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If you're registered, be sure to vote Tuesday in the party primaries.

It is your American duty, as well as your American privilege.

And before you go to the polls, be sure to study the candidates for the various offices, then vote for those whom you believe best qualified to represent you in the various offices. Don't just put a cross in front of the candidate whose name is at the top of the list for any particular office. He might be the one for whom to vote, but again it might be one down the line who deserves your consideration.

Too frequently voters go to the polls with no idea of who is running for what, other than perhaps two or three of the top offices. Confused, they either pick out a name-sounding name, whether they have ever heard it before, or vote for the candidate at the top—or sometimes the bottom—of the list.

There are worthy candidates and worthy candidates. If you have not sifted them before you get to the polls, it is almost a foregone conclusion that you cannot do so at the polls.

But at any rate, go to the polls and vote, to the best of your knowledge and judgment, vote for whoever you please, but vote.

We see in "Old Sheep's Reflections" in The Eddy County News, Carlsbad, where he says:

"Speak in elections reminds of an incident that happened

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Services To Be Held Today For M. C. Ross, 59

Rites for Myron Charles Ross, 59, who died at 6:45 o'clock Thursday morning, June 1, were to be conducted at 10:30 o'clock this morning by Rev. Ralph L. O'Dell, pastor of First Presbyterian Church in Paulin Chapel. The church choir will sing at the service.

The body is to be sent tonight to Lyons, Kan., where burial will occur.

Mr. Ross had been in ill health the last 10 months. He was the owner of Ross Baking Company, 501 West Main; had been active in Rotary Club; was a Mason and Shriner and a member of the Presbyterian Church and was a veteran of World War I.

He was a chemist who received his training in Chicago and Minneapolis, worked there several years, moved to Kansas City, Mo., where he was employed by a milling concern, later moving to Lindsborg.

He came to Artesia from Lindsborg, Kan., in 1936; married Geneva Smith in Lindsborg, Kan., the following year. Mr. Ross was born July 27, 1890 in Kinmundy, Ill., the son of Mr. and Mrs. Willis B. Ross.

Survivors are the widow; two sisters, Mrs. Caroline Yeager of Kinmundy, Ill. and Mrs. Ethel Crossett, Edwardsville, Ill. and a brother, William B. Salem, Ill.

Be Sure to Vote Next Tuesday

Get Out The Vote

Jaycees Say Go To Polls

Artesia's newest civic service organization, the Artesia Junior Chamber of Commerce, isn't fooling around any on its "get-out-the-vote" project.

Time, effort and sweat will be expended by the Jaycees under the ambitious program they have charted.

Slated to go up this afternoon in downtown display windows are 40 posters labeled:

"Voting is a Privilege—Non-Voting is Negligence!"

Milford Estill, attorney, is in charge of arranging a series of three radio talks exhorting Artesia citizens to vote. The talks are to be given over Radio Station KSNP probably on Monday, June 5, depending on the station schedule.

The attorney is also directing the formation of a group of a dozen high school girls, led by Jerry Blount, who will be stationed near polling places here on Tuesday, June 6, date of the primary election.

There will be two girls at each of the six places. They will issue the red tags labeled "I have voted, have you?"

Through generosity of Guy Chevrolet Company, Inc., the Jaycees will be provided with transportation for sound equipment loaned by Artesia Lions Club and will use this device to further the march of voters.

Circular letters to local ministers concerning the campaign and a request that employers allow employees sufficient time to cast their ballots will be another medium.

Nor will that be all. Expending plenty of energy, the Jaycees plan a door to door canvass to check on response to appeals to vote, instead of merely sitting back and hoping the campaign got results.

Jaycee officials reiterate the statement that the campaign has no personal or organizational political tinge, is solely in the interest of good citizenship.

Three-Day Lions Carnival Opens Here Last Night

That Artesia should patronize the Lions Club carnival now in progress on Morris Field at the high school because it is a local affair and all the money received stays in Artesia was the idea emphasized by C. L. Gilman, of the club publicity committee.

The three-day benefit show Rain, blessed rain, came at 7:30 o'clock last night to Artesia, cutting in on the first night's performance of the Lions Club Carnival, but welcomed even by the hearty Lions.

It was the first measurable precipitation since last January, when the Southern Union Gas Company's gauge indicated .07 inch. And that was the first since last October. Several times there has been recorded a trace, but still the year's total up to last night was .70 inch of recorded precipitation.

Members of the Lions Club, unhappy as they were because the first night's activities were rained out, and happy as they were because of the badly needed rain, were hoping for a full attendance tonight and Saturday night.

opened last night, continues tonight and Saturday night.

"All proceeds," said Gilman, "go into funds for the club's program of glasses for needy children and for the annual party the club gives each Christmas for underprivileged children."

"Then, too, we want Artesia folks to know that local persons are operating the booths. Handling of refreshments is by the Lionsesses."

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'Buster' Mulcock Is Candidate For State Treasurer



J. B. (BUSTER) MULCOCK

J. B. (Buster) Mulcock of Artesia, a candidate for state treasurer on the Democratic ticket, is outstate this week in the final phase of his campaign before the primaries next Tuesday.

He is making the race on his reputation for honesty and fair dealing and said that if nominated and elected he will conduct the office of treasurer to the best of his ability and for the people of New Mexico.

Although this is Mulcock's first

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Summer Recreation Program Is To Start In Artesia On Monday

The summer recreation program in Artesia will open next Monday, when supervised play and fun for youngsters starts and the initial games of softball are played.

The softball schedule is still somewhat unsettled, pending the erection of lights on the new municipal field on North 13th Street.

Coach Jack Tinson, athletic director of the program, said it is probable softball play will start with twilight games at 6 o'clock.

Boys and girls interested in the summer recreation program were invited to report at 8 o'clock Monday morning at the high school, where they will be given their schedules.

There will be both swimming and game activities for boys and girls at different hours, and arts and crafts for those who do not wish to receive swimming instruction. From 2 to 5 o'clock in the afternoon there will also be arts and crafts for children of all ages at the high school.

Coach Tinson said if a sufficient number of adults also desire arts and crafts training, a night class once a week will be arranged.

He said if there is enough in-

terest, adult swimming classes will be held from 6 to 7 o'clock on Monday and Wednesday evenings.

Square and folk dancing instruction will be given at the girls' gymnasium from 6 to 8 o'clock Tuesday and Thursday evenings.

Coach Tinson said the Bullpup Club softball group is to meet at the high school gymnasium at 1 o'clock Monday afternoon for organization. And the American Legion baseball team is to be organized at 4 o'clock that afternoon.

Although it is probable the city softball league games will start Monday night, the service club league will not have its initial game until Friday of next week, when the Lions will play the Jaycees.

Other clubs having teams entered in the service club slowball league are the Elks, 20-30, Kiwanis, and Rotary.

The little theater guild division of the recreation program will meet last night at the high school library and plans were made for another meeting Thursday evening of next week, for the assignment of parts to at least to of three plays members have been reviewing.

That war presents not victory and the spoils of war are no longer a part of conflict was the theme of a Memorial Day address by Rev. R. L. Willingham, pastor of First Methodist Church.

His speech, "Today We Remember," was delivered at the Memorial Day combined ceremony, directed by veterans organizations, held at 9 o'clock Tuesday morning, May 30, in Woodbine Cemetery.

In his speech he quoted Don Blanding's poem, titled "Soldier, What Did You See?"

The ceremony was held at the grave of Jack Hastie, who was a veteran of the Spanish-American War.

Invocation was by Rev. J. H. McClendon, pastor of Assembly of God, who also placed a floral cross on the grave. Rev. Arthur G. Bell, pastor of First Christian Church, delivered the benediction.

A firing squad from the local units of New Mexico National Guard fired a salute and taps was sounded by Norvil Howell, bugler, a 1950 graduate of Artesia High School.

Members of the squad were: Capt. Marshall H. Belshe, James Heald, warrant officer, junior grade, Allen Mills and James Smith, sergeants first class, Sgts. Albert Shaw and Uel Fleming, Cpl. David Simons, Pfc. Miles Jackson, and Rct. Jack Branson.

Members of veterans organizations composed the color guards and color bearers.

A poignant coincidence of the day honoring America's dead was the current showing here of the motion picture "Battleground," filled with action, death, pathos, humor, and courage, as it told the story of the famous 101 Airborne (Screaming Eagle) division, the Battle of the Bulge, and the decisive conflict at Bastogne.

Fishing Trips Popular

Fishing, resting, and otherwise taking it easy were diversions of most Artesia residents on the holiday.

At nearby Clark's Lake and Cottonwood Creek the anglers were out in fair numbers but few caught many fish. At the lake the crowd,

less than 20 in the forenoon, had doubled near evening.

"Speedy" Warren, along with Glenn Shipley and Jerry Woods climbed aboard a yellow rubber life raft and during the day managed to catch 13 perch.

A half dozen automobiles were parked in a field near one edge of Cottonwood Creek where a picnic was held. Fishermen had only fair luck along the stream, however.

Along the Pecos River, 25 miles south of here, there was a heavy showing of cars from Artesia and other parts of the county and fishing was of prime importance, with the wily bass as the target.

In the mountains at Ruidoso there was also a brisk influx of holiday pleasure seekers.

Adding extra emphasis to recent stories in The Artesia Advocate concerning the dryness of forests at this time and the numerous fires, was another blaze in the Mesquero Reservation.

An Artesia man who was in the neighborhood said the fire was quickly put out and that he noticed the number of fire fighters, largely volunteer, was nearly twice the usual number.

Among Artesia folk at Ruidoso during the week end were Mr. and Mrs. Rex Holmes and son, Ronnie; Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Kiddy and son, Donnie; Mr. and Mrs. Ott Strock and son, Bill.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Knorr and their son and daughter, Donnie and Roxie; Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Collins and their three children.

Some Toil All Day

It wasn't all play for Artesia residents, however. One merchant came to his store at 10 o'clock that morning, continued to work until night, although his store, like a majority of others, was closed all day.

For the Artesia Eagles, local baseball team, the scorching 90-degree heat was not a pleasant temperature as they sweated connecting water lines and continued digging on the 700-foot ditch at the new North Tenth Street playing field.

Pouring out the work as the sun poured down were Cruz Lugo,

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Back Local Candidates (An Editorial)

We have the highest respect and regard for the four candidates seeking the Democratic nominations for legislators from Eddy County. Two of those men are seeking re-election.

But naturally we favor the two candidates from the northern part of Eddy County because they are our own citizens. We favor them because we feel they are not only qualified to do an outstanding job as the representatives from Eddy County, but because we feel that North Eddy County is entitled to the representation in the next session of the Legislature.

For some years the representative or representatives and the senator from Eddy County have been from the southern part of the county. We believe it is our turn to have at least the two representatives this time.

So we are urging the Democratic voters of North Eddy County to go to the polls and cast their ballots for their own candidates—J. R. Caudle and D. D. Archer.

Both are outstanding citizens, fully qualified and capable of representing not only Artesia and North Eddy County, but the entire county in the State Legislature.

Caudle is a successful businessman fully acquainted with the needs of the county as well as the state.

Archer is an active civic worker; a successful practicing attorney well qualified to serve this county in the State Legislature.

This newspaper urges you to go to the polls Tuesday, June 6, and cast your ballot for J. R. Caudle and D. D. Archer for the Democratic nomination for state representatives.—O.E.P.

Party Primaries To Be Held On Tuesday

Citizens of Artesia and Eddy County, as well as those in all of the other of the 32 New Mexico counties, will go to the polls next Tuesday to vote in the biennial party primaries.

There are but two registered parties in the state at this time, so there will be only the Democratic and Republican primaries. And the Republican voters will have little choice, for there are contests only for nomination for Congress and governor on the state slate. No one filed for any office in Eddy County on the Republican ticket.

But the Democrats will have a merry time deciding some of the nominees, for there are a number for almost every office. The greatest number of candidates for any office are filed for lieutenant governor, in which there are nine.

Until Monday, when the New Mexico Supreme Court disqualified Henry Eager, there were five candidates for governor. But the high court in a mandamus action brought by Richard Bokum, Santa Fe publisher, found that Eager did not have a sufficient number of valid petition signatures.

Therefore, ballots are being printed in the various counties this week with the names of only four candidates for governor. They are, in the order in which they will appear on the ballots, Ingram B.

Pickett, John E. Miles, Lake Frazier and David Chavez, Jr.

Aside from county races, that for governor has been the most hotly contested and has attracted more attention than any other, although there has been some spirited action for nominations for the two seats in Congress.

The candidates for Congress on the Democratic ticket, in the order in which their names will appear on the ballots, are Joe M. Montoya, lieutenant governor; John J. Dempsey, a former congressman and governor; A. M. Fernandez, who is running for re-election; Robert H. LaFollette and Joe A. Montoya, who has been confused by some with Lieutenant Governor Joe M. Montoya. Two are to be nominated.

Lieutenant governor—H. Gene Autry, Ralph Gallegos, Tibo Chavez, Claude Gimble, Morris S. (Dick) Dickinson, Fidel (Chief) Gonzales, Theodore Rozzell, Victor Salazar and Edward P. (Ted) Chase.

Secretary of state—Naomi Hogue, Irene Arias, Tillie V. Gonzales, Mrs. Paul (Corinne) Martinez, Dean W. Miller, Beatrice Bassett, Roach and Mrs. Margaret Abreu.

Attorney general—Joe L. Martine.

Auditor—Jerry M. Trujillo, Robert D. Castner and Eddie P. Garcia. (Continued on page eight)

Three Girls, Two Boys Born At Artesia General

Three girls and two boys were born in Artesia General Hospital from Thursday of last week to yesterday. They were:

A daughter, Julie Nell, born Thursday, May 25, to Mr. and Mrs. Billy Harmon.

A son, George Michael, born Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Daniels. He weighed five pounds 15 ounces.

A son, Richard Lee, born Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Lanning. He weighed eight pounds 12 1/2 ounces.

A daughter, Joretta Ann, born Wednesday to Mr. and Mrs. William J. Wallace. She weighed seven pounds two ounces.

A daughter, born Thursday, June 1, to Mr. and Mrs. Grover W. Duke. She has not been named.

WALTER DOUGLAS IS SHOWING IMPROVEMENT

Walter Douglas of the Sacramento Mountains, formerly of Artesia, who recently underwent an operation in the Veterans Hospital at Albuquerque for the removal of a portion of a lung, is reported to be much better and gaining weight in a letter to friends from his mother-in-law, Mrs. Jack Hastie.

He wrote that if anyone from this community is in Albuquerque he will appreciate a call.

Barbers' Nemesises All!

Beard Contests Announced

Smith Brothers, the Dogpatch boys, and the rest of the barbers' nemesises will be in all their glory in Artesia beginning next week.

Two beard-growing contests are being sponsored by the 20-30 Club in co-operation with the annual V-J Day celebration, Aug. 10-12, which is under the United Veterans Club.

First contest is for the old-timers group, the men who want long beards; second, for the dudes.

Under each class will be three awards, one for the heaviest beard, another for the most unique, and the third, a kind of consolation premium, for the most futile attempt.

Registration place and dates: Mid-Valley Investment Company, 319 West Main; for the old-timers, Wednesday to Monday, June 7-12; dudes, Wednesday to Monday, July 5-10.

A registration fee of 50 cents will be charged each entrant. The money goes toward purchase of awards. Any profits will accrue to the United Veterans.

The beard growing winners will be decided at the final rodeo performance of the celebration by impartial judges who will make their decisions during the fiesta.

Chuck Baldwin, who is steering the beard tournament, says there are only three rules in addition to the registration stipulation: Entrant must be clean shaven at time of registration.

A contest can withdraw from first contest and enter the second. Late registrants will be accepted. Tags will be issued to all contestants that will explain why the entrant shies away from a razor like a sure shot gambler from a game that gives a sucker an even break.

Baldwin says that while there may be no Judge Roy Bean of the Law West of the Pecos on duty, still the shade of the unorthodox justice might be up to haunting if there isn't a record number of beards flourishing.

Gant Is Here To 'Mend And Rebuild' Any Broken Fences'

Joe Gant of Carlsbad, Eddy County Democratic chairman, was in Artesia Wednesday "attempting to mend and rebuild any broken fences."

He said he and the people of Carlsbad want the co-operation of the people of Artesia and regretted the recent controversy over the loop road to the oil field and potash communities.

Gant stressed also that next Tuesday will be primary election day and urged that all qualified electors go to the polls and to express their desires in the choosing of candidates. He said it is every American's duty as well as privilege to vote.

Services For Reyes, Accident Victim, Today

Funeral services for Joe Reyes, 31, Artesia man who was fatally injured in an automobile accident south of here early Thursday morning, were to be held this morning in Our Lady of Grace Church, of which Rev. Stephen Bono is pastor.

Burial was to be in San Marcos Cemetery.

Mr. Reyes, a carpenter who had been in the employ of Fletcher Collins, local contractor, was driving south when his car struck the north end of a concrete abutment of the Rio Penasco bridge, about nine miles south of Artesia on U.S. Highway 285.

The abutment was on the west side of the road. Reyes apparently was asleep at the wheel. There were no skid marks on the pavement, according to Bud South, New Mexico patrolman who investigated the accident.

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Archer, Caudle, Artesia Men, Seek Seats In New Mexico Legislature



D. D. ARCHER

The names of two prominent Artesia citizens will appear on the ballots for the Democratic primary next Tuesday as candidates for the New Mexico Legislature from Eddy County.

They are D. D. Archer, attorney, and J. R. Caudle, sales manager for the New Mexico Asphalt & Refining Company.

This year for the first time, two candidates are to be nominated and two representatives from Eddy County are to be elected at the general election next November. Heretofore there have been two



J. R. CAUDLE

representatives elected at large for the former district comprising Eddy and Lea Counties.

Not only is this the first time Eddy County will be entitled to two representatives in the State Legislature, but this is the first time in a number of years there has been a candidate from North Eddy County for the Legislature—let alone two.

The other two candidates for the office on the Democratic ballot, Frank A. Alford and Virgil O. McCollum, both of whom are seeking

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Bourland Is Favored Over Bullock To Win 1950 City Golf Tournament

Bob Bourland, city golf champion in 1947 and 1948, is the favorite to win this year's tournament at the Artesia Country Club over Bill Bullock, the 1949 champion, according to bids in the annual Calcutta pool, held at the club Wednesday night.

Bourland was bid in for \$160 by Martin Yates III, while Bullock brought a bid of \$142 from the P&M syndicate. The pool has a total of \$947.70.

A. W. Harrall, medalist, brought \$35 from Sam Laughlin. John T. Short, who had tied for medal score with Harrall, was bid in for \$90 by an unnamed syndicate. Both

of the \$78, which is unusually high in tournament medal scores, and Harrall won the honor on the first hole in a "dog-eat-dog" playoff.

Champion Bullock, entitled to the No. 1 spot in this year's contest without necessity of qualifying, waived that right and scored 80, two above Harrall's and Short's 78.

Qualifying rounds had to be in last Sunday, May 28.

First-round matchings in the championship flight of 16 of the club's top players, their medal scores, Calcutta pool bids, and pool adders:

A. W. Harrall, medalist, 78, \$135, Sam Laughlin, vs. Floyd Springer, \$50, C. L. Withers.

Harvey Jones, 80, \$70, Sam Laughlin, vs. C. L. Withers, 84, \$50, Martin Yates III.

Jim Miller, 80, \$75, Cliff Loyd, vs. Harry Plowman, 84, \$44, Fred

Final Session Of The Advocate's Cooking School Is This Morning

The third and final session of the Artesia Advocate's cooking school at the Ocotillo Theater was scheduled for this morning, with Frank Decatur White, food expert, to lead in another of his extraordinary demonstrations of cooking skill and ease.

It was expected there would be an overflow crowd this morning. After attendance had grown from 43 on Wednesday to 447 on Thursday.

Besides the fun and cookery which White has been bringing, there was an added incentive today, the grand award of a \$395 universal range, offered by the Southern Union Gas Company, co-sponsor of the school.

But there have been many other gifts daily and there will be more this morning, all furnished by local merchants who are co-operating in the school.

In his cooking demonstrations, White carries on a continual patter, rich in cooking knowledge, hints, and shortcuts, interspersed with a wealth of wit and humor.

Among other things, each day has been cooking several delicious cakes, one of which he gives away at the conclusion of the session to someone present.

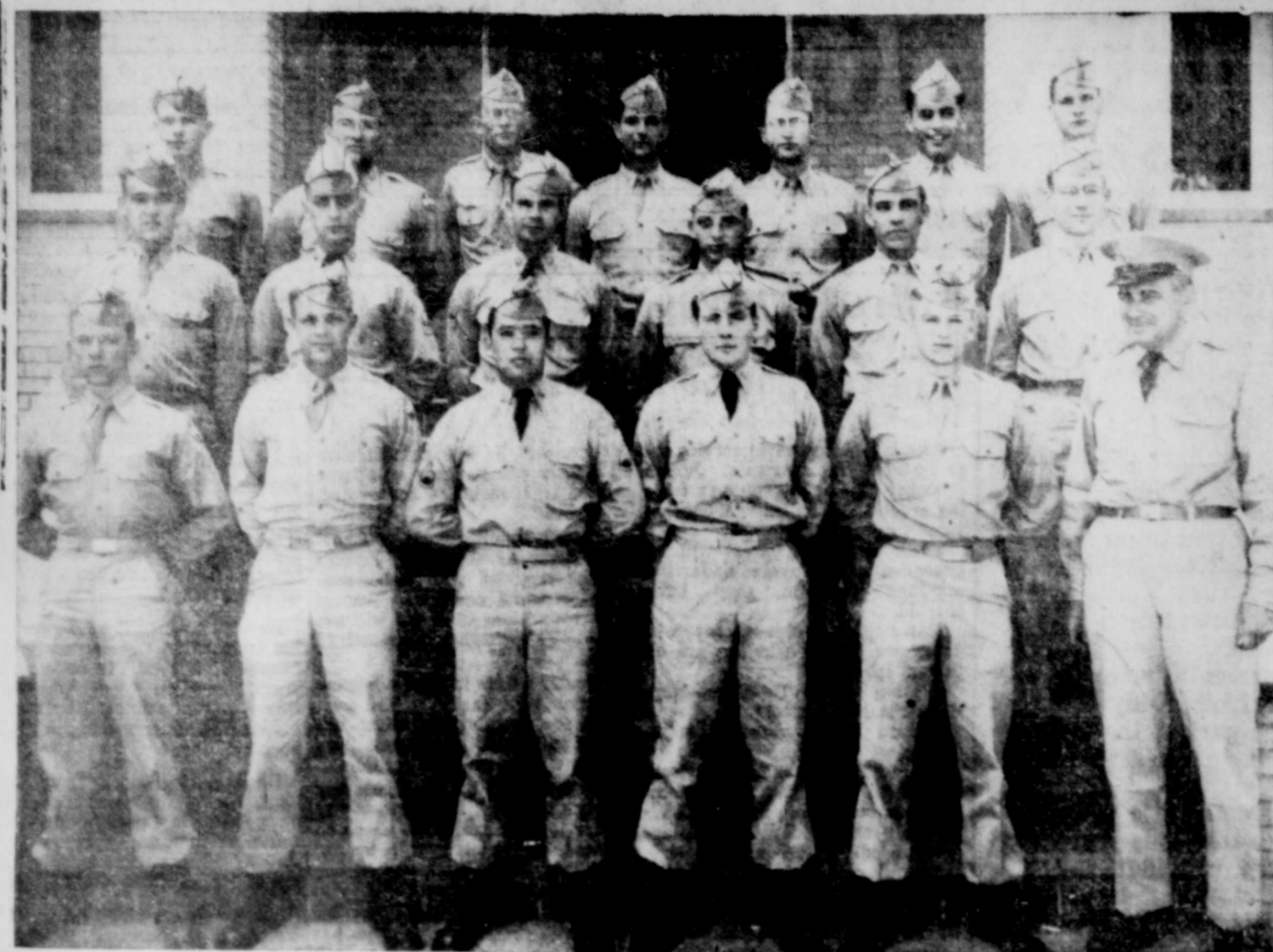
In addition, he baked a cake Thursday morning for The Advocate force, which was greatly enjoyed. And today he is to send one to the Southern Union Gas Company office for the employees.

With A. L. Bert, editor of The Advocate, serving as master of ceremonies, 17 gifts were given away on Wednesday and 19 on Thursday.

The Wednesday gifts, the winners, and contributors: Set of Revere-ware, Mrs. Vernis Bell, South-

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New Mexico Military Institute Is To Grant Reserve Commissions



Cadet Troy J. Harris of Artesia is one of a number at New Mexico Military Institute, Roswell, who will be commissioned second lieutenants immediately after graduation exercises Tuesday morning, June 6. He will receive a bachelor of science degree. He is not shown in the above picture of some of his classmates with Gen. Hugh M. Milton II, president, front row, right. Cadet Harris, a son of A. B. Harris of Artesia, has been enrolled at N.M.M.I. four years and is a first classman (college senior) and a first lieutenant in the cadet corps. Enrollment at New Mexico Military Institute is limited to 600 cadets. Of this number, 181 are from New Mexico. Thirty-five states

and foreign countries represent the geographic distribution of this year's enrollment. The institute maintains a four-year degree granting college and a preparatory division consisting of the last three years of high school. It has been designated by the Department of the Army, since 1909, as one of the "distinguished" or "honor" military schools of the United States. It maintains a senior unit in the armored cavalry branch of the Reserve Officers' Training Corps and cadets who complete this R.O.T.C. course and meet the government requirements are entitled to commissions as second lieutenants in the Officers' Reserve Corps.

fining Company, he travels widely over the state of New Mexico and he feels he is in a position to know and understand the overall problems and conditions of the state as a whole and of Eddy County in particular. This is Caudle's first time to offer his services and time to a public office. He said his only thought and purpose in doing so is to lend whatever talent and service he has for the betterment of society and for better government. Caudle is married, but has no children. He is a member and officer of the First Presbyterian Church of Artesia.

That War—

(Continued from Page One) Victor Hernandez, Andy Martinez, Frank Granado, Cuco Cervantes, Frank Saiz, Mauro and Juan Cortez, Abel Nunez, Steve Sanchez.

Willingham to Be Chief Officer at Youth Conference

An Artesia minister, Rev. R. L. Willingham, pastor of First Methodist Church, will be the chief officer of the Conference Young People's Assembly, June 5-12, at Sacramento Methodist Assembly, four miles west of Weed. It will be the first time the Artesia clergyman has been the main official at an assembly but not the first time he has been present at such sessions. The assembly is held at a permanent camp which has its own dormitories, lodge and other facilities and is for youth of high school and college age from New Mexico

and West Texas. Attendance will be 200. Worship, study and recreation are the chief functions of the conference, at the camp in the Sacramento Mountains. Rev. Willingham will have the title, as chief executive, of assembly dean. Young folk of the local church will be among those attending but a complete list was not available at this time. Among local Methodist youth at the assembly will be Betty Jo Kaiser, Marietta Hunter, David and Phillip Dillard. Mrs. Paul Dillard, mother of David and Phillip, will be camp nurse. Others from Artesia will be Regina and Buddy Hayes, Carolyn Cox and Miriam Stroup.

Courses and Teachers

The Church and The Family, Dr. C. W. Hall, Austin, Texas. The Church and Missions, by general board representative, unlisted. The Church and The Layman, Frank Myers, Pecos, Texas. The Church and World State, Rev. Doyle Ragie, MacMurray College, Abilene, Texas. The Church and Society, Rev. A. L. Paxson, Belen. The Methodist Church Beliefs, a Reverend Carpenter, Silver City. Special Events Monday, orientation; Tuesday, movie; Wednesday, open; Thursday, missions night; Friday, stunt night; Saturday, picnic, campfire, talent show, vespers; Sunday, choir concert. Schedule 6:30-7—Rise. 7-7:30—Morning Watch. 7:30-8—Breakfast. 8-8:15—Free Time. 8:15-9—Class. 9-9:15—Free Time. 9:15-10—Class. 10:15-11—Assembly.

11-11:30—Business meeting. 11:30-12—Free time. 12-1—Lunch. 1-2—Rest hour. 2-3—Workshops. 3-5—Recreation. 5-5:30—Clean-up. 5:30—Supper. 6:30-7:15—Vesper service. 7:15-8:15—Special events. 8:15-9:30—Recreation. 9:30-9:45—Prayer groups. 10—Dorms. 10:30—Lights out.

Assembly Theme

"Jesus' Way, Our Way—Through the Church and Vocations." Faculty Rev. R. L. Willingham, Artesia, dean. Rev. Vervin Caswell, St. Mark, El Paso, dean of men. Mrs. Joe Ater, Pecos, dean of women. Joan Holcomb, Alamogordo, publicity director. The group also includes Rev. Poe Williams, First Methodist, Odessa, keynote vesper speaker; afternoon workshop leaders, including Sue Plummer of Little Rock, Ark., who will direct recreation; Jack Hall, El Paso and new youth director, registrar.

Yankees Blast Hagerman 14-5

Spearheaded by a home run by B. Case and a triple by Bill Austin, the Artesia Yankees improved batting resulted in their trouncing of Hagerman Blues 14 to 5 in a game there Wednesday night. Austin, a new addition to the club, is a star infielder from Oklahoma Agricultural and Mechanical College, Stillwater. He unloaded a long drive for his triple. Case's

homer was on a long towering hit inside the park. The victory gave the Yanks revenge for an earlier game in which the Blues beat the Artesia baseball team 5 to 3. Manager Red Goodwin of the Yanks says progress is being made on the new municipal park on North 13th and that he expects it to be ready for games within a fortnight. Alpine Cowboys are next on the Yank schedule. They will play the Texas nine in that town a two game series, June 3-4. Manager Goodwin said players making the trip to Alpine would include Foster, Gonzales, Miller, recruit from Carlbad, Hatch, Case, Austin, Keith, J. Jordan, Batie, J. Wilson, B. Johnson and Heathington. Action in the game Wednesday night gratified the Yank manager. New players on the squad are Chingo Gonzales, former Boston Red Sox pitcher, Jack Wilson, Baywell high school star outfielder, Bill Johnson, Baylor University infielder and outfielder, Dan Heathington, Baylor University infielder and Austin, Oklahoma Aggie infielder.

Wife Preservers Leftover fruit juice, thickened, makes a good pudding sauce, and so does tarted currant or apple jelly.



'Buster'—

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bid for a public office, he has long been identified with the party and has been a lifelong Democrat. He is vice chairman of the Eddy County Democratic Central Committee and chairman for Precinct 6, the Artesia precinct.

In order to make the race for state treasurer, Mulcock resigned as an Eddy County deputy sheriff, to which position he was appointed by Sheriff Dwight Lee in January, 1937.

Local civic leaders, in throwing their support to Mulcock, have pointed out that he has long been a servant of the people and as such has built up an enviable reputation for fair dealing and honesty. Mulcock likewise is quite active in civic and community affairs, as well as in roads and highways, and has devoted much time to projects for the good of all the people. The candidate is a veteran of World War II, in which he served with the Navy in the Pacific theater. And as a veteran he takes great interest in veterans' organizations and matters. Mulcock is a past commander of the Artesia Veterans of Foreign Wars post, and resigned as vice commander of the American Legion post and as chairman of the central committee of the United Veterans Club of Artesia. He is a member of the Presbyterian Church and the Masonic and Elks lodges.

Archer-Caudle—

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ing re-election, are well thought of. However, citizens of Artesia and North Eddy County are rallying around Archer and Caudle and are giving them support not as in opposition to the other men as much as in support of capable and worthy men from the northern part of the county, in hopes that full representation can be had from this part of Eddy County.

Archer, who is 41 years old, is married and has two children, a son and a daughter. He has been practicing law in Artesia since 1943. He is also a member of the bar in Oklahoma and practiced a number of years in that state prior to coming to New Mexico. Prior to filing as a candidate, Archer said that if nominated and elected he will try to represent all the people. He said he is obligated to no one, but believes he should be the representative in the State Legislature of everyone for the benefit and best interests of all. Archer has just been re-elected district deputy governor of Lions International for a second year and is a past president of the Artesia Lions Club. He is a 32nd degree Mason. Caudle came to New Mexico and Artesia after serving in the armed forces in the continental United States and overseas approximately four years. In his capacity as sales manager for the New Mexico Asphalt & Re-

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Spurlin Refutes Rumor About Paving Black River Road

E. O. Spurlin, candidate for Eddy County commissioner, today refuted the rumor that he is interested in having the Black River road paved.

"I do not propose to ask for paving of the Black River Village road, because this would not serve Eddy County taxpayers," Spurlin said. "If elected, I will endeavor to spend the county road funds where they will do the most good, on a basis fair to all. But inasmuch as it is a school bus and mail route, I will try to give it the proper grading and drainage to make it an all-weather road. I propose the same in respect to any other county roads."

Hogue, Candidate For Secretary Of State, Visits Artesia



NOAMI HOGUE

Naomi Hogue of Hobbs, a candidate for Secretary of State, subject to the Democratic primary next Tuesday, was in Artesia campaigning in behalf of her candidacy. She was on her way up to work during the final week of the campaign.

Mrs. Hogue, an east-side candidate for the office she seeks, has lived in Lea County the last 20 years. During World War II she was director of safety at Hobbs Army Air Field. She later edited a newspaper, and at present employed in the securities division of the Lea County State Bank.

The candidate is the mother of

Frazier Caravan Visits Artesia



Lake J. Frazier, mayor of Roswell, a candidate for the Democratic nomination for governor and a motor caravan carrying about 60 Roswell businessmen and boosters for their mayor, visited Artesia Wednesday morning.

Frazier, speaking briefly over a public address system set up in front of the Artesia Pharmacy, said he wants "to see a clean sweep made" in Santa Fe.

He said he is opposed by three Santa Fe politicians and that he is seeking the nomination and election in order that an east side man, opposed to party machines and those who have placed their personal lusts for power above the principles and the welfare of the people, may take over as governor of New Mexico.

In Mayor Frazier's party was a hill-billy band, which entertained with a number of tunes.

two daughters, the younger of whom is a student at Eastern New Mexico University, Portales, and is drum major of the university band.

She said here Saturday that if elected secretary of state she will give of her best to conduct the affairs of the office with dignity and to provide an efficient and economical business administration.

Artesians Speak Good Word For 'Tony' Fernandez

Artesia oil operators, as well as farmers and ranchers, on Thursday spoke highly of the sincere and impartial efforts for all groups shown by Congressman A. M. (Tony) Fernandez, when it was feared he would might not be able to get to Artesia in the remaining few days of the political campaign, in which he seeks the Democratic nomination to succeed himself.

Spokesmen pointed out that Fernandez is a good citizen and a good Democrat, who has without question been one of the finest representatives New Mexico has ever sent to Washington.

They quoted a recent editorial

in The Hobbs News-Sun, which said in part:

"While other Democratic big shots whom the people have sent to Washington to represent them, are busily engaged in quarreling over who they will allow to be candidates on the Democratic ticket, Congressman Fernandez has quietly stayed on the job for which he is being paid, and quietly and efficiently has served his constituents."

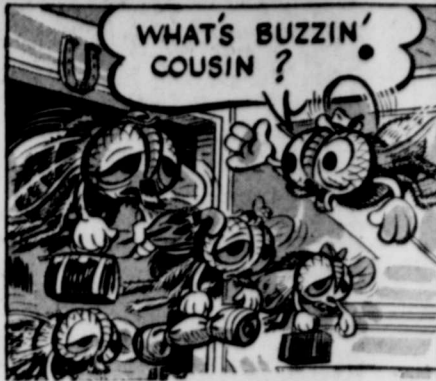
"We do not know, of course, who will be nominated by the Republicans for Congress. All we can say, however, as a Republican newspaper, is that anyone who will or can serve the state better than Fernandez will have to be a mighty good man."

"It is our sincere hope that in the scramble on election day the voters of New Mexico will remember that those making all the noise are not necessarily those who have best served the state."

It was pointed out in Artesia that Congressman Fernandez has always been favorable to the oil industry and has voted for measures for the good of the industry and against those which would be detrimental.

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Electric Co-op Line Extension Approved By REA

Approval by the Rural Electrification Administration in Washington, D. C., of plans and specifications for a 105-mile electric power line east of Artesia was made known today by Paul M. Frost, manager of Central Valley Electric Co-operative, Inc.

The line is to serve 195 residences and commercial properties and 88 oil wells and the job will include construction of a substation 10 miles east of this city.

Bids are scheduled to be opened at 10 o'clock on Tuesday morning, June 20, at Central Valley offices, 115 West Quay. Letters have already been mailed seeking bids on the project.

After acceptance of the bids the next step is approval by the local unit and the electrification administration. Then the successful bidder will be given notice of acceptance.

Within 30 days after notice of acceptance of his bid, the contractor is to begin work with the job slated to be finished within 60 calendar days after he begins the project.

Pig Project Result Shown Kiwanis

Artesia Kiwanians saw the result of their backing of farm boys reflected in the club's regular weekly luncheon program at noon Thursday in Masonic Temple.

Last year the club purchased four Iowa Duroc gilts that were given to four agriculture students of Artesia High School. These four boys in turn have given pigs from the litters of the pigs they received to four other boys.

Seven of the eight boy owners of the pigs were present at the luncheon and were introduced.

They were Travis Zeleny, Roy Coor, Bob Jones, Bill Savoie, Delbert Bassett, Perry Zumwalt, and Jerry Simmons.

Starting of the program was the presentation of Dallas Rierson, county farm agent, and his assistant, Allen Beck, both of Carlsbad.

Presentation of the county agent was by Tom Hymer, who was in charge of the program.

Agent Rierson said the livestock show held last November was the best from the standpoint of exhibits and sales. He congratulated the Artesia club for its sponsorship of the pig project.

Announcement was made of the

club softball team's practice to be held from 5:30 to 7 o'clock on the North Side School field.

20-30 Club Readies For Annual Election

In preparation for the annual election of officers, directors of Artesia 20-30 Club drafted a list of possible nominees for officers and directors at a meeting held Tuesday night, May 30, at the residence of Chuck Baldwin, 402 West Shelton.

Nominations are to be made from the floor when the club holds its first meeting in its new assembly place, the club basement room at the Artesia Hotel, at 7 o'clock Monday night, June 5.

In their meeting Tuesday night the directors suggested two candidates for each of four offices, president, first and second vice presidents, and P.H.A., and seven

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Two weeks are allotted for campaigning prior to the election on June 19.

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SOCIETY

Miss Hensley, Grand Worthy Advisor Of Rainbow, Completes State Tour

Carol Hensley, New Mexico's grand worthy advisor of the Order of Rainbow for Girls, has completed a six-week tour of the state, visiting 32 of the 36 assemblies, including Clovis, Santa Fe, Farmington, Artec, Gallup, Alamogordo, Truth or Consequences, Deming, Hurley, Silver City, Lordsburg, Hatch, Socorro, Carrizozo, Portales, Elida, Melrose, Santa Rosa, Belen, Las Cruces, Anthony and Artesia.

At Clovis, Mrs. Chaney Kathryn Merritt, first grand worthy advisor of Rainbow Girls for New Mexico, was present for the banquet and meeting honoring Miss Hensley. DeMolay boys served the banquet to more than 200 members and guests.

The Scottish Rite Temple was the scene of the official visit to the Santa Fe assembly Mrs. Frank E. Andrews, past grand worthy matron of the Order of the Eastern Star and Scottish Rite, organist, gave a 15-minute organ recital preceding the meeting.

While in Farmington, an afternoon reception and tea was held for Miss Hensley, with Mrs. Edna Button and members of the advisory board as hostesses. The 50-girl choir, under the direction of Mrs. Mary Jane Master, is one of the most outstanding in the state.

The Artec ruins were the point of interest en route to Gallup, where a banquet was served at El Rancho. Hollywood stars on location in Gallup for the filming of "New Mexico" added a touch of glamour to the occasion. Miss Hensley visited Marilyn Maxwell in her dressing room and found her to be a charming and sincere person. At the meeting, the assembly was honored with the presence of Paul Peck, grand master of the Masonic Grand Lodge.

Mrs. Faye Thorpe, Mrs. Emmett Gage, Mrs. Beth Thorpe and Owen Hensley from Artesia were present at the Alamogordo banquet and meeting. Mrs. Robert Hite, formerly Miss Marjorie Lane, junior past grand worthy advisor, was also present.

Members of the Deming assembly entertained with a banquet held at the Spanish Stirrup Dude Ranch,

Speech Pupils Entertain Their Mothers At Party

Expression and speech pupils of Mrs. Maurine Mathis and Mrs. Ray Houston entertained their mothers and other guests with a program and party at the home of Mrs. Mathis Thursday last week.

The pre-school class entertained in the morning from 10 to 11 o'clock. The first, second, and third grade pupils performed in the afternoon from 1:30 to 3 o'clock. Entertainment by the third, fourth, fifth, sixth and seventh grade pupils was in the afternoon from 3:30 to 5 o'clock.

The pupils entertained with readings and folk dances. Refreshments of punch, cookies, and mints were served. A bowl of roses was the lovely centerpiece on the refreshment table.

Pupils participating were Lu Ann Corbin, Susie Stryjewski, Sherman Scott, Sally Lamb, Ann Francis, Leslie Francis, Mary Yates, Bill Betts, Clifford Collins, Sandra Coll and Dan Jackson. Janette Dowell, Phyllis George, Jackie Lynn Moreland, Mary Margaret Whitson, Carol Ann Zeigler, Sharon Aston, Michelle Ruppert, Mary Catherine George, Barbara Butts, Ronelle Haynes, Penny Key, Kathleen Clowe, and Sandra Collins.

Pupils unable to be present were Sharon Mermis, Billy Sue Parry, Lynn Houston, Joann Nunn, Terry Tinson, Cynthia Dorand, Charlotte O'Bannon, Connie Beene, Sara Arnold, and Joe Mathis.

Jerry Gaspard Is Given Shower On Saturday Afternoon

Little Jerry Gaspard, adopted son of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Gaspard, was honored with a shower Saturday afternoon of last week by Mrs. Cecil Morgan and Mrs. Vernon Bryan at the Bryan home.

Little Jerry received many lovely and useful gifts.

Refreshments of cake, mints and coffee were served by the hostesses.

ARTESIA WOMEN VISIT UNITED NATIONS

Mrs. Robert Parks, Mrs. Carl Lewis, and Mrs. C. R. Blecker who went to Boston to attend the 30th annual convention of the Federation of Women's Clubs, on Friday of last week visited the United Nations headquarters, which they wrote friends was a wonderful experience.

They arrived at Boston on Saturday for the convention, after what they described as a fine trip with wonderful weather.

C. M. COLE HONORED ON 79TH BIRTHDAY

C. M. Cole was honored Sunday with a dinner on his 79th birthday by his daughters, Mrs. Buford Gray and Miss Ina Cole.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cole, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Cole and children; Mr. and Mrs. Clint Cole of Lovington, Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Russell and children and Buford Gray.

Carol Hensley, Grand Worthy Advisor Of Rainbow, Visits Home Assembly

Miss Carol Hensley of Artesia, grand worthy advisor of the Order of Rainbow for Girls, state of New Mexico, made her official visit to her home assembly Monday evening. She was honored with a dinner served in the banquet room of the Masonic Temple. The assembly room was decorated with large baskets of spring flowers.

The centerpiece was a Maypole with rainbow colored streamers extending over a large silver tray which held roses and baby breath. Rose colored candles fluted with gold lace and favors of dainty flowers filled May baskets decorated the tables.

The dinner was served by members of the Eastern Star, as Jo Margaret Gore, Sandra Mitchell, Mary Anna Price, Mary Jo Storm and Ann Easley played piano solos.

Miss Hensley was presented gifts from the Rainbow Girls, Eastern Star and friends.

Miss Fid Hamill, grand page, also received gifts.

Twelve choir girls presented a special drill as Miss Hensley was escorted to the East.

Miss Anna Marie Dunn Is Installed Worthy Advisor Of Rainbow Girls

Miss Anna Marie Dunn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Dunn was installed as worthy advisor of the Order of Rainbow for Girls at a public installation Sunday afternoon at the Masonic Temple. Miss Jean Green, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Green, is the outgoing worthy advisor.

The assembly room of the Masonic Temple was beautifully decorated with ribbon covered rainbows and spring flowers.

The installing officers were: Worthy advisor, Mrs. Preston Dunn of Portales, sister-in-law of Miss Dunn; marshal, Miss Jean Green, outgoing worthy advisor; musician, Mrs. Glenn Caskey; recorder, Mrs. Emmett Gage; chaplain, Miss Fid Hamill and soloist, Miss Marilyn Cox.

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Misses Eileen and Eileen Marshall lighted rainbow colored candles at the altar while Miss Yvonne Yeager gave the Bible dedication.

Other officers installed were: worthy associate advisor, Jo Ann Short, Charly, Sylvia Amstutz; Faith, Alice Rae Martin; drill leader, Billie Jean Muncy; chaplain, Jo Ann Amstutz; Love, Jean Cole; Religion, Laverne Batic; Nature, Mittie Fry; Immortality, Geraldine Blount; Fidelity, Shirley O'Dell; Service, Celeste Bradshaw; outer observer, Sandra Mitchell and choir director, Regina Hayes.

Officers unable to attend who will be installed later to serve with Miss Dunn are: Musician, Jo Margaret Gore; Hope, Linda Boyle; Patriotism, Sara Curtis and confidential observer, Betty Crow.

Miss Dunn has selected for her theme, "Peace," her symbol, the dove and aim, "Make Rainbow Mean More to Others."

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Dunn, parents of the worthy advisor, were introduced.

Miss Carol Hensley, grand worthy advisor, was also introduced.

Miss Jean Green, outgoing worthy advisor, was presented gifts from Miss Dunn and Mrs. J. T. Easley, mother advisor.

Others introduced were Mrs. Harold Kersey, worthy matron of the Eastern Star and Ralph Pitt, worthy patron, together with other advisory board members, Mrs. Owen Hensley, Mrs. Ralph Pitt, Mrs. Ava Gage, Mrs. Earl Cox, Miss Ina Cole and Fred Jacobs.

Mrs. Easley, mother advisor, was introduced and led to the color stations, where she was honored with a colorful flower ceremony.

A reception was held in the banquet room of the Temple. The table was laid with a Valencia lace tablecloth, with a rainbow formed of flowers in colors of the rainbow. A huge rainbow and pot of gold were in the background. Miss Dunn presided over the punch bowl.

Rainbow officers and member of the advisory board assisted in serving punch, sandwiches and cookies to about 80 guests. Miss Ann Easley presided at the guest book.

All the girls were attired in formals.

She will receive her bachelor of arts degree. She majored in journalism and minored in English. She is a member of the Press Club Spurs and Alpha Chi Omega.

At a tea recently given at the home of Prof. Keen Rafferty, head of the journalism department, she was presented a scholarship award from Sigma Delta Chi, professional journalistic fraternity, which gave one to each of three graduating journalism students at the University of New Mexico.

Mrs. Hillard Is Member Graduation Class At University

Mrs. Joann Livingston Hillard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Livingston, is a member of the 1950 graduating class at the University of New Mexico.

She was a member of the Artesia High School graduating class of 1946 and entered the university that September.

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Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Walter and on Jimmy Vandagriff plan to leave Sunday for Las Cruces to attend the graduation of their son, Ted, from New Mexico A. & M. College.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Pearsall of Tulsa, Okla. and Keith Pearsall of Nowata, Okla., spent Sunday with a cousin of Messrs. Pearsall, Mrs. Earl Darst and Mr. Darst. They also visited a cousin of their mother, A. C. Crozier and Mrs. Crozier.

Mrs. T. E. Johnson left Wednesday morning for Denton, Texas, for her daughter, Jo Ann, a student at Texas State College for Women. Jo Ann will spend the summer with her parents.

Mrs. Cecil Hightower left Tuesday for Washington to visit friends and will also visit her brother, Ash Bailey, in Oregon. She plans to be gone all summer.

Mrs. Claude Mathews and daughter of Loco Hills and Mrs. Mathews' mother, Mrs. J. W. Kennedy, spent Wednesday afternoon in Carlsbad.

Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Ottjes, teachers at Oilfield school are spending the summer at Scottsbluff, Neb.

Mr. and Mrs. Burl Sears left Wednesday for Las Cruces to get their son, Jimmy, a student at New Mexico A. & M. College.

Mrs. W. Drew Davis left Thursday night for El Paso, Minden, La. and Oklahoma City on a two-week vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Nelson and children, Carolyn and Max, left early Saturday morning of last week for Hollis, Okla. where they attended the alumni meeting of the high school and also visited relatives. They returned home late Monday evening.

Mrs. Johnnie Garner, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Garner and son, Donald Lee; Gilroy Garner and Juanita, daughter of Mrs. Johnnie Garner, arrived Monday from Little Rock, Ark., to visit the Garner families. They expect to stay two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Russell left Artesia today for El Paso, where Mrs. Russell is to receive a physical check-up at a clinic, preliminary to a possible operation. Mr. Russell is the owner of R. N. Russell Auto Supply Company, 322 West Main.

Kenneth Newton is expected to return home from New Mexico A. & M. College Saturday. Kenneth is the son of Mr. and Mrs. B. Newton, who live on West Grand.

Mrs. J. G. Crow, who underwent surgery in Artesia Municipal Hospital recently, returned to her home at 1205 West Chisum Thursday morning and is reported doing nicely.

Heads Briar College



Dr. Anne Gary Pannell

AT PRESENT Dean of Goucher College, Baltimore, Md., Dr. Anne Gary Pannell has been named fifth president of Sweet Briar College, Sweet Briar, Va. She will assume her new duties on July 1. (International)

Social Calendar

Friday, June 2
Masons and their wives, Eastern Stars and their husbands, and the cast of the "Womanless Wedding," barbecue at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Pitt, 7 p. m.

Monday, June 5
Rebekah Lodge, birthday supper and meeting, L.O.O.F. Hall, 6:30 p. m.

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

BAPTIST DORCAS CLASS MEETS ON TUESDAY
A meeting of the Dorcas Class of the First Baptist Church was held in the home of Mrs. Burr Clem Tuesday. Six of the members enjoyed a covered-dish luncheon. In the afternoon each lady presented a block in a friendship quilt for their teacher, Mrs. J. D. Josey.

Those present were Mrs. F. O. Ashton, Mrs. Josey, Mrs. P. M. Vashinder, Mrs. J. A. Suderth, Mrs. Comer and Mrs. Clem.

Miss Peggy Jeanne Brown Becomes Bride Of Charles Robert Scott, Jr.

In a candlelight ceremony at the Monte Vista Christian Church in Albuquerque, Miss Peggy Jeanne Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ermand W. Brown of Albuquerque and Charles Robert Scott, Jr. of Artesia, exchanged their wedding vows at 5 o'clock Sunday evening, May 28. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Scott, Sr., of Albuquerque and Artesia.

Mrs. H. C. Clarke presided at the organ playing as the prelude, "Call Me Thy Own" and "Clair De Lune," followed by Mendelssohn's "Wedding March." U. J. Miller sang, "Always" and "Because." Billy Brown, young brother of the bride and Jerry Scott, young brother of the bridegroom, lighted the candles.

Rev. Ira J. Bailes performed the double-ring ceremony.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore a gown featuring a tight fitting bodice of imported chantilly lace that buttoned down the back and terminated in a deep pleum that dipped into the full nylon tulle skirt. The yoke, also of nylon tulle, formed a high rounded neckline and joined the bodice of chantilly lace. Her fingertip length veil of French illusion was held in place with a halo crown of matching chantilly lace. She carried three orchids surrounded by white carnations.

For something borrowed, the bride carried a watch of her maternal grandmother's, Mrs. J. C. Richards, for something blue, she wore a blue garter. The traditional good luck piece was a sixpence worn her shoe. Something new was a pearl necklace and a golden Bible, gifts from the bridegroom.

The matron of honor, Mrs. Charles P. Eagleton, aunt of the bride, was gowned in toast lace over peach satin and carried tall-man roses. She also wore a matching hat.

The bridesmaids were Miss Charlene and Miss Tigger Scott, sisters of the bridegroom. They were dressed identically in becoming gowns of pastel green net with bodices of lace, which extended over the skirts to form hip-length pleums and matching hats and mits.

The bridegroom, the best man and the ushers all wore black tuxedos with white boutonnières.

Allan Hicks of Corpus Christi, Texas, was best man. The ushers were Jack Hestman and Ray Brnaci.

Mrs. Ermand W. Brown, mother of the bride, wore a dress of powder blue lace over taffeta with pink accessories and a pink corsage.

Mrs. C. R. Scott, Sr., mother of the bridegroom, wore navy blue dress with white accessories accented with a corsage of white carnations.

A wedding reception was held immediately after the ceremony at the Fez Club. All the wedding gifts were on display there. The bride's table was decorated throughout in a color scheme of white and peach. A three-tiered wedding cake with the miniature bride and bridegroom was cut by the newlyweds and served with punch, mints and nuts to approximately 100 invited guests.

Miss Janell Scott, sister of the bridegroom, who had just returned to Albuquerque from San Antonio, Texas, where she had been attending college, was in charge of the guestbook.

For travel the bride changed to a tri-colored chalk checked jacket with a navy blue gabardine skirt. The couple left immediately after the reception on a honeymoon trip to the Grand Canyon. Upon their return they will be at home in Artesia, where the bridegroom is associated with his father in Scott Oil Company.

Among guests at the wedding from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Richards, an uncle and aunt of the bride; John Richards, an uncle of the bride and Mr. Lloyd King, an aunt of the bride, all of Artesia.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Willgro, Mrs. Ste Artesia, Mr. and Mrs. Em trip also work at store this visiting The Car tumka, a first of Mrs. her hom of last mother, Mr. an daughter, this weel Guadalupe and visiti Mrs. B. Mrs. W. I cock of week in Mrs. Vol: the Tom Mr. and Mr. and family w Artesia f Mr. and ed Tuesd a fishing points in state. Th trip. Paul So Shamrock



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City Census Is Held Up Because Of Rural Count

A rural agricultural census being taken concurrently with the population count is holding up completion of the 1950 census, the district census supervisor's office at Roswell said today in answer to questions from The Artesia Advocate.

The office said it had no figures ready for release on any of the nine counties within its area. It did not have the population count for Artesia, Roswell or Carlsbad.

However, the office did say that it expected to wind up its work and that the figures would be available within the next two weeks.

Work on the census started April 1. It was expected to be completed before June but the agricultural census is slowing the process.

At the maximum there were 192 workers employed in the nine county area comprised of Eddy, Chaves, Lincoln, Lea, DeBaca, Otero, Curry, Roosevelt and Dona Ana. Number has now dwindled to 25.

A preliminary official announcement on Artesia population had been expected to be issued yesterday.

The announcement will end The Artesia Advocate's 950 Census Sweepstakes. Due to the delay the sweepstakes will be extended in line with the rule that the contest lasts until the figure is released.

A score of Artesia merchants are offering valuable awards in the sweepstakes. Delay in the announcement of the official figure allows time for further entries.

Coupons for entrants are available at the stores of the participating merchants.

Locals

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Willigrod and children, Barbara and Billy, spent last week end with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Wilson, Sr., parents of Mrs. Willigrod. Mrs. Willigrod's sister, Mrs. Stewart Compton, also lives in Artesia.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. McDonald and daughter and son, Charles, are planning to leave in a few days to visit relatives in Anderson, Calif. Mr. and Mrs. McDonald's daughter, Mrs. Emil Bach, Jr., may go on the trip also.

Mrs. Hazel Wylie returned to work at the J. C. Penney Company store this week after her vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Carroll are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Crow. The Carrolls, who are from Wetumka, Okla., plan to stay until the first of July.

Mrs. Lola Walden returned to her home in California on Friday of last week after visiting her mother, Mrs. Monroe Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Havens and daughter, Vernell, were in town this week from their ranch in the Guadalupe, attending to business and visiting friends.

Mrs. Blanche Volz and children, Mrs. W. F. Gage and Happy Hatchcock of Pinon are visitors this week in Artesia. They are visiting Mrs. Volz' son, Charles Volz and the Tom Myers family.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Fleming and Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Tanner and family were among the visitors in Artesia from Pinon this week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Webb returned Tuesday night of this week from a fishing trip to Cowles and other points in the northern part of the state. They enjoyed a wonderful trip.

Paul Sowell and son, Ronald, of Shamrock, Texas, have been visit-

ing Mr. Sowell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Sowell. Mr. Sowell returned to his home Wednesday morning, but little Ronald is going to spend the summer here with his grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Stevenson, Mr. Stevenson's mother and Mr. and Mrs. Stevenson's son, Terry, were in town Wednesday from Pinon. They came to meet Mr. and Mrs. Stevenson's daughter, Glenna Lee, who is coming home from college.

Misses Mary Frances Parks and Lynnell James of Pinon have been spending several days in the home of Mrs. Charles Smith. Mary Frances is formerly of Artesia.

Mr. and Mrs. Houston Teel and children, Curtis and Faye, spent Tuesday in the mountains near Mayhill and Weed with relatives. They celebrated Mrs. Teel's birthday with a picnic.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Ulrich and niece, Roma Smith, of Denver, Colo., spent last week with Mrs. Ulrich's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Marler. Mr. and Mrs. Ulrich came especially for the commencement exercises. Winston Marler, brother of Mrs. Ulrich, was a member of the graduating class.

David Teel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Houston Teel, is spending the summer with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Teel, at Junction, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bridgeman of Tennessee are visiting the Charley Coles at Hope. Mr. and Mrs. Bridgeman and Mr. and Mrs. Charley Cole were in Artesia on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Grissom and three sons left Monday for Aumsville, Ore., to spend the summer. They will visit relatives there and Mr. Grissom will work in the harvest. This is the third summer the family has spent in Oregon. They will return to Artesia about the first of September.

Ens. Dwight L. Arnell of Artesia was scheduled to arrive in Newport, R. I., last week, after having served aboard the U.S.S. Hanson, destroyer, on a four-month cruise in the Mediterranean area. He was afforded an opportunity to visit countries in Europe, Asia and Africa.

Clarence W. Juarez, apprentice seaman aboard the U.S.S. Sierra, a destroyer tender, will return to the United States late this month on completion of a four-month tour of duty with the Sixth Fleet. His ship is to arrive at Norfolk, Va. The Sierra has been touring the Mediterranean area as an instrument for strengthening American prestige in the nations bordering the sea between the Rock of Gibraltar and the Suez Canal. The ship put in at ports of the three continents surrounding the Mediterranean.

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Lt. and Mrs. Jack Rhett, who

chosen to "Who's Who in American College and Universities" this year. Kappa Pi is the oldest and largest of the art fraternities. Its first chapter was established in 1911 at the University of Kentucky.

Miss Joy Bell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Bell of First Christian Church, has returned home from Texas Christian University for a brief visit with her family and friends before returning to Fort Worth for the summer. She was accompanied by Jack Brooks also of T.C.U. They will return to Fort Worth the first of next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Bell flew to Seymour, Texas, Saturday to join Mrs. Bell's family, with whom they will be employed this summer. Mrs. Bell was Lucille Keck of the physical education department of the high school.

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Lt. and Mrs. Jack Rhett, who

have been visiting Lt. Rhett's parents in Florida, arrived this week to visit Mrs. Rhett's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hollis G. Watson. They will leave next week for Berkeley, Calif., where Lieutenant Rhett will enter the University of California to work for his master's degree in engineering.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Watson and daughter, Cynthia, of Albuquerque arrived Thursday to visit Mr. Watson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hollis G. Watson and Mrs. Watson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim L. Ferguson. After a visit here they will return to Albuquerque and Mr. Watson will continue his studies at the University of Albuquerque.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dunnam spent last week end near Dallas, Texas, visiting their son-in-law and daughter, Rev. and Mrs. Kenneth Ford.

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A. & M. College, Las Cruces, arrived home Thursday morning to spend the summer with their parents.

C. Gottfried Finke of Artesia was awarded a first and a second with his exhibitions at the annual show of the Albuquerque and New Mexico Philatelic Associations in Albuquerque Friday through Sunday.

Charles Cox, who is expected home June 7 from the Institute of Music in St. Louis, will teach organ and piano here this summer. It was announced by his mother, Mrs. Anna Lou Cox. She said arrangements could be made by calling 34 or 884-R.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Ragsdale left Saturday morning for Hot Springs, Ark., from where they planned to go to Hopkinsville, Ky., their old home. They were to be gone about three weeks.

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School Principal Thanks Advocate For News Coverage

The Artesia Advocate this week received the written appreciation of the Artesia public schools for coverage of school news during the session ended May 26.

T. Stovall, principal of Artesia High School, in a letter dated May 29, said:

"May I thank you for your assistance in publicizing the school and its various activities. The general public has been very receptive and cooperative thanks to you."

Thorough coverage of Artesia High School and of all other schools of the municipal system is regular procedure for this newspaper.

Mrs. J. B. Atkeson, Artesia pioneer, is honored on Sunday.

Mrs. J. B. Atkeson, Artesia pioneer, was honored at the Memorial Sunday service at First Christian Church.

Mrs. Atkeson is the lone surviving charter member of the church here and a beautiful cor-

Farm Youth Camp Will Open July 31

Annual encampment for Future Farmers of America of Artesia and other towns of the area will be July 31-Aug 3 at the camp south of Cloudcroft.

John T. Short, vocational agriculture teacher at Artesia High School and advisor of the local chapter, said he did not have at this date information on what members would attend.

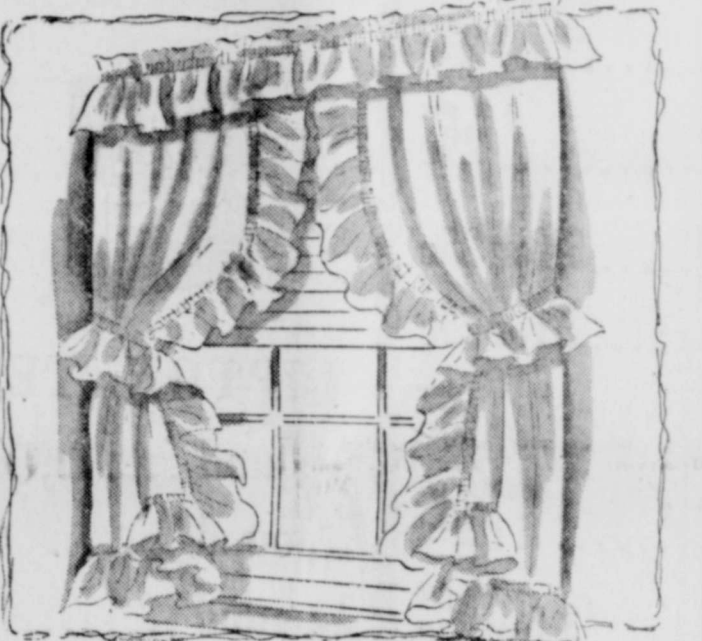
CLARK, SUPERINTENDENT CANDIDATE, VISITS HERE

Rev. and Mrs. C. A. Clark have had as guest this week, their nephew, C. W. Clark, of Las Cruces, the present county school superintendent of Dona Ana County, who has been spending several days in the eastern part of New Mexico in the interest of his candidacy for state school superintendent in the Democratic primary, to be held next Tuesday.

He was accompanied by his son, Ronnie.

Message was presented as a token of the congregation's appreciation for her part in the founding of the local group and in helping it to live and grow in the years that have followed.

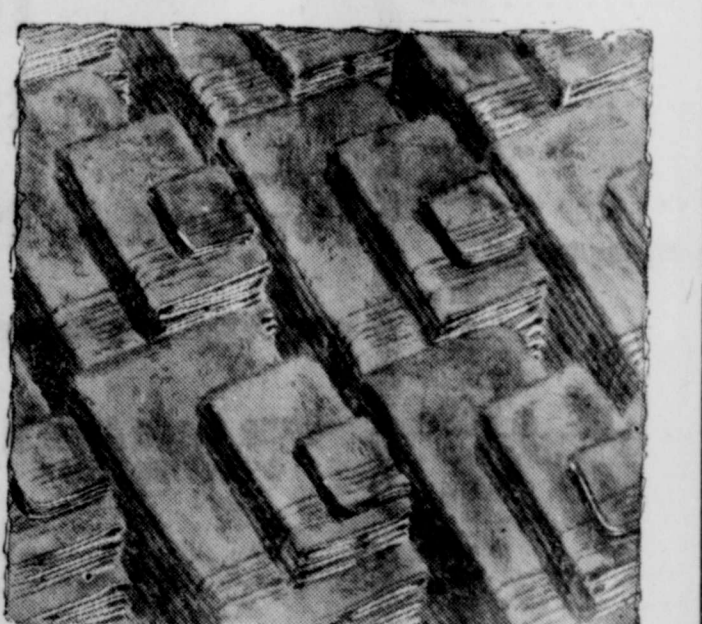
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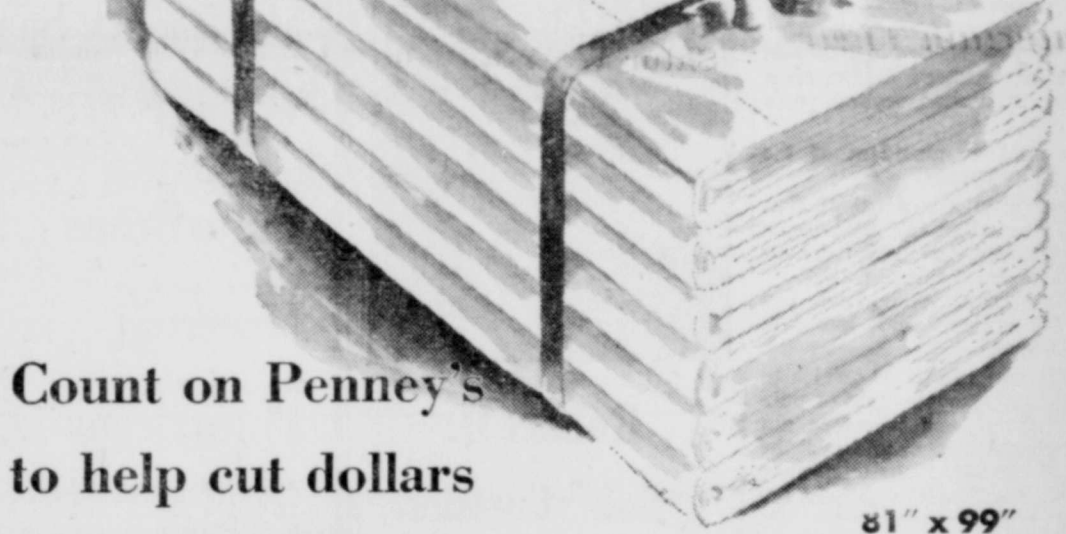


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KSVP PROGRAM SCHEDULE

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FRIDAY AFTERNOON 11:00 Baseball 11:05 Farm and Market Service 12:30 Baseball 1:25 Camel Scoreboard 1:30 Local News 1:35 Music Fill 1:45 Personality Time 2:00 News 2:15 Melody Scrap Book 2:25 Reminiscent Rhythm 2:30 Americana 3:15 Front Page Drama 3:30 Your Concert Master 4:00 News 4:05 Revolving Rhythm 4:15 Sports Parade 4:30 Record Shop 5:00 Mark Trail 5:30 Tom Mix 6:00 Gabriel Heatter and the News 6:15 Fulton Lewis, Jr. 6:30 Meet the Band 6:45 Sports Final 6:55 Bill Henry 7:00 Local News 7:15 Saddlebag Express 7:30 Dance Time 7:45 This Rhythmic Age 8:15 South American Way 9:00 Accent on Melody 9:15 I Love a Mystery 9:30 Spanish Program 10:00 World News 10:05 Sign Off	11:15 Accent On Melody 11:30 Man On the Farm 12:00 Baseball 12:15 Farm and Market News 12:25 Camel Scoreboard 1:30 Local News 1:35 Music Fill 2:05 Melody Scrap Book 2:30 News 2:45 Treasure Chest 3:00 Curtain Call 3:45 The Fun Alley 4:00 Salute to Reservists 4:30 20th Century Serenade 5:00 Hawaii Calls 5:30 Comedy of Errors 5:55 John H. Kennedy 6:00 Twenty Questions 6:30 Music for Dinner 6:45 Sports Final 7:05 Twilly at Serenade 7:30 Dance Time 8:00 Chicago Theatre of the Air 9:00 Dance Orchestra 9:30 Dance Orchestra 9:55 Mutual Reports News 10:00 Sign Off	5:00 The Affairs of Peter Salem 5:30 To be Announced 6:00 Sunday Serenade 6:30 The Enchanted Hour 7:00 Ostra Concert 7:30 Twilight Serenade 7:45 To be Announced 8:00 This Is Europe 8:30 Dance Orchestra 9:00 William Hillman and the News 9:15 Hour of St. Francis 9:30 Dance Orchestra 9:55 Mutual Reports the News 10:00 Sign Off MONDAY 5:58 Sign On 6:00 Farm & Home Hour 6:30 News 6:45 Farm & Home Hour 7:00 News 7:05 Devotional Service 7:20 1450 Club 7:35 Local News 7:40 1450 Club 8:00 News 8:05 Background for Breakfast 8:15 Musical Roundup 8:30 Say It With Music 8:45 Robert Hurleigh and the News 9:00 Variety Time 9:15 Bob Wills Show 9:30 Morning Devotional 9:45 Western Jambores 10:00 News 10:05 Sign Off 10:15 Lanny Ross 10:30 Cedric Foster and the News 10:45 Checkerboard 11:00 Baseball 11:05 Baseball 11:15 Farm and Market 11:30 Camel Scoreboard 1:25 Camel Scoreboard 1:30 Local News 1:35 Music Fill 1:45 Personality Time 2:00 News 2:15 Melody Scrap Book 2:35 Tops in Pops 2:50 Americana	3:15 Voice of the Army 3:30 Your Concert Master 4:00 News 4:05 Revolving Rhythm 4:15 The Sports Parade 4:30 Music from Roseanna 4:45 Record Shop 5:00 Mark Trail 5:30 Tom Mix 6:00 Gabriel Heatter and the News 6:15 Fulton Lewis, Jr. 6:30 Meet the Band 6:45 Sports Final 6:55 Bill Henry and the News 7:00 Local News 7:15 Saddlebag Express 7:30 Soft Lights & Sweet Music 8:00 Eventide Echoes 8:15 Mutual News Reel 8:30 Wayne King Show 9:00 Accent on Melody 9:15 I Love a Mystery 9:30 Spanish Program 9:55 Mutual Reports the News 10:00 World News 10:05 Sign Off TUESDAY MORNING 6:59 Sign On 7:00 Farm & Home Hour 7:30 News 7:45 Farm & Home Hour 7:50 News 7:55 Local News 8:00 News 8:05 Background for Breakfast 8:15 Musical Roundup 8:30 Say It With Music 8:45 Robert Hurleigh and the News 9:00 Variety Time 9:15 Bob Wills Show 9:30 Morning Devotional 9:45 Western Jambores 10:00 News 10:05 Sign Off 10:15 Lanny Ross 10:30 Cedric Foster and the News 10:45 Checkerboard 11:00 Baseball 11:05 Baseball 11:15 Farm and Market 11:30 Camel Scoreboard 1:25 Camel Scoreboard 1:30 Local News
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Hangar Flying

Dick Callens of Roswell visited the airport Sunday.
 Raymond Pearson took his solo cross-country last week, going to Roswell and Hobbs.
 O. L. Lusk also took a cross-country this week. He was accompanied by Instructor H. F. Fuchs.
 Hank Widemeyer flew to McKinney, Texas, Sunday.
 Ramon Davidson flew to Snyder, Texas, Sunday morning, where he plans to stay the remainder of the summer.
 Glenn L. Stephens of Hobbs flew to Artesia Sunday to take his flight check for a private pilot license from "Sug" Hazel.
 Charles Henson and Gene Sherwood have returned from Snyder, Texas, where they spent the last week.
 H. P. Termain has flown to Wichita, Kan. He was accompanied by his wife and son who visited relatives.
 Travers Waldrup assisted at the airport the last week during Charles Henson's absence.
 Bob Ehle returned Sunday from Snyder, Texas, where he had gone to install an aircraft engine. He reported eight inches of rain for the month of May.
 B. F. Parker took his dual cross-country on Memorial Day. He was accompanied by "Sug" Hazel.
 O. L. Lusk soloed the Ercoupe this week.

Wiley, Candidate Superintendent, Visits Artesia

Tom Wiley, assistant superintendent of the Albuquerque consolidated school system, who is a candidate for the Democratic nomination for state superintendent of instruction, was a visitor in Artesia Monday.
 While here he said he began his teaching career in 1929 as an instructor in the Old Albuquerque School. He remained there through 1930 and the next year was named principal of one of the county schools. He was in that post until 1936, when he was elected to his first term as county superintendent. He served through 1940 and in 1941 again took the principalship of a 20-teacher county school. He served in that position until 1943, when he left to become superintendent of the Industrial School for Boys in Springer. He left there in December, 1944, when he again was elected superintendent of the Bernalillo County schools and served through the close of 1948.
 Wiley graduated from the University of New Mexico in 1932 and received his master's degree from the same institution several years later.
 He served as president of the N.M.E.A. in 1943.
 He has been a resident of New Mexico most of his life, his parents having brought him here from his birthplace, St. Louis, in 1907.
 Mr. and Mrs. Wiley have two grown daughters, both living in Albuquerque.
 "I believe I can be of service to the state as superintendent of public instruction, and therefore am announcing my candidacy," he said. "If elected, I shall strive to conduct the office in a professional manner and to think in terms of the educational welfare of the school children of New Mexico."

STEVE MASON IS SHOWING IMPROVEMENT

Steve Mason, 35, of Artesia and Hagerman, who was critically injured in an automobile collision at Lake Arthur Saturday, was reported from Artesia General Hospital last night as improving nicely. His physician said he believed him to be out of danger.
 Mason suffered a severe skull fracture and other injuries when his car was struck at Lake Arthur by a pick-up driven by Francis Morales, 63, at Lake Arthur, as Morales was apparently turning in to his place off the highway.

LIONS CARNIVAL—

(Continued from page one)
 1950 show. Gilman told of the Buck Brothers magic performances staged each night and of how tickets to this act entitle the purchaser to be eligible for the award of a Shetland pony, bridle and saddle.
 Award of the pony, bridle and saddle is set for 10 o'clock Saturday night, June 3.
 The carnival is set up at the north end of the field. There are 15 booths on the midway.

MARGARET HARSTON IS IN BUSINESS FOR SELF

Margaret Harston is running the H. & H. Secretarial & Accounting Service and is not employed by H. & J. Food Basket, as erroneously reported in the final issue of the school year of The Artesia Hi Beacon, which was reprinted in The Advocate.

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Diamond 303 can **Baby Lima Beans** 3 for 25c

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Main, phone 517. 61-tfc

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For County Clerk:
R. A. WILCOX
Carlsbad.

For Sheriff:
W. L. (BILL) HIGH
Carlsbad
JESS I. FUNK
Cottonwood

For School Superintendent:
MRS. R. N. THOMAS
Carlsbad

For Commissioner, Dist. 1:
F. R. DICKSON
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JOE BRANCH
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For County Commissioner, Dist. 2:
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Sharpe and wife Lot 3 Block 1
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Ed L. West and wife to Artesia
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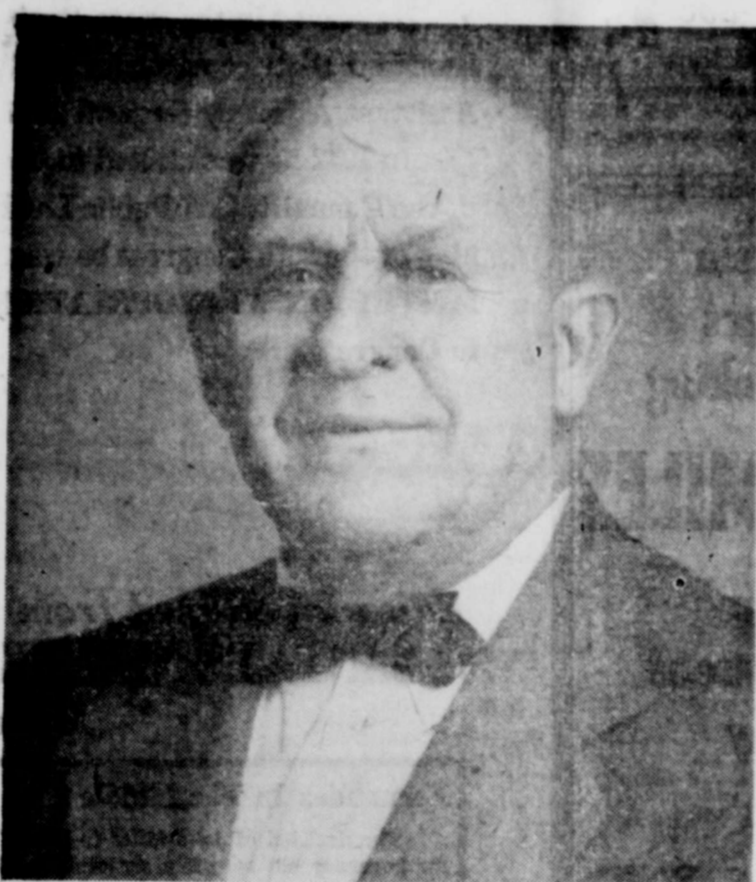
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Current Events Medal Awarded Park Student



MARSHALL MARTIN

Third winner of the current events competition at Park School is Marshall Martin, 11, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Martin, who was honored at a school closing program in which he acted as master of ceremonies and received the Charles Palmer Davis bronze medal.

Presentation of the medal signified young Martin had successfully passed two major and two minor tests on current events, correctly answering 190 out of 172 questions. The medal presentation ceremony was a part of the jackpot quiz program held in the classroom of Hildegard Kletke.

Pupils names were drawn from a bowl. Each was called on to answer questions from the categories of words, people and science in the news; people who made history; national and foreign affairs; democracy and you; know the United States and United States alphabet.

The competition is sponsored nationally by American Educational Press of Columbus, Ohio, which publishes the newspaper, "Current Events," supplementary classroom text.

Idea of current events study originated with Davis who back in 1902 was amazed to find only two out of a class of 35 students could tell him the name of the President of the United States.

Medal presented to young Martin has the imprint of Davis picture, is size of a half-dollar, carries date 1859-1921, life span of the founder of the current events idea and is inscribed "for excellence in current events."

Award of attendance certificates and of certificates for writing proficiency and progress was also a part of the program. Walter G. Short, Park School principal and Vernon R. Mills, elementary school supervisors, officiated.

Donald Cullens received a perfect attendance certificate. Four pupils were awarded writing proficiency certificates, attesting to writing ability above sixth grade level.

They were Marian Jo Welch,

Donna Nelson, Marian Simmons and Glenda Gayle Burns. Writing progress certificates were received by 11: Sandra Butts, Peggy Parrish, Claire Collins, Clifford Cox, Shirley Morgan, Beverly Boteler, Judith Sams, Glenda Watts, Sandra Hubbard, Betty Burch, Larry Haney.

Potpourri—

(Continued from Page One)

back in Indian Territory where we came from. A half-breed Cheyenne had been coaching some of the fullbloods on voting. "Just stamp right under the rooster and you won't make a mistake," was his advice. Come election day, White Thunder, one of the blanket Indians, went in to vote. Besides the regular ballot, there was a second ballot with some state questions on it, and no emblems. This bothered White Thunder. His coaching hadn't prepared him for it. So, he went to the door of the booth, and spying his half-breed friend, he waved the ballot and hollered: "Hey, Frank. Whatsa matter? No chicken?"

Old Shep also brings up a matter about which we have written many times, the so-called secret ballot in New Mexico.

In case you don't know it, there is a number printed on your ballot, which is pasted down in an upper corner, and is somewhat protected from prying eyes by the simple device of printing a black square on the back. That number is the same as one in the other upper corner, which is torn off by one of the election officials after you have voted.

Likewise, that same number is set down opposite your name in the pollbooks.

Should there be a contest in any particular box, those pasted down numbers might be pried into by court order.

And on the other hand, anyone having the ballots in his possession after the election could do a bit of prying. We don't say that ever has been done. But it could be. And we don't doubt but what it has been.

That is your secret ballot!

It rained in Carlsbad recently about an inch, we understand. Which led The Little Argus of The Daily Current-Argus to chronicle:

"Last week's rainfall came at a very propitious time, according to Bill Burnet. The shower came early on the morning of graduation day for the largest senior class in Carlsbad High School's history, and Burnet says he's very glad it happened."

"It would have been a shame to send those 204 young people out into the world without knowing what rain is like," Burnet said."

The desk sergeants at Artesia police headquarters have been having Kentucky trouble this week. During the winter they have Maine trouble from time to time. In summer it's Kentucky.

For some unknown reason, police radio signals from those two states come in clearly and jam the New Mexico radiotelephone traffic. When they break through the signals are clear and loud, which is not in accordance with the wattage at which they are sent out. They simply shouldn't travel so far. But they do, much to the annoyance of the local officers and those on duty in other stations and cars throughout New Mexico, all operating on the same frequency.

The other day we observed a man wearing a semi-military-type cap, bearing a faded band with

the name of some organization or other. His trousers were dirty and unpressed, quite unlike the clothing of members of some other organizations which wear that type cap.

And he was carrying a tamborine, in which were a number of coins and some bills, decoys, we presumed.

He was collecting so he said, for some underprivileged group.

In our presence a businessman, a member of the City Council asked the man if he had cleared with the city or the Chamber of Commerce. He said he had not, but produced a dirty letterhead bearing the great seal of the state of New Mexico, which indicated that the organization had some official approval.

But five minutes later when a police officer tried to find the man, by way of making a routine check, he could not be found.

He had left town. And so had the decoy coins and bills. Likewise were any coins which might have found their way in Artesia to the tamborine.

We can't help but believe the man with the tamborine was one of the underprivileged whom the cause was supposed to help.

Don't hesitate to ask for credentials when you are approached. If a cause is worthy, your Chamber of Commerce and police will be glad to clear it. And although either organization could make a mistake, which is only human, clearance and a Chamber of Commerce letter are reasonable assurance to you that you aren't being rooked and that the cause is worthy.

By the way, we have a few worthy causes at home.

Be sure to vote Tuesday.

—A.L.B.

Primaries—

(Continued from Page One)

Treasurer—Gilbert J. Lopez, Don R. Casados, J. B. (Buster) Mulcock of Artesia, R. H. Grissom and L. Tracy Fox.

Superintendent of schools—Tom Wiley and C. W. Clark.

Land commissioner—Guy Shepard and Carl Folkner.

Corporation commissioner—M. A. (Tony) Romero, Gene Allison, Eloy Garley, T. E. (Turk) Henman and Bob Johnston.

Supreme Court justice—A. L. Zinn and Henry G. Coors.

The complete Eddy County Democratic slate, with names in the order in which they will appear on the ballots:

State representative from Eddy County, two to be elected—Frank A. Alford, Virgil O. McCollum, D. D. Archer and J. R. Caudle.

County commissioner, District 1—Joe H. Branch, Joe Lusk, F. Roy Dickson and William H. Shafer.

County commissioner, District 2—W. T. (Doc) Haldeman.

County commissioner, District 3—C. F. Beeman, E. O. Spurlin and William O. (Bill) James.

Sheriff—Jess I. Funk and W. L. (Bill) High.

County treasurer—Thelma T. Lusk.

County superintendent of schools—Mrs. R. N. Thomas.

County clerk—R. A. Wilcox.

County assessor—Richard H. Westaway.

Probate judge—M. F. (Frank) Sadler.

County surveyor—John W. Lewis.

It was pointed out that although

there are three districts of the county in each of which one commissioner is to be named, all are elected at large. In other words, although this is District 1, a voter may vote to nominate one candidate each in county Districts 1, 2, and 3.

The Republican state candidates: Congress—Steinner Mason and Luis E. Armijo.

Governor—Edwin L. Mechem and Paul Davis.

Lieutenant governor—Paul F. Larrazolo.

Secretary of state—Mrs. F. A. (Tony) Vigil.

Attorney general—Dan Caldwell.

Auditor—W. S. (Bill) Apodaca.

Treasurer—Alfred W. Kaune.

Superintendent of schools—Mrs. Edna Rousseau.

Land commissioner—Charles H. Corlett.

Corporation commissioner—Chester Arthur Hunker.

Supreme Court justice—Charles H. Fowler.

Although there were six polling places in Artesia for the city election April 6 and six registration places for registration day on May 8, next Tuesday will be the first time in history there will be six polling places in Artesia. Although the six districts will not be exactly as they were for the municipal election, they will be the same as established at the time of registration day. Likewise polling places will be the same as were assigned for registration. They will be: Artesia 6-A, Masonic Temple; 6-B, city hall; 6-C, Central School; 6-D, Veterans Memorial Building; 6-E, high school; 6-F, North Side School.

Polls will be open from 9 o'clock in the morning to 6 o'clock in the evening.

Services For— (Continued from page One) Time of the accident was thought to be about 4:45 o'clock Thursday morning. The Artesia man was pronounced dead on arrival at the hospital.

Mr. Reyes was a veteran of World War II. He is survived by his widow. The family home is 307 West Texas.

Arrangements were by Paulin Funeral Home.

Final Session—

(Continued from Page One) this morning, besides a list of similar gifts, the \$395 Universal range will be given away with the compliments of Southern Union Gas Company. Other grand prizes slated for today are a Hamilton Beach mixer, from Clem & Clem, and a General Electric Waffle iron, from Richards Electric Shop.

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Artesia Voters Are Backing

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RE-ELECT

CONGRESSMAN A. M. FERNANDEZ

Representative A. M. FERNANDEZ

was born in Springer, Colfax County, New Mexico, January 17, 1902. He is married and has five children.

He served in the State Legislature from Colfax County in 1935. As a lawyer he served as Assistant District Attorney at Raton in 1933, was chief Tax Attorney from 1935 to 1937, First Assistant Attorney General 1937 to 1941; Public Service Commissioner 1941 to 1942.

In 1942 he was elected to Congress and re-elected in 1944, 1946 and 1948. He was a member of the Committee on Public Lands and Irrigation and Reclamation for six years. At the beginning of the 80th Congress he was fortunate in being selected as a member of the important COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS, which position he will retain through seniority if returned to Congress.

Editorial clipped from SANTA FE NEW MEXICAN March 21, 1950

Editorial clipped from HOBBS NEWS SUN March 27, 1950

Fernandez In The Middle

The decision of John Miles to leave Congress and run for governor has set off a scramble for his congressional post that threatens an innocent bystander—Congressman Tony Fernandez we mean.

New Mexico's two congressmen are nominated and elected at large, each running against the entire field. So far three strong candidates have entered the competition for the Miles place but could also get the Fernandez place unless it is strongly defended.

Fernandez has been a good representative for New Mexico since his first election in 1942. He has been sensitive to local interests, and, strangely for a politician, defiant to special interests and political bosses. He is an unorthodox politician which is good for the people he serve but bad for the candidate trying to line up support.

We hope that Democrats will see to it that he is re-nominated and let the other contenders fight it out for the Miles vacancy.

A DEMOCRAT AND A GOOD CITIZEN

We have always held that a good citizen and a Democrat were compatible. We believe that Congressman Antonio Fernandez proves our point.

Representative Fernandez is undoubtedly a good Democrat. He is just as undoubtedly a good citizen, and he has, without question, been one of the finest representatives New Mexico has ever sent to Washington.

While other Democratic big shots whom the people have sent to Washington to represent them, are busily engaged in quarreling over who they will allow to be candidates on the Democratic ticket, Congressman Fernandez has quietly stayed on the job for which he is being paid, and quietly and efficiently has served his constituents.

We do not know, of course, who will be nominated by the Republicans for Congress. All we can say, however, as a Republican newspaper, is that anyone who will or can serve the state better than Fernandez will have to be a mighty good man.

It is our sincere hope that in the scramble on election day the voters of New Mexico will remember that those making all the noise are not necessarily those who have best served the state.—The New Mexico State Record.

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 Notice is hereby given that on the 14th day of September, 1949, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, Ralph Pearson of Lake Arthur, County of Chaves, State of New Mexico, made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a permit to change location of well by abandoning and plugging artesian well described in Declaration No. RA-104, located in Lot 4, Sec. 2, Twp. 16 S., R. 23 E., N. M. P. M., and drilling a new well 13 1/2 inches in diameter and approximately 1000 feet in depth at another point in the same subdivision of said Sec. 2 for the purpose of continuing rights for the irrigation of 199 acres of land described as follows: Subdivision Lot 4, 5 and 12, Sec. 2, Twp. 16 S., Rge. 25 E., Acres 94. Subdivision Lots 13 and 14 Part NE 1/4 SW 1/4 N 1/2 SW 1/4 SE 1/4, Sec. 2, Twp. 16 S., Rge. 25 E., Acres 105. No additional rights over and above those set forth in Declarations Nos. RA-767, RA-1103 and RA-1104 are contemplated under this application.
 Appropriation of water from all sources combined to be limited at all times to 597 acre feet per annum delivered upon the above described 199 acres.
 Any person, firm, association, corporation, the State of New Mexico or the United States of America, deeming that the granting of the above application will be truly detrimental to their rights in the water of said underground source, may protest in writing the State Engineer's granting approval of said application. The protest shall set forth all protestant's reasons why the application should not be approved and shall be accompanied by supporting affidavits and by proof that a copy of the protest has been served upon the applicant. Said protest and proof of service must be filed with the State Engineer within ten (10) days after the date of the last publication of this notice. Unless protested, the application will be taken up for consideration by the State Engineer on that date, being on or about the 20th day of June, 1950.
 JOHN H. BLISS,
 State Engineer.
 40-31-F-44

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF EDDY COUNTY STATE OF NEW MEXICO
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF CHARLES H. ROADY, Deceased.
 No. 1567
NOTICE OF HEARING ON FINAL ACCOUNT AND REPORT
 THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO
 TO: Martha Matthews, Dora Kitchell, Merle Roady, William M. Roady, Ruby Dunn, unknown heirs of Charles H. Roady, deceased and all unknown persons claiming any lien upon, or right, title or interest in or to the estate of said decedent.
GREETING:
 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Ruby Dunn, administratrix, has filed her Final Account and Report in this cause and, by Order of the Probate Judge of Eddy County, New Mexico, the 26th day of June, 1950, at the hour of 10:00 A. M., in the Court room of the Probate Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, in Carlsbad, New Mexico is the day, time and place for hearing said Final Account and Report. At the same time and place said Court will determine the heirship of said decedent, the ownership of his estate, the interest of each respective claimant thereto or therein, and the persons entitled to distribution thereof.
 NEIL B. WATSON, Artesia, New Mexico, is attorney for the administratrix.
WITNESS MY HAND and the seal of said Court on this 8th day of May, A.D., 1950.
 (SEAL) Mrs. R. A. Wilcox, County Clerk and ex-officio Clerk of the Probate Court.
 By Vera Brockman, Deputy.
 38-41-F-44

'JEFFERSON PAPERS' PRESENTED



FIRST VOLUME OF the "Papers of Thomas Jefferson," published by the Princeton University Press, is presented to President Truman at the Library of Congress, Washington, by Harold W. Dodds, Princeton president. Ceremony marks first time in 150-year existence of the library that it is scene of an address by the President. (International)

re-elected was Glenn Caskey, secretary.
 Other officers are Gus Arnold, vice chairman, and Glenn Howard, assistant secretary. Howard has been acting assistant secretary previously but this is the first time he has been elected to that post.
 There are 45 members on the board, which includes the presidents of the Women's Society for Christian Service, and Youth Fellowship, seven trustees, two honorary stewards, and 34 stewards.
 Mrs. Curtis Sharp is president of the Women's Society for Christian Service; Anna Marie Dunn, president of Youth Fellowship.
 Honorary stewards are George Frisch and Dr. H. A. Stroup.
 J. W. Berry, Earl Cox, Bayless Irby, J. M. Jackson, A. P. Mahone, Leslie Martin, Harvey Yates, trustees.
 Stewards: Gus Arnold, Boyd Barnett, Mrs. C. R. Blocker, E. B. Bullock, C. P. Bunch, Don Bush, Glenn Caskey, Fred Chambers, Floyd Davis, George Dixon, Mrs. Ira C. Dixon, J. T. Easley.
 H. G. Ellis, Landis Feather, F. L. Green, Clyde Guy, A. W. Harral, Doyle Hankins, C. D. Hopkins, Fred Jacobs, R. O. Jacobs, T. E. Johnson, J. H. Jones, Elwood Kaiser, Vancil Lowery.
 Mrs. Leslie Martin, Vernon Mills, A. C. Sadler, J. W. Sharp, Frank Smith, Jack Spratt, C. A. Stalcup, Travis Stovall.

tendance awards were given to LaJuana Jackson, Billy Joe Forsyth, Glenda Rae Matthews and Bill Jackson. Awards for taking perfect care of their teeth during the year were given to Rita Coffman, Renelle Forsyth, Marcia Pennington, and Billy Joe Forsyth.
 Scholastic awards were given to Rita Coffman, Verna Day Derrick, Mary Alice Jackson, F. J. Mallicoat, Renelle Forsyth, Bill Jackson, Edna Pennington, LaJuana Jackson and Billy Joe Forsyth.
 Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Matthews, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mallicoat, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Clevenger, and Mr. and Mrs. DeWitt served on the table committee.

Five Are Candidates For Graduation At New Mexico A. & M.

Five candidates for degrees at New Mexico A. & M. College, Las Cruces, at annual commencement exercises Monday, June 5, are from this area. All are to receive bachelor of science degrees.
 They are Treadwell Jacob Vandagriff, Artesia, business administration; Jess Truett, Jr., Artesia, civil engineering; Kenneth Alvard Lee, Dexter, civil engineering; Raymond Rudolph Beverage, Hope, agriculture; and Joe Clifton Masters, Hagerman, education.
 Seniors and graduates who are candidates for degrees total 260. It will be the college's 57th commencement.

Berg Wins Women's Eastern Golf Tourney

Patty Berg, redheaded freckled face former Marine, who not long ago played an exhibition match in

Carlsbad, is the winner of the Women's Eastern Open Golf Championship.
 In the tournament at Newton, Mass., this week she scored a 54-hole total of 217 to win by one stroke over Babe Didrickson.

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 DISTRICT 3, EDDY COUNTY
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 Pol. Adv.

Vernon Mills Re-Elected as Board Chairman

New officers of the First Methodist Church official board were elected at a meeting held at 7:30 o'clock Tuesday night in the parlor of the church, Fifth and Grand.
 The new officials serve a one year tenure, June 1, 1950 to May 31, 1951.
 Vernon R. Mills, chairman for the last one and one half years was re-elected to that office. Also

Oilfield School Closing Program Is Given Friday

The Oilfield community held a last day of school picnic Friday evening with a basket supper and a program.
 Before the supper W. P. Risby, representing the local school board, presented Mrs. Ottjes, teacher, an orchid corsage.
 James Francis, superintendent of the Sunday school, gave the blessing.
 The pupils presented the same program that they had given at the Mother's Day tea. Perfect at-

THE PROBATE COURT OF EDDY COUNTY, STATE OF NEW MEXICO
IN THE MATTER OF THE ANCILLARY ADMINISTRATION OF THE ESTATE OF ANNA IDA McCANN, deceased
 No. 1631
NOTICE TO CREDITORS
 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: That the undersigned, Myrtle McCann Larsen and William H. Larsen have qualified and were appointed Ancillary Administrators of the estate of Anna Ida McCann, deceased by the Honorable M. F. Miller, Judge of the Probate Court of Eddy County, New Mexico.
 Therefore, all persons having claims against the estate of said decedent are hereby notified to present the same, as prescribed by law, within six (6) months from the first publication of this notice on the 26th day of May, 1950, or the time will be barred.
 Myrtle McCann Larsen, William H. Larsen, Ancillary Administrators of the estate of Anna Ida McCann, deceased.
 42-41-F-48

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Tan Evenly With **X-POSE Sun Tan Liquid** Helps mask harmful Sun rays. 5-oz. bottle **59¢**

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MAYBLOOM BUBBLE BATH Pine or Floral Fragrance, 16-oz. **59¢**

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 - (5) Veterans' Tax Exemption, which extended veterans' exemption to both husband and wife.
 - (6) Educational benefits for children of deceased military personnel.
 - (7) School legislation recommended by the New Mexico Educational Association.
- HE VOTED AGAINST A LOT OF THINGS THAT WERE BAD THAT WE'LL TELL YOU ABOUT LATER.

(Paid for by his friends who believe in his good work).

Minister's Duties Require Re-Shuffle Of Board Sessions

Holidays and the rapid pace of a pastor's duties call for quick changes in schedule.

For example, there's the case of Rev. R. L. Willingham, pastor, and the official board of the First Methodist Church.

Ordinarily the board meets on the first Tuesday of each month. The May meeting was held instead on May 30, the fifth Tuesday.

Reason for the switch: The board's year is from June 1 to May 31. Reverend Willingham wanted to be present when election of officers was held. He has a trip to Odessa slated for June 2. On June 5-12 he will direct a youth camp near Weed.

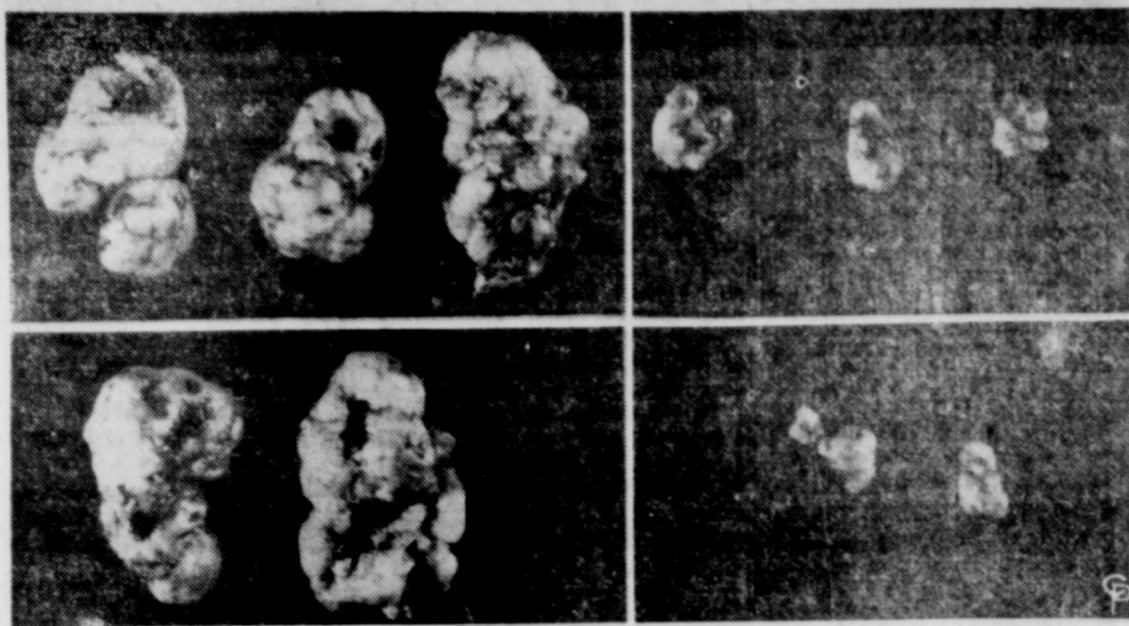
That change to the May 30 meeting doesn't end the puzzle, however. Next meeting of the board is slated for June 27, fourth Tuesday of that month.

Reason: First Tuesday in July would fall on Tuesday, July 4, Independence Day.

Jaycees Use Seals To Boost Vote Drive

A hundred sheets of gummed red, white and blue seals for attaching to envelopes have been issued by Artesia Junior Chamber of Commerce to local stores in

NEW DISCOVERY RETARDS CANCER GROWTH IN MICE



MEDICAL RESEARCHERS at Columbia University's Cancer Institute in New York have reported new evidence that the use of "Guanazolo," a chemical compound, has slowed the growth of certain types of cancer in mice. The above photos, taken during the experiments, show how tumorous growths were reduced. At left are tumors not treated by the discovery and (right) what happened when "Guanazolo" was used. (International)

conjunction with the Jaycees current get out the vote project. There are 5000 seals in all lettered "Remember vote—you're a citizen—junior chamber of commerce."

Issuance of the seals started last week, in connection with the forthcoming June 6 primaries.

Use of a loud speaker borrowed from the Lions Club and red tags lettered "I have voted, have you?" at each of the local polling places will be other mediums in the campaign.

There will be 5000 of the tags put out. Those not used in the primary election will be used in the general election this autumn.

Bill Adair is chairman of the get out the vote committee.

IN THE PROBATE COURT, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF GILBERTO MARTINEZ, DECEASED No. 1629

NOTICE TO CREDITORS NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned Adolph H. Zeleny has qualified as administrator of the Estate of Gilberto Martinez, deceased.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that all persons having claims against said decedent are hereby notified to present the same, as provided by law, within six (6)

months from the 2nd day of June 1950, the date of the first publication of this Notice, or the same will be barred.

ADOLPH H. ZELENY, Administrator. 44-4-F-50

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SEND YOUR NOTIONS TO "NOAH" (Continued to King Features Syndicate)

FLEE FLOOD-BATTERED WINNIPEG



THE YOUNG and the disabled wait their turn to be evacuated from Winnipeg, threatened by higher flood waters following heavy rains. The flood has already made a 600-square-mile lake of the Red River Valley. More than 80,000 persons have left the town. (International Soundphoto)

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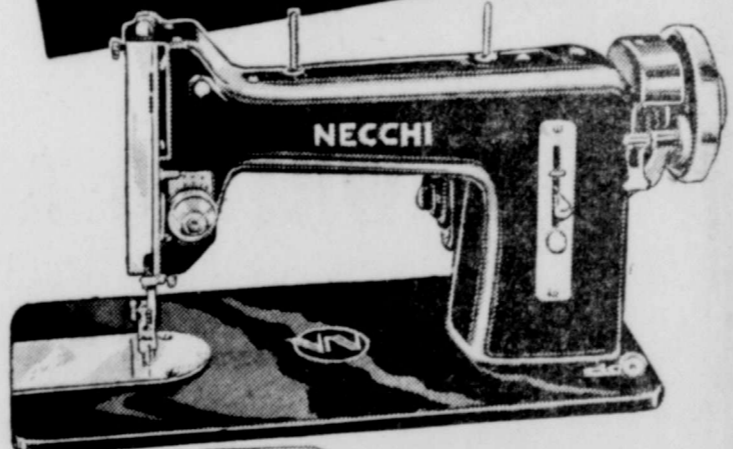
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(Paid Pol. Adv.)

Field And Bench Leveling In Artesia Area Is Conserving Soil And Water

On a special "Cook's tour" of the farming areas in the Artesia locality a few days ago, Keith Dampf, work unit conservationist for the Central Valley Soil Conservation District, pointed out work which has been done and is being done, by way of field and bench leveling for the greatest conservation of soil and water.

He said that within the district of about 45,000 irrigated acres, 1151 acres have been leveled this year, of a total of 2462 acres field and bench leveled since the district was formed in 1943.

The greatest part of the work, said Dampf, is done during the winter months, but there is a small amount carried on during the summer.

A special scraper which is used for leveling was demonstrated, as it picks up about three cubic yards of soil from the higher places and spreads it out in the lower spots.

Dampf said that before such work is started, the acreage to be leveled as a field or bench leveled is studied, taking into account the size, natural drop, head of water available, and other factors. It is

then surveyed and staked and is ready for the scraping and leveling work.

Considerable time was spent on the Herman Green farm southeast of Artesia, where Green was burning weeds in an irrigation ditch as a further water conservation measure. He said he believes in killing the weeds before they get big. For one thing, it is an easier job to burn them out, and for another water is neither retarded in its flow nor wasted on unwanted vegetation.

And as a further water conservation move, Green has lined 1280 feet of one of his water ditches leading to fields with concrete. He said that before the ditch was lined, it took the water about an hour 50 minutes to flow the distance, whereas now it takes only five minutes. Green said in addition he figures he was losing about a fourth of his valuable water.

On the Green farm is a six-acre permanent irrigated pasture, which he has found quite successful and worth the expense of leveling.

He said he is grazing two and a half head of livestock, both cattle and horses, on the pasture and that during the summer he expects to be able to graze three head to the acre.

Last summer Green grazed 18 head on the six acres and still had to mow it two times.

The pasture is seeded to alfalfa and several different grasses.

Digressing from the conservation aspect of the interview and visit, Green said that it has been his experience that he makes three-fourths of a bale to a bale of cotton per acre after alfalfa.

Green has bench leveled about 30 acres of land. He said the improvement makes it possible to put the water where he wants it and to hold it there longer. Likewise, this increases his yield about 40 per cent, he figures.

The alfalfa on the Green farm is watered by means of contour ditches.

Green, who is thoroughly sold on leveling, said it pays if it does nothing other than to keep the water out of the barrow ditches.

He was one of the first farmers in this locality to have work done under the supervision of the Soil Conservation Service after the Central Valley Soil Conservation District was formed.

Green is only one of a number of farmers in this area who are helping themselves, while at the same time conserving soil and water.

Dampf is justly proud of the work the farmers are having done on their places and takes considerable pleasure in pointing out the improvements on the various farms

BUFFALO GIRL, 15, IN OPERA DEBUT



15-YEAR-OLD Jeanette la Bianco of Buffalo, N. Y., makes her opera debut in Rome as Rodina in the Barber of Seville, singing with Italian baritone Paola Silveri. She's a coloratura soprano. (International)

Rogers, and Barry Wood of Artesia, who spent the week end in the Rogers home. Ronald Rogers spent Sunday night in Artesia with Barry Woods.

Elrey Baker and W. Y. West spent last week end fishing at Conchas Dam.

Orville McCullough was injured when he was thrown from his horse at the matched roping contest Sunday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Miller and daughter, Alice, are in Sundown, Texas, where Mr. Miller is recuperating from an illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Choate, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Arthur, Mrs. Bill Briscoe, and Mrs. Truett Goss of Artesia attended the graduating exercises for seniors at Lovington. The Choate boy graduated.

Mrs. Preston Rowden of Artesia was a guest Wednesday of last week of Mrs. Morris Doughty and Mrs. Earl Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Doughty and children left Saturday of last week

for Haldton and other points in Oklahoma to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hammond and children attended the funeral services for Mrs. Hammond's grandmother, Mrs. Margaret Burke of Roswell, Sunday of last week. She was 92 years old and a member of the Baptist Church.

Commerce Boards Evaluated as First In News Reliability

Applause for chambers of commerce is contained in a letter from Ben B. Lawshe, manager of the commercial organizations departments of the U. S. Chamber of Commerce, to Bob Koonce, secretary of the Artesia organization. The U. S. Chamber of Commerce

Newsletter quotes from "How to Save a City," which appeared in the April 9 issue of This week magazine:

"A recent poll of 182 editors in major cities rated chambers of commerce highest in reliability among 17 sources of news."

Manager Lawshe commented on his appreciation of the article and the benefit it would be a good will builder for chambers of commerce, attesting to their top rating as dependable in issuance of facts, and their trustworthiness in service.

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Word on Red Bill



NORMAN THOMAS, perennial Socialist party candidate for president, tells the House un-American activities committee that practical effects of the Mundt-Nixon-Ferguson Communist control bill would be to drive the party "still farther into underground conspiracy." (International)

and the good the field and bench leveling is doing.

Of course, more can be seen and understood if the improvements are pointed out by the work unit conservationist, but anyone can learn much by driving around the country roads and observing for himself.

There are many fields to be observed, but there is a larger percentage southeast of Artesia than in the Cottonwood community.

On such a trip, one will also notice the concrete drop structures at varying distances in the ditches leading from wells to fields. These simple but effective structures permit the water to flow steadily with little drop between them, then to drop; it to a lower level for flow to the next structure.

Dampf said some of the work, both that of leveling and of building drop structures is contracted for, whereas some farmers own their equipment and do the work themselves.

But however it is done, it is effective, saves soil and water, and helps the farmer make a greater yield.

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Loco Hills Items

(Mrs. Earl Smith)

No new officers were installed at the last meeting of the Loco Hills Parent-Teacher Association.

The officers will be elected in the fall, as this works out better because this is a moving community.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Melton and family spent several days last week visiting Mr. Melton's brother, Andy Melton and family in Woolley Camp.

Mr. and Mrs. Evan Fisher spent last week end in Breckenridge, Texas, visiting old rancher friends, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Wright.

Alec Morrison, a former resident, was visiting friends here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Dockery and children have moved from Booker Camp to the Fisher house back of the postoffice. Mr. Dockery is employed at Maljamar.

Max Ensinger spent two days in El Paso on business.

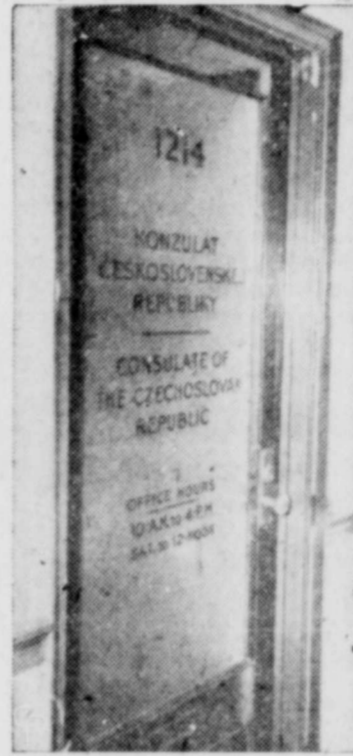
Mrs. O. C. Rogers entertained members of her Sunday school class with a dinner at her home in Franklin Camp Sunday of last week. All members were high school seniors and were Mack Chase, Freddie Starkey, Emory McPhaul, Ann Walker, Ronald

Clothes From Sacks



With feed manufacturers vying with each other to create pleasing bag designs, rural America has the opportunity to turn these sacks into many glamorous garments. Here, Jackie Frehand, member of the Wanchese 4-H club on Roanoke Island, N. C., feeds chickens from one of the flowered feed bags, especially designed for re-use by customers.

Czeching Out



CLOSED DOOR of the Czech consulate in Pittsburgh symbolizes the Czech diplomatic situation there and in other American cities. In retaliation for Prague's ouster of two score U. S. diplomatic employees, Washington ordered Czech personnel in the U. S. reduced two thirds, and closing of Pittsburgh, other consulates. (International)

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MILES IS RUNNING ON HIS RECORD HERE IS THE RECORD

(Written by Will Harrison in the Santa Fe New Mexican Sunday, January 8, 1950.)

All over New Mexico there is a groundswell for John Miles for governor. It is of such a size that at this time it is safe to say that Governor Mabry and his factotum, Victor Salazar, are ready to line up with Miles and drop State Demo Chairman Bryan Johnson, their early choice. Mabry and Salazar are prompted by a desire to block efforts of Sen. Dennis Chavez to elect a governor—most of the others are just plain behind good ol' John.

Good ol' John wasn't so good when he was governor before. His popularity stems from what he has done since he was governor.

Some of those hanging around Miles' hotel room and the various county headquarters which have been established are of the scummy old gang of grafters who cashed in during his time in the governor's office—1939-42—but most of those supporting his candidacy are 1) those who admired his administration of the land office—1945-48, 2) those who have come to know him as a simple, straight-forward man who will keep his word, and 3) those who want relief from the Salazar-Mabry rule.

It was that word-keeping that got Miles in trouble when he was governor. He campaigned on a slogan "His Word Is as Good as His Bond," and seemed to think that it meant he had to let every precinct politician who had voted the Democratic ticket get his nose in the state cream.

The big element that is backing Miles for Governor is not endorsing another kitchen cabinet such as reigned in the early days of the Miles administration when his wife, Opal, and Edna Dean took over the state insurance patronage, including the cushy highway department policy held by Clinton Anderson.

Opal Miles divorced the governor with a handsome settlement before the end of his tenure and married a handsome Kansas contractor. Mrs. Dean, now a divorcee herself, is currently a secretary to John Miles. People close to the Miles campaign say, however, that she will not be in evidence if Miles is returned to the governor's office.

Those were free and easy days in the statehouse, at a time 10 years ago when the standards of public service morality were not of Puritan quality.

Barny Cruz, recently out of a federal penitentiary in Texas, was bossing the affairs of the San Miguel-Cofax-Taos Union Highway district. The notorious Johnny Michael (he who received the land office payroll checks of his estranged wife) controlled much of the state purchasing. Gail Carter, the brother-in-law of the governor, was running the bureau of revenue and at the same time holding the chairmanship of the recently created public service commission, a job which the law said should command his "full time."

He blithely admitted collecting sales tax on illegal slot machine operations and said their control was up to another agency. Carter also became a divorcee, leaving the governor's sister to marry a wealthy Chicago widow after the halcyon days were over.

J. O. Gallegos was the bureau of revenue commissioner maintaining a prodigious list of special investigators on his payroll and not being able to name the divisions of his bur-

reau. The commissioner and two carloads of investigators once visited New York to see a world series and a Joe Louis fight at state expense and state automobile travel via New Orleans. It was such a success that Toby Younis, a special investigator and chairman of the state Young Democrats at the time, stood up in the New Mexico box at the final game and, overcome by exuberance, turned his face to Heaven and proclaimed, "All this and per diem, too."

A Santa Fe grand jury got at the gang in the summer of 1942 indicting Land Commissioner Ray Rodger (who was acquitted and is now manager of the Miles campaign), Attorney General Ted Chase (who beat the rap and later resigned), aforesaid Gallegos, Tom Jernigan (now chairman of the governor's committee on veterans affairs), Al Roughton (a state employee at present), Gilbert Lopez (chief clerk of the House of Representatives and now a payroller on the oil conservation commission), aforesaid Younis (who recently pleaded no contest on a federal narcotics charge), Norman W. Owen, an Albuquerque employee of the state drivers license bureau division, and Santa Fe City Clerk R. L. Thornton.

Indictments against Lopez and Jernigan were dropped when they went into the armed service. Thornton admitted embezzlement and paid up the shortage, the indictments against the others were eventually dismissed without trial.

The jury said of Governor Miles and Edna Dean:

"The grand jury finds that one Edna Dean, owner of the Capital Bond and Insurance Agency, which handles the bulk of the capital insurance business, has made substantial payments of money from time to time, including what appears to be a division of commissions on premiums from a group insurance policy on state employees, to Gov. Miles."

Of Earl Stull, now a highly paid employee of the bureau of revenue it said: "The purchase of 23 tires of a very high grade and 14 equally good tubes by Earl Stull, director of the motor transportation division of the bureau of revenue, for one state car within a period of five months is an outstanding abuse of administrative authority and reflects inadequate control of expenditure of funds."

Of Johnny the Jeep Michael, the jury noted: "In two years \$65,976 of road paint was purchased from one John Michael and the only pretenses of calling for bids was to contact two or three firms and ask them to submit bids by mail."

Typical of that true-blue-to-its-friends administration was the gubernatorial pardon of Jerry Trujillo who was fined and sentenced after being caught in multiple voting in a Santa Fe school election. Jerry Trujillo, son of the present state auditor and co-chairman of the Miles campaign, and brother of the present manager of the Miles for Governor office at Espanola, was pardoned by Miles an hour after he was sentenced for the vote fraud.

Miles was no favorite when he left the governor's office. John J. Dempsey, who Miles was supporting to succeed him to the governor's chair, said publicly at Silver City that Miles' administration had been a "disgrace." When Miles ran for land commissioner in 1946 he was the lowest on the ticket with a majority of 4,316 while other Democrats were winning with majorities above 15,000. Two years later he squeaked by with 2,896 majority while other Demos had 10,000 or more.

Ten Reasons Why YOU Should VOTE

1. Pressure groups are encouraging their memberships to vote in their special interests. You should vote as a matter of self-protection. Do not allow selfish interests to rule by default.
2. Only you know how you vote. The secret ballot is your guarantee of freedom of choice.
3. Dictatorships enforce 99% votes on their people, with no alternate candidates. In America you vote for whom you please.
4. By voting intelligently you are preserving that same privilege for posterity. Save the right of franchise for your children.
5. Your conscience will be clear and you will have every moral right to complain, to petition or to commend after the election.
6. Crucial issues are before you. Contribute your thought on the problems of today by voting for public officials who, in your opinion, will attack them conscientiously.
7. Good men are needed in public office from the grass roots up. You can help by voting for competent men in public service.
8. By failing to vote, you are neglecting the primary duty of good citizenship.
9. No vote is ever "wasted." The satisfaction of having expressed yourself, win or lose, will remain with you. The sum total of those "wasted" votes serves as a balancing factor in the conduct of public officials. If your vote is on the winning side, you will know you have loaned an assist in that direction.
10. Your vote is needed for the good of Artesia. A high percentage of voters indicates an interest in good government. This interest will reflect in attention to our needs from public officials and increase our chances of political appointees, among many other advantages.

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TELEPHONE 7

Let's Take Them Over

WE ARE HEARING more and more about the apathy of the average citizen of our nation. And apparently we are beginning to realize to some extent today that we are responsible for what we have.

We are beginning to see that we have permitted our governmental affairs to be controlled, operated and dictated by those who profit to gain the most from the manner in which they are being operated.

Seemingly we are about to realize that instead of our public officials being public servants we have become the servants of our public officials and of our various departments of government.

If and when we demand that the federal government balance the budget; stop the extravagant spending and reduce taxes—that will be done.

Those who are in charge of our spending seem convinced they can use our money and our taxes to keep themselves in office. They have and are working out more and more "handout" programs because they can influence certain people.

And their program has been very successful because we have not stopped to realize that we pay the bill—all of us. Even those who have received these "handouts" are paying more taxes than they ever paid in their lives and the tax bill is increasing, not decreasing.

Even the average person is paying more and more taxes—indirect taxes in many instances.

Most of us are beginning to realize that as citizens of the nation that what we think or what we say doesn't matter. Those who have charge of our government agencies, all of them from the lowest to the highest in the land, become convinced they own them and they control and operate them as they please.

What Mr. and Mrs. Taxpayer have to say does not matter. The complaints registered are immediately branded by those in power or control as "politics" or just general complaining. Now and then when we try to become interested in one of our own governmental agencies maintained and operated on the taxpayers' money, we are told we are trying to run the business.

That happens to you concerning the operating of your city, your schools, your county offices, the state departments and the federal government.

You haven't any right to complain; to demand a public accounting; to request service; to urge changes; to call for a list of how your money was spent. You haven't any rights any more to demand that the program or service supposed to be provided with your money be provided or be carried out.

And this situation has come about, we say, merely because we haven't paid much attention to what is being done, has been done or is to be done. It takes an individual with plenty of courage to bow their necks, speak their piece and then follow through.

You are going to be discouraged just as quickly as possible by those in power. They are going to discredit you in any way and every way they can.

But when the day arrives that we as citizens are willing to speak out, loud, long and together, we can bring about the changes we want and we can and will have the kind of government service we deserve and should have.

It is time for this government of the people, by the people and for the people to be taken out of the hands of politicians or even those who do not fall in this class but who have adopted the popular idea of today that they own the business they are operating when in reality it belongs to the public.

We have created the "Frankenstein" we have today—it is up to us to destroy him.—O.E.P.

A Sad Condition

ONE OF THE SADDEST CONDITIONS in this state and the nation is the thousands of thousands of orphans who are destined to grow up without the love and affection of foster parents, while at the same time there are thousands of childless adults who would make splendid foster parents, who cannot obtain babies.

In some states, we are told, there are black markets in babies and arrangements can be made for childless couples to obtain them for a fee—usually a large one. That is not comparable to the slave markets we have read about, but it is not too far removed.

We know of several cases in which adults who wished to adopt children, had none of their own and were not blessed with the ability to produce their own, who have spent months or years trying to make arrangements to brighten their homes through the adoption of children having no parents.

On the other hand, there are many children in institutions where they receive the necessities of life and are given a minimum of attention, just enough to bring them up, who grow to adulthood without having had any personal care other than the slight contact with those in charge, certainly without love and affection.

It is true there are adults who are not worthy of receiving the children of others to raise, who are not morally or physically fit for the job, who should be precluded from the serious business of

trying to raise a child. There are such natural parents, but that cannot be helped, unless they are declared incompetent by the courts and the children are taken away from them for the protection of the youngsters.

However, among those who would take into their homes children to raise there are many who are worthy, but who may not have as many of the world's goods as others, or who may not be able to give a child all he might desire, but who, nevertheless, want children to love and care for and raise as their own, upon whom they would bestow as much love as though they were their natural children.

In too many cases such people are never given the chance to do what they wish.

Far too often they may go through life, growing in bitterness because they cannot have the children they desire, because God sees fit to make them barren and whom the law sees fit to make them unworthy.

As long as the world continues there will come into the world unwanted children and there will be others who have been wanted but who lose their parents. And at the same time there will be couples incapable of having their own children who long for children, even though they have been born to others.

Children in institutions cost the taxpayers one and still the taxpayers do not get what they are paying for, children who have been brought up in an atmosphere of kindness and with love and understanding. In some institutions those in charge are paid by the head to take care of the youngsters. Therefore they do not want to give them up, for to do so would cut into their incomes.

Surely, there is some solution of the problem.—A.L.B.

Must Have Green Light

FOR A GOOD MANY YEARS we have been told we can't halt gambling.

This is an argument used by those who have advocated legalized gambling. They would like to convince those opposed to all types of gambling, legalized or otherwise, that it can't be halted.

Recently Frank Costello, who has won for himself a reputation as a gambler, appeared before a Senate committee. During those discussions he made the statement that gamblers and operators of gambling devices and places can only operate when they are given a green light.

He meant, of course, that this green light had to be given by the officers, the people, or perhaps both.

In other words he admitted that gambling can be halted when there is an honest desire on the part of the enforcement officers to enforce the law. Sometimes this is the law enforcement officers and other times it is the district attorney. And in New Mexico we know that some of the gambling has been permitted by those higher up—those who dictated those responsible for law enforcement in their own county or their own district.

Grand jury probes over the state have halted gambling to a great extent. And it will continue to be halted just as long as there is fear of grand juries or just as long as law enforcement officers do their jobs in their own counties and district regardless of what some political office holder "higher-up" has to say.

And the backing and the support of the citizens cannot only make this possible but they can bring it about. They can always call a grand jury to probe the affairs of their county.

Such grand juries cannot only put fear into the gamblers and the operators who have failed or are failing to perform their duties as law enforcement officers or prosecutors of violators of the law.

If what Costello said was true—that gamblers must have the green light—and we think it is—then all the public has to do is just see that the green light is not given.

We can have and will have law enforcement by demanding it.—O.E.P.

You Have A Date

EVERY CITIZEN AND VOTER in the state of New Mexico has a date on Tuesday, June 6—a date at the polling precinct where he or she casts their vote.

There are those, of course, who failed to qualify and who are not eligible to ballot because they didn't take the trouble to register. And the chances are if they did not take the trouble to register, then they would not take the trouble to vote.

But there are probably more voters registered and qualified to vote in the primary election on Tuesday, June 6, in the history of the state. It is our sincere hope and wish that they go to the polls and cast a record vote.

We are not going to be satisfied with just a few more than the about 51 per cent we cast in the last election and no one else should be. We are hopeful that we will show more interest than we have ever shown in an election and that 85 to 90 per cent of the voters will ballot.

If that would occur then we would have an election actually decided by the voters.

But when only about 51 per cent of the voters go to the polls then it is the non-voters, who decide the election. They either vote for the candidate they do not want by remaining at home or they actually vote against the candidate they did want by failing to vote.

And for some years now it has been the 49 per cent or more voters who failed or refused to go to the polls and cast their ballots who have made it possible for those in power and in office to continue to hold that office.

By failing to vote we have not only played into the hands of the politicians but we have permitted them to control the election, name our officials and then control them after they get into office.

There, of course, is just one way that we can change that—go to the polls and vote for the candidate we believe best fitted and best qualified to serve us. If we don't those interested will elect the candidate they feel will serve them best.

Make your plans right now for your date with the ballot box in your voting precinct on Tuesday, June 6. And be sure you keep that date.—O.E.P.

How come the efficiency experts have never done anything about the great Arctic waters?

Losing mothers in baby beauty contests do more squawking than the babies.

No man can be called lucky until after the last race.

Advice is every bit as easy to give and hard to take as medicine.

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Inside WASHINGTON

MARCH OF EVENTS

Exiled Czechs Claim Russia Bohemia Factory Engaged in Making 'Retarding Capsules'

WASHINGTON—Russia reportedly has succeeded in building up an atomic stockpile and has a factory in Bohemia producing "retarding capsules" necessary for production of A-weapons.

This bit of information is among the first reports to add to the sketchy picture of Soviet atomic activities since President Truman disclosed last September that an "atomic explosion" had occurred in Russia.

The report comes from a group of Czech exiles who assert the word was passed by a military expert who escaped from Russia. The Czechs say: "An outstanding Soviet military expert who escaped from the USSR declared that the capacity of Soviet atomic production already has made possible the building up of an atomic stockpile."

"When asked about Czechoslovakia's participation in the production of atomic bombs, he stated that she had no part in direct production of A-bombs but is engaged in deliveries of 'retarding capsules' necessary for manufacture of such missiles.

"These capsules are made of a graphite substance and the factory engaged in this production is in Bohemia. The exact place is already known to those directly interested."

Presumably "those directly interested" include U. S. intelligence experts.

ANTI-SUB WARFARE—The Navy is getting ready for submarine warfare in the skies. A 100-million-dollar supplemental appropriation just received will enable purchase of more than 100 additional naval aircraft.

The new planes will include 76 jet fighters and 19 "anti-submarine" aircraft, specifically designed for that purpose. The probability is that all 95 will be used to implement anti-submarine measures now being worked out.

Additionally, the Navy plans to replace at least 10 obsolescent planes in its present patrol squadrons—thus tightening still further its anti-sub tactics.

The anti-sub planes are being purchased in addition to the \$17 for which funds are provided under the defense department's original budget.

The Navy has given top priority to anti-submarine warfare. Particular emphasis goes to the latest-type submarines, guided missile launchers, troop carriers, tankers, and undersea transports.

SHADOWS OF ATATURK—The United States is studying with interest and some anxiety the defeats of Premier Inonu's candidate in the Turkish general elections.

To the U. S., the main question is how the defeat will affect Turkey's policy in the cold war, and whether Turkey will turn her back on the historic policies of the great Kemal Ataturk.

The anti-Russian Ataturk was the father of modern Turkey—liberator from the traditions of an imperialistic past and the architect of today's Ankara government.

For 30 years Turkey has borne the imprint of Ataturk. The election thus gives reason for diplomatic concern, with the Dardanelles a prime Russian goal in the Kremlin's scheme of world conquest.

Washington observers are not showing much alarm. They believe Turkey will remain anti-Soviet, and that Turks, with fierce nationalism and bristling bayonets, still can be counted on to fight to the last if Russia strikes southward.

saved from operating budgets in other departments.

(4) According to the Federal Bureau of Public Roads and other surveys, we build and maintain our highway system in this state at a lower cost per mile than any other state in the Rocky Mountain area.

(5) We are one of very few states that is operating its departments wholly within budgets in the past three years and have substantial savings to turn back for the relief of the taxpayer.

(6) We spend more at the state level to advertise and encourage tourist travel than any of the other states of the union, excepting Florida, New York, and Oregon.

(7) We have not had a single financial scandal involving any institution or any state official or agency head during my two terms as governor. The budget director, set up under my administration, keeps close watch of all transactions involving state finances.

(8) We rank fourth or fifth from the top of all 48 states in the salary paid our public school teachers. And this has been achieved through the earmarking of the sales tax and other school monies.

We now have a surplus in the public school equalization fund of some five million dollars, saved

Hagerman News

(Mrs. Edna Burck)

Mrs. Florence Bruton has sold her beauty shop to Mrs. Nancy Aray of Bonham, Texas, and has rented her home to Ross Langenegger. Mrs. Bruton and son and mother, Mrs. Sellack, plan to return to Missouri, where they will make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Simpson spent the week end with Mr. Simpson's mother at Colona.

C. R. Jones of Laddonia, Mo., was a visitor here last week.

Mrs. Marvin Tollett of Sudan, Texas, left Tuesday for her home after a visit with her mother, Mrs. Burck. She was accompanied by Mary Lee Mastin of Sudan, who also had been visiting at the Burck home. Zerlina Tollett remained for a longer visit with her grand mother.

The Faithful Workers' Class of the Baptist Sunday school enjoyed a garden party and picnic supper at the home of Mrs. Gladys Morgan on Monday evening. Sandwiches, cake, ice cream, and punch were served. The regular business session was held. Members and their husbands and friends present were Mr. and Mrs. Howell, Mr. and Mrs. William Solomon, Mr. and Mrs. Elton Lankford, Rev. and Mrs. Benson, J. L. King, Moses L. H. Shockley, Nora Knight, Joe Luce, Taylor, W. H. Keeth, and W. R. Goodwin, and Linda Kay Keeth, and Laura Ruth Langenegger. Mrs. Joe Luce, Elton Lankford and Gladys Morgan were hostesses.

The Baptist daily vacation Bible school began Monday with an attendance of 102. All children between the ages of 3 and 16 are invited to attend.

Mrs. Tollett, Miss Esther James, and Mrs. Burck visited Mrs. Lucy Thomas of Roswell Monday afternoon.

Little Donald Ray Campbell, who has been at a Roswell hospital being treated for burns for several weeks, was taken to El Paso this week for skin grafting.

Steve Mason who is being treated in Artesia General Hospital for injuries sustained in an automobile accident, underwent surgery and is reported to be resting better. Besides Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Mason,

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THE KIND OF STUFF that put the word "ape" in the dictionary as a synonym for "imitate" is illustrated by Jiggs, a talented inmate of San Antonio, Tex., zoo. Actually he's happiest when he's just being a monkey, but he likes to monkey around imitating people, by dancing, doffing his hat, playing a piano, smoking a corncob pipe, etc. By golly, he looks pretty intelligent at that. (International)

on Sunday, May 21, in a Roswell hospital.

Mrs. Oscar Kiper is reported to be quite ill in a Roswell hospital.

Rev. and Mrs. Woolf and sons, formerly of Forest, arrived the last of the week and are located at the Methodist parsonage. Rev. Woolf preached two inspiring sermons on Sunday at the Methodist Church and baptised the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Harshey.

Rev. and Mrs. John A. Bell left Friday for Imperial, Texas, where Rev. Bell will be pastor of the Methodist Church. Their many friends expressed regret at their leaving, as the work of the church had made a splendid advance during their stay.

The Bell Bennett Circle of the W.S.C.S. entertained members of the Methodist Church Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Menoud. A large number was in attendance and Rev. and Mrs. John A. Bell were honored with a lovely gift and also a love offering of money. A delicious covered-dish dinner was enjoyed.

An impressive memorial service was held on Tuesday morning at Hagerman Cemetery with the American Legion in charge. Rev. Benson gave the invocation and Rev. Mebane Ramsay the address. Mrs. Bill Langenegger was at the organ while the Legion members marched to the memorial monument preceding the service. "Taps" was sounded at the close. A large number was in attendance and many graves were beautifully decorated.

Betty Watford, Cynthia Welborn,

and Dortha Foster were among the young girls recently honored at birthday parties. The Watford and Foster homes were the scenes of two of the parties, each of which was attended by a large number of friends. A luncheon was held at the Welborn home honoring Cynthia and was followed by a line party at Roswell.

A number of the members of the class of 1950 with their spouses enjoyed a trip to Truth or Consequences last week. They stopped en route at the Coe and O-Bar-O Ranches, Alamogordo, and the White Sands. While at Truth or Consequences they visited Elephant Butte Lake. Class members enjoying the trip were Wilma Freiberger, Myrtle King, Josephine Jenkins, R. L. Murrey, John Adams, James Kerwin, Richard Kerwin, Sanford Evans, Orville Radegey, Hillard Watson, John Watford. Sponsors were Miss Patricia Mitchell, Wayne Adams and Delmar Gillespie.

Next comes the information that she married to (two names) and the couple has a telephone most likely listed—(here the writer lists six names).

There is a final clue in the two

Barrage of Names Presents Puzzle To Artesia Office

As varied as a quiz or stunt radio program are the kinds of letters received by Artesia Chamber of Commerce.

Out of the rut type received this week include one from a man in a New Mexico town who was trying to locate a person here and his method of identification was as winding as anything drummed up in the ace "who-dunnit."

Another was a warning against a man from a central state who "might try to borrow some money."

The first letter asked the chamber to help the writer locate a girl whose name is—followed by three names.

There is a final clue in the two

names of another person. Put them all together and you have the makings of a neat bit of investigation that could fit the plot of an O Henry story.

National Guard Camp Scheduled for August At Fort Bliss, Texas

Members of Battery C and medical detachment of the local unit

of the New Mexico National Guard will join other units from the state in the annual summer camp. It is to be held the last two weeks in August at Fort Bliss, Texas. Local contingent is to leave Artesia on Sunday, Aug. 13, return Sunday, Aug. 27.

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MIRACLE WHIP Salad Dressing pint 29c
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SOFT DRINKS Asstd. Flavors, No.-Dep. Non-Ret. btles 24 oz btles 15c
MARGARINE Dalewood Colored 1 lb. Pkg. 31c
TOMATO JUICE Sunny Dawn 46 oz Tin 25c

PICKLES American Dill 22 oz glass 25c
PEANUT BUTTER Beverly Creamy or Chunk 12 oz glass 35c
SANDWICH SPREAD Lunch Box pint 33c
MAYONNAISE Nu Made pint 43c
DUCHESS Salad Dressing pint 22c
RIPE OLIVES Libby Pitted No. 1 tin 35c
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BARBECUE Oscar Mayer Pork or Beef 12 oz tin 49c
TUNA Breast o' Chicken 6 oz tin 41c
GRAPE JELLY Welch's 10 oz jar 21c
PLUM PRESERVES Welch's 16 oz glass 22c
TOMATO SAUCE Libbys 8 oz tin 8c
CATSUP Taste Tella 14 oz glass 19c
PORK AND BEANS Van Camps No. 300 tin 10c
SPAGHETTI Franco American No. 1 tin 15c
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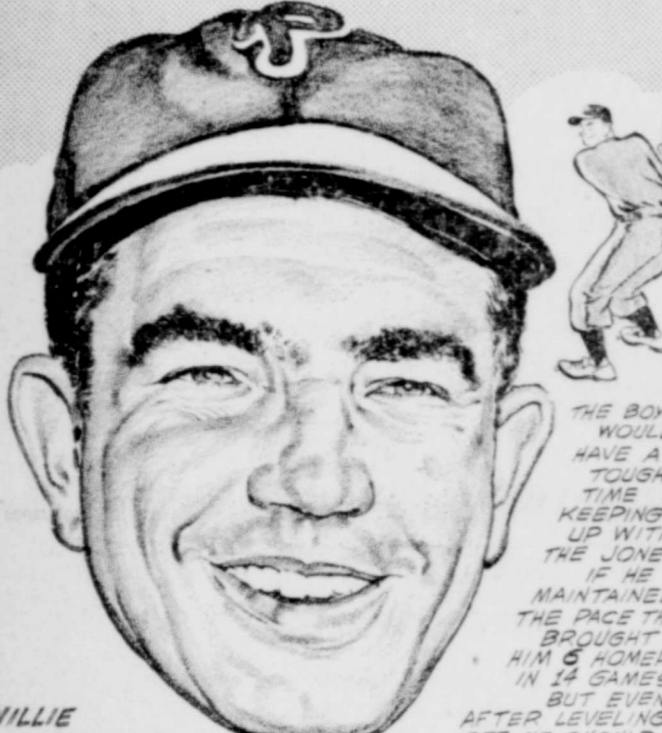
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co-operatives in the state at the time the association was founded. Today there are 16.

R. B. Moore of Lovington, manager of Lea County Electric Co-operative, was among those attending the annual gathering.

Officers of the association, all re-elected for a one year tenure are:

Oliver Kimbrough, Clovis, president; Gaylord Burt, Taos, vice president; Glenn Ezell, Portales, secretary-treasurer.

Walker Wings Win Over Eagles 20-4

Playing minus the service of a quintet of regulars, the Artesia Eagles were lambasted 20 to 4 by the Walker Air Force Base Wings of Roswell in a baseball game there Sunday afternoon.

The Wings piled up a 14-run

advantage by the fourth inning and had little difficulty in beating the locals.

Errors when the bases were loaded by the wings accounted for the lopsided score.

Five of the Eagle players were substitutes.

Ollie started on the mound for the Artesia nine, pitched four innings, was relieved by Cervantes who hurled the other five.

The game was played at the fairgrounds in Roswell. Starting time was 2:30 o'clock.

Canadian Province Seeks Artesia Trade

There's a long long trail a-winding from Artesia to Alberta but the government of that province believes the shortest distance between two A's is publicity.

Akin to avoid Los Angeles boosters putting up "Los Angeles-City

Limits" on South Pacific islands, is the enthusiasm, tempered by British reserve, reflected in three booklets received by Artesia Chamber of Commerce.

There were 100 folders in color entitled "Alberta, Canada," 50 copies of the 1950 official road map of the province; and 20 copies of a thick booklet, "Holiday Guide to Sunny Alberta, Canada."

The word "sunny" in the title has a California booster ring and seems strange to associate with a land New Mexicans associate mostly with cold weather, snow, parkas, and dog sled teams.

Just in case you plan to go to Alberta, remember Canadian gasoline gallons are king size. Under "There's a Difference, the holiday guide says six U.S. gallons of gasoline equal the volume of five Canadian.

Principals Work As Pupils Enjoy Summer Vacation

Good old summer time is play time for pupils but it's still work time for principals of Artesia schools, the superintendent, business manager, and school janitors.

Currently on tap is the summer session for typewriting and short-

Farmers Given Warning Of Newcastle Disease

Bold Ellis, poultry specialist of the Wyoming agricultural extension service, discloses that many farmers may be acquiring a false sense of security over the threat of Newcastle disease to their poultry flocks.

He pointed out that the disease has spread to every state in the union, and although there is less talk about it today than there was casualties are still very heavy.

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By WILLIAM RITT
Central Press Writer

THE WESTERN Hemisphere, say some scientists, is expanding. Sounds natural, now that aviation has certainly shrunk the oceans.

You may not be able to beat the other fellow's time but, points out Zadok Dumkopf, daylight saving enables you to beat your own.

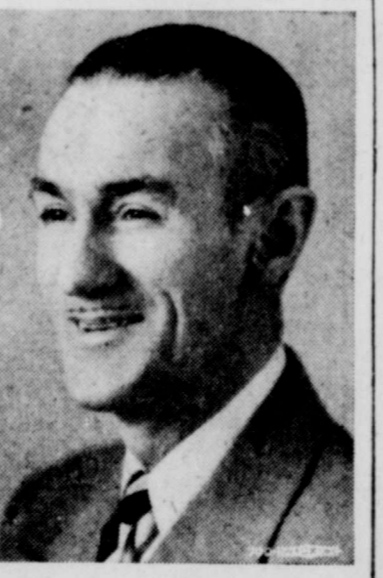
A smart celebrity is one who stays in the public eye without getting into his hair.

A cat and three kittens were discovered in a Canadian religious office. Times seem to be getting tougher and tougher for that proverbial poor church mouse.

In England, women defeated men in a rifle shoot. The hand that rocks the cradle can be mighty steady on the trigger.

The sun shines with uneven heat, say astronomers. That's right, it's always hotter on the way to the office than to the golf course.

Coldest town on earth is said to be Verkhoyansk in Siberia, Russia. In view of that fact, how come the Russkies haven't claimed invention of the blizzard?



Senator Dean W. Miller A Candidate for Sec. of State. A very important office. Senator Miller is a veteran pioneer of New Mexico, having proved up on a dry land claim the hard way. While in the Senate he voted for a 5 man road commission so you folks would have a commissioner from this section of the state to see that you received your share of road monies. He also voted for a Senator from each county so that you folks would have equal representation with the rest of the State of New Mexico. The Senator has always taken the side of the Southeastern section of New Mexico and now solicits your support in the June Primary.

Political Advertisement

Local Man Heads State Electric Co-Op Newspaper

An Artesia man, Paul M. Frost, manager of the Central Valley Electric Co-operative, Inc., will be editor of the monthly newspaper organ of the New Mexico Rural Electric Co-operatives.

The newspaper, first official publication of the association, will be printed in Artesia.

It will be four-page five-column tabloid. Start of publication is indefinite pending "working up membership and mailing lists." Initial run is expected to be 8750.

Plans for the newspaper were explained by Frost at the New Mexico Rural Electric Co-operatives Association convention held May 23-26 in Taos.

The Artesia man, as publications chairman, made a report on the proposed newspaper at the convention. He also made a speech on "What is a Good Annual Meeting?" at one of the electrification advisory sessions.

Latter group held councils the last three days of the convention.

Headquarters of the convention was the high school gymnasium. Attendance was 75.

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PRINCESS AND YANK AFTER MOSLEM REMARRIAGE



SISTER OF THE SHAH OF IRAN, Princess Fatima (center) sits beside her husband, Vincent Hillier, of Los Banos, Calif., after they were remarried according to the Moslem religion in Paris. At left is Rita Hayworth, whose husband, Prince Aly Khan, is also a Moslem. Hillier and Fatima were wed in a civil ceremony last month in Italy. Afterwards, the Shah deprived his sister of her royal prerogatives. The second ceremony restored them. Hillier embraced the Moslem faith shortly before the wedding. (International Radiophoto)

Yankees to Play Two-Game Series Against Cowboys

Drill for Artesia Yankees is tightening up in preparation for the local baseball nine's games Saturday and Sunday, June 3 and 4, against the Alpine Cowboys at Alpine, Texas.

Red Goodwin, Yank manager, is a former Cowboy and would like to see his Yanks triumph over his old team.

The Yankees will be reinforced by a quintet of players three of them from two universities and a Boston Red Sox farm. They are: Don Slocum and Merle Bodkin, University of Oklahoma; Don Heathington, Baylor; Chingo Gonzales, former Boston Red Sox farm hand; Kenny Dilldine, once Roswell Rockets catcher.

On the Yank expedition against the Cowboys will go Russell, Malone, Batie, Foster, Hatch, J. Case, Bill Case, Crouse, Wilson, Dilldine, Gonzales, Heathington, Bodkin, Johnson, and Manager Goodwin.

The Yankee mentor says the Cowboys are the "toughest semipro club in the Southwest."

At Carlsbad last Sunday, May 28, the Yankees suffered their second defeat this season, when they were dumped 15 to 7 by the Carlsbad Broncos.

The Broncos scored nine unearned runs in the first three innings. Both Yankee pitchers, Bob Koonce and Ken Foster, had weak support.

Koonce was the starter. He was relieved in the third by Foster. For a time Yank defense rallied, then once more collapsed letting in six runs.

Previous loss of the Yankees this

Artesia Eagles Work On New Playing Field

Artesia Eagles, local baseball nine, is doing some extra "season training" now by preparing its own practice and playing field on North Tenth.

Leveling of the field is underway. Bleachers and fence will be put in.

Work on the field started May 25. The job is expected to be finished by the middle of this month.

Gil Rivas is manager of the Eagles.

season was to the Jal Gassers who walloped the local nine 17-0.

Broncos (15)	AB R H E
Summers, lf	6 2 2 0
Baker, 2b	5 0 1 0
Loup, 1b	5 2 1 0
Dyer, ss	5 2 1 0
Cox, 3b	5 1 2 0
Brannon, cf	5 3 4 0
Whalen, rf	3 0 1 0
Bindel, rf	2 1 2 0
Restine, c	5 2 1 0
Stackhouse, p	0 0 0 0
Jordan, p	3 2 0 0
Miller, p	1 0 0 0
Totals	45 15 15 1

Yankees (7)	AB R H E
Keith, ss	5 1 0 4
Crouse, cf	5 1 0 0
Hatch, 1b	5 1 1 0
J. Jordan, 2b	5 2 1 1
B. Case, 3b	5 2 2 0
Batie, lf	3 0 0 0
Austin, if	1 0 0 0
Russell, c	4 0 2 1
Malone, rf	4 0 1 0
Koonce, p	1 0 0 0
Foster, p	3 0 2 0
Totals	41 7 9 6

Hits off Stackhouse 2, Jordan 6, Miller 1; off Koonce 6, Foster 9; runs off Koonce 8, Foster 7; off Stackhouse 5, off Jordan 2, off Miller 0.

Base on balls, off Stackhouse 3, off Jordan 3, off Miller 0; off Koonce 0, off Foster 0; strikeouts, by Koonce 1, Foster 8; Stackhouse 0, Jordan 11, Miller 4.

Winning pitcher, Jordan; losing pitcher, Koonce.

'50 Catholic Mother



Mrs. John Bauer
A WIDOW who gave nine of her fourteen children to Catholic religious life, Mrs. John Bauer, of Manchester, Mich., has been named Catholic Mother of the U.S. for 1950. She was selected for that honor by the National Catholic Conference on Family Life. (International)

New Stamp Honors Railroad Engineers

Railroad men of Artesia and Eddy County can proudly buy their "own" stamp now.

Latest issue at Artesia postoffice is the Casey Jones series, named after the famous railroader, and "honoring railroad engineers of America."

The stamp is 1 1/4 inches long, 1 inch wide, has a circular picture of Casey between a steam and diesel locomotive, is of 3 cent denomination, and of reddish brown color.

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Is a man who is interested in Artesia, Hope and the Oil Fields, as well as all other districts in the county.

He is running for the place now held by Bob James of Malaga, who is ineligible to run again, as he has served his two terms.

Candidate Bill James is no relation to Bob James, retiring commissioner.

Mr. Beeman's other opponent is E. O. Spurlin, resident of Eddy County for the past six years. This advertisement is paid for by Artesia friends of C. F. Beeman.

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Chevrolet Agency Donates Pick-Up To Farm Students

A 1950 Chevrolet pickup truck has been donated to the Artesia Chapter of the Future Farmers of America by Guy Chevrolet Company, Inc., 101 West Main. It was made known today by John T. Short, vocational agriculture instructor at Artesia High School and chapter advisor.

The chapter will accept delivery of the truck in September. It will be used in transporting livestock trips to the state and Carlsbad fairs, El Paso stock show.

Other uses will be on field trips, demonstrations, hauling lumber, bringing in gravel for improving school grounds.

Insurance and maintenance cost of the vehicle will be paid by the schools, Short said.

Gift of the truck to the farm students is in line with similar action by other automobile dealers over the state.

Hatbands And Strips Ordered for Artesia Good Will Motorcade

In preparation for the annual goodwill trip of June 22-23, Artesia Chamber of Commerce has ordered 500 paper hatbands and 250 paper bumper strips lettered in green.

The annual tour is listed in the June issue of New Mexico magazine under the Sun Dial department.

June 22-23 — Annual Artesia Chamber of Commerce goodwill tour of Hope, Dunken, Pinon, Weed, Cloudercroft, Mayhill, Elk and Bear Canyon.

Do you have a spare room or apartment? Rent it thru the Advocate Want Ads.

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 Evening services, 7:30 p. m.
 Wednesday prayer meeting, 7:30 p. m.
 Young People's Endeavor, Friday, 7:30 p. m.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

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

BETHEL BAPTIST CHURCH

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

LAKE ARTHUR BAPTIST CHURCH

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

EMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH

(Missouri Synod)
 Service at 7:30 p. m. each Tuesday at St. Paul's Episcopal Church.

LOCO HILLS METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday school, 10 a. m.
 Services, 8 p. m.
 Chas. F. Mitchell, Pastor
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North Hill
 Mass Sundays, 7 and 9 a. m.
 Spanish sermon.
 Confessions every Saturday, 4 to 5 p. m. and before Mass Sunday mornings.
 Father Stephen Bono, O.M.C., pastor.

PENTECOSTAL HOLINESS CHURCH

1815 North Oak in Morningside Addition
 Sunday school, 10 a. m.
 Morning worship, 11 a. m.
 Evening services, 7:30 p. m.
 Wednesday, Bible study, 7:30 p. m.
 Friday, P.H.Y.S. service, 7:30 p. m.
 Rev. S. W. Blake, pastor

SPANISH-AMERICAN METHODIST CHURCH

North Mexican Hill
 Sunday school, every Sunday, 10 a. m., Mrs. Lucinda H. Martinez, Supt.
 Preaching service, every other Sunday, 11 a. m.
 Visits by pastor, second Wednesday, preaching same night 7:30 p. m.

SHERMAN MEMORIAL METHODIST CHURCH

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 Sunday school, 10 a. m.

Sunday school, 10 a. m.
 Church services, 8 p. m., second and fourth Sundays; 11 a. m. on fifth Sunday.
 Chas. F. Mitchell, Pastor.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH

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 Cliff A. McDougal, Pastor

Radio KSVP, 8-15 a. m.
 Sunday school, 10 a. m.
 Preaching service, 11 a. m.
 Young Peoples Bible Study, 6:30 p. m.
 Preaching service, 7:30 p. m.
 Prayer meeting Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

LAKE ARTHUR-COTTONWOOD METHODIST CHURCHES

Sunday school, 10 a. m., each Sunday.
 Worship service, 11 a. m., second and fourth Sundays.
 Ladies' Aid, third Thursday.
 Sunday school, 10 a. m., each Sunday.

MALJAMAR BAPTIST CHURCH

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

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCH

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

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

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

THOMPSON CHAPEL COLORED METHODIST CHURCH

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

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Sunday school at 10 a. m., Sacrament Service, 7:30 p. m., in the basement of the Artesia Hotel. Everyone welcome.

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

FREE PENTECOST CHURCH

Morningside Addition
 Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
 Morning worship, 11 a. m.
 Evangelistic services, 7:30 p. m.

LAKEWOOD BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday school, 10 a. m.

LOCO HILLS BAPTIST CHURCH

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

ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

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

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

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

CHURCH OF CHRIST

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

PRIMER IGLESIA BAPTISTA MEXICANA

Sunday school services, 10 a. m., Hirze Marquez, Supt.
 Preaching, sermon by pastor, 11 a. m.
 Evening worship, 7:30 p. m.
 Prayer meeting, Wednesday 7:30 p. m.
 Rev. Donacion, Bejarano, Pastor

ASSEMBLY OF GOD

Fourth and Chisum
 Sunday services—
 Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
 Morning worship, 11 a. m.
 Evangelistic services, 7:30 p. m.
 Midweek services—
 Tuesday, Women's missionary Council, 2 p. m.
 Wednesday, evangelistic service 7:30 p. m.
 Friday, Christ's Embassadors, 7:30 p. m.
 J. H. McClendon, Pastor.

HAGERMAN FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Men's Bible class meets in Woman's club building with the pastor as teacher, 9:45 a. m.
 Women's Bible class under Mrs. Holloway and the church school, meet in the church, 10 a. m.
 Morning worship and sermon by the pastor, 11 a. m.
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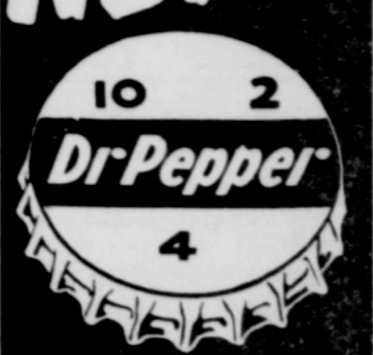
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