryn Hamrick. Helen Mapes, Sue Stigler, Lucille Westerman, Kathryn Downey, Homer Heathman, Edna McGuffin,

Allye Terrell. Loco Hills School: Virgie Cope

# fourth shot, Mrs. Carlos said and Play-Off Needed

On the stand Carlos said he had A tennis team has won a trophy

the place about midnight, when he Holder of the trophy is Artesia week operators staked six new found the three bodies lying in the High School. It will require a play- locations. yard. He said he did not disturb off of the Williams brothers team, them, but went to notify Joe Tor- Jody and Cody, and the team composed of Charles Gibson and Bob Carlos said he knew Martinez Flynn, to determine the "right"

Here's how it happened: In the Carlsbad tourney matches played on the municipal courts 1, SE SE 16-20-28; total depth 987

Dodson and Bolding, and Gibson and Flynn triumphed over the oth- Yates. State 2, SE SW 1-18-29; er Carlsbad netters, Don Johnson Burnham Oil Co., Yates 1, SW NW Dodson and Boling were Carls- MRY-State 1, NE NW 4-19-28; Olen bad's second string, competing Featherstone, State 1, NE SE 36-

against Artesia's first; Johnson 18-31; Powell & Caudle, State 1, and Lewis, Carlsbad first against SW NW 21-18-28; R. D. Collier, Artesia's second. Darkness prevented further play. Drilling Report Matches started at 9 o'clock that

In the singles, opponents had too much power for the Bulldogs. Forrest E. Levers, Levers 13-B, NW Gibson bowed to Blasier of New Mexico Military Institute, 3-6, 0-6. Don Johnson of Carlsbad defeat. Nay Hightower, Saunders 4, NW being offered by Ray Bartlett, good ed Jody Williams, 0-6, 3-6.

Firemen were called to the alley and the fence was being scorched Although there was fire in a

which was not endangered.

### Stripper Is Only **New Production** In Eddy Fields

The Eddy County oil report for and abandoned. But during the

The completions: Marion C. Welch, Lackawanna 9. NE NE 21-18-28; total depth 2856 feet; plugged back to 2470 feet; pumped eight barrels of oil per

Johnson & Wells, Johnson-State New Locations: Flynn, Welch & 22-18-28: Martin Yates, Jr., Estate,

State 1, NW SW 12-17-27. W. D. Brookover, Jr., Watson-

Smith 5, SE SW 4-18-29. Drilling at 2825. SW 34-16-29. Drilling at 1000.

Drilling at 450. E. Bedingfield, Delhi-State 7, NE NE 36-17-27.

Total depth 510; waiting on Nunn & Geiser, Hastie 3, SW NW

18-17-28. Total depth 515; testing. Harvey E. Yates, Page & Yates 1,

NE NE 7-20-27 Drilling at 480 Humble Oil & Refining Co., Federal-Hobbs 1, SE SE 24-20-24.

Drilling at 11,425. Worth Drilling Co., Taylor 8-A, NW SW 12-18-31. Drilling at 3885.

Humble Oil & Refining Co., O. A Pearson et al 1, SW NW 2-16-25, Drilling at 7015.

Is Cut To One Trip Daily

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Saturday instead of 5:30 o'clock on postoffice service. Saturday afternoon as heretofore.

fect Artesia, Postmaster Jess Truett pointed out:

2. The local postoffice will en- from his work. deavor to deliver first-class mail Until a requisition for a stamp s arrival.

herefore arrives too late for the noons, Sundays, and holidays.

4. The change will reduce the

An Artesia athlete, Don Kincaid, was high point individual scorer of the Cavern City track and field meet held Saturday in Carlsbad. It was the last tilt of the Ar-

Ray Bartlett, manager of the team. By the narrow margin of only six

nountains, and coming towards Local athletes ranked third in

Senior Division

tie for fifth, 55.3. 220-yard dash, Kincaid, first 23.3;

ing saucers, either many miles first, 15.8. Pole Vault, Kincaid in three-way High jump, Vernon Haldeman, 5 feet 11 inches, tournament rec- rules of the show, none of which is will be outlined at a meeting of the

> Javelin throw, Thomas Boyd, 880-yard relay, Walter Burch, Tommy Price, Doyle Cole, and

440-yard relay, James Baker, Bill Brown, Gayle Richardson, W. L. Grav. first. 48.2. disclosed that she probably would

> fourth. 22.4. 100-yard dash, Baker, third, 10.6; 220-yard dash, Baker, third, 24.6;

# (Continued on page six)

hinges of the safe were knocked On the page containing advertise- test ends when census figure is an- \$10 gift certificate.

ers, are busting out all over on comply with the rules. what Uncle Sam's figure will be "Your estimate must be based on on purchase of new International The Artesia Advocate is offer- Grass Fire Behind

a group of local merchants, is hold-

Spring and the population guess- census sweepstake, providing you \$10 gift certificate; Lorang Clean- A \$10 book of theater tickets is

Guessing what the population is corporated city limits of Artesia. erator; Clem & Clem, \$16.50 New Who Can Enter

urday. Prizes will be graded No. man.

We also got a kick out of Jack Frost going to and returning from Hope—especially going to, because the High Had been broken and an election High Had been broken and election High Had been broken and an election High Had been broken and election High Had been broken and an election High Had been broken and an election High Had been broken and an election High Had been broken and an election High Had been broken and election High Had been broken and election High Had been broken and the Had Been Broken Had

ers, \$10 trade certificate.

"You are entitled to one guess shoes; Hub Clothiers, a top qual- Lakewood, north by Hagerman, was no wind and the source of the The Shoe Tree, pair of quality How Entries Made

Star Grocery, \$10 food order; Artesia trade territory is de-Keys Men's Wear, pair Florsheim fined as bound on the south by trash can some feet away, there

Allen Oil Company, 100 gallons out with full name, address, time

Myers Company, Inc., \$30 credit at any of the three local theaters.

a Plasticote polish, wash and grease tesia Advocate and members of evening, where grass was burning their families.

Maljamar "Closest guess will win Award shoes; Evans Hardware, \$15 in Persons can enter this populathe official blank, properly filled

# THE ARTESIA ADVOCATE 1950 CENSUS SWEEPSTAKES

If You Are 16 Years of Age or Older, Live Within the Artesia Trade Territory, Are Not a Census Taker, an Employe of The Artesia Advocate or a Member of Their Immediate Families-You Are Eligible to Take Part in the Census Sweepstake, Providing You Comply With the Rules.

Your Estimate Must Be Based on the Population Figures of the Incorporated City Limits of Artesia. The Official Guessing Ballot Must Be Used. These May Be Clipped from This Page or Obtained from the Participating Merchants.

Your Blank Can Be Mailed to The Advocate or Left With the Prize Offering Merchants. You Are Entitled to One Guess Each Week, Monday through Saturday. Prizes Will Be Graded No. 1, No. 2, No. 3 etc. Closest Guess Will Win Prize No. 1, Second Closest, Prize No. 2 etc. Contest Ends When Census Figure Is Announced. May the Best Man or Woman Win!

1	he Artesia	a Advoca	te
195	60 Census	Sweepst	ake
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Phone 629

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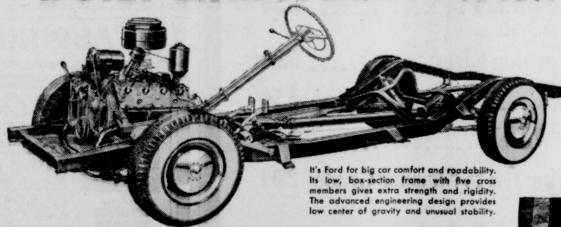
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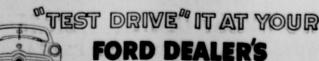


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Miss Jones is a graduate of Ros-well High School, and she also at-and C. M. Murphy. was at one end of the table. Miss Doris Williams presided at the tended Texas State College for
Women in Denton, Texas. She is
now employed in the law offices
of Brown & Russell.

Mrs. Ernest Smith

The prospective bridegroom is Is Honored At a student in the senior college of New Mexico Military Institute, Ros- Pink-Blue Shower well. The wedding will be on the day in June on which he is gradu-

### Miss Rehberg Is Honored By Phone Company

of the Mountain States Telephone ona Marsh, Mary Kennedy, Helen & Telegraph Company, was hon- Kennedy, Millie Pritzer, Lela Mc ored with a buffet dinner by the Nellis, and Rose McNellis, and lit company Saturday evening in hon- lie James William Rowland. or of her 25th anniversary with the company, at the home of W. F. Hinde, local manager, and Mrs. Nevill Muncy Is

The table was centered with a Honored On Birthday beautiful bouquet of spring flow-

Those present were H. H. Hem- W. T. Haldeman. Luther Rideout, Mrs. Mary Jones, griff at Lake McMillan. Miss Dorothy Hayhurst, Miss Billy Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Hinde, and

### Beta Sigma Phi Ritual Jeweled Ceremony Put On

Beta Sigma Phi had a ritual jew-Andy Anderson, social advisor.

nembers and who received their The bride chose for her wedding

The impressive candlelight ser- Miss Shirley Sherwood was COVERED-DISH DINNER vice was conducted by Mrs. R. B. bridesmaid. She wore a two-piece Rodke, president, and she was as- spring blue dress with white acsisted by Miss Nancy Haynes, Mrs. cessories. Her corsage was of yel-Cecil Waldrep, and Mrs. Donald low carnations Fanning. All members were gown- Bill Jackson of Lovington was ed in formals.

The home was beautifully decofreshment table was spread with a chose for her daughter's wedding rated with spring flowers. The relace cloth and centered with a erystal punchbowl surrounded with

Individual cakes topped with yellow roses and punch were served bridegroom, wore an aqua spring by the hostesses, Mrs. M. A. Wa. suit with pink and black accesso ters, Mrs. Cecil Waldrep, Mrs. ries. Her corsage was pink carna-Charles Sanford and Mrs. Andy tions.

with a pink and blue shower Thurs The young people plan to make day afternoon of last week at the their home in Artesia. home of Mrs. L. A. Halfmann. The lovely gifts were placed on the dining table, and a stork was placed in the center.

Refreshments of cold drinks and cake were served to Mmes. Clara Hemby, Rea Willis, Doris Archid, Betty Jones, Wanda Rowland, John Crow, Mary Dowell, Winifred Miss Celia Rehberg, an employe Owen, Millie Cook, Vick Parr, Le

day and Mrs. Muney with a fish The company presented Miss dinner at the Vandergriff home Rehberg a 25-year pin, and the Thursday evening of last week. employes in the Artesia office pre- Other guests were Ar. and Mrs sented her a lovely overnight case. W. B. Gelwick and Mr. and Mrs

bry of El Paso, district manager; The home was beautifully dec Reid Hatch, manager of the Ros- orated with spring flowers. The well office, and Mrs. Hatch; Mrs. fish were caught by Mr. Vander-

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Geneva Conference and the ways

it could be applied in the commun-

ity for educational and social pro-

Miss Barbara June Harral, versity of Arizona at Tucson the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. first semester of 1949-50, Harral, 807 West Texas Avenue, The bridegroom attended school became the bride of Kelly Roberts, in Lovington and graduated with son of Mr. and Mrs. Keyton Roberts of Lovington, Saturday after- The couple left on a honeymoon parents, with Rev. R. L. Willing. They will make their home in Lovham, pastor of the First Methodist ington, where the bridegroom is Church, officiating at the double- employed by an oil company.

The young couple stood under and tall baskets

itual jewel pins were Mmes. Beach a pink and blue pin-check spring Albuquerque. Barton, Bert Muncy, Jr., Jack suit with navy blue accessories

the bridegroom's attendant. Mrs. Harral, mother of the bride, a navy blue spring dress with gress. The group decided to call third Friday of each month.

Other members present besides ered with a lace cloth and was centhose mentioned were Mmes. Joe tered with a two-tiered pink and Jones, Harry B. Gilmore, Charles a miniature bride and bridegroom A. B. Harris of Artesia. The wed-Bullock, William C. Thompson, Jr., and circled with pink and white Lawrence Coll, Lloyd Dorand, carnations. A crystal punchbowl Doris Williams presided at the punchbowl. Mrs. Gillett of Lovington, aunt of the bridegroom, served the cake. She was assisted by Miss Maxine McAnally and Mrs. Leona Gootch. Mrs. Sherwood was in charge of the bride's book.

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She said this delegate body of Other out-of-town guests attendOther out-of-town guests attendother out-of-town guests attendsents a membership of 1,500,000 ing the wedding besides those menmembers in the Women's Society of Christian Service of the Meth- Vernon, Iowa, president of the Wo tioned were Mrs. Love of Lovington, grandmother of the brideodist Church. groom; Mrs. Lee Roberts of Wil-

Discussions and inspirational adcox, Ariz., aunt of the bridegroom, and Miss Doris Williams, a student at the University of New Mexico, Friday evening at the First Pres-Methodist women in the fields of byterian Church for a covered-dish missions and human rights, Mrs. Frank G. Grooks, of Mt.

> themselves the "Y. A.," with a meeting to be held the first and

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men's Division of Christian Service, the executive body of the dresses followed the general Woman's Society of Christian Ser-"Christian Faith for a vice, keynoting the assembly ses-World in Revolution," Mrs. Blocker sion, gave an interpretation of the said. The meeting sought means assembly theme and objectives. to insure the application of human She said. "Women, especially rights on a worldwide basis. Find- Christian women, believe there ings and recommendations of the are still frontiers to be crossed. assembly served to blueprint a new American women have been piointernational program sponsored by neers in the past and the sense of trail blazing is strong in most of them. Crossing a frontier, whether it is the boundary line of a nation or whether it leads to new areas of experience and of thinking, in-

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Friday of last week in El

and Mrs. W. B. Hiser and nald, returned home Thursening of last week after vis er, at Kingman, Ariz.

and Mrs. Joel Lewis of An-Texas, formerly of Artesia, visiting friends in Artesia

and Mrs. C. R. Vandergriff Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Gelwick hildren spent Sunday, April swell they were joined by nd Mrs. L. L. Frazier and son, and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Daw-They reported they had a rful day and plenty of good

ere Mr. and Mrs. Roy Story cinnati, Ohio, and Alice Marieta, Ohio. The three ARTESIA P.E.O. MEMBERS been on a trip to the Pacific ATTEND ROSWELL LUNCHEON came Saturday night to Arrom Los Alamos, are on their trip home. The Storys are s of Mr. Oliver. Miss Criss ister of Mrs. Oliver.

nn and Bob O'Bannon of the awood Community returned Sunday from Garden City, where they had gone to at-, Mrs. H. B. O'Bannon, who uesday, April 18.

M. S. Brown is visiting her nd daughter-in-law, Mr. and Stafford of Carlsbad, this and Mrs. W. D. Jeter of

iell, Texas, were week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. New Phone Books Hubbard. C. H. Murdock, pastor of To Be Received

aptist Church at Lakewood, Early Next Month confined in a hspital in Schulze, manager of the Penney Company store in left Saturday for Tulsa,

to attend a company convening held in that city. Kelley Stout left Monday afon for Stafford, Texas, and ed Tuesday. Havins, L. E. Williams, and Hickson of the Cottonwood mity returned recently from

ng trip to the lower end of cos River near the Mexican and at Devil's Lake at Del Texas. They caught one yelatfish weighing 40 pounds.

### ocial Calendar

ay, April 25 tern Star, meeting and light ments. Masonic Temple

esday, April 26 esia Women's Golf Club, free s, golf course, 1:15 p. m. sia Drove of Does, meeting, building, 7:30 p. m. day, April 27

e Walker Circle of the First dist Church, meeting, home s. Bert Muncy, Jr., with Mrs. McCaw as co-hostess, 2 p. m. y Brainard Circle of the First dist Church, meeting, home s. Earl Cox, with Mrs. Doyle ns co-hostess, 2 p. m. iness and Professional Womclub, dinner and meeting at rtesia Hotel Coffee Shop, 7

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TALK At Most

Nancy Eipper, who was ill "Travel With One of Our Mis- vember, 1949. ome of her granddaughter, sionaries in Japan" was the talk Baker, was moved given by Mrs. Albert Richards, IN THE PROBATE COURT OF av of last week to the home program chairman at a meeting of daughter, Mrs. G. C. Kin- the Christian Women's Fellowship Mrs. Eipper's son, C. O. Eip- of the First Christian Church Lomita, Calif., is here visit- Thursday afternoon of last week IN THE MATTER OF at the church

and Mrs. J. W. Nelson re- Mrs. William M. Siegenthaler, TESTAMEMNT to their home in Hunting- president, presided over the busi- OF O. R. GABLE, Calif., after visiting here nes meeting. Mrs. Arthur G. Bell DECEASED. was in charge of the devotions. At the close of the meeting Mrs.

Mr. Hiser's mother, Mrs. M. Little Caudle Son Showered at Party

Members of the sewing club, of which Mrs. J. R. Caudle is a mem-ber, surprised her little adopted son, Mike, with a showed Tuesday afternoon of last week when the club met at Mrs. Caudle's home. Refreshments of strawberry Bottomless Lakes picnicking. cream puffs and coffee were

Those present and sending gifts were Mmes. Stanley Carper, Marshall Rowley, A. C. Sadler, W. C. Thompson, Jr., Bert Muncy, Jr., John E. Cochran, Jr., Neil B. sts here last week end of Mr. Watson, Williams (Bill) Keys, S. drs. Roy Oliver, 902 Washing- P, Yates, Hugh Parry, T. C. Stromberg, and Don Bush.

Sixteen members of P.E.O.. Chapter "J", attended a reciprocal luncheon and musical program given by the three P.E.O. chapters in Roswell Saturday, entertaining the chapters of Carlsbad, Hobbs,

Those attending were mines. D he funeral services for their M. Schneberg, V. L. Gates, A. P. Mahone, E. M. Perry, R. L. Paris, Ralph Shugart, W. Leslie Martin, William Jackson, J. R. Caudle, W B. Macey, Bertha Van Wyngarden, Stanley Carper, Grady Booker, M. C. Ross, Harvey Yates, and Mar

New telephone directories of the Mountain States Telephone and Telegraph Company are expected

to be issued in Artesia about May the first publication of this Notice 9, W. F. Hinde, local manager said on the 25th day of April, 1950, or the same will be barred

Of Christian Women This is the semi-annual Edition The last directory was dated No-

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THE LAST WILL AND

No. 1612 NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN Siegenthaler and Mrs. R. H. Wil-that Virginia D. Gable has qualiliams, hostesses, served refresh- fied as executrix of the Last Will ments of sandwiches, cookies, and and Testament of O. R. Gable, deceased.

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TUESDAY AFTERNOON 12:00 Personality Time
12:15 Farm & Market News
12:35 Local News
12:35 Melody Scrapbook
12:45 News
1:00 Ranch House Boys
1:15 Bob Poole Show
1:30 Tops in Pops
2:00 News

2:05 It's Reminiscent Rhythm 2:30 Georgia Jamboree 3:00 Americans 3:15 Guest Star 3:30 Your Concert Master

4:00 News 4:05 Revolving Rhythm 4:30 Record Shop 4:45 National Guard Show 4:45 National Guard Sho 5:00 Straight Arrow 5:30 B-Bar-B Riders 6:00 Gabriel Heatter and the News 6:15 Fulton Lewis, Jr.

6:30 Twilight Serenade 6:45 Sports Final 6:55 Bill Henry and the

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f:00 Local News
7:15 Saddlebag Express
7:30 Rental Program
7:35 Soft Lights and
Sweet Music
6:00 Commentator
8:15 Mutual Newsreel
8:30 Dance Band
9:00 I Love a Mystery
9:15 Dance Orchestra
9:30 Dance Orchestra
9:55 Mutual Reports the
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5:59 Sign Or 7:00 News 7:05 Devotional 7:20 1450 Club 7:35 Local News 7:40 1450 Club

8:05 Background for Breakfast 8:15 Musical Roundup 8:30 Say It with Music 9:00 Variety Time 9:30 Morning Devotional 9:45 Novelly in Rhythm 10:00 News 10:05 Harmonies for the 10:30 Western Jamboree

10:45 Excursion in Science 11:00 Cedric Foster and the News 11:15 Harvey Harding Sings 11:30 Harold Turner

12:00 Personality Time 12:15 Farm and Market Service

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4:15 The Sports Parade
4:30 Proudly We Hail
5:00 Mark Trail
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6:00 Gabriel Heatter and
the News
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6:55 Bill Henry and the
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8:15 Tin Pan Alley 8:30 Okla. State Symphony Orchestra 9:00 I Love a Mystery 9:15 Spanish Program 9:55 Mutual Reports the News

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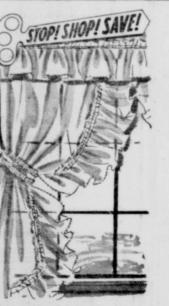
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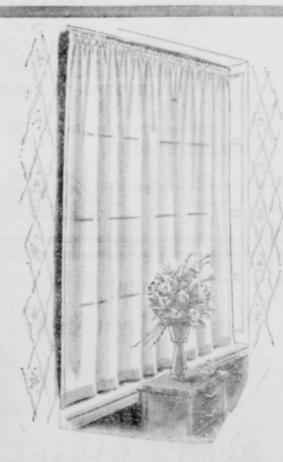
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son B-24. NE NE 35-17-29.

Keeley 44-B, SE SW 26-17-29.

Keeley 19-B, SE NE 26-17-29.

### Potpourri-

(Continued from Page 1) treacherous San Juan and Co! orado Rivers in the nearly unex plored sections in Southwest Colo rado, Northwest New Mexico, and Northeast Arizona.

Jack is all steamed up about th rivers, for he is planning another trip down through the deep gorges, which have been seen by pi fewer than 300 humans, Indian o.

He said that Young Jack wil again conduct several trips dow. this summer and Old Jack will be along on at least one of them.

The trips even became tangle up with the Hope story while w were in Hope, with the result tha Jack soon is to be invited to giv one of his interesting talks there similar to the numerous ones he has given in Artesia and in many

other cities. We must say the people of Hope are in for a great treat.

Doc Fenley, who turns out the olumn, "Assignment New Mexico," which appears in the Friday edi tions of The Advocate, made crack which the linotype operator who sets his plunder took excep tion to-or, Doc, if you want the king's English, we will say, to which he took exception.

The old, bald-headed professor laid the typohowlers in the state's cewspapers to the linotype opera

"If," said our operator, "we guys didn't straighten out the busts and typos in copy which find their way to our mills, Ol Doc Fenley could really go to town in his statewide teat. Even he sometimes doesn't know the difference between 'capital' and 'captiol'.

Now, Dee, will you lay off our operator, so we can keep him off

The Artesia census in 1930 was 2476, and in 1940 it was 4071. What will it be in 1950?

### Artesia Athlete—

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137 feet 8 inches. High jump, Brown, in three-way tie for first, 5 feet 5 inches.

### Census—

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stores of participating merchants. Contestants are not limited to one entry each but can submit more than one entry blank on the basis of one blank per one contestant per week, dated or postmarked by Saturday of the week in which the entry is made. Contest Name-Deadlines

Official name is The Artesia Advocate 1950 Census Sweepstake. Persons wishing to mail their blanks to this newspaper should use the address, The Artesia Advocate, Census, Post Office Box 427, Artesia, New Mexico

The contest opens today, will continue until the federal government announces the figure for Artesia. This announcement is expected by June 1. Contest closes day figure is released.

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Awards will be made as soon as the government gives the official count on the population within the incorporated limits of Artesia.



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### Pre-School-

(Continued from Page One) chool zone or Park School zone should report to Central School oon or from 1 o'clock to 5 in the fternoon of April 27.

Carver School children report to arver School at 9 o'clock. Transortation will be furnished from

North Side School children report at North Side School at 8

Loco Hills School children meet or transportation to the clinic. Sponsors of the clinic are Cenral, Park, and Carver Parent-Teacher Associations with co-oper Oil Report ation of Artesia schools, two school nurses, three principals, the super-Artesia doctors and four Artesia

dentists. Chairmen are Mrs. C. S. Powell, Marion C. Mrs. J. J. Clarke, Jr., Mrs. Johnson Newton.

### Three Are—

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timony had to do largely with the In case of a tie the guess first finding of the bodies, their relaeceived will take priority on the tive positions and as to the positions of the two weapons.

icture theaters and 10 one-year was cradled under Mrs. Arciniego ubscriptions to The Artesia Ad- and Arciniego was lying beyond

Paulin, funeral director, testified as to the wounds in the bodies of the three and as to their positions and the positions of the weapons, which testimony was the Gulf Oil Corp., Aggie-State 1, SW SW NW 25-18-27. any time between 8 o'clock and same as given by the investigating

Representing the state in the inquests was Thomas E. Lusk of Carlsbad, assistant district attorney

here to Central School, the place leny, George Y. Torres, B. W. The coroner's jury: Adolph Ze-Owen, J. C. Smith, Solomon Urban and Domingo Galvan.

clock for transportation to the vived by four children, Alicia, 15; Luis, 13; Ramon, 3 and Margarita, 2. Only the two youngest were at at Loco Hills School at 1 o'clock home at the time of the triple

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Total depth 2004: testing Welch, Lackawanna State 10, SE SW 24-18-28. Total depth 2068; testing

### intendent, one head teacher, four Brewer Drilling Co., Lilly M. Artesia doctors and four Artesia Yates, NW SE 5-18-27.

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ton-Federal 1, SE NE 5-20-24.

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American Republics Corp., Robin-

son 23-B, NE NW 35-17-29.

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LONGER, DAVE."

Resler Oil Co., Miller 5, NW NE 4-18-29. Drilling at 2875. T. H. McElvain, McElvain 1, SE SE

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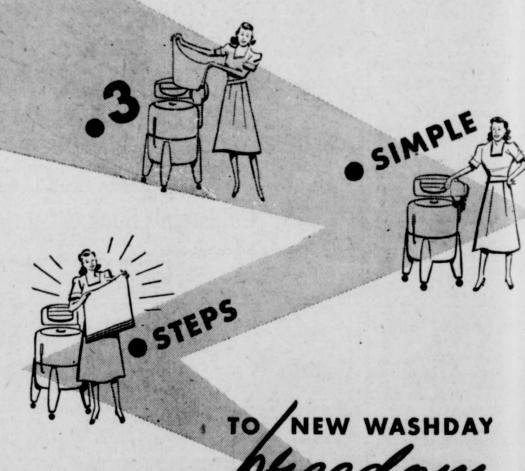
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Excursion of the 1950 class of rtesia High School has been heduled for Friday and Satury, May 12-13.

The trip will be on a chartered reyhound bus from Artesia High hool to Ruidoso and return. In all, 50 are expected to make he trip, including senior class nsors and parents.

Don Riddle, commerce teacher and one of the four class sponsors, said he expected between 30 and 40 seniors to go on the outing. How many parents will be asked to go with the group depends on the ize of the student contingent.

Itinerary calls for the bus to eave the high school building here at 7 o'clock in the morning of May 12. The seniors will bring their he prepares now to control these lunch with them and enroute to lunch with them and enroute to early-season bandits. With an efficient, well-planned, and well-Ruidoso will select a place for a

Trip from Artesia to Ruidoso Mr. Riddle said. At Ruidoso the at least this portion of the crop." seniors will stay in Navajo Lodge, where a dance will be held that

pected to be back in Artesia late than those who failed to do so. Saturday, the bus returning to the

supper Friday night, room, and neighbors in carrying out comm breakfast Saturday morning. Additional funds, however, will

be needed if the pupil wants two Maljamar News other meals on the last day of the outing, and if he desires to go horseback riding, bringing the cost per pupil up to \$10 or \$12, Mr. Riddle estimated.

Felix, social science and English; Alyce Erickson, biology; Margaret Harston and Mr. Riddle, commercial subjects.

### School Pep Club **Chooses Officers**

La Verne Batie is the new president of Artesia High School Pep to promote school spirit and foster interest in athletics.

Completing the squad are two sophomores. Work in the cheering section as sophomores is basic training, in which dependability is

A donation toward a case for the school's athletic trophies was sub-stituted this year for the club's regular project of staging a banquet for the varsity and B grid and cage teams.

Officers and cheer leaders for 1950-51:

La Verne Batie, junior, president; Alice Ray Martin, sophomore, vice president; Myrna Henderson, sophomore, secretary; Ola May Davis, junior, treasurer. In all cases designation by classes is as of the present session.

Cheer Leaders: Returning senior, Fid Hamill,

Holdover, Linda Bolye and Jean Sophomore, Wanda Burch and Charlene Hale.

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### Rierson Says to Fight Cotton Insects Early

Cotton farmers had better go all out in their fight against insect pests this year, County Agent Dallas Rierson warned this week. Pointing out that cotton insect

ton growers may be in for another bad year unless they make immediate, thorough plans for control of cotton insects.

"Because of the mild winter just passed, the insects survived in great numbers ,and hordes of the early season pests are just waiting for the cotton to come up." the county agent explained. "The farmer will be one step ahead if executed early-season control propram, the farmer can aid the cotton in setting the bottom crop of will take from three to four hours, fruit and thus assure himself of

Rierson said a careful study of control efforts made last year night, and where the party will shows that farmers who followed a have breakfast the following morn-well-timed, early-season control program and used recommended Horseback riding will be a part insecticides produced at least a of the outing. The seniors are ex- quarter of a bale more per acre

The county agent urged growers to buy enough insecticides im-Cost of obtaining the bus for mediately for at least two or three the trip, \$200, has been raised by applications, get their equipment the senior class in advance from ready, and plan to begin treatment its annual play and from conces- early. At least three applications should be made at five to seven-Each pupil making the trip will day intervals. He also suggested need \$7 as a minimum to pay for that growers work with their nity-wide control programs.

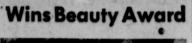
(Mrs. Kenneth Shields)

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd McCarthy were dinned guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sponsors of the class are Alma Tom Ansley of Lovington, last Thursday evening.

Mrs. Luther Kelley entertained the Kewanee Sewing Club at her home Thursday of last week with a fried chicken dinner. Pictures were taken of the group. Those attending were Mmes. W. D. Wilson, M. P. Blakely, Artice Vowell, Kenneth Shields, Floyd McCarthy, Herbert C. Hunter, J. C. Davis, Oscar Goodman, F. H. Alexander, Club, girls organization designed Ira Pleasant, and Ralph McGill and were returning home from Dallas, "Ma" Payne.

Guests at the home of Mr. and She succeeds Maxine Ashton, Mrs. Floyd McCarthy Friday eve-1949-50 president. Annual election ning of last week were Mr. and of officers of the club, one of the Mrs. P .H. Gamble and Rev. and oldest in the school, was held Wed- Mrs. W. R. Huston of Lovington. They enjoyed a fish dinner.

There were six cheer leaders The Canasta Club met with Mr. named. In line with the club sys- and Mrs. F. H. Alexander. High tem of having a nucleus of exper- scores were won by Mr. and Mrs. ienced enthusiasm specialists on J. C. Davis. Other members attendthe squad, two are seniors, two ing were Messrs, and Mmes. Othar years ago.





AFTER BEING CHOSEN "Miss Miami Beach of 1950," Betty Baucom, 19, holds the trophy that goes with the title. She will represent the city in the contest to select "Miss Florida." If she wins, she will compete in Atlantic City for the title of "Miss America." (International)

Furrh, Kenneth Shields, Ralph McGill, and Herbert C. Hunter. Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Kelley were guests of the club. The next club meeting will be with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Davis, Wednesday, May 3.

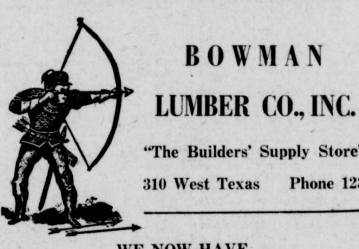
The Maljamar Bridge Club met with Mrs. Oscar Loyd. High scores were won by Mrs. Son Taylor and Mrs. Oscar Loyd. Guests of the club were Mrs. Clarence Dozier and Mrs. Zelmer Glover. Other members attending were Mrs. Oscar Goodman, Mrs. Albert W. Golden, Mrs. L. J. Kelly, and Mrs. Cecil Holeman.

Mr. and Mrs. John McMurray left for Oklahoma Wednesday of last week to spend a few days. Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Loyd of Artesia were visitors in Maljamar Wednesday of last week. They

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Davis last Sunday were Sgt. and Mrs. Heny Noel of Roswell.

where Mr. Loyd received medical

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### Wins Beauty Award Electric Co-Op Athletic Teams Win Nine Trophies in Four Years

total of triumphs is still nine. The Tom Pickett, c; S. Coor, ss; Ray the 1950 city league basketball Truitt Doss, sf; Lefty Smith, 1b;

are the regular statuette type, six ager; Barry Wood, scorekeeper. are in basketball, three in soft- 1950 Champions

Championships total seven. The other two are for runner-up. One member of the REA players has the honor of being on all Frank Tozke, Emil Bach, Cotton the softball and basketball teams Pittman, Bill Johnson, Bill Case, that were trophy winners. He is Lyle Terpening, Sam Hawkins, Red Emil Bach, a farmer, who is a Goodwin pitcher and outfielder on the softball team, forward on the basketball squad.

tion of being on all but one of the trophy-collecting teams, They are Bill Case, third baseman, guard, an oil field worker, Cotton Pittman, outfielder, forward, employe 1950 c of the telephone company; and Red Goodwin, pitcher, basketball coach, REA storekeeper.

The REA was started here in 1939, has been its present location, 115 West Quay, since 1944. Paul First Champions

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last in the series in for winning Miller, cf; Scratchy Rideout, c; Mike Stefano, rf; Emil Bach, p; Out of the nine awards, which Billy Bullock, 2b; Otto Wood, man-

> Winners of first place in city league basketball:

Pete Hatch, Ralph McGuire, Out of the 10, four are REA em-

ployes. They are Hatch, Terpening, Hawkins, and Goodwin. Three others have the distinc- Basketball Trophies 1947 city league championship.

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weekly calls in Artesia each Friday, being on duty at the city hall a whole year, in electronics in from 10 o'clock in the morning to Washington, D. C.; aviation elec-

tion as a place to interview appli- For those going into surface cants for enlistments.

checked its flow of "boots" but is ditioning school at San Diego now accelerating recruiting. This is due to enlistments of many men being up in 1951 and while possibly 35 per cent of these will reenlist, a backlog of recruits is needed to maintain full comple-

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Softball Trophies til their twenty-first birthday. One of the latter is in San Diego, Those 18 years old can enlist for another in Norfolk, Va.

1946 city league championship. 1948 city league championship,

1948 Southeast N. M. Tournament, Lovington, championship.

### Navy Speeding Up Call for Recruits

With high school graduates as Va. their special target, the U.S. Navy

is stepping up its recruiting. and El Paso, are points of recruit-This is reflected in Artesia in ment. the once a week call here of a reeruiter, H. F. Scher, chief ma- for high school graduates. With chinist's mate, from Roswell. 62 schools, it offers training in a Chief Scher is to make regular variety of trades.

2 o'clock in the afternoon. tronics, gunnery, and aviation ma-He was in Artesia last Friday chinst, among many in the air utilizing a part of the police sta- branch.

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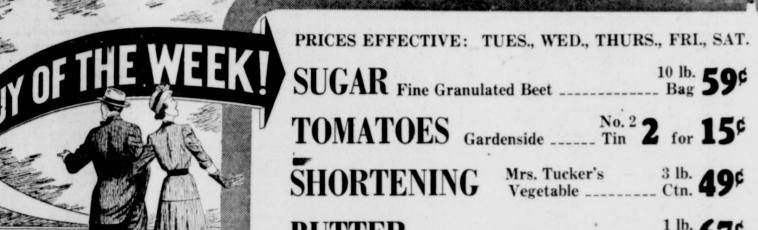
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Potpourri—

(Continued from Page 1) the treacherous San Juan and Co! orado Rivers in the nearly unex sections in Southwest Colo ado, Northwest New Mexico, and Northeast Arizona.

Jack is all steamed up about th rivers, for he is planning another trip down through the deep gorges, hich have been seen by propfewer than 300 humans, Indian o.

He said that Young Jack wil again conduct several trips dow. this summer and Old Jack will be along on at least one of them.

The trips even became tangle up with the Hope story while w were in Hope, with the result tha Jack soon is to be invited to give one of his interesting talks there similar to the numerous ones h has given in Artesia and in many other cities.

We must say the people of Hope are in for a great treat.

Doc Fenley, who turns out the column, "Assignment New Mexico, which appears in the Friday edi The Advocate, made crack which the linotype operator who sets his plunder took excep tion to-or, Doc, if you want the king's English, we will say, to which he took exception.

The old, bald-headed professor laid the typohowlers in the state's cewspapers to the linotype opera-

"If," said our operator, "we guy: didn't straighten out the busts and typos in copy which find their way to our mills, Ol Doc Fenley could really go to town in his statewide teat. Even he sometimes doesn't know the difference between 'capital' and 'captiol'."

Now, Dee, will you lay off our operator, so we can keep him off

The Artesia census in 1930 was 2476, and in 1940 it was 4071. What

### Artesia Athlete—

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81/4 inches. Javelin throw, Brown, second, 137 feet 8 inches.

High jump, Brown, in three-way tie for first, 5 feet 5 inches

### Census-

will it be in 1950?

(Confinued from Page 1) stores of participating merchants. Contestants are not limited to one entry each but can submit more than one entry blank on the basis of one blank per one contestant per week, dated or postmarked by Saturday of the week in which Contest Name-Deadlines

Official name is The Artesia Advocate 1950 Census Sweepstake. Persons wishing to mail their blanks to this newspaper should use the address, The Artesia Advocate, Census, Post Office Box 427, Artesia, New Mexico.

The contest opens today. continue until the federal govern ment announces the figure for Ar-This announcement is expected by June 1. Contest closes day figure is released.

Figure as given by the government will be considered as final.

Awards will be made as soon as the government gives the official count on the population within the incorporated limits of Artesia.



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### Pre-School-

(Continued from Page One) chool zone or Park School zone hould report to Central School my time between 8 o'clock and oon or from 1 o'clock to 5 in the afternoon of April 27.

Carver School children report to arver School at 9 o'clock. Transortation will be furnished from here to Central School, the place

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or transportation to the clinic. Sponsors of the clinic are Cenral, Park, and Carver Parent Teacher Associations with co-operation of Artesia schools, two school nurses, three principals, the superntendent, one head teacher, four Brewer Drilling Co., Lilly M. Artesia doctors and four Artesia

Chairmen are Mrs. C. S. Powell, Marion Mrs. J. J. Clarke, Jr., Mrs. John-

### Three Are—

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timony had to do largely with the In case of a tie the guess first finding of the bodies, their relative positions and as to the positions of the two weapons.

All said Martinez was lying on ook of theater tickets, offered by the .22 rifle and that the .38 pistol Ray Bartlett, the tickets good at was near his hand, which was ad- Magnolia Petroleum Corp., Hamilmy of the three Artesia motion jacent to his head. His left arm was cradled under Mrs. Arciniego subscriptions to The Artesia Ada and Arciniego was lying beyond Burnham Oil Co. Johnson-State 1, Franklin, Astin & Fair, Nelson 2,

Dr. L. F. Hamilton and Wayne Paulin, funeral director, testified as to the wounds in the bodies American Republics Corp., Robinof the three and as to their positions and the positions of the weapons, which testimony was the Gulf Oil Corp., Aggie-State 1, SW same as given by the investigating

Representing the state in the inquests was Thomas E. Lusk of Carlsbad, assistant district attor-

The coroner's jury: Adolph Zeleny, George Y. Torres, B. W. Owen, J. C. Smith, Solomon Urban

Mr. and Mrs. Arciniego are survived by four children, Alicia, 15; Luis, 13; Ramon, 3 and Margarita, Loco Hills School children meet 2. Only the two youngest were at at Loco Hills School at 1 o'clock home at the time of the triple

### Oil Report—

Yates, NW SE 5-18-27. Total depth 2004; testing

Welch, Lackawanna-State 10, SE SW 24-18-28. Total depth 2068; testing

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son 23-B, NE NW 35-17-29.

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Keeley 44-B, SE SW 26-17-29. Drilling at 1000. Parker & Parker Drilling Co., Leonard Oil Co., State 3, SE SE Kaiser 1, NW SW 20-18127. Total depth 1590; waiting on

pipe. SE NE 4-18-30. Drilling at 3360.

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Sponsors of the class are Alma Felix, social science and English; Thursday evening. Alyce Erickson, biology; Margaret Harston and Mr. Riddle, commer-cial subjects.

### School Pep Club **Chooses Officers**

Club, girls organization designed Ira Pleasant, and Ralph McGill and to promote school spirit and foster interest in athletics.

1949-50 president. Annual election ning of last week were Mr. and of officers of the club, one of the Mrs. P .H. Gamble and Rev. and oldest in the school, was held Wed- Mrs. W. R. Huston of Lovington.

There were six cheer leaders The Canasta Club met with Mr. named. In line with the club sys- and Mrs. F. H. Alexander. High tem of having a nucleus of exper-ienced enthusiasm specialists on J. C. Davis. Other members attendthe squad, two are seniors, two ing were Messrs. and Mmes. Othar

Completing the squad are two sophomores. Work in the cheering section as sophomores is basic training, in which dependability is

A donation toward a case for the school's athletic trophies was substituted this year for the club's regular project of staging a ban-quet for the varsity and B grid and cage teams.

Officers and cheer leaders for 1950-51:

La Verne Batie, junior, president; Alice Ray Martin, sophomore, vice president; Myrna Henderson, sophomore, secretary; Ola May Davis, junior, treasurer. In all cases designation by classes is as of the present session. Cheer Leaders:

Returning senior, Fid Hamill, ue Sudderth. Holdover, Linda Bolye and Jean

Green, juniors. Sophomore, Wanda Burch and Charlene Hale.

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### Rierson Says to **Fight Cotton** Insects Early

Cotton farmers had better go all out in their fight against insect pests this year, County Agent Dallas Rierson warned this week.

Pointing out that cotton insect damage in New Mexico alone amounted to approximately \$2,358,-000 last year, Rierson said the cotton growers may be in for another bad year unless they make immediate, thorough plans for control of cotton insects.

"Because of the mild winter just passed, the insects survived in great numbers ,and hordes of the early season pests are just waiting for the cotton to come up," leave the high school building here leave the high school building here farmer will be one step ahead if he prepares now to control these early-season bandits. With an efficient, well-planned, and wellexecuted early-season control propram, the farmer can aid the cotton in setting the bottom crop of

Rierson said a careful study of control efforts made last year hight, and where the party will shows that farmers who followed a ave breakfast the following morn- well-timed, early-season control program and used recommended Horseback riding will be a part insecticides produced at least a of the outing. The seniors are ex- quarter of a bale more per acre pected to be back in Artesia late than those who failed to do so.

ers to buy enough insecticides im-Cost of obtaining the bus for mediately for at least two or three should be made at five to seven-Each pupil making the trip will day intervals. He also suggested that growers work with their

(Mrs. Kenneth Shields)

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd McCarthy were dinned guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ansley of Lovington, last

Mrs. Luther Kelley entertained the Kewanee Sewing Club at her home Thursday of last week with a fried chicken dinner. Pictures were taken of the group. Those attending were Mmes. W. D. Wilson, M. P. Blakely, Artice Vowell, Kenneth Shields, Floyd McCarthy, La Verne Batie is the new pres. Herbert C. Hunter, J. C. Davis, ident of Artesia High School Pep Oscar Goodman, F. H. Alexander, "Ma" Payne.

Guests at the home of Mr. and She succeeds Maxine Ashton, Mrs. Floyd McCarthy Friday eve-

They enjoyed a fish dinner.





AFTER BEING CHOSEN "Miss Miami Beach of 1950," Betty Baucom, 19, holds the trophy that goes with the title. She will represent the city in the contest to select "Miss Florida." If she wins, she will compete in Atlantic City for the title of "Miss America." (International)

Furrh, Kenneth Shields, Ralph McGill, and Herbert C. Hunter. Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Kelley were guests of the club. The next club meeting will be with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Davis, Wednesday, May 3.

The Maljamar Bridge Club met with Mrs. Oscar Loyd. High scores were won by Mrs. Son Taylor and Mrs. Oscar Loyd. Guests of the club were Mrs. Clarence Dozier and Mrs. Zelmer Glover. Other members attending were Mrs. Oscar Goodman, Mrs. Albert W. Gol-den, Mrs. L. J. Kelly, and Mrs. Cecil Holeman.

Mr. and Mrs. John McMurray left for Oklahoma Wednesday of last week to spend a few days. Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Loyd of Artesia were visitors in Maljamar Wednesday of last week. They were returning home from Dallas, where Mr. Loyd received medical

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Davis last Sunday were Sgt. and Mrs. Heny Noel of Roswell.

Odd Fact Love found a way in Kansas City when a 71-year-old man got married after forgiving his fiance for juting him at the alter 49

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Out of the nine awards, which Billy Bullock, 2b; Otto Wood, manare the regular statuette type, six ager; Barry Wood, scorekeeper. are in basketball, three in soft-

Championships total seven. The league basketball: other two are for runner-up. One member of the REA play-Emil Bach, a farmer, who is a pitcher and outfielder on the softball squad.

Three others have the distinction of being on all but one of the trophy-collecting teams, They are Bill Case, third baseman, guard, an oil field worker, Cotton Pittman, outfielder, forward, employe of the telephone company; and Red Goodwin, pitcher, basketball coach, REA storekeeper.

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Ninth and latest trophy, howev- Red Goodwin, p; Stanley Sutton er, has not been received, but the lf; Lefty Coor, rf; Bill Keys, 3b; total of triumphs is still nine. The Tom Pickett, c; S. Coor, ss; Ray last in the series in for winning Miller, cf; Scratchy Rideout, c; the 1950 city league basketball Truitt Doss, sf; Lefty Smith, 1b Mike Stefano, rf; Emil Bach, p.

Winners of first place in city weekly calls in Artesia each Fri-

Pete Hatch, Ralph McGuire, ers has the honor of being on all Frank Tozke, Emil Bach, Cotton the softball and basketball teams Pittman, Bill Johnson, Bill Case, that were trophy winners. He is Lyle Terpening, Sam Hawkins, Red

Out of the 10, four are REA emball team, forward on the basket- ployes. They are Hatch, Terpening, Hawkins, and Goodwin. Basketball Trophies 1947 city league championship.

1948 city league championship. 1948 East Grand Plains cham-enlist, a backlog of recruits is pionship

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is due to enlistments of many men

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sibly 35 per cent of these will re-

needed to maintain full comple-

Qualified applicants can enlist

1946 city league championship. 1948 city league championship,

either four or six years. 1948 Southeast N. M. Tournament, Lovington, championship. well, then to Albuquerque, main Navy Speeding Up physical examination.

Call for Recruits With high school graduates as Va. their special target, the U.S. Navy Roswell, Santa Fe, Clovis, Hobbs, Annapolis.

is stepping up its recruiting. and El Paso, are points of recruit This is reflected in Artesia in ment.

the once a week call here of a re- The Navy has a special program cruiter, H. F. Scher, chief ma- for high school graduates. With 62 schools, it offers training in a Chief Scher is to make regular variety of trades. These include a 42-week, almost

a whole year, in electronics in from 10 o'clock in the morning to Washington, D. C.; aviation electronics, gunnery, and aviation ma He was in Artesia last Friday chinst, among many in the air utilizing a part of the police sta- branch.

tion as a place to interview appli- For those going into surface craft, there are schools for metal-Until recently the Navy has smiths, a refrigeration and air conchecked its flow of "boots" but is ditioning school at San Diego

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1950 REA tournament runer-up. at a minimum age of 17, serve un- and a motor machinst's school til their twenty-first birthday. One of the latter is in San Diego. Those 18 years old can enlist for another in Norfolk, Va.

Chief Sydney Kelly is in charge Route of navy applicants from of the Roswell office, headquar-Artesia here, to reporting at Rosters for Chief Scher. The latter recruiting point in the state, for has been in the Navy 14 years, recently for nine months was in Is-From Duke City the novice sail- tanbul, Turkey, and other parts ors go to training station either of that country in connection with in San Diego, Calif., or Norfolk, the American Marshall Plan mission, came to New Mexico from

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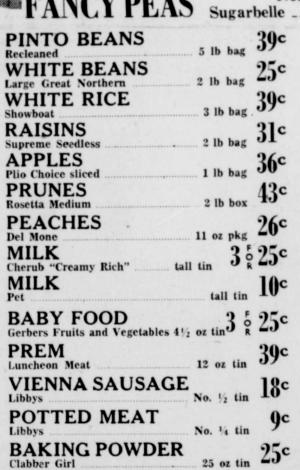
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### Make It a Business

NOBODY LIKES TO RUN A BUSINESS at a loss.

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That is exactly what has happened to Postaster General Jesse Donaldson and the Post Office

The postmaster general is given a stipulated ount of money with which to do business, is told what he can do and pay and then must try to carry out all of the orders given him, without having an opportunity to run the business as would the head of almost any other business.

Postmaster General Donaldson tried to get more money so he could operate properly, but was turned down. Then the time came when he could not meet the payroll, so he cut down service, here and throughout the nation.

The Hoover Commission has recommended a number of ways in which the Post Office Department could and should be operated more econon ally. One of them is to take the department out of politics. Today it is all wrapped up in politics, so nuch so that the postmaster general cannot even attempt to run it as he would another business.

The revenue received through the post offices goes to the Treasury of the United States. And then in turn Congress each year makes an appropriation to run the department. In other words there is no semblence of business in the deal.

Without going into a lot of figures, let us give only one, \$551,129,528, the operating deficit for 1949. That means Congress failed by that much appropriating sufficient funds for the Post Office Department to operate, regardless of the changes which might be made to save here and there and to do away with antedated practices as pointed out by the Hoover Commission. It is reasonable to assume Postmaster General Donaldson, who would like to run his business in a businesslike manner is faced with the same thing this year. So he cuts down on carrier service, shuts the windows earlier in post offices and otherwise cuts corners.

That was about all he could do, unless he would again show a great deficit for 1950.

From 1939 to 1949 the increase in Post Office Department revenue was 110.72 per cent, the increase in the number of pieces of mail was 64.7 per cent and the increase in the weight of mail handled was 104.73 per cent. But the number of employes was increased only 48.43 per cent.

About 96 per cent of all expenditures in the operation of the postal service is for salaries and transportation costs. The salaries are fixed by Congress and the transportation costs by the Interstate Commerce Commission and the Civil Aeronautics Board. The remaining 4 per cent is used to cover rentals, equipment, supplies and the like.

The Hoover Commission shows us how money can be saved. The Congress goes on in the same old horse-and-buggy method as to the Post Office Department. And the postmaster general cuts service

We say give the postmaster general sufficient funds with which to set up business and run for a reasonable time and charge him with using business methods and making the Post Office Department pay its own way economically.

But our saying it alone will not do much good. It is up to you to tell the congressional delegation about it and demand business methods, at the same time demanding the kind of postal service we should expect in this year of 1950.—A.L.B.

### Are We Preparing?

WE HAVE A GOOD FRIEND who holds the rank of captain in the Reserve Corps. Some two months ago he was called to active duty-called in along with a group of others to do a particular job. Supposedly the job had something to do with

better preparing this nation for any emergency which may face us. But our reports on the activities of this group

seem to indicate it has been a matter of twiddling thumbs, drawing the pay and just waiting until the 90-day period is up.

We wonder whether they have accomplished waste of time, of effort and of money.

If that is the case we can't keep from wondermaking any preparations?

And we are very much concerned about an attitude of indifference as to the country's welfare that it is always larger than the income and that and the country's future. We are concerned about an attitude that seems to be interested only in serving the time and drawing the pay.

We believe that America should be concerned We know that once before we weren't ready-

remember Pearl Harbor?

We are sure you do. And the question for onths after that was why weren't we ready for s situation? And Americans had a right to ask

s. We hope that we are preparing for the period any chances.

ahead and for any emergency that may develop.

It begins to appear to us that we are going to have to forget the soft and easy life we wan to live. We are going to have to realize that it was a soft and easy life that has caused the downfall of more nations and countries than anything else.

Few countries have lasted as long as America has lasted. We have existed all these years because we have been willing to do whatever was necessary to defend and to protect our way of life. We hope we have not lost the willingness to do that again or to pay the price to defend and protect our way of life that is demanded of us.

Are we really preparing for any emergency that may face us?-O.E.P.

### The Better the Choice

THE LARGER THE NUMBER of candidates and the more qualified candidates who file for any one particular office or for all of the offices, the greater the choice and the selection the public has in selecting its candidates.

Sometimes, of course, the chosen candidate by the party in power may have a better chance to win the office if they have more opposition but more candidates mean more choice.

And we are firmly convinced that the public is entitled to more choice in some of the state offices for which candidates are to be chosen than it has

The fact that Supreme Court Justice C. R. Brice will not seek re-election came as a blow to those who had followed his career in the State Supreme Court bench. He was considered an outstanding judge and the folks over in Dona Ana County knew that he was in a large measure responsible for the fine work done by their grand jury.

He proved to be a real friend of law enforcehonesty, decency and of good government. They have voiced their regrets that he did not seek

Most of us are convinced we can't afford to lose such good men from public office. We have too few

There are other offices for which we need more candidates and better candidates. We need the best people and the best qualified people to run our ness for us. And the government is our business.

It is not only our business but we are going to have to realize this fact; take an interest in it; help select the best men and women possible to run our

And the greater the number of candidates in field in the various elections the more possibilities of selecting those who are able, experienced and qualified to do a better job for us.

And part of the job that has been done during past few years has not been good and it has not n for the best interest of the citizens.

We hope we can have the opportunity to select st as able an individual to serve on our Supreme Court as Chief Justice Brice and we can have equalas good and qualified men and women serving us in the other state and county as well as district offices.-O.E.P.

### Promoting Themselves

MERICANS ARE SLOWLY BEGINNING to ealize what a grand job is being done by those political power to see they remain in power. They are beginning to fully appreciate that

political powers that be to perpetuate themselves in office as to the job of serving the American people. ing and optical work. And when the American people do become med and convinced-they usually know what to do about it. It is the pressure of the public that is going to remove some of the various war taxes

out, if not more, time is being employed by the

And that pressure, we are told, is going to get the gressmen also will reduce some of the appropations being made today for various governmental epartments because these departments are using

hese funds to promote themselves in office. The Hatch Act has eliminated federal employes om participating in politics. We are told there a federal law which prohibits the government department heads and employes from using their funds to promote their programs and to carry on at Lake Arthur, was transacting

what actually amounts to lobbying. Yet that is being done. Cabinet members are ot only making speaking tours over the nation at overnment expense to promote their own programs but they are approving the spending of government expense accounts for their employes to attend these

In other words they are using government funds to create sentiment among government employes for a particular government program.

This has and is being done concerning the Brannan farm program. And certain community committee chairmen in some states have had their expenses paid in order to hear the secretary of agriculture explain the Brannan plan. There is no question but what he instructs these government employes to boost the program.

What is being done by this cabinet member probably is being done by others. And if meetings are not held and expenses are not paid you can be ure that instructions are being given to the government employes as to how they vote; what they are for; what they will support and you can bet that the taxpayers are paying for it.

The party out of office is and will continue to be handicapped because of the tremendous government payrolls and those on these payrolls. That

gives the party in power a flying start. But we believe it is time that Americans call halt to their money being used by government officials and government employes to promote their anything. This officer seems to think that it has own pet schemes and to perpetuate themselves in

And we feel sure when the American people ing about the other preparations we are supposed | fully realize this is being done and has been done to be making. We are wondering whether we are off and on for 20 years they will demand that it be

> It is no wonder that the budget is so large; it is continuing to grow year by year.

And it is going to continue to grow until the American people demand a halt of the waste and extravagance and the use of their money by those in power to keep themselves in power.

And when the needless and unnecessary as well as illegal spending of the people's money there will probably be a change in the party in power .-

Cleveland police seized a flock of lottery tick-ets—and made it quite clear they weren't taking



CRASH LANDING!

### As Artesia Grows

PARGILL.

TWENTY YEARS AGO (From The Advocate files for April 24, 1930)

The population of Artesia is Unit. placed at 2476, according to a report received from the office of the district census supervisor at dren, who have been at the home Roswell.

Tom Heflin has purchased Lot Lower Penasco Sunday. 1 in Block 26 on West Main Street and plans the erection of a new dwelling at an early date.

Dr. Edward Stone, former city clerk, will move his office from the city hall to the Gilbert & Collins building, where he has established quarters for jewelry repair-

will drive to Roswell this afternoon to be present at the opening of the splendid new \$25,000 Woman's assessed on amusements, traveling and luxuries. Chub house. From there they will drive to Tularosa on Friday morning to attend a meeting of the fourth district.

> in a piano recital at St. Paul's nounced. Mission Monday evening, assisted by Miss Florence Oakes, who delighted the audience with two vio-

Clyde Nihart, rural mail carrier 400 years ago today. business here yesterday.

R. G. Knoelder and E. A. Hannah were in Carlsbad Tuesday on Friday. Masonic business.

of Mr. and Mrs. Harve Muncy in day afternoon.

Paul Otts, teachers of beginners' and primary department in the ent. Church of Christ Sunday school, gave their children Easter egg Members of the Artesia Ladies' hunts at their homes last Saturday Golf Club have been asked to play May 1.

The junior-senior banquet of Hope High School was held on the Mrs. Frank Clowe was hostess

Roof Garden of the Artesia Hotel on Monday evening.

Mmes. Albert Richards and John Richards returned from a trip to Oklahoma City Monday night. They stopped on their way home in Portales, where Mrs. Albert Richards, as president of the American Legion Auxiliary for the state, made a visit to Carl McDermott

Mrs. Murphy Hayhurst and chilof her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Syferd, returned to their home at

### TEN YEARS AGO (From The Advocate files for April 25, 1940)

Boy Scout leaders are busy in Artesia making last-minute preparations for the arrival of hundreds of Boy and Sea Scouts of the Eastern New Mexico Area Council for the annual "Camp-o-Ral," which Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Brainard will be at Morris Park here Friday through Saturday morning

Rt. Rev. Anthony J. Schuler S.J., D.D., bishop of El Paso, will confer confirmation on about 250 persons of the Artesia parish of St. Anthony Catholic Church at 7 o'clock Monday evening, Rev. Fr. Miss Ruth Bigler was presented Brendan Weishaar, pastor, an-

> The "second entrada" of the coming of Francisco Coronado will be enacted at Morris Field Friday evening. The "first entrada" was

Members and guests of the Rummy Club were entertained at the home of Mrs. Clarence Conner

A study on "The Star of the The 12-in-1 Bridge Club was en- East" was begun by the Past Matertained by Mrs. George Williams trons' Club at a meeting held at of Maljamar last night at the home the home of Mrs. A. B. Coll Mon-

Mrs. Pete L. Loving and Mrs. ciety met at the home of Mrs. William Dooley last Thursday afternoon with seven members pres-

> the Carlsbad club Tuesday morning on the golf course as Carlsbad.

### Try and Stop Me -By BENNETT CERF-

THE recent death of Patrick Cain wrote finis to a unique I theatrical career. Pat was the man who, for many years, bought the scenery and props of shows when they closed. Some, like Ziegfield Follies and the

George White Scandals, had achieved spectacular runs by the time the call was put in for Pat Cain, but others were the "flops" that opened one night and closed the next. Critics fell into the habit of mocking failures with lines like "Another candidate for Cain's warehouse," or "the audience was so bored you could hear Cain's trucks carting the show away as each act ended."

Pat Cain took it all as good -advertising. "I'm really the biggest man on Broadway," he boasted once. "I've got pieces of as many as a hundred shows at one time!"

A man who works for a swank concern assures me that January is the month when most gentlemen befur blondes. Copyright, 1950, by Bennett Cerf, Distributed by King Features Syndicate

### Ask New 'Brake'



A MOVE is underway by seven Republican members of the taxwriting House ways and means committee to lower the legal limit of the national debt from \$275 billion to \$257 billion. They are Reps. Thomas Jenkins, Ohio; Daniel A. Reed, New York; Roy O. Woodruff, Michigan; Richard M. Simpson, Pennsylvania; Robert W. Kean, New Jersey; Thomas Martin, Iowa; Carl Curtis, Neb

IN 1930

when she entertained the Scatter-The Catholic Woman's Altar So- brain Club at her home Wednes- of World War II the yearbook will

> The new officers of the Artesia Woman's Club will be installed at wear at the clubhouse Wednesday. -0-

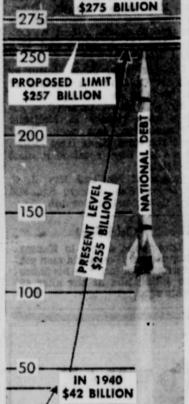
> All members were present when Mrs. J. M. Story entertained the First Afternoon Bridge Club at her home Tuesday afternoon. "Effects of Alcohol" was dis-

> cussed by Mrs. G. C. Kinder at a meeting of the Gladys Dixon Circle of the First Methodist Church held at the home of Mrs. F. E. Pennell last Thursday afternoon, with Mrs. Jim Jackson as cohostess. Members of the Artesia Rotary

Club had a splendid report Tuesday noon on the annual district conference of Rotary International at Albuquerque last week by Neil, Watson, president-elect and one of the delegates to the conference.

C. O. (Cap) Fulton has leased the Texaco Service Station at 115 South First Street and took charge last week.

Words of the Wise Women and men of retiring timidity are cowardly only in dangers which affect themselves, but the first to rescue when others are endangered. endangered.
—(Jean Paul Richter)



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the closing meeting of the club of the 1949 junior-senior prom. News-Photo, San Angelo. Issue Wilma Griffin, Pan Horner, Auth-

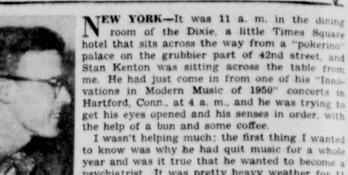
date is uncertain but probably be erean Horton, Eugene Howell, 1949-50 session.

vearbook staff.

There will be two sections, a junior high and senior high, rep-

trust. - (Samuel Johnson)

# My New Yor By MEL HEIMER



room of the Dixie, a little Times Square hotel that sits across the way from a "pokerino" palace on the grubbier part of 42nd street, and Stan Kenton was sitting across the table from me. He had just come in from one of his "Innovations in Modern Music of 1950" concerts in Hartford, Conn., at 4 a. m., and he was trying to get his eyes opened and his senses in order, with the help of a bun and some coffee. I wasn't helping much; the first thing I wanted

to know was why he had quit music for a whole year and was it true that he wanted to become a psychiatrist. It was pretty heavy weather for 11 in the morning. Kenton is a big, good-looking planist from Cali-

fornia who got started toward success with a routine-type dance band, but who began almost immediately to branch out into what he called progressive jazz, with overtures toward the concert field. Now, this is the kind of step that has floored a lot of talented popular musicians-they grow dissatisfied with the Tin Roof Blues and Stardust and begin talking about tone poems and concertos and

that fewer and fewer people come out to hear them, and they end up by breaking up their bands and taking jobs in radio. Woody Herman got all fouled up in that concert field and so did Artie Shaw and a handful of others. I don't know enough about music to judge whether what they did in the concerts was any good, but it seemed to help both of them into at least temporary

symphonic jazz, and it usually follows as the night unto the day

musical oblivion. But Kenton got away with it. He put together a 20-piece orches tra and toured the concert halls and the people came out in big crowds to hear him. I don't know; maybe it was because, while he was trying to create an art that he figured was a few steps higher than plain ragtime or Dixieland jazz, he never got too esoteric for the masses.

He's no fool. He knew that modern man in America looks on modernistic painting-Picasso, say, or Dali-with distrust because a great deal of the time its spokesmen have been hothouse flowers who have forgotten the common man's language, or, more likely. never knew it.

No-Kenton played his "progressive jazz" and he got across to his listeners in his casual and earnest manner just what it was he was after, and they liked it. But then he gave it all up, for a year Why?

"THAT'S A HECK OF A QUESTION TO ASK A GUY in the

morning," he said, grinning amiably. "As a matter of fact, there were several reasons. The big one, I guess, was that I suddenly felt I had gone as far as I could with modern music. Now, I think I was wrong. "But, then, I had become a good musician, had led a successful jazz band, had done concert work-and there didn't seem to be

anywhere else to go. And I guess I hit one of those periods where I got tired of music. I think everybody at some time in his life or other gets tired of his job and wants to do something else. "It isn't so that I wanted to become a psychiatrist, but I did think about becoming a doctor. If I had my life to live again, I think I'd probably take up medicine, but after I broke up the band and thought about it, I realized that I was 38 and by the time

began practicing I'd be 51. So that was just out of the question. He lighted a cigaret and asked the waltress for another, hotter

"Well, what I finally did was to take my wife and little daughter on a trip to South America by freighter. The trip was fine. "I couldn't get away completely from music, but I made out fairly well, and while I wasn't too high on South America, we were all right until my daughter got homesick after six weeks and we had to come back to the coast.

a half-dozen offers of good jobs, but they were in business-heads of firms, executive jobs, things like that. I'd go nuts doing that. At last, I realized that I was a musician and that that's the way I was trained, and it wasn't going to be any good trying to escape the "So I got the boys together again, and called in June Christy, the vocalist, and we planned this tour. But the devil with

"Then there I was again, with the problem of what to do. I had

figure now that I just don't give a hoot about using it when I don't "I play modern music, and that's about it. Music has to change, you know. No expression in any art can retain its total impact forever, and whether people are reluctant or not to accept a music that is a definite expression of their day hasn't any bearing on this

I used to be polite to Dixieland and swing and old-style jazz, but I

# **Photographs** Feature High

Pictures are stressed in the 1950 edition of The Bulldog, yearbook of Artesia High School.

Stories are in the minority while copious supply of photographs has been utliized in the 172-page annual. For the first time since the end

contain pictures of both the junior and senior plays. Another "first" for the 1950 issue will be three pages of pictures Copy for the annual is now at

one week before the end of the Boyce Russell, Norma Smith, Fid All deadlines were met by the

The book will be an offset job. will have a padded cover in green and white, senior class colors.

Hamill, Kenneth Foster. Words of the Wise It is better to suffer wrong than to do it, and happier to be sometimes cheated than not to

resenting pupils from the seventh

Annual of Artesia High School

has not always been titled The

Bulldog. At one time it was The

Rambler; another time, The

No annuals were published from

1927 to 1938, according to Alma

Felix, Bulldog staff sponsor, and

one of the four sponsors of the

In 1938 a. mimeographed year-

book was printed. No annual was

issued in 1944. Since 1945 to the

present there has been no interrup-

Alma Ann Berry, editor in cheif;

Priscilla Kohl, assistant editor;

Stanley Saikin, business manager;

Others were Arlean Owens, Man-

uel Cortez, Richard Johnson, Julia

Phillips Fleming, David Dillard,

Staff of this year's annual:

tion of the yearbooks.

Phil Perry, photographer.

to twelfth grades.

Round-Up.

1950 class.

# By WILLIAM RITT -

Central Press Writer

many, Doberman pinscher, sings, according to a cabled news dispatch, classical and popular tunes. The story didn't say whether the talented pooch is a mezzo-soprano or contralto.

Carla's favorite number is Rachmaninoff's "Prelude in C Sharp Minor," which is pretty highbrow stuff for even a pedigreed pooch.

What a watchdog she would make—keeping the burglars en-tertained until the arrival of the copperoos.

To prove she's no strictly long-hair vocalist (and we don' mean collie or sheep dog), the cantata-wise canine also in-

CARLA, a Frankfurt, Ger- | cludes in her repertoire such popular ditties as "When You and I Were Young, Maggie."

> The last-named number is rather meaningless, since Carla is only 11 years old.

Lassie, Hollywood's noted pooch, had better look to his laurels. Supposing Carla starts

The sweet singer of the Frankfurt kennels may never make the grade as far as the Metropolitan Opera, but she sure should have a bright future plugging the latest prod-ucts of Tin Pan Alley, noted for its production of dizzy dog-

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LAST TIMES TODAY

"Ticket to Tomahawk"

Everybody Says: "The Best Picture in Months!"

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**Charles Starrett** 

"Renegades of the Sage"

Comedy - Sports

the prizes to the children. Sandra

Hubbard and Marshall Martin were

awarded sterling silver bracelets

### Park School News

The boys and girls in Miss Hilda with their names engraved on Kletke's sixth grade at Park School them, for being the highest salesentertained their parents with a men at the end of the first two program, Friday afternoon, April days of the campaign. Sandra 14. Hubbard was awarded a 17-jewel

This year these boys and girls watch for being the highest saleshave been studying Current Events man of the campaign. Glenda Watts received the second highest as a classroom weekly newspaper. watts received the second highest award which was a portable radio. For their program they wrote a Eighteen pupils received certifiplay entitled "The United Nations, cates of achievement for having Hope of the Modern World." The sold more than \$30 of subscripscene was staged in the lobby of tions. the New Yorker Hotel. The group traveling from Park School to New cates: Sandra Hubbard, Glenda York had assembled in the lobby of Watts, Betty Burch, Marshall Marthe hotel and was discussing the tin, Dicky Cox, Sandra Butts, Marwork of the United Nations. The jan Jo Welch, Norma Hicks, Glenda next morning they were to attend Burns, Robert Haynes, Sibyl Davis, the United Nations assembly and Judy Sams, Carolina Ramirez, visit the buildings in Flushing Claire Collins, Rex Standard, Clif-

ford Cox, Beverly Botler, and Lar-After their program the prizes ry Hayney. were awarded that they had won

All pupils received prizes. After by selling magazines in February.
W. G. Short, principal, awarded freshments of punch and cookies were served to all present. After the refreshments were served the parents visited and examined the exhibits of a communication pro-FROM HIS VANTAGE POINT IN THE PARLOR

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We are very happy that several of our parents, Vernon Mills, and other quests visited with the several cordance with Chapter 131 of the upon the land.

Session Laws of 1931, R. E. Coleother guests visited with us. We extend you a cordial invitation to visit us again.

The fourth grade class in Mrs. Charles Wallis's rcom of Park School has been nam winner in a Constellation contest sponsored by My Weekly Reader, the national junior school newspaper published by American Education Press, Columbus, Ohio.

For writing one of the best class stories on the five most important uses of airplanes, the class will receive a plastic model of the new

little songs. Mrs. Augusta Spratt gave an in- of said Section 35 for the purpose

tality committee.

Santa Fe, N. M., April 10, 1950.

### REVIEW OF THE YEAR - . By Alan Mayer



On Monday, April 17, the Park man, of Lake Arthur, County of School P.T.A. met in the music Eddy, State of New Mexico, made room to enjoy a well-planned pro-gram. Reports from the various of New Mexico for a permit to committees were given. Officers change location of well by abandonwere elected and installed in an ing artesian well located in the impressive candlelight ceremony. NW1/4 SE1/4 NW1/4 of Section 35,

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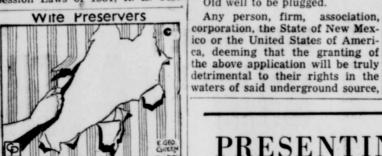
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As part of the entertainment, Township 16 South, Range 26 East, groups from Mrs. Edith Riddle's, N.M.P.M., and drilling a new well Mrs. C. A. Stalcup's, and Miss 10 inches in diameter and approxi-Carmen's first grade sang clever mately 1250 feet in depth at an-

teresting report of her attendance of continuing rights for the irrigaat the National Music Convention. tion of 641/2 acres of land described At the close, delightful refresh- as follows: ments were served by the hospi-

Report card time has rolled around again, and Principal Short reports all will receive cards Wednesday afternoon.

Declaration No. RA-598 are con-STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE templated under this application. Number of Application RA-598, the 5th day of April, 1950, in ac-



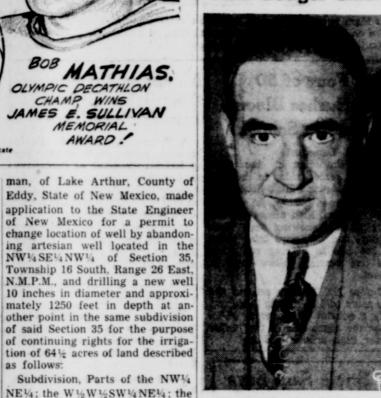
must be filed with the State En- tion of 136 acres of land described all times to not to exceed 408 acre gineer within ten (10) days after as follows: 22nd day of May, 1950.

JOHN H. BLISS. State Engineer. 31-3t-T-35

NOTICE STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE Number of Application RA-780.

Santa Fe N. M., April 4, 1950. Notice is hereby given that on the 28th day of March, 1950, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, Vinnie Leavitt, of Long Beach. County of Los Angeles, States of California, made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a permit to change location of well by abandoning the use of artesian Well No

### **New Budget Chief**



### Frederick J. Lawton

FISCAL expert Frederick J. Lawton (above) has been selected by President Truman to be the new Director of the Budget, it was announced at the President's vacation resort at Key West, Fla. Now Assistant Director, Lawton will take over when Budget Director Frank Pace, of Arkansas, becomes Secretary of the Army. (International Soundphoto)

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Engineer's granting approval of of Section 14, Township 18 South, the same subdivision of said Secsaid application. The protest shall Range 26 East, N.M.P.M. and drill-tion 14. set forth all protestant's reasons ing a new artesian well 10 inches No additional rights over and why the application should not be in diameter and approximately 775 above those set forth in Declaraapproved and shall be accompan- feet in depth, at a point in the SE34 tions Nos. RA-779 and RA-780 are ied by supporting affidavits and by SW1/4 NE1/4 of said Section 14, ap-contemplated under this applica-

proof that a copy of the protest has proximately 270 feet Northwest of tion een served upon the applicant, the present well for the purpose of Appropriation of water from all Said protest and proof of service continuing rights for the irriga- sources combined to be limited at

the date of the last publication of Subdivision Parts of E½NE¾ 136 acres herein described. this notice. Unless protested the apart of Sw¾NE¾, Section 14, Town-Old well to be plugged. plication will be taken up for con- ship 18 S., Range 26 E., Acres 80. sideration by the State Engineer on Subdivision Part of W1/2NW1/4, that date, being on or about the Section 13, Township 18 S., Range co or the United States of America, 26 E., Acres 56.

### Luxurious Cotton Gown



Dainty pink lingerie.

By VERA WINSTON

SOME of the daintiest, the prettiest lingerie seen in many a sea-son is of cotton. All the loving care usually lavished on fine silk has been bestowed on this charming nightgown of pale pink cotton of very sheer, fine quality. Matching embroidered banding is worked into a pretty neckline and is set-in at the waist. The bodice is finely pleated above the waist. Below the waist tucks are released into the gentle fullness of the skirt. There is a matching ribbon sash in back.

may protest in writing the State RA-780, located in the SW1/4 NE1/4 from Well No. RA-779 located in

feet per annum delivered upon the

Any person, firm, association, corporation, the State of New Mexideeming that the granting of the Said lands also receive water above application will be truly detrimental to their rights in the waters of said underground source, may protest in writing the state Engineer's granting approval of said application. The protest shall set forth all protestant's reasons why the application should not be approved and shall be accompanied by sup porting affidavits and by proof that a copy of the protest has been served upon the applicant. Said protest and proof of service must be filed with the State Engineer within ten (10) days after the date of the last publication of this notice. Unless protested, the application will be taken up for consideration by the State Engineer on that date, being on or about the 15th day of May,

> JOHN H. BLISS, State Engineer. 29-3t-T-33

 Words of the Wise Women, and young men, are very apt to tell what secrets they know, from the vanity of having been trusted. -(Earl of Chesterfield)

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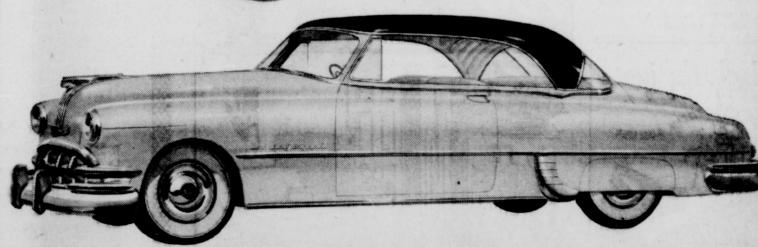
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### Park School Class Victor In Theme Tilt

Hangar flying on the grade school level but with the enthusiasm manifested only by alert and energetic fourth grade youngsters is in the top bracket among activities of one Artesia class.

The 35 pupils of the fourth grade class at Park School taught by Mrs. Charles Wallis, will soon receive a plastic model of a new Constellation plane.

Awarding of the model is for writing one of the best articles in contest sponsored by My Weekly Reader, four-page eight-column junior newspaper, published by the American Education Associa-tion, Columbus, Ohio.

The newspaper is read regularly by the pupils. It is a 32-year old publication, is full of pictures, and ts 12 point type makes it easy

r youngsters to read.

A sample of the contents is seen in the issue for the week of April

"World Neighbors Live in Many Kinds of Houses "Cowboys Are World Neighbors World Neighbors Play Base-

With a thoroughness that adults could well emulate, the pupils of the Park School class scanned a score of encyclopedias, two mag azines, and other sources, added their own alert ideas, and discusse the whole article.

They started work on the them March 10, completed it March Diocesan Session 20. After the final revision of the osite work, the theme was ed by Barbara Butts and subcopied by Barbara But mitted in the contest.

Along with the theme went a sketch of a Constellation airplane in Las Cruces today for the organ-The sketch was drawn by Bobby Gene Branson.

"Five Most Important Uses of service, airmail, warfare, use on farms, and large scale mapping photographically from the air. Salient in the theme:

"In 1922 airplanes were first used for application of calcium ar- Ysleta, chancellor of the diocese

that within a few years there were Paso; and Rt. Rev. H. D. Buchanan, several dozen companies operat- El Paso, formerly a pastor of St. ing hundreds of airplanes, used Genevieve, Las Cruces. largely for dusting cotton.

arsenical insecticide are now used said Wednesday or Thursday. Rea-

ited to the current fourth grade sence of Reverend Geary from Arclass at Park taught by Mrs. Wallis, tesia. Back in May, 1947, another fourth A sidelight on the Las Cruces grade class at the same school, meeting is that the chancellor of and with the same teacher, had its the diocese and the Artesia pastor

scrapbook selected as one of the have the same last name and the 10 best in an aviation scrapbook chancellor was one of the first of contest of Air World Education, the clergy met by the Artesia Mrs. Wallis has taught in Ar- priest when he first came to this tesia for the last decade. She is section.

a graduate of Highlands University, Las Vegas. Pupils

Jimmy Lou Allen, Linda Bradshaw, Loretta Buchanan, Janis Coll, Wanda Kay Downey, Mary Helen Gressett, Mary Ruth Haag, Sharon Mermis, Jackie Moreland, Carol Northam.

Patterson, Nora Price, Loretta analyst. Louetta Rowley, Suellen Shotts, Margaret Simmons, Zelda Zeleny, Bobby Gene Branson, Hugh 1948, plus a generally plentiful sup-Burch, John Clark.

Gary Colvin, Jon Cranford, Freddie Crawford, Johnnie French, Bill Hines, Dwayne Howard, Stanley Jones, Stephen Kelly, Kent Kennedy, Ronnie Wilson, Barbara Butts, Linda Gay Davison, Junior Newton, Edwin McBee.

STUDENT'S ZIPPER BINDERS, two-ring, choice or colors and finiishes. Artesia Advocate.

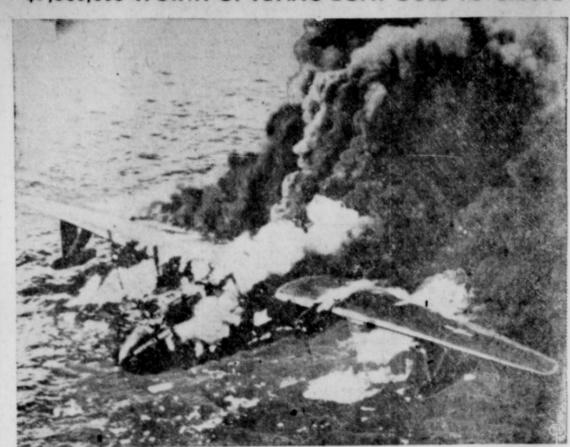


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### \$7,500,000 WORTH OF FLYING BOAT GOES TO GRAVE



NAVY'S 72-ION flying boat Marshall Mars burns just before explosion after an engine caught fire lulu, forcing the craft down on a test flight. Seven crewmen escaped before the \$7,500,000 sky giant went to Davy Jones. The faulty engine had just been changed.

At Artesia School

J. E. Walters, high school janitor,

Before Mr. Walters set out the

is on the south side of the junior-

Uncle Sam Says

Measure Your Own Progress

should be the ambition of every one of my nieces and nephews now that

we are in the mid-Twentieth Century

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grow into the greatest power on earth. That progress can be meas-ured, but how about yourselves? How

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### Artesia And Hobbs First Four of 30 Priests Attending Rose Bushes Bloom

Clergy and members of the National Council of Catholic Women from all parts of the 64,434 square mile diocese of El Paso gathered garden of Artesia High School. ization's spring meeting.

Rev. Francis Geary, pastor of were already showing buds Wed-St. Anthony Church of Artesia, and nesday, and two days later three to Artesia from Lovington the new Airplanes" was the theme title. Rev. Hugh Rochkes, pastor of St. of the bushes bearing red roses manager was desirous of becoming Points were transportation and Helena, Hobbs, were among the and one bearing yellow were in acquainted with chamber of com-75 priests attending.

The occasion was highlighted by attendance of His Excellency, one score and 10 bushes there was for that objective. Most Rev. S. M. Metzger, bishop of only a quartet in the area, which the diocese, and four monsignori: Very Rev. Eugene P. Geary,

senate to cotton for control of Very Rev. Lawrence E. Gaynor El Paso: Rt. Rev. G. W. Caffery "This method was so satisfactory rector, St. Patrick's Cathedral, El

No mass was said at St. Anthony "Fifty million pounds of this this morning, and no mass will be son is that official business follow-Interest in aviation is not lim- ing the conclave requires the ab-

### Feedlot Meat Tonnage Increased During Year

More meat tonnage produced in leedlots this fall and winter as a result of a generally favorable feeding ratio will provide consumers with a more adequate meat supply in the months ahead, according to Margaret Oglevie, Jeannette H. M. Conway, livestock market

> A near-record 1949 corn crop, added to the heavy carry-over from ply of roughage helped supplies.

Read the Ads

By BOYD BARNETT

YOUR MAGIC WAND

It isn't what you HAVE in same time preserving the illusion your room that determines its of space and allowing an unin-

your room that determines its space and allowing an uninindividuality and livability, it's
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were filled with costly furnishings, yet were dull and uninteresting.

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Painted a different harmonizing color on each side, it offers
color variety and dramatic interest.

It's small touches . . . like a dramatic splash of color; an unusual arrangement of accessories formal serving, perfect for buffet

to give an element of surprise; the way you combine textures and fabrics; an impish miniature peeping from an unexpected spot; all the little individual touches that are YOU bring that inde-

An ingenious touch has been employed in the room sketched above. A bamboo curtain used edgewise stands between the day-

enport and tea cart giving the living and dining functions in the

room a separate setting, at the

### Manager Koonce Completes Unique Introductory Tour

A three-weeks tour of Artesia business places, with distribution That's the score in the first of Artesia Chamber of Commerce blooming game Friday in the rose membership cards combined with a get-acquainted mission, was end The 30 rose bushes, set out by ed Friday by Bob Koonce, chamber of commerce manager.

> Since he had only recently moved merce members rapidly and utilized the delivery of membership cards

He says there are still some cards left and in case a member has not received his card to kindly notify his office in the Artesia Hotel. Office phone is 192.

There are 165 members in the rganization. The cards, in gold lettering or

cord, measure 4x8 inches, and read "Member Chamber of Com merce, Artesia, New Mexico

blue background, have a gol

### Local Educators To Attend State Meet in Duke City

Six Artesia educators are expected to attend the meeting of the New Mexico Education Council in Albuquerque on April 28-29. The six were listed by Supt. Tom Mayfield as among those attending the southeast district meet-

Saturday in Carlsbad. Purpose of the district session Gertrude McCaw, Nannie Mae Haynes, Hazel Hockensmith, Mrs. ed by what happened in this ease, endent Mayfield.

Advocate.

### Artesia's Neighbor Finds Street Name Revision Backfires

Any proposal to change the name of even a street, much less a town, as in the case of Hot Springs, can set off the fireworks.

Artesia's neighbor, Roswell, found out not long ago. A Roswell change South Main there to Walng of the organization, held last ker Road adopted by the council.

The alderman was roused from bed at 4:30 g'clock the next mornwas to discuss legislation to be ing by a protest, so the council presented at the state meeting. reversed its field and Walker The six are Linna McCaw, Mrs. Road became South Main again. Another councilman, undismay-

Lucille Westerman, and Superin- suggested that a part of the Dexter road be named Bob Crosby, after Roswell's famed cowboy. Clip boards for sale at The But he hastily added it was only a suggestion.

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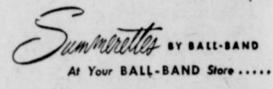
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