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The great amount of residential building in Artesia may be advantageous next fall to the Artesia High School Bulldogs.

J. B. Hudson, a carpenter, who formerly lived in Hobbs, recently came to Artesia for employment and is working for Chuck Brown, contractor. And he is the dad of Paul Hudson, starting halfback for the 1949 state champion Hobbs Bulldogs, who came to Artesia with his father and is also working here. Should Paul, who recently married Jo Ann Housh, 1949 Hobbs football queen and a cheerleader, decide to go back to school and enter Artesia High School, and if he otherwise eligible, he probably will be a candidate for Head Football Coach Jack Tinson's 1950 Bulldog squad.

He cannot play elsewhere, as one of the eligibility rules in New Mexico is that a candidate for a berth on a high school athletic team cannot play unless his parents live in the district.

When Coach Tinson saw in a release from Hobbs in the El Paso Times that Paul had moved to Artesia, he said the former Eagle was a great football material, but that he will have to earn a place on the squad, as there will be many other top Bulldog candidates out for the team.

A little bit more about Paul Hudson, which should be of interest to Artesia fans, is found in the column, "Eagle Roundup," by Billy Lambert, in the June 2 issue of The Hobbs Flare. Lambert wrote, in part:

"The question that is on the minds of most of the Eagle football fans is: 'Will Hudson be back?' The truth of the matter is Hudson doesn't know himself. The big-

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Prior Building To Be Replaced And Mid-West Will Reopen Store There

The C. C. Prior building at 330 West Main Street, which was damaged by fire Monday night, will be rebuilt and the Mid-West Auto Supply Company, which suffered extensive fire damage, will open there, it was announced Tuesday by Owen Hensley, Mid-West owner.

He said arrangements had already been made with Prior for rebuilding, and Mid-West will continue to operate at the old location.

The fire, estimated Monday night while it was still smoldering to represent a loss of 70 to 75 thousand dollars to building and stock, will not run that high, according to Hensley, but it was still possible on Thursday to strike fairly accurate figure, as adjustment could not be made until the fallen roof had been removed and the entire stock checked.

It was intimated perhaps a lesser figure would be about \$30,000.

The fire was the most destructive within the city of Artesia since the night of Jan. 19, 1948, when the office building and other buildings at the New Mexico Asphalt Refining Company refinery were destroyed at an estimated loss of \$100,000.

Hensley said fire damage was largely confined to the rear end of the store proper, where fire started and raged between the metal ceiling and composition roof.

Three-Loop Softball League Off To Good Start; Girls Play Tonight

Lone feminine team in the three-loop municipal softball league, Guy Chevrolet, is scheduled to play the second part of a doubleheader tonight on the North 13th Street diamond.

The game against Carlsbad Pepsi-Cola is slated to begin at 8:45, the senior circuit game following the Rotary-Jaycee service club section battle which begins at 7:30.

To date the Guy Chevrolet team has played only one game, losing to Thayer Apartments, a Carlsbad crew, in a game played in Carlsbad two months ago.

In the county seat town the softball league is far ahead of Artesia's and the inexperienced Artesia team made a creditable showing despite the loss.

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State Confab Theta Rho Is Opened In Artesia Today

Members of clubs from 11 towns were in Artesia today as the two-day Theta Rho New Mexico state convention opened at 9 o'clock this morning with registration at the Independent Order of Odd Fellows hall, in the 500 block on West Main.

Registration will continue until 2 o'clock this afternoon. Advisors, board of control and club presidents will be guests of Artesia Rebekahs at a noon luncheon in the hall.

Attendance of 300 is expected at the convention, first Theta Rho state convocation to be held here and fourth annual session of the New Mexico organization.

Clubs due to be represented are those of Eunice, Tucumcari, Hobbs, Farmington, Raton, San Jon, Alamogordo, Jal, Albuquerque, Roswell and Artesia.

On this afternoon's program is a memorial service, drill, practice for clubs and state officers. Formal opening is set for 7:30 o'clock to-night. Ritualistic work will close the first day's session.

State officers will breakfast in the Odd Fellows hall at 7:30 o'clock tomorrow morning to be followed by the assembly program an hour later in Veterans Memorial Building.

Artesia Rebekahs will give a luncheon for presidents, past presidents and vice presidents at noon in Odd Fellow hall. After the afternoon session, which begins at 1:30 in the veterans building, there will be a banquet at 6:30 o'clock that night with Rev. Ralph L. O'Dell, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Artesia as the main speaker.

Concluding the convocation will be the formal dance at 9 o'clock.

Official program of the convention lists 11 distinguished guests: Hattie Clark, Rebekah assembly president, Santa Fe; Josephine Loague, Rebekah assembly vice president; Bertha Wynn, assembly warden, Farmington.

Effie Wingfield, assembly secretary, past president Rebekah assembly, Artesia; Corinne Lanning, past president Rebekah assembly, Artesia.

Dr. Ed Stone, past grand master, Artesia; E. A. Hannah, past grand master, Artesia; Wayne Paulin, deputy grand master, Artesia; Marie Smith, board of control chairman, Tucumcari.

Bessie Miller, past president, vice chairman board of control, Artesia.

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Elks Would Like Uniforms To Ramble Back

Last year the local Elks had a baseball team that rambled all over this area.

This year it has a softball team but is short of the 15 baseball uniforms that somehow rambled off last year.

Today the club wants those uniforms and wants them at once. Valued at \$15 each, the uniform consists of pants, shirt, cap, and socks.

Wayne Truett, manager of the Elks softball team, and J. L. Walker, exalted ruler of the local lodge, today emphasized a call for all who may have the uniforms to return them at once.

If you have one of the uniforms or know someone who has, please notify either Truett or Walker at once. Both are employees of Artesia Auto Company, telephone 52.

National Guard Camp Can Earn Boys Extra Cash

High school boys who want to earn some extra money have that opportunity offered in a call issued today by Capt. Marshall Belshe, commanding officer of the local battery of New Mexico National Guard.

The captain was not limiting his announcement to high school boys, but said the idea should be of special interest to that class.

Here is the deal: The local battery is going to the annual summer encampment at Fort Bliss, Texas, Aug. 13-27. It needs a score of recruits. Among them are four cooks, four truck drivers, cannoners, gunners, and radiomen.

Prior military service will be an added advantage to those signing up. Ages are from 17 to 34. Taking up cooks as an example, the captain said a man qualified for first cook would obtain a rating of sergeant which is comparable.

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Artesia Man Chosen Director of State Funeral Directors

Wayne Paulin of Paulin Funeral Home, 611 West Grand, Artesia, was elected as one of the three directors of the New Mexico Funeral Directors and Embalmers Association, at the convention this week in Albuquerque.

Elected as president was R. W. Thorne of Albuquerque, succeeding Lawrence Hanlon of Mountair.

The 1951 convention will be held in Silver City.

Masonic Temple, Baptist Church Broken Into

Breaking and entering of the Masonic Temple and the First Baptist Church, both on the same block, sometime Monday night was reported to Artesia police Tuesday.

Nothing was missed from either building, although there was definite evidence burglars had been in both, and at the Baptist Church two offices had been ransacked.

Rev. S. M. Morgan, pastor, said his and another office in the church had been ransacked, but he believed nothing had been stolen. A door had been forced by means of some sort of bar to gain entrance.

Police said there was evidence at the Masonic Temple an attempt had been made to gain entrance through a window on the main floor and that the burglar or burglars had then used a small bar to pry open a basement window opening on a restroom.

Pins in the hinges of the office door on the main floor had been removed, and again the bar was used in trying to open the door. However, police said, it was too thick to clear the frame and entrance was not gained.

A back door, left unlocked, was probably used in leaving the building.

Police said similarity of scars left at both buildings by bars and the fact the two buildings are on the same block leads to the belief both jobs were done by the same burglar or burglars.

Coming Week Softball Game Schedule For

This week schedule of softball games:

Service Circuit
Games start 7:30
Tonight—Rotary vs. Jaycees.
June 20—Kiwanis vs. Jaycees.
June 21—Elks vs. Lions.
Church Circuit
Games start 7:30
June 19—Christian vs. Episcopal.
June 21—Methodist vs. Catholic.
June 23—Baptist vs. Episcopal.
Senior Circuit
Games start 8:45
Tonight—Guy Chevrolet vs. Carlsbad Pepsi-Cola (girls).
June 19—Thayer Apartments of Carlsbad vs. Artesia High School.
June 20—Park Inn Grocery vs. R.E.A.
June 21—NuMex vs. R.E.A.
June 22—Park Inn Grocery vs. Thayer Apartments.
June 23—Girls' game.

Coming Events

Annual good-will tour to Sacramento Mountains, Thursday and Friday, June 22-23.

Registration for dudes' section of beard-growing contest, Wednesday, July 5, through Monday, July 10.

Annual V-J Day celebration and rodeo, sponsored by United Veterans Club, Thursday through Saturday, Aug. 10-12.

Cases Of Two, At First Feared, Are Discounted

Illnesses of two young men which caused some alarm the early part of the week were discounted on Thursday by physicians, as both were recovering nicely and believed to be out of danger.

Both cases were suspected of being polio and one definitely has been diagnosed as polio, but of the non-paralytic type.

John Sudderth, Jr., 20-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Sudderth of Loco Hills, a former Artesia High School Bulldog football star, whose case was diagnosed as non-paralytic polio, should be able to go home within the next two or three days from Artesia General Hospital, his physician said Tuesday.

Naturally, the physician said, the case being of the non-paralytic type, young Sudderth has no paralysis.

The case of Thomas Tucker, 15-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. William T. Tucker of South 20th, was described as a "flash in the pan," probably from strep throat, although there was at first fear of meningitis, or possibly polio.

His physician said spinal tests had been negative, but that the boy was still under observation for study.

Price's Creameries Reduce Milk Prices

A new schedule of reduced prices on retail milk was made known today by Price's Creameries, Inc., 806 South First.

The announcement was by Perry Stigler, manager of the Artesia plant.

"We are pleased to announce," says Manager Stigler, "that effective June 16, 1950, milk prices will be reduced."

"This is made possible by savings in feed prices and the development of more production."

"Our company is very happy to pass this reduction on to our customers."

He lists 10 items under "the following prices will prevail," with type of container:

Quarts Grade A pasteurized milk, glass 21 cents, paper 22 cents; quarts homogenized milk, glass 21 cents, paper 23 cents; quarts goat milk, glass, 35 cents.

Quarts table cream, glass 66 cents, paper 67 cents; half pints table cream, glass 22 cents, paper 23 cents; quarts whipping cream, glass \$1.20.

Half pint whipping cream, glass 38 cents; quarts buttermilk, glass 20 cents, paper 21 cents; 16-ounce carton cottage cheese, paper 26 cents; 8 ounce carton cottage cheese, paper 17 cents.

Mechem And Party G.O.P. Candidates Visit Here Tuesday

A party of Republican state candidates, headed by Ed Mechem of Las Cruces, candidate for governor, visited Artesia Tuesday.

The caravan was on a three-week trip through Southeast New Mexico, which started Sunday. Further swings are planned later in the campaign in other sections of the state, Mechem said.

There was no formal program while the candidates were in Artesia, but they were at the Masonic Temple during the afternoon to greet and meet voters. Mechem and some other members of the party were guests at the Rotary Club luncheon Tuesday noon.

Other figures released: Clovis, from 10,065 in 1940 to 17,168 in 1950 or an increase of 70.5 per cent; Alamogordo, 3950 to 6707, or 70.8 per cent; Portales, 5104 to 8093, or 58.6 per cent; Tularosa, 1446 to 1636 or 13.1 per cent.

Here are the winners names in order, with address and award to which they are entitled:

1. Paul W. West, 913 Hank, 100 gallons of gasoline, Allen Oil.
2. Ethel V. Carson, 703 Mann, \$15 in merchandise, Evans Hardware.
3. D. F. Parker, 334 West Main, \$30 in credit on new International Harvester home freezer or refrigerator, Myers Company.
4. Mrs. Doyle Hankins, 1203 West Merchant, New Favorite lawn mower, valued at \$16.50, Clem & Clem.

New Highway 83 Group Makes Plans To Attract More Travel

With delegates from 10 communities on Highway 83 in New Mexico from Alamogordo to the Texas line and on Highway 328 in Texas as far as Welch attending a meeting in Artesia Wednesday night, the new Highway 83 Association was tentatively set up, with plans started for a program to advertise the advantages and scenic aspects of the route.

Emery Carper, chairman of the Artesia Chamber of Commerce highway committee, was named temporary chairman, and Bob Koonce, secretary-manager of the chamber here, temporary secretary, while local chairmen for the several communities represented each named a board member.

Secretary Koonce was designated to draw up tentative by-laws, which will be submitted for approval and adoption at a meeting of the designated local chairmen, to be held at 6 o'clock Wednesday evening, June 22, in the basement of the Masonic Temple, where the organizational meeting was held.

The local chairmen, and the communities they represent: Welch, Texas, Vernon Parks; Seagraves, Texas, C. C. Byars, president of the Chamber of Commerce; Denver City, Texas, Leon Ward; Lovington, F. L. Heidel, president

of the Chamber of Commerce; Artesia, Emery Carper; Hope, George Teel; Elk, Mrs. Bernard Cleve; Mayhill, Jim Mahill; Cloudcroft, Bud McLean; Alamogordo, John Will Farris, president of the Chamber of Commerce and superintendent of White Sands National Monument.

After considerable discussion as to underwriting the cost of such advertising as may be decided on, it was decided each municipality or community on the route should raise funds in proportion to its population.

No definite figures were set, but Secretary Koonce suggested that Artesia and Alamogordo pay the largest proportionate shares, with Maljamar, Loco Hills, Mayhill, and Elk in New Mexico and Loop in Texas paying the smallest.

Tentative plans discussed call for the erection of road signs leading to the combined Texas 328-New Mexico 83 route between Welch and Alamogordo, pointing out the attractions of the route and the shorter distances for those who are traveling east to west or west to east.

Chairman Carper said that if people can be sold on the idea of traveling the route, they not only (Continued on page six)

Council Praises Chief Richards And Firemen

The Artesia City Council on Wednesday night gave a unanimous vote of confidence in and thanks to Fire Chief Albert Richards and members of the Artesia Fire Department for the way they handled the disastrous Mid-West Auto Supply Company fire Monday night.

The vote was taken after it had been called to the attention of Mayor Oren C. Roberts and members of the City Council there had been some criticism of the firemen in their fighting of the fire, which council members termed a "remarkable job."

The location of the fire, between a metal ceiling and a composition roof, made it extremely hard to reach, it was pointed out, and firemen were commended for having held the damage from fire to the one building and with no more loss than was suffered.

George Frisch, city building inspector, said the construction of the building, erected many years ago, is another argument for the strict adherence to the modern building code, which prohibits the use of wooden construction in roofes in the fire zone and discourages it elsewhere.

Whisker Tourney Entrants Total 14

A list of 14 entrants in the beard growing contest sponsored by Artesia 20-30 Club in conjunction with the annual V-J Day celebration, set for Aug. 10, 11, and 12, was announced today by Chuck Baldwin, beard boss.

There will be two registrations, one for old timers, the other for duds. Former class registered in the period June 7-12; for the duds, sign-up time is July 5-10.

Registration place is Mid-Valley Investment, 310 West Main.

Here is the list issued by Baldwin:

Quentin Rodgers, Riley Brown, Bill Keys, Wesley Jones, Harry Nelson, Ted DeMars, Marvin Sanders, Oscar Bayer, B. F. Parker, W. M. Simmons, W. M. Jackson, C. Nelson, Homer Gary, and Baldwin.

Winner Misses Census By Lucky 13

Wednesday morning by Mrs. J. Marjorie Schmid, district census supervisor at Roswell for this area.

She said it shows a 99.3 increase over the 1940 census, which was officially announced as 4071.

The greatest percentage of increase in the Pecos Valley was shown at Carlsbad, where the 1950 figure released by Mrs. Schmid was 17,915, as compared with 7116 in 1940. This figures an increase of 151.7 per cent.

Roswell's census figure for this year is 25,569, which is an increase of 89.6 per cent in 10 years.

Hagerman increased only 19.9 per cent in the decade, having a 1950 census of 1024, as compared with 854 in 1940.

In this area a decrease of 1 per cent was shown at Carrizozo, from 1457 in 1940 to 1387 in 1950.

Artesia's August Party Becoming Classic In State

Artesia, queen city of Southeastern New Mexico, will dress up and put on a party next August that is on its way to becoming a classic in the state.

This year's party will be bigger than any of the preceding three, cost more money and give all attending a better time.

You don't put on an affair of this kind overnight. It takes sweat and cash and planning. Because of its early planning, the Artesia 1950 V-J Day celebration should top all others.

Work on the project has been going on since January. A series of semi-monthly meetings of the workers has been held and there has been a mass of conferences as well.

Wednesday night another round-table session was held at 7:30 o'clock in the Veterans Memorial Building. The veterans are the originators of the annual event and have spearheaded the fiesta, which includes a rodeo.

Although the celebration originated with the veterans it has not been limited in purpose to the veterans but is designed to be an affair that will be Artesia's big event of the year, one that will represent the entire community and Northern Eddy county.

How did this V-J Day idea get started anyhow?

Well, back in 1947 in a meeting of the local post of the American Legion it was proposed that the organization manifest a return to the citizens of this community courtesy shown the service men during the war.

Recalls Old Fiesta

"The idea coasted along," says Don Bush, publicity chairman of this year's celebration, "then in (Continued on Page Six)

Recount On Caudle-Alford Vote Is Being Made Today

A recount on the vote for Democratic nominations to the State Legislature was to be held at 9:30 o'clock this morning by the Eddy County Board of Commissioners in the courthouse at Carlsbad, after J. R. Caudle, Jr., of Artesia on Wednesday filed a petition asking a recount of ballots in 13 of the county's 32 boxes from the primary Tuesday of last week.

The official canvass Saturday of last week gave Caudle one less vote than Frank A. Alford of Carlsbad for the second nomination for the two seats in the Legislature.

Virgil O. McCollum of Carlsbad was far out in the lead among four candidates, assuring him one of the two nominations. And the canvass gave D. D. Archer of Artesia 14 fewer votes than Caudle.

Caudle's petition was filed in the office of Mrs. R. A. Wilcox, Eddy County clerk, through his attorney, John E. Cochran, Jr., of Artesia.

At the same time a bond was posted for Caudle in the amount of \$130, or \$10 for each contested box. The petition alleges "error or fraud by election officials in tallying the results," but makes no specific charges of misconduct on the part of election judges or clerks.

The 13 boxes which were to be recounted this morning were Carlsbad 1-N, Hope 3, Lakewood 4, Artesia 6-A, 6-B, 6-C, 6-D, 6-E, and 6-F; Dayton 7, Cottonwood 10, and Oilfield 11-A and 11-B.

Results of the canvass last Saturday: McCollum, 3895; Alford, 2455; Caudle, 2454; Archer, 2428.

At some of the boxes in last week's primary, citizens having registration duplicates, whose names were not found on the pollbooks, were permitted to vote, but their ballots were not counted in the canvass Saturday, but will be today, if it is determined in the county clerk's office that the voters were duly registered and qualified to vote and whose registration slips through no fault of their own were not in the pollbooks.

The exact number of such ballots was not learned, but it was known there were several in Artesia and it has been understood there were some in other boxes.

'Peggy' Springer Four-Time Winner, Bullock, Repeater, Head Trophy List

Miss Velma (Peggy) Springer, winner for the fourth consecutive year of the women's city golf championship, headed the list of recipients of women's trophies last evening at the Artesia Country Club, when awards for both the men's and women's annual tournaments were presented. Presentations were made by C. L. Withers, club president.

Bill Bullock, city champion in 1946 and again last year, who won the 1950 tournament last Sunday, topped the men's list.

Miss Springer took the women's tournament a week prior, on Sunday, just as the men's tournament was getting started.

She won the championship by defeating Mrs. Harvey Jones 2-1. Miss Springer previously defeated Mrs. Bill Angley and Mrs. Jim Miller. Not only is this the fourth consecutive year Miss Springer has won the women's city championship, but she has been medalist three of the four years, including this year.

Mrs. Harvey Jones likewise was the runner-up this year for the second consecutive year, whereas Miss Springer beat her 2-1 in the tournament just closed, she held out on the 18th hole last year to defeat Mrs. Jones 1-up.

In 1948 Miss Springer won the championship over Mrs. Jim Miller, whom she eliminated in the semifinals both last year and this year.

Her 1947, and first, triumph, was won by Miss Springer over Mrs. Fritz Crawford.

Mrs. Bill Angley, whom Miss Springer defeated in the first-round games this year, went on to take the consolation.

In the first flight, Mrs. Fritz Crawford won over Mrs. Luther E. Sharpe. The consolation went to Mrs. Leland Price.

Trophies in the men's tournament, running through fifth flight for winners, runners-up, and consolation were presented at the (Continued on page six)

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SOCIETY

Johnny And Rex Gates Are Honored At Party For Twins Of Community

Johnny and Rex Gates, twin sons of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Gates, were honored on their first birthday Wednesday with a party, and all twins regardless of age were invited.

This being Flag Day, for being identical twins, Eileen and Eileen Marshall were awarded flags. Mrs. Grady Booker and Mrs. Glenn Booker were judged for being the most unlike twins.

Twins present were Buddy and Regina Hayes, Nonny and Nancy Lamb, Doug and Don Morgan, Joan and Joyce Parrish, Mary Dean and Charlene Parrish, June and Joan Hubert, Van and Joe Bullock, Neil and Frances Booker, Harriet Cochran, whose twin lives elsewhere; Bob McCaw, whose twin lives out of town, and V. L. Gates, grand-

father of the honorees, whose twin lives in Montana.

Other guests were Mrs. E. G. Hubbard, Mrs. Bill Macey, Mrs. Raymond Lamb and daughter, Sally; Mrs. John Heaton, Mrs. Ernest Morgan, and daughter, Pam; Roberta and Norbert McCaw, Mrs. Ralph Hayes, Mrs. Bob Hanson and daughter, Judy; Mrs. Rufus Stinnett and daughter, Rosemary; Mrs. Ben Caudle and daughters, Candy Ann and Rita Sue; Mrs. Wayne Paulin and children, Terri and Sue; Mrs. Pat Caudle and son, Mike; Miss Shirley Feather, Miss Edna Bullock, Jana Wickersham, Mrs. V. L. Gates, grandmother of the honorees; Mrs. Wallace Gates and son, Rusty, and Billy Harrison.

A large birthday cake centered with one candle was served with ice cream cones to the guests. Balloons and flags were used in decorations.

National Does Meeting Report Given Wednesday

The regular meeting of the Artesia Drive of Does was Wednesday evening at the Elks building.

Mrs. J. W. Jones, president, presided over the business meeting. Four new members were voted on.

Mrs. Jones, Mrs. Paul Terry, treasurer, and Mrs. W. S. Hogsett who had attended the 28th annual convention of the Benevolent and Patriotic Order of Does at Ogden, Utah, gave an interesting report. There were 44 doves represented at the convention.

Surprise Given Wednesday Night For J. R. Coor

J. R. Coor was greatly surprised Wednesday evening, when friends came to help him celebrate his 80th birthday. The surprise party was given in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barton. Mrs. Barton is Mr. Coor's daughter.

D. W. Faulk and family aided in the surprise by taking Mr. Coor to their home until time for the party. Returning to the Barton home, he was greeted by a large crowd who sang "Happy Birthday." Many gifts awaited him. A lovely cake and ice cream were served.

Lucille Arnall Becomes Bride Of Neil Hardin



MRS. NEIL HARDIN

Miss Lucille Arnall, daughter of Mrs. Irene Arnall of Artesia, became the bride of Neil Hardin of Artesia, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Hardin of Plainview, Texas, at 6 o'clock Monday evening at Albuquerque at the home of Rev. J. G. Brown, pastor of the First Methodist church.

The bride chose for her wedding a white suit and her accessories were black and white. Her corsage was a white orchid.

Mrs. Hardin was a member of the Artesia High School class of 1947, and she attended New Mexico A. & M. College in 1948-49. She has been employed in the office of the American Republics Corporation.

Mr. Hardin graduated from Texas Tech, Lubbock, in 1948. He is a teacher of social sciences in Artesia Junior High School. He served in the armed forces in World War II.

The newlyweds are spending their honeymoon in Colorado.

Simons Speaks Monday Night At Auxiliary Meet

John Simons, Jr., commander of Clarence Kepple Post 41, American Legion, addressed the American Legion Auxiliary at a meeting Monday evening at the Veterans Memorial Building.

Mr. Simons invited the unit to meet the same night each month the post holds its meetings and have joint covered-dish suppers preceding the meetings.

Mrs. J. L. Briscoe, president, presided at the business meeting.

Mrs. Ralph Rogers, secretary, reported she sent 30 Mother's Day cards to Gold Star Mothers.

The auxiliary also voted to donate \$25 to the cheer fund tray in the Veterans Hospital, Albuquerque.

The auxiliary also presented Mrs. John Lively a life-membership card in recognition of her outstanding sales of poppies every year.

Mrs. John Simons, Sr., presented the nominating committee report as follows: President, Mrs. Ralph Rogers; first vice president, Mrs. Bryan Runyan; second vice president, Mrs. L. E. Francis; treasurer, Mrs. Herman Fuchs; secretary, Mrs. J. T. Easley; chaplain, Mrs. Garland Stuart; historian, Mrs. John Lively; sergeant-at-arms, Mrs. Arthur Paton; executive committee, Mrs. Fred Jacobs, Mrs. Harry B. Gilmore and Mrs. H. R. Paton. Mike Currier, Phillip Meisinger, Harvey Yates and Jimmie Morgan, pupils of Mrs. J. L. Montgomery, played several accordion solos.

At the close of the meeting, refreshments of punch, cake, nuts and mints were served from a lovely lace-covered table and centered with a bouquet of daisies and snapdragons by the hostesses, Mmes. Easley, J. B. Mulcock, Arthur Paton, D. C. Blue and Artie McNally. Mrs. Briscoe presided at the punchbowl.

Lemon juice helps to keep pears white after they have been peeled and cut. Th diced fruit may be used in a Waldorf salad instead of apples. To do so, mix the diced pears with an equal amount of celery and then add mayonnaise or a mayonnaise-type salad dressing and a handful of broken walnut meats.

Vegetables that are particularly good to couple with creamed fish are peas and carrots, green beans or asparagus.

Trade for what you want thru the Advocate Want Ads.

LOCALS

Alice Ruth Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Williams of Hope, Md., to visit her sister, Mrs. Robert Fincke, Mr. Fincke and family. She plans to visit in Maryland about a month. Mrs. Fincke is the former Margaret Williams.

H. C. Bradley of Las Cruces, Harvey Hutchings of Tularosa, John Mahill of Mayhill, and J. L. Long, Jr. of Artesia left Thursday morning for Fort Hood, Texas, where they will take advanced ROTC six weeks.

Mrs. Fred Spencer has rented her home in Artesia, and is leaving for El Paso for an indefinite visit with relatives.

Mrs. Alex McGonagill, member of the finance board, and Mrs. Andy Company, state finance chairman of the American Legion Auxiliary, department of New Mexico, left today for Portales to attend a finance board meeting in session with Girls State.

Mrs. J. W. Jones, Mrs. W. S. Hogsett and Mrs. Paul Terry have arrived home from Ogden, Utah, where they attended the 28th annual convention of the Benevolent and Patriotic Order of Does. They were gone a week. They stopped at Salt Lake City, Utah, and took a sight-seeing tour, which they enjoyed. They advised they were extensively entertained at the convention. They made the trip by automobile.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Parham and son, O'dell, spent last week in Portales visiting their daughter-in-law, Mr. Parham also attend the Guidance Workshop at Eastern New Mexico University. They also spent some time in Canyon and Sudan, Texas, visiting relatives.

Visitors in the J. E. Bedingfield home last week were Mrs. Bedingfield's sister from Harrison, Ark., Mrs. Claude Turney and her daughter, Jeanette, and Mrs. Bedingfield's brother and his wife and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Harlow and Lella Jean, from Grand Prairie, Texas. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Paul Harlow of the Oilfield community. Other visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Harlow last week were Mrs. Harlow's mother and brother, Mrs. David Foster and Jerry, from Cross Plains, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Young and sons, Dwayne and Dean, will leave Saturday to spend about a week visiting relatives in Shamrock, Texas.

A newcomer to Artesia is Bryan

Dennis, son of Rev. Ollie Dennis, Hot Springs. Bryan is a graduate of Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene, Texas. He is now employed by Brown Pipe & Supply Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Middleton left Sunday for a two-week vacation trip to Hot Springs, Ark.

Esther Ekstrom and her mother, Mrs. Lula Fkstrom, left Wednesday for Denver, Colo., to visit their sister and daughter, Mrs. Wilma McGaffey, and will then go to Wayne, Kan., to spend the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Paton left Thursday morning for Los Angeles, Calif., to attend the Imperial Council of the Mystic Shrine. They will be located at the Biltmore Hotel. After the convention they plan to tour California, and expect to be gone three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Pitt left Thursday morning for Los Angeles, Calif., to attend the Imperial Council of the Mystic Shrine.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Roach plan to leave tomorrow for Los Angeles,

Calif., to attend the Imperial Council of the Mystic Shrine.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Short and daughter, Joan, left today to spend six weeks in Denver, Colo. Mr. and Mrs. Short will attend summer school in Denver.

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Social Calendar

Friday, June 16 Artesia Garden Club, meeting at the home of Mrs. Jim Berry, east of Artesia, 2:30 p. m.

Monday, June 19 Rebekah Lodge, initiation and cupcake night, L.O.O.F. Hall, 7:30 p. m.

Tuesday, June 20 Cottonwood Community Club, meeting at the home of Mrs. Floyd Hickson, 2 p. m.

YOUNG BAPTISTS TO HAVE MORNING COFFEE

Young people, ages 17-24, of the First Baptist Church will meet at 9 o'clock Sunday morning for a breakfast coffee, at which coffee and doughnuts will be served. After the breakfast, the young people will continue with the morning worship service, during which Rev. S. M. Morgan, pastor, will speak and Jack Holcomb will sing a solo.

Other young people on the program will be Mary Lois West, Atherian Horton, Charles McDonald and Joe Giles.

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Friday, June 16, 1950

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Locals

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Mathis, Jr., were Mr. and Mrs. Pope C. Sapp of Corpus Christi, Texas. While here they visited Carlsbad Caverns. They left Tuesday for Denver, Colo. Mrs. Mathis' sister, Mrs. O. Davis Donnell, and her daughter, Marcia, of Breckenridge, Texas, are here this week. John A. Mathis, Sr., left Tuesday morning for Dallas, Texas, to meet his daughter, Mrs. Wayne Hicks and children of Patchogue, N. Y., who were coming to Dallas by train. They will visit in Artesia a month. The group plans to spend Sunday at Cloudercroft for a family picnic. They are to be met at Cloudercroft by H. V. Mathis, son of John A. Mathis, Sr., and his family. Mrs. Roswell, and Mrs. Jack C. Smith, sister of Mrs. John A. Mathis, Jr., and Mr. Smith and son, Jackie, of Paso.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Mitchell, 607 Dallas, and children, Jay Neeley and Sandra, will leave Saturday evening to visit relatives in Hereford, Texas. Their son, Ed Mitchell, who has been attending Carnegie Institute of Technology in Pittsburgh, Pa., will meet them in Hereford and return home with his parents Sunday evening.

Rev. S. M. Morgan, Rev. V. E. McGuffin, Kenneth Mitchell, Robert Holmsley, Burr Clem, Elie Epton, and eight Boy Scouts went to Nogal Lake eight miles beyond Capitan Monday to attend a Brotherhood rally.

Bill Strock, 8-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Ott Strock, was to undergo major surgery at Artesia General Hospital this morning. He entered the hospital last night.

Mrs. Stanley Sutton, 816 South Second, and children, Julie and Diana Vee, are in Houston, Texas, visiting Mrs. Sutton's sister, Mrs. Charles C. Wright. The Suttons left Artesia June 4, and will return June 24.

Rev. and Mrs. V. E. McGuffin and Johnny left yesterday morning for a vacation trip through Colorado, and on to Los Angeles, Calif. They will be gone three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Ruffus Bynum, 824 South Second, are moving to Pecos, Texas, this week end. Mrs. Bynum has lived in Artesia 11 years, while Mr. Bynum has lived here all of his life.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. McDonald and son and daughter, Charles and Sandra, were expected to return home today after spending two weeks visiting Mrs. McDonald's sister in Anderson, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Moreland and family will leave Sunday for a two-week vacation to visit relatives in Tuscaloosa, Ala. They plan to go by train and Galveston, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. James A. Thomas of Bellevue, Ill., have been visiting Mrs. Thomas' mother, Mrs. Clifford Bradshaw, and Mr. Bradshaw and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bradshaw of Hope and Mr. and Mrs. John Brown of Hope. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas were on their way to Redding, Calif., to make their home.

Mrs. Thomas is the former Miss Ann Noling of Artesia.

Dr. J. J. Clarke, Sr., left Saturday night for Topeka, Kan., on business and returned home Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Roark have returned home after a four-week vacation trip, on which they visited relatives of Mr. Roark in Oklahoma and Mrs. Roark's sons in Union City, Tenn., and other relatives in Keokuk, Iowa. They went through nine states and the trip took them through the Ozark Mountains.

GOOD OL' DAD!



CARD OF APPRECIATION

We wish to express our sincere appreciation for the very fine way the Artesia Fire Department worked to save the Mid-West Auto Supply building and merchandise during the fire Monday night.

Not only the regular workers but all those who assisted in any way. We also noted with gratitude the diligence of our Police Department who not only looked after the merchandise during the fire and the remainder of the night, but also assisted the Fire Department in putting out the blaze.

The Advocate staff and other business houses offered assistance in many ways. It's friends and neighbors like these that make us glad we're in business in Artesia even in face of disaster.

We're going to carry on the best we can, and somehow justify the faith of our friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Hensley
Sam Henderson
J. W. Tague
Bill Rogers
Ruth Wood Smith.

SPECIALS FOR THIS WEEK

- 2 Qt. White Mountain ICE CREAM FREEZERS 7.85
- 4 Qt. White Mountain ICE CREAM FREEZERS 10.50
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- 4 Qt. Electric Dolly Madison ICE CREAM FREEZERS 21.50
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- 16 Inch Hand Power LAWN MOWER 20.50
- 18 Inch Hand Power LAWN MOWER 22.75
- 17 Inch Hand Power LAWN MOWER 29.95
- 18 Inch Motor Power LAWN MOWER 102.50
- 20 Inch Motor Power LAWN MOWER 112.50

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Three Loop—

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last out, due to the need of allowing the NuMex-Park Inn game to begin, since start had been checked by the delay in beginning the opener.

The "long-inning" fourth was the result of a mix-up over the number of outs on the Kiwanians. The home plate umpire, queried on the point as to whether there were two or three outs, gave the total as two and play continued.

A reporter for The Artesia Advocate, who was covering the game and keeping only information he needed along with batting order and scores was asked the number of outs but since he was not certain and was not acting officially he referred the matter to the umpire.

Doyle Hankins' homer for the Kiwanians coming immediately after he had retired the Elks with a spectacular catch of fly ball in left field was a highlight of the contest.

Batting order of the Elks:
B. Bryan, c; Brown, p; Barron, 1b; Achen, 2b; Anderson, ss; Cates, 3b; Hanes, rf; Dority, cf; Ditto, lf; Wayne Truett is manager.

Kiwanis: Mathis, ss; Aldridge, 3b; V. Bryan, c; Frost, p; Stinnett,

1b; Hymer, 2b; Yeager, rf; Stuart, cf; Hankins, lf.

Score by innings:
Kiwanis 2 1 0 5—8
Elks 0 8 1 x—9

Umpires: Comer, Smith and Farmer.

Grocers Win
In the nightcap Park Inn Grocery defeated NuMex 5-1. The grocery team was composed of Shields, ss; Kinnison, 3b; Carpenter, cf; Archer, c; H. L. Coor, 2b; Singleton, lf; Paul Coor, rf; Kidd, 1b and Williams, p.

The church loop started its games on Tuesday night when First Methodist played First Baptist 3.

Baptist got a lone run in the initial inning, while Methodist was held scoreless. Neither team got a run in the second, nor did the Baptist nine in their part of the third.

The Methodist staged a hitting spree in their half of the third and went on to win. A Methodist homer with the bases loaded was a feature of the tilt.

Methodist players: Dungan, p; Briscoe, 1b; Bullock, 2b; A. L. Terpening, 3b; John Terpening, lf; Clay, ss; Jordan, cf; J. Mathis, Jr., rf; Willingham, c.

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National Guard—

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ble to the old rating of staff sergeant.

A second cook will be a corporal which is comparable to the old grade of sergeant.

Truck drivers are needed to pilot the 2½-ton trucks; cannoners for the 40-millimeter ack-acks; gunners, for the .50 caliber multiple machine guns.

All of these men are needed by July 1.

There'll be plenty of work for all, plenty of firing on the range, and it all adds up to cash in the pocket.

Captain Belshe said several thousand rounds had been fired on the Oro Grande range in the past at a radio controlled plane that is 6 feet long, has 8-foot wingspread, gasoline motor, is launched from a ramp, and flies 125 miles an hour.

Complete information concerning opportunities offered in the New Mexico National Guard can be obtained by calling at the armory on West Centre, where Sgt. Eugene Fleming, caretaker, is on duty from 8 to 5 o'clock daily on week days.

Telephone number at the armory is 1113.

'Dairy Month' Is Observed With Set-Aside Plan

June is "National Dairy Month," and again this year the dairymen of New Mexico are joining hands with dairymen in other counties and states to build their program of developing a better market for their products.

Working through the New Mexico Dairy Association and the American Dairy Association, dairy producers and milk and cream buyers will participate in the nationwide program of contributing a cent for each pound of butterfat sold during June.

The money collected in this way will be used by the state and national dairy associations in the extensive research, educational and advertising work that continued throughout the year, according to E. E. Anderson, extension dairy specialist.

"This year, with the federal tax on butter substitutes removed, our job of maintaining a steady market for our produce is more important than ever before," Anderson says.

"We must do a better job of selling our products if we are to maintain a stable dairy industry. We cannot operate our business on surpluses

and subsidies—we have to operate on sales and increased sales call for doing a better job in our merchandising research and advertising programs."

The dairymen have adopted the June set-aside plan to meet the challenge. Under the program, co-operating cream buyers deduct a cent a pound on all butterfat bought. The program is entirely voluntary on the part of both cream buyers and producers.

This is the 12th year the set-aside program has been in effect. Some states—New York, for example—carry the deduction program throughout the year as an additional effort to maintain a strong dairy industry in that important dairy state.

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NEW! MEN'S CHECKED Broadcloth Shirts
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A handsome new style for Father. The masterfully woven combed cotton broadcloth is sanforized. It's a smooth background for any of the small, medium or large checks woven (not printed into the fabric). Dusty, green, grey, tan, blue. Sizes 14 to 17.



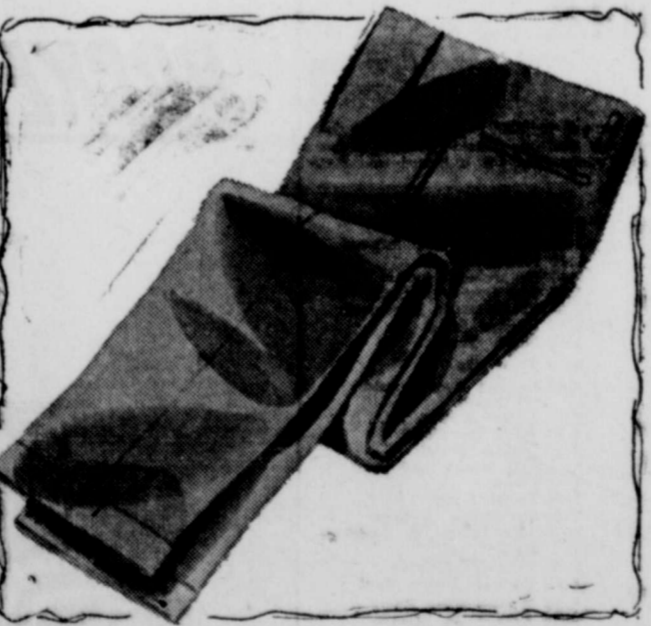
MEN'S COOL RAYON Tropical Slacks
Crease-Resistant 6⁹⁰
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Please Father with a pair of these, just right for summer trousers. The colors are soft and rich, perfect for vacation or leisure time! See them today! Sizes 28 to 42.



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Hand washable ribbed 1⁹⁸
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They're Hand-Painting Penney's ACETATE RAYON-NYLON TIES

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AT MARINE RESERVE OFFICERS FIRST POSTWAR MEETING—Colonel Melvin J. Maas, National President of the Marine Corps Reserve Officers' Association, discusses future of the Marine air arm with Major General W. J. Wallace, Director of the Division of Aviation.

More Than 700 Attend Dedication Of Scott Able 4-H Club Camp

"I am thankful for a system of government which permits young people to develop themselves in order to take their rightful places in our democracy," Mrs. Leroy Evans, president of the Southern New Mexico 4-H Club Foundation, told more than 700 persons assembled for the recent dedication of the new \$30,000 Scott Able 4-H Club Camp in the Sacramento Mountains west of Artesia.

County gave the prayer of dedication, and Mrs. Earl Allen of Curry County gave the benediction. Dallas Clark and his daughter, Beverly, of Lea County provided music on steel guitars. Billy Sue Tyson, assistant Dona Ana County home demonstration agent, led the group singing. The 4-H Club pledge was given by 4-ers Dolores Bombach, Dona Ana County; Zella Gonzales, Socorro County; Billy Melton, Curry County; and Sherman Cockrell, Roosevelt County.

Surpluses Use Up Valuable Soil

Surpluses not only affect farm prices but they use up valuable soil fertility in the production of commodities for which there is no market. That briefly is the way J. R. Ogden, chairman of the Eddy County PMA Committee, sums up the problem of excess production. He believes that using up soil fertility in the production of commodities which cannot be used is just as wasteful as though it had been carried away by water or wind.

By seeding the land taken out of allotment crops into grass and legumes, farmers will be carrying out one of the best conservation practices and at the same time will be helping to balance production to market needs. The grass and legumes hold the soil and add to the organic matter and humus. Reserves can be built up in the soil for increased production if and when it is needed in the future. With increasing population and a limited amount of land which can be used economically to produce food, there is need for increasing the reserves in the soil.

Shifting production from allotment crops to other crops which can be expected to reach surplus volume neither conserves the soil nor helps to bring about the necessary adjustment in production.

Ogden points out that the Agricultural Conservation Program provides assistance for a number of conservation practices having to do with the seeding and improving of stands of grass and legumes. He urged farmers of Eddy County to check with the county PMA committee on such practices to fit those practices into their adjustment plans.

Pears filled with cottage cheese, dressed with mayonnaise and served on a bed of watercress make an attractive, nourishing and delicious salad. Either fresh or canned pear halves may be used.

Quick-frozen fish, after it is thawed, should not be frozen again. It should be cooked as soon after thawing as possible.

CHRONOLOGY OF THE UNITED STATES FLAG

- June 14, 1777—Flag of 13 stars and 13 stripes authorized by Congress.
September 11, 1777—Stars and Stripes first carried in a major engagement at battle of Brandywine.
February 14, 1778—Flag received first salute from a foreign power when John Paul Jones arrived in France on USS Ranger with news of Burgoyne's surrender.
January 17, 1794—Two stars and two stripes added to the flag upon admission of Vermont and Kentucky to the Union.
September 14, 1814—Flag with 15 stars and 15 stripes used in War of 1812.
April 18, 1818—Congress authorized permanent number of stripes at 13 and added five more stars for newly admitted states.
July 4, 1846—New star for Texas added, giving the flag 28 stars in the Mexican War.
April 12, 1861—Flag on Fort Sumter carried 33 stars.
February 15, 1898—Flag on battleship Maine, sunk in Havana harbor, carried 45 stars.
July 4, 1908—The forty-sixth star added for the state of Oklahoma.
July 4, 1912—Two more stars added for Arizona and New Mexico.
July 4, 1917—The forty-eighth star added for the state of Oklahoma.

Petroleum Peggy Says

Here's a tip I'd like to pass along for spring and summer days that mean more outdoor activity for all of us. Stock up on some absorbent paper towels for the kitchen and bathroom. They will save money and work.

You all know how much dirt children pick up when they play outdoors. And anyone who goes in for gardening, painting or similar chores knows that hands can gather a lot of stubborn dirt. All of this extra hand washing is hard on kitchen and bathroom towels, especially when junior doesn't use enough soap!

One think I was surprised to learn recently is that paper towels have to be specially treated so they will soak up water. I had been under the impression that paper just naturally acted like a blotter. But, as you know, paper is made from wood and wood, of course, has gummy saps and resins in it. That kind of stuff sheds water like a duck. Extra resins have to be added, too, to give the paper "wet-strength" or the ability to hold together when wet hands rub and pull it.

REA Softball Ten Trims High School

In their first game in the municipal league, REA softball team coasted to win over the local high school team 10 to 0. The game, a senior loop contest, was played Wednesday night on the new city park field on North Thirteenth. Merritt and B. Case each scored homers for REA. The volt and ampere nine tapped Rutledge for 14 hits in five innings. Johnson gave up a quintet of hits to the high school in an equal number of innings. One hit was made off Goodwin in one inning.

Table with columns: REA (10), AB, R, H. Lists players like J. Case, Poteet, Malone, Merritt, Heathington, B. Case, Hatch, Foster, Sutton, Keys, Johnson, Goodwin with their respective stats.

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A good second day dish made from left-over roast pork can be made by combining ground leftover pork with chopped apple, bread crumbs and egg. Pour mixture in custard cups or muffin tins and bake in a 350 degree oven for 40 minutes.

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Member Keeps Five Years of CC Cards Together on Wall

A thumb tack will hold a lot of history. For example there's one downtown office that shows its consistent backing of the chamber of commerce by suspending five membership cards, representing five years in all, from one thumb tack on the wall.

Years are 1946, 1947, 1948, 1949, and 1950. The card for 1947 is a brilliant scarlet and gold; 1948, black and gold; all the others are navy blue and gold.

Mulcock Re-Elected Demo Chairman Of Precinct No. 6

At a mass meeting of Democrats of Precinct 6, the Artesia precinct, at the city hall Monday night, J. B. (Buster) Mulcock and E. M. Perry were unanimously re-elected chairman and secretary for the next two years.

At the same time 37 precinct committeemen were named, on the basis of one to every 50 or major portion thereof of the Democratic votes cast for governor at the last general election. Gov. Thomas J. Mabry at that time polled 1694 votes in the precinct. The 34 was in increase of 20 over the 14 of two years ago.

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FOR RENT—Furnished bedroom at 308 West Dallas or phone 246. 48-1tp

FOR RENT—Bedroom, air conditioned, soft water. 102 E. Grand, phone 231-R. 48-1tp

FOR RENT—Three-room furnished apartment, private bath, good bed, refrigerator. Phone 146 between 10 a. m. and 5 p. m. Couple preferred, no pets. Mrs. McNeil, 611 West Dallas. 48-1tc

FOR RENT—New unfurnished three-bedroom apartment, will pay water, \$45 month. Phone 36 or see at 901 Washington from 5 to 7 p. m. 48-1tc

FOR RENT—Four-room unfurnished apartment, 1208 W. Dallas, \$65 per month, utilities paid, no dogs. 48-2tp-49

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N. A. Box and wife to W. H. Branson and wife Lot 1 N. A. Box subdivision.

Frank J. Mullenax and wife to Elmore Preston Bullock and wife Lot 3 Block 15 Alta Vista No. 2

Ruth Brainerd Knorr to Clifton N. Perkins and wife Lot 1 and E 11 feet Lot 2 Block 1 G. R. Brainerd Redivision.

Robert M. Mitchell to Frank McClure Lot 12 Block 2 Fairay Addition.

James A. Stuart and wife to Gar-

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American Republics Corp. to W. E. Patterson and wife Lots 6 and 8 Block 21 Artesia Improvement Co. Addition.

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ACKNOWLEDGING the plaudits of the crowd during a demonstration in Red Square, Moscow, Soviet Dictator Josef Stalin (top) waves in response to the cheers that greeted him. Looking mighty pleased, the Iron Man (bottom) removes his hat, revealing that he has greyed a bit but otherwise is little changed from World War II days. (News of the day photos from International)



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Local Girl Presides As Theta Rho State Meeting Opens Here Today



JUNE E. McDORMAN
Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earle McDorman, 509 West Centre, June E. McDorman, president of New Mexico Theta Rho, presides over the fourth annual session, which opened here today, ends tomorrow.

Naylor, right supporter to the president; Alice Martin, left supporter to the president; and Corrine Aaron, page to the president.
Miss Naylor, who will be a junior next year in Artesia High School, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Naylor, 502 West Richardson. She is a past president of the Artesia club.

trant will have his choice on the topic for his float.
Dates of this year's celebration are Aug. 10, 11, 12. Sponsor is the United Veterans, incorporating the American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States of America and Disabled American Veterans.

Artesia 20-30 Club and the Jaycees are among organizations cooperating in work for the 1950 celebration.

Celebration Committees
Jack Easley, chairman; Don Bush, Bill Dunham, C. L. Withers, Bob Koonce, Brownie Emerson, publicity; Fred Jacobs, J. B. Mulcock, Lloyd Walker, grounds.

John Rogers, F. F. Elvin, John Lemley, concessions; Garland Stuart, E. B. Bullock, Julius Chandler, program and prizes; J. L. Long, Howard Whitson, ticket sales.

Bob Rodke, Butch Worthington, rodeo queen; Chuck Baldwin, Oscar Bayer, beard growing contest; Calvin Dunn, fireworks; H. B. Gilmore, dance.

Earl D. Westfall, chief of police; John Simons, Jr., Clayton Menefee, parade; Vernon Watson, Aaron Cunningham, finance; Jack Fauntleroy, Judge Roy Bean court.

There is a lot of consternation over Paul's status. The big boy almost lost next years eligibility when the rule makers talked of lowering the age limit, but this fell through.

Also a past president is Miss Martin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Martin, who resides southeast of Artesia. Miss Martin will be a classmate of Miss Naylor in the next session of Artesia schools. Miss Aaron is currently president of the local club; will be a junior next term in Artesia High School; and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Aaron, who reside southeast of Artesia, near the Martin home.

Dallas, \$15 grocery and meat order, Nelson Food.
19. Justin P. Newman, 712 Clayton, choice of any two books of fiction, Goldstein's Book & Stationery.

20. Mrs. George L. Thalman, 208 South Eighth, \$10 in trade, Artesia Furniture.

21. W. I. Trembley, Jr., 1208 Dallas, \$10 trade certificate, Mayes & Company.

22. Alice Hamilton, 809 South Roselawn, \$10 grocery order, Yeager Brothers.

Potpourri—
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handsome, blocking back was recently married to the pretty cheerleader, the former Jo Ann Housh, and as yet the little lady hasn't made up Paul's mind.

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been on the ball and known their job, it is possible some of the adjacent buildings might have gone too.

Those who criticize firemen are usually those who know the least about fire fighting and the problems involved.

For your information, in case you are planning a trip into Arizona, friends who have just returned from the West Coast said the tourist travel is extremely heavy and that accommodations at the Grand Canyon are already filled up, a condition which is seldom experienced until about the Fourth of July.

So if you are planning to visit the Grand Canyon, either make reservations in advance, or stop at Flagstaff or Williams.

We told you the other day that we had been informed David Darrin will be the next president of the United States and promised to tell more about him further down in the column. But we ran out of space, so we saved it until today.

The information came on a penny postal, which read:
"Make a start on the Kingdom of God on Earth.
"Set up a Continuous Vigil of Silent Prayers.
"Organize the U.N.E. and lasting world peace.
"Start government OF, BY, and FOR the PEOPLE.
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"Study mental and spiritual phase of animals.
"Provide all needs and growing plenty to all.
"Eliminate all financial incentives to crime.
"If you want to help do these things, write to David Darrin, next president of the United States of America. Address: 1710 G Street NW, Washington, D. C."

It's not only nice to keep up with things, but to know what to expect next.

New Highway—
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will have an enjoyable and shorter route, but they will spend some money along the route. But unless the highway is paved from end to end, it will not show on the road maps, and people unfamiliar with conditions will not travel it.

However, the chairman said, if the association is well organized and the route is advertised, travel will increase and it may be possible in time to get federal designation, which is the desire of all of the communities.
L. A. Hendrix of Alamogordo said he feels that if the road is more highly developed and advertised, there will be more travel from the Carlsbad Caverns over the

route and to the White Sands.
He suggested that not only should signs be erected and other types of advertising be used to attract travel on Highway 83, but that political pressure should be brought to bear. Both organized and individual influence should be exerted in Santa Fe and Washington he said, and a certain percentage of the funds to be raised should be set aside for expenses in carrying out this angle, Hendrix said.

Secretary Koonce is not only to submit tentative by-laws to the chairmen of the various committees in time to be studied prior to the meeting here on June 23, but is to try to get some idea as to the cost of highway signs.

The signs are to be discussed at greater length at that meeting, and it was suggested at the meeting this week that chairmen work out tentative designs to be submitted.

It was voted to have the secretary send a letter of appreciation to State Highway Commissioner Bill Prestridge of Alamogordo for his efforts in having Highway 83 improved.

Representatives of the various communities, who were registered: Welch—Vernon Parks, Fred T. Raney, J. B. Roberts, M. C. Lindsey, Elk—L. T. Bates, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. A. Reeves, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Paxton, Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Cleve, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Cleve, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Cleve, H. J. Powell and daughter Rachel.

Denver City—J. C. Reed, Leon Ward, Victor Farrar, Joe Blair. Seagraves—Gene Day, Claude Hearne, Clarence Byars. Lovington—F. L. Heidel, F. R. Stapp. Alamogordo—Jesse Cauthen, Vernon Clayton, Andrew Hendrix and daughter, Ellen.

Cloudfrot—Bud McLean, J. O. Frilick, Lewis Bradley, P. B. Hendrick, Kelly Newell, Roger Mayfield. Mayhill—Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Vreeke, Jim Mayhill. Hope—Mrs. Ida Prude, O. E. Van Winkle, Mrs. Ethel Altman, mayor, Bonnie Altman. Artesia—Mr. and Mrs. Jim Berry, Bob Koonce, manager, and Emery Carper, highway committee chairman, Artesia Chamber of Commerce; Stanley Carper, G. Taylor Cole, Doyle Hankins, R. B. Dunn, Temple Wallace, A. L. Bert editor, The Artesia Advocate; Wayne Griffin, radio station KSPV, Brownie Emerson.

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State Confab—

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buquerque; Lucille Lee, board of control, Hobbs.
Other members of the board are Marie Smith, chairman, Tucumcari and Bessie Miller, vice chairman, Albuquerque.

State Officers
June E. McDorman, Artesia, president; JoAnn Jackson, Hobbs, vice president; Emily Mundell, Tucumcari, past president; Betty Adair Warrick, Tucumcari, treasurer.

Nila Naylor, Artesia, right supporter to president; Alice Martin, Artesia, left supporter to president; June Roberts, Hobbs, right supporter to vice president.

Darlene Wynn, Farmington, left supporter to vice president; Louise Whitaker, Eunice, chaplain; Zibbe Cadell, Albuquerque, marshal.
Virginia Wallace, Roswell, conductor; Virginia Gillit, Jal, warden; June Vandagriff, Hobbs, first herald; Alice Pfeffer, Albuquerque, second herald.

Jean Pevehouse, Eunice, third herald; Jeanette Thompson, Roswell, fourth herald; Donna Keeling, Eunice, inside guardian; Eleanor Boyd, Jal, outside guardian.
Barbara Huntington, Farmington, musician; Corinne Aaron, Artesia, page to president; DeLeze Stanley, Jal, page to vice president; Jeanne Coleman, Hobbs, page to secretary.

Wanda Warmuth, San Jon, page to treasurer; Betty Thompson, Farmington, page to chaplain; Shirley Byers, Tucumcari, page to past president; Norma Jean Hurtia, Jal, custodian.
Main sessions of the convention will be held in the Veterans Memorial Building.
Program, Friday, June 16
9-2 Registration.
12 Luncheon for advisors, Board of Control and Club Presidents (guests of Artesia Rebekah lodge).
2 Admission of a Rebekah Sister—Eunice; drill, San Jon; memorial service, Eunice.
7-30 Formal opening; instruction and seating of state officers, Artesia; drill, Alamogordo; welcome by Past Noble Grand, Corrine Lanning; response, Hattie Clark; welcome by Rebekah, Mable Hannah; response, JoAnn Jackson; welcome by Odd Fellows, Dr. Ed Stone; re-

sponse, Wayne Paulin; welcome by Theta Rho girl, Corinne Aaron; response, Adair Warrick.

Ritualistic work: Open, Tucumcari; ballot, Roswell; initiation, ritual, Artesia; obligation, Hobbs; tableau, Farmington; initiation prayer, Hobbs; close, Jal.
Saturday, June 17
7:30 State officers breakfast (guests of the state president).
8:30 Entrance of state officers; opening ceremony; roll call of officers; minutes of the last meeting; introduction of distinguished guests; election of officers; secretaries reports; presidents reports; state president's report; selection of meeting place for 1951; state officers retire.

12 Luncheon for presidents, past presidents and vice presidents (guests of Artesia Aebekah lodge).
1:30 Entrance of state officers; drill, Albuquerque; presentation of awards; state president's farewell address; installation, Hobbs; closing ceremony.
6:30 Banquet. Guest speaker, Rev. Ralph O'Dell, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Artesia.
9 Formal dance.

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Artesia's August—

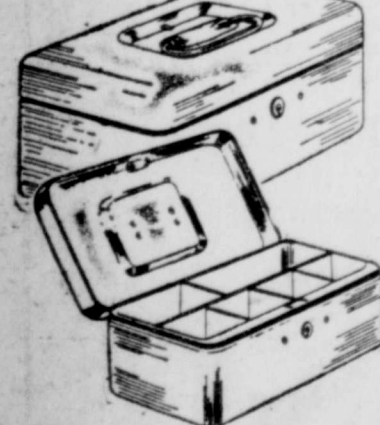
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the summer of 1947 when the United Veterans Club took over, the first V-J celebration was held.
"We had a parade, a square dance contest, old fiddlers' contest, dance, hotrod races and a speech on guided missiles by a major from Alamogordo," Bush recalls.

He cited figures on the cost of the celebration. In 1947 it was only \$1200. Next year, the figure zoomed to \$7500; 1949, \$10,000; this year the budget figure is \$12,000. The increase from \$1200 to \$12,000, a ten-fold gain, vividly demonstrates how the idea of the V-J celebration is gaining ground in rapid-fire fashion.

It is a vignette of public spirit and an exemplification of faith in the community.
Getting back to the financial side, Bush estimated that out of the \$10,000 gross of last year \$9000 remained in Artesia.

"Last year the response of the public was heart-warming," Bush commented. "They really got into the spirit of the event."
Dance Team Popular
A top publicity medium for celebrations of the past has been motored to neighboring towns and the appearance of the United Veterans square dance team.

Women on the team use 11 yards of material in their skirts. Men's shorts are of the same color as the skirts of their partners. The ladies blouses are white.
The team is composed of Mr. and



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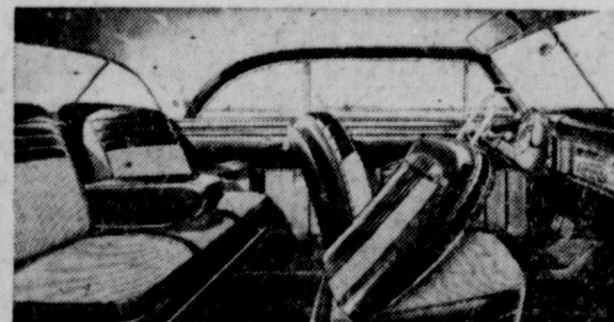


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Twelve Methodist Young Folk Offer Church Life Work

Consecration service for a dozen young folks who will take up full-time Christian service as ministers, religious education directors, and missionaries was salient in the program of the 1950 New Mexico South Assembly.

Annual gathering of New Mexico Methodist youth, ages 15 to 23, was held June 5-12 at Sacramento, California. Attendance was 163. Rev. R. L. Williams, pastor of the First Methodist Church of Artesia, was assembly dean, a position to which he was re-elected.

The consecration service was conducted Sunday, June 11, one day prior to the conclusion of the gathering.

Date of the assembly next year will be determined at a meeting of the newly-elected officers to be held during the Christmas holidays, probably at Sacramento.

A sequel to the youth assembly will be the one for intermediates, June 12, 13, and 14, to open Monday, June 19, and end Saturday, June 24.

Young people will have their convalescence from 10-15. The classification is for boys and girls 9, 10, and 11 years.

Both intermediate and junior assemblies will be at the Sacramento camp.

Among Artesia intermediates attending the session for that group will be Eileen and Eileen Marshall, Eileen Miller, Marsha Rowley, Marjorie Saikin, Willa Green, Sylvia Green.

New youth assembly officers are: Jack Hall, El Paso, president; Kenneth Harrington, Rosedale, vice president; Barbara Shryock, El Paso, secretary; Shirley Tucker, Albuquerque, treasurer; May Alice Huggins, Odessa, Texas, publicity director.

Commission chairmen: Jeanette Bowman, Clovis, work and evangelism; Rosendo Martinez, El Paso, community service; Helen Hall, El Paso, world friendship; David Goble, El Paso, recreation.

Warren Kesselring, graduate radio and television engineer, formerly of Tulsa, Okla., has bought the radio repair business of Bill Everest and opened his business as Warren's Radio Shop, at 305 South Fourth Street. Everest is operating on Adams Avenue.

Kesselring is a brother of Mrs. B. Champion and a nephew of Frank Smith of Artesia.

He is married and has an 8-month-old son, Greg. They are moving for the present with Mr. and Mrs. Smith.

Kesselring served with the Corps of Engineers in World War II and was in service in Europe.

He is a graduate in radio and television engineering from the Bryson School of Aeronautics and has the last two years has been working for an appliance company in Tulsa.

CITY OF ARTESIA, ARTESIA, NEW MEXICO

Notice of bids for water meters. Sealed bids will be received by the City Clerk of the City of Artesia, New Mexico, at the City Hall until 7:00 p. m. on June 23, 1950, for furnishing water meters to the City of Artesia for the period of July 1, 1950 to June 30, 1951, under the following specifications and requirements.

200 to 500 3/4 inch water meters with couplings or the equivalent in larger sizes. Meters shall meet Artesia's specifications of all bronze and interior mechanism and reading in gallons.

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All bids shall be F.O.B. Artesia, New Mexico, and shall be on a contract form made out by the bidder and shall show quotations on 3/4 inch meters, 1 inch meters, 1 1/2 inch meters, and 2 inch meters.

The City reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any formalities and to award contract to whomsoever they deem best for the interest of the City.

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Until recently, the corn earworm has prevented profitable sweet corn growing, especially in the South. Sometimes every ear in a crop is infested. Such corn cannot be sold.

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R. A. Blanchard, bureau entomologist, developed the method. He tested it in the field during three growing seasons in Texas, Mississippi, Missouri, and Illinois. Earworms were controlled in ever instance, he reports.



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Do You Own 73 Winchester? It's Good for New One

Brand new 30-30 sporting rifles suitable for deer, bear, coyotes and the like are awaiting 20 persons who are the unsuspecting owners of one of America's rarest and least known variety of what has been described as the most famous rifle of the early West. The rifle for which a nationwide dragnet is now out is the "One of One Thousand" variety of the lever action Winchester 73.

Any readers of this paper who qualify will receive a new rifle with the compliments of Universal Pictures and The Advocate.

Since the publication of an article in the May issue of the official journal of the National Rifle Association of America started the search, Universal Pictures, which made its new Jimmy Stewart movie, "Winchester 73" about one of these guns, has announced that the first 20 persons who satisfactorily report their ownership of one of these rare rifles will receive a brand new Model 94 deer rifle. The Model 94 is a modern descendant of the Model 73.

How many of the "One of One Thousand" rifles still survive after some 75 years since they were produced is not known. They were only made from 1875 through 1881. There may not be many. If any are found, it is possible that some as yet unknown chapters in American history will be revealed.

The first news that Universal would give a new gun for word about the old ones was announced by Bobby Benson, youthful gun lover and cowboy star on his "Bar-B Riders" radio program broadcast over more than 400 stations of the Mutual network.

The conditions under which the rifles will be awarded follow:

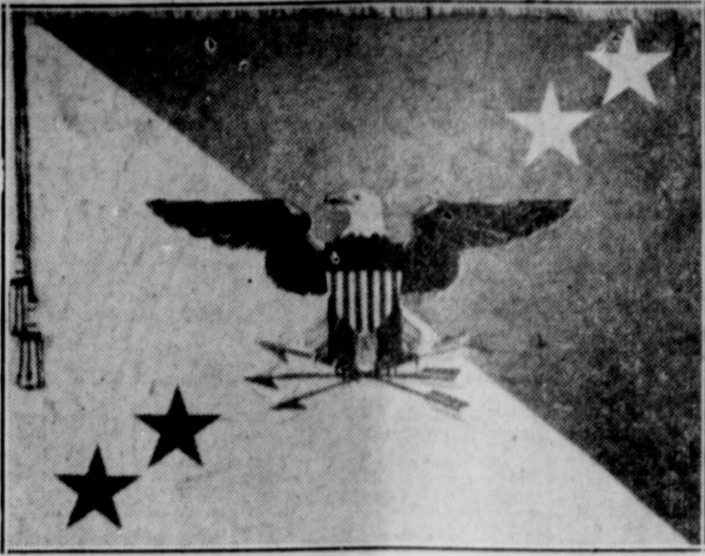
The rifle must be a Model 1873 Winchester and have the words "One of One Thousand" engraved on the top of the barrel just ahead of the receiver. The present owner must supply a photograph of the engraved words "One of One Thousand" and a notarized letter stating his ownership, serial number of the rifle and such facts regarding the previous ownership or history if known. Precedence to determine the first 20 reported will be determined by the postmark of the letter which should be addressed to: Mary Jester Allen, niece of "Winchester 73" Department, Universal Pictures Company, Inc., 445 Park Avenue, New York 22, N. Y.

Only 124 of the "One of One Thousand" Model 73 rifle were produced. One of them was loaned by Winchester to Universal-International to play the leading role in the movie, "Winchester 73." The rifle actually is the hero. Winchester also made two duplicates for standby use should the original be damaged or lost in production. The stand-bys were never used.

The present search is for the whereabouts of the other 123 "One of One Thousand" rifles. While only 124 were made of this variety, a total of 720,610 Model 73's were produced by Winchester from 1873 to 1924 when that model was discontinued.

Known as "the gun that won the West," the Model 73 has been used throughout the West and in many other parts of the world. The equally famous 44-40 ammunition which it fired was also used in the Colt six-shooter. At various times this ammunition was used as money and such cartridges are included in the world-famous currency collection of 80,000 items owned by the Chase National Bank in New York.

Another famous Model 73 is making news this year when one used by Buffalo Bill will be presented to the Buffalo Bill Museum in Cody, Wyo., on July 4. This rifle is owned by Col. Walter F. Siegmund, an executive of Winchester, who will give the gun to the Cody Museum during the "Frontier Days Celebration." It will be received by Mary Jester Allen, niece of "Winchester 73" Department, Universal Pictures Company, Inc., 445 Park Avenue, New York 22, N. Y.



SYMBOL OF MILITARY MIGHT—This Flag of the Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, in the language of heraldry, tells the story of America's postwar military might. The over-all theme is unity. The 13 stripes on the shield are the early colonies. The blue stripe above is Congress, forging the states into one nation. The American eagle clutching three golden arrows representing the Army, Navy and Air Force, striking as one. The upper triangle is blue and the lower white. The flag recently was presented to General Omar N. Bradley.

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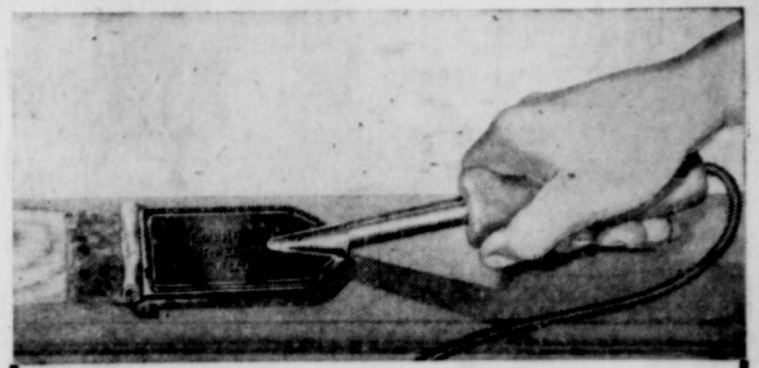
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'Farm Safety Week' To Stress Common Sense In Prevention

"National Farm Safety Week" will be observed this year July 23-29.

Safety authorities say the farm accident picture is blacker than it needs to be. It includes an annual 17,500 fatalities from accidents and a million and a half disabling injuries. Also, about 35,000 buildings are destroyed every year by fire. The annual loss, much of it preventable, is estimated at about one billion dollars.

The 1950 campaign will center around accident prevention. The emphasis is on safety rules. These rules are applied common sense. If followed generally, they would reduce materially the number of accidents and fires. They are not imposed rules, but rather rules the individual is asked to adopt as his own, for his own safety and the safety of others. "Learn and Obey Farm Safety Rules" is the theme of the whole effort.



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Hangar Flying

Those who have applied for a commercial course under GI Bill training in the last week are R. L. Barnett and Felix Farmer.
Earle Allen of the New Mexico Asphalt & Refining Company was flown to Gorman, Texas, Saturday by Herman Fuchs in the Beech.
Hugh Moutray flew to Santa Fe Thursday of last week on business and returned Friday.

R. L. Hall of Flagstaff, Ariz., flew in to Artesia Saturday morning. He was accompanied by his small daughter. They visited the family of Mr. Hall's wife at Hope, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Young.
High winds have slowed down flying this week.
Otto Parham was flown to Temple, Texas, Friday of last week by Bob Ehle. Ehle returned by way of Snyder, Texas, to visit "Red" Davidson, who is running the air-

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FRIDAY - SATURDAY

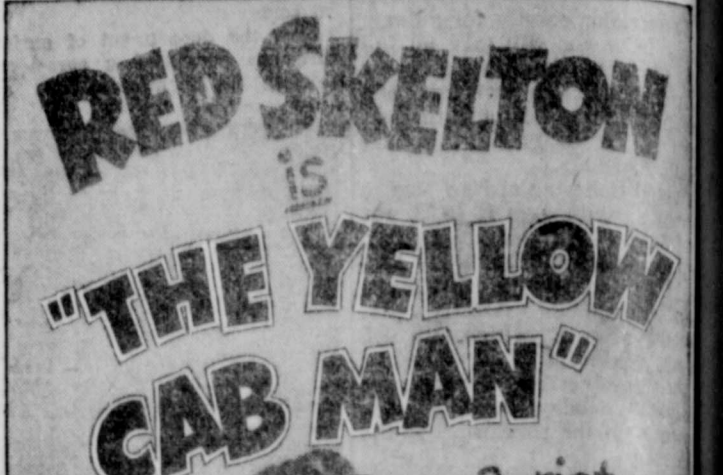
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port there this summer.

Gene Sherwood and Gerry Perry left last week end for North New Mexico to spend a few days vacationing on the Pecos. Gerry was a student at Albuquerque last winter.
Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Lund and daughter, Helen, flew to El Paso Sunday morning.

Herman Fuchs flew to Snyder, Texas, Sunday morning.

Those who flew to Carlsbad for coffee Sunday, were H. T. Marshall, O. L. Lusk, and B. F. Parker.

R. T. Wilson flew to Lubbock Sunday morning to pick up a passenger, E. J. McCurdy of Fort Worth, Texas.

Cloudy weather prevailed over last week end.
H. P. Termain of the New Mexico Asphalt & Refining Company has really flown cross-country last week. He returned from Wichita, Kan., flew to Fort Worth, returned from Fort Worth, flew to Albuquerque, returned from Albuquerque, flew to El Paso, returned from El Paso, flew to Fort Worth, from Fort Worth to Denver, and Denver to Artesia.

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

GREGORIA A. ESPARZA, Plaintiff,
vs.
PILAR T. ESPARZA, Defendant.

NOTICE OF PENDING SUIT
THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO PILAR T. ESPARZA,
GREETINGS:

You are hereby notified that an action has been commenced and is now pending in the District Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, wherein Gregoria A. Esparza as plaintiff is seeking a divorce and custody of the minor child born of this marriage, from you as defendant on the ground of incompatibility, said cause being No. 11766 on the Civil Docket of said Court.

You are further notified that unless you enter your appearance in said cause on or before the 29th

day of July, 1950, judgment by default will be rendered against you and the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the Complaint.

A. J. LOSEE is attorney for the plaintiff, and his office and post office address is Carper Building, Artesia, New Mexico.
WITNESS my hand and seal of the District Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, on this 14th day of June, 1950.
(SEAL) Marguerite E. Waller, Clerk of the District Court, Carlsbad, New Mexico, 48-41-F-54

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

JOHN PRICE, et al, Plaintiffs,
vs.
SAN DIEGO, EL PASO AND ST. LOUIS RAILWAY COMPANY, a dissolved corporation, et al, Defendants.

NOTICE OF PENDING SUIT
THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO:

SAN DIEGO, EL PASO AND ST. LOUIS RAILWAY COMPANY, a dissolved corporation; defendant, impleaded with the following named defendants against whom substituted service is hereby sought to be obtained, to-wit: SAN DIEGO, EL PASO AND ST. LOUIS RAILWAY COMPANY, a dissolved corporation; DEPARTMENT OF

FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS OF THE STATE OF INDIANA; The following named defendant by name, if living, if deceased, his unknown heirs; SAMUEL G. BISER, as trustee for The Wayne International Building and Loan Association of Wayne County, Indiana, his successors and assigns; Unknown heirs of the following named deceased person: ALONZO R. FEEMSTER, and ALL UNKNOWN CLAIMANTS OF INTEREST IN THE PREMISES ADVERSE TO THE PLAINTIFFS, GREETINGS:

You, and each of you, are hereby notified that an action has been commenced and is now pending in the District Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, wherein John Price, Mamie Price, Earl Lemons Williams, formerly Earl Lemons, and Robert L. Williams are plaintiffs and you, and each of you, are defendants, said cause being No. 11765 on the Civil Docket of said Court.

That the general objects of said action are to quiet and set at rest the plaintiffs respective titles in fee simple, to the following described property situated in Eddy County, New Mexico, to-wit:

Tract No. 1 Lot 9 in Block 1 of the Thompson Subdivision of Block 29 of the Fairview Addition to the City of Artesia, Eddy County, New Mexico.
Tract No. 2 Lot 15 in Block 2 of the Thompson Subdivision of Block 29 of the Fairview Addition to the City of Artesia, Eddy County, New Mexico, with Tract No. 1 subject to a valid

mortgage in favor of the Artesia Investment Company.

You, and each of you, are further notified that unless you enter your appearance in said cause on or before the 29th day of July, 1950, judgment by default will be rendered in said cause against each of you so failing to appear, and plaintiffs will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the Complaint.

A. J. LOSEE is attorney for the plaintiffs, and his office and post office address is Carper Building, Artesia, New Mexico.

WITNESS my hand and seal of the District Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, on this 14th day of June, 1950.
(SEAL) Marguerite E. Waller, Clerk of the District Court, Carlsbad, New Mexico, 48-41-F-54

Mix a can of condensed vegetable soup and a pound of cubed bologna, simmer 10 minutes with 4 cups of boiling water. Add browned cubed onion, green pepper and spices for a delectable dish.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT IN AND FOR EDDY COUNTY, STATE OF NEW MEXICO

JUANITA DEWITT, Plaintiff,

vs.
D. A. DEWITT, Defendant.

NOTICE OF PENDING SUIT
STATE OF NEW MEXICO, to D. A. DEWITT, GREETING:

You will take notice that there has been filed in the District Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, a civil action numbered 11762 on the docket of said Court, wherein JUANITA DEWITT is plaintiff and you, D. A. DEWITT, are the defendant; that the purposes of said suit are to secure a decree of divorce from you, the defendant, and that unless you appear, answer or defend herein on or before the 29th day of July, 1950, the

plaintiff will apply to the Court for relief prayed for in her complaint filed herein and judgment will be entered against you in said cause.

MILFORD D. ESTILL is attorney for the plaintiff, and his office address is Ward Building, Artesia, New Mexico.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I, hereunto set my hand and affix my official seal, this 13th day of June, 1950.
(SEAL) Marguerite E. Waller, Clerk of the District Court, Carlsbad, New Mexico, 48-41-F-54

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Mr. and Mrs. Kersey Funk, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Whately, and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Caffal and their families of Dexter spent last Sunday in Cloudercroft.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Thorson of Roswell spent the week end here visiting Mrs. Ruth Bates and Mrs. Groma.

Wesley Lane of Ruidoso spent the week end here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Lane.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Norris and Mrs. Hobbs spent the week end here visiting friend and relatives. They returned to Hobbs Sunday afternoon.

Miss Margaret Murphy, who has been ill the last several weeks, is now getting along nicely although she has not returned to work. She is the Santa Fe Railway agent here.

Lake Ray and Betty Jane spent the day on last week in Ruidoso. Visiting in the home of Mr. and

Mrs. J. M. Jones last week end were his brother, J. A. Jones, and a niece, Mrs. Allen Graham, and her two sons, Gene and Danny, from Midlothian, Texas, and Fern Carley and Nelma Hine, great-nieces, of Waxahachie, Texas. They also went through the Carlsbad Caverns and left from there Monday to go to El Paso, where they planned to visit other relatives before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kintz and family spent last week in San Antonio, Texas, visiting relatives.

Mrs. C. E. Lannon and Mrs. Malcolm Sale of Roswell spent Thursday afternoon.

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day of last week with Mrs. E. C. Jackson.

John Hedges and family of San Antonio, Texas, spent last week end here visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Ned Hedges.

A large crowd attended the community gathering and shower for the town hall last Monday night at the high school gymnasium. Games, which everyone, young and old, enjoyed, were directed by Tiny Faye Jones, county home extension agent; Tom Jones, extension agent, and Mrs. Mary B. Nelson, assistant extension agent, of Roswell. After games were played, E. C. Jackson surprised O. E. Smith, mayor, by presenting him a beautiful wrist watch and a desk chair for the town hall, on behalf of the community. Mayor Smith also received many dishes for the town hall.

After receiving the gifts, he gave a speech of thanks. Homemade ice cream and cake were served to everyone by the 4-H Club girls.

Mrs. Mabel Pate presented a piano recital at her home last Tues-

day afternoon. Those who presented piano numbers were Abbie Pearson, "Theme from Liebestraum;" Jeanette Kintz, "Two Little Shoes Waltz;" Martha Ann Cabot, "Run Away River;" Virginia Graham, "Traffic Cop;" Jacqueline Kintz, "My Papa's Waltz;" Terry Jane Gray and Abbie Pearson, "Marines Hymn;" James McNeil, "The Scissors Grinder;" Martha Ann Cabot, "Swans on the Lake;" Jeanette Kintz, "Faries Harp;" Abbie Pearson, "Viennese Melody;" Clare McNeill, "The Kangrooster;" Terry Jane Gray, "Fairy Barque;" Virginia Graham, "The Man in the Moon;" Terry Jane Gray and Abbie Pearson, "Theme from New World Symphony;" Jackie McNeil, "From a Wigwam;" Jimmie Day McNeil, "Comin' Around the Mountain." Parents attending the recital were Mmes. J. W. McNeil, Ralph Pearson, Bill Jack Graham, N. H. Cabot, John Kintz, and T. J. Terry and Mr. and Mrs. McNeil. After the recital, coffee, cold drinks, and cookies were served by Mrs. Pate.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Warren and A. J. Warren of Horton, Texas, and Nick Renner of Andrews, Texas, visited Rev. and Mrs. Alvie Taylor and family Monday and Tuesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Crook and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mitchell and family left Tuesday for Hot Springs on a fishing trip.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lane and Viola spent Sunday of last week in Carrizozo visiting relatives.

Artesia Methodist Ministers Attend Conclave at Pecos

Three ministers from the Artesia section attended the Pecos Valley annual district preachers meeting

held Tuesday, June 13, in First Methodist Church, Pecos.

The session was routine planning and quota assigning. Attendance totaled 28. The district includes Artesia, Roswell, Carlsbad, Lovington, in this state; Pecos, Monahans, Odessa, Fort Stockton, Fort Davis and Odessa, in Texas.

Present from the Artesia sector were Rev. R. L. Willingham, pastor of First Methodist, Artesia; Rev. C. A. Clark, pastor, Sherman Memorial and Rev. Charles Mitchell, pastor of Lake Arthur and Cottonwood Methodist churches.

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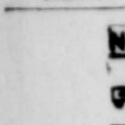
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Let's Find The Way

WE ARE STILL FIRMLY CONVINCED that strikes and walkouts are not the way to settle labor differences.

They always cost everyone—the union member, the employer and the public. In many instances those not connected with the labor dispute are penalized or suffer because of the walkout.

These disputes and arguments are going to continue, we are sure, unless we find peaceful ways to settle these differences.

But the money we lose and the time we lose in these strikes can never be regained. It is lost—lost forever.

But for years now we have gone along with our walkouts and our strikes. And seemingly they are going to continue in the years ahead.

We are still of the opinion that America, which has been able to work out many of the problems we have faced, has men who are capable and able to work out ways and means to settle these strikes without labor losing its pay and time and without industry being halted.

We are confident there never has been a strike called when all of the blame was on one side. As a rule there are usually two sides to these strikes. And both sides have a right to be heard.

And we presume there are unfair practices and unfair tactics on both sides of these questions. There may be cases when all of the blame is on one side.

But the point we are concerned about is not so much the differences or who is or isn't to blame but rather ways and means to settle these disputes and to keep production rolling, keep the men working and keep the payroll intact.

We all know our present method of settling strikes is a far too costly method for the good and the welfare of the nation.

At times we appreciate and realize strikes are called because contracts have not been kept. And there should be ways and means to require both labor and employment to stand by their agreements and their contracts. There should be sufficient honor on both sides for this to be done but that has not proven to be the case.

And contracts, which are made and not kept, have no value and just as well not be made.

There is no question but what those who have the investment; who are taking the chance; are operating the business and providing the jobs are entitled to a fair return on their investment. They have to make it if we expect them to continue to operate.

Labor is entitled to a fair return based on ability to produce or their production and the ability of the firm to pay wages in keeping with their demands.

But the fact still remains that employees are only worth what they can help earn for their employer. If they are not helping the employer to make money then they have no value to the employer.

But for years now we have gone along with the number of strikes growing in number; the workers involved increasing; the cost climbing. Strikes always cost all involved and many not directly involved.

And surely there are ways and means for these differences to be settled and ways and means for us to solve our labor disputes in a satisfactory manner and yet a less costly manner than the one we employ today.

And it is time for the good of the nation and the people of the nation to find that method and to put it into operation.—O.E.P.

Activities Clearinghouse

WE HAVE ADVOCATED time and again a clearinghouse for all activities in the Artesia community—those which the public is expected to attend. But still we have conflicts.

We are certain that neither the Artesia Lions Club nor the Artesia Roping Club had any desire to hurt the other, but they conflicted on dates for their respective carnival and rodeo.

Members of both organizations realize they have a better whack at the public's dollar if there is no conflicting attraction, so if for no other reason than that they would not plan to hold an entertainment at the same time as the other.

This has happened numerous times before, always hurting the sponsors of both attractions.

It is not done to pull against the other fellow. But rather it is a matter of coincidence. Both groups reach into the hat and come up with the same dates. By the time the conflict is noticed it is too late to do anything about it. And then both suffer.

A clearinghouse has not only been proposed a number of times in these columns, but it has been used. However, more frequently than not no one has taken the trouble to find out if there is some other conflicting entertainment or other affair.

We do not believe such a list has been kept for a number of months.

About all we know to do is to set up a calendar of coming events, similar to our social calendar on the women's page, but carrying it ahead a matter of weeks or months, instead of just a few days.

For instance, it is many weeks away, but the

annual V-J Day celebration is scheduled—on Aug. 10-12. That celebration should be listed, not that anyone doesn't know about it, but to keep it constantly before the eyes of the public. We hardly think anyone will book another attraction on those dates.

Then there is the annual good-will trip on June 22-23.

We could name a number of them here, but will not do so. But we will list them in our calendar of coming events, which will make its initial appearance in this issue.

In no way will we attempt to arbitrate in regard to dates. We will merely list them. And then if someone comes along with a conflicting date, we will list it also. Of course, we will be happy to point out to the second group announcing a date that someone else has already made plans on that day or those days.

There will be no charge for listings. We will reserve the right to refuse listings, however. In short, any event for which there is to be a charge must be for the benefit of some recognized and worthwhile organization, or it will not go in the list—at any price. The decision will be that of The Advocate staff.

This is being done in order to help all local groups do well with their entertainments, to keep down conflicts, and to do another public service, which we believe is the duty of any newspaper.

So if you have something of a public—or even a semi-public—nature coming up, let us know and we'll put it in the calendar. We likewise will slip them in on our own, if we hear about them.—A.L.B.

It Is Your Money

WE DON'T KNOW OF ANYTHING which irritates us any more than to have a public officer holder tell us what he has done for the good citizens with the taxpayers' money.

Yet repeatedly we hear what some politician has done for us. He pats himself on the back and tells you what a good job he has done and what he has given you—you citizens and taxpayers who provide the very money he receives in salary.

But he will tell you what he has given you and done for you—how he has spent your own money to help you and your community and your county.

It is frequently true, of course, that this does prove to be the case insofar as seeing you get your share of your own money invested in your community or your county. But even then he is only doing the thing he is supposed to do as your official or your representative.

The thing, of course, we are becoming more and more interested in is not just that we get our share of the expenditure of public funds but we are also getting more concerned about the amount of these public funds being spent as well as the amount of taxes being collected.

And we should become concerned about that. We are going to have to take even more interest than we have been taking in the biggest business of our nation—governmental business. And this, of course, is our business even though we have neglected it and ignored it for a good many years.

We feel confident, however, when we do reach the realization we have gone about as far as we can go in providing funds that as citizens, taxpayers and voters we will call a halt.

We are going to have to do that. We can't either borrow or spend ourselves rich. And we have a perfect right to expect and even to demand that our public officials and our representatives not only see we receive our share of the spending of public funds but that this money all be wisely spent.

It is about time for us to tell some of the politicians who are always telling us what they have given us or done for us that they have only given us back some of the money we have spent in taxes—it is our money they are giving to us and not theirs.—O.E.P.

First Defense

THAT SPEAKER, who does not want to accept the responsibility for what he says or who frequently isn't sure what he said in a public address, always resorts to the old familiar denial of what he said by contending he was misquoted.

That, of course, has become a common practice. The trouble, of course, isn't that the speaker was misquoted but rather it is his or her failure to fully know and understand what they were saying and not fully appreciating that something said in public may sound all right but when it is printed in black and white it doesn't sound so good.

The first defense that any speaker attempts to throw up when he is quoted and doesn't get the reaction he desires or when he is severely criticized on condemned is that he was misquoted.

It is true, of course, that speakers can be misquoted but nine times out of 10 those who are quoting the speaker either directly or indirectly, are sufficiently familiar with covering speeches that he is quoting the speaker correctly.

The reporter or newspaper man knows that his story will be questioned if the speaker doesn't like it; he knows that he must be accurate or as near accurate as possible.

And he doesn't take any chances. He is probably far more careful in quoting the speaker than the speaker was careful in checking and going over his or her speech to be sure they were saying what they wanted to say.

And so we are always just a little amused when this phrase "I was misquoted or my speech was misinterpreted" comes up after some speaker has been condemned for what he had to say.

The fact is this defense is becoming a little trite and if a few more speakers would be a little more careful in what they say; be sure their phrases and sentences convey the meaning they want to convey instead of a half dozen meanings; and would not go out on a limb in voicing some wild idea and opinion of their own there wouldn't have to be so many of them defending themselves and what they actually said after they have made a speech.

It is well to think twice in making our talks—they always look different in black and white than they do when we just turn ourselves loose and let words flow.—O.E.P.

A man caught stealing stamps from a Michigan post office should be sentenced to write with a post office pen.

Slacks on the job and knee pants on the beach—there's the longs and shorts of it for women this coming summer.

Stale air is actually injurious, according to a doctor. Then why does that young girl next door keep right on practicing them on the piano?

Now is a good time to tip you off to the greatest shoe value of all. Drive the flies away from the baby!

'BACKWARD AREA' DEFINITELY INTERESTED!



Assignment New Mexico

By G. Ward Fenley

An AP news release from Santa Fe said that births and deaths for a recent month were lower than for the corresponding month last year.

The news struck me square dab between the eyes as giving the idea the good old human race (in New Mexico, that is) is becoming kinda static. Nobody gettin' borned and nobody kicking the bucket. 'Tain't So, Brother

The idea of a world-static condition is false to the core. In New Mexico one never knows what sort of varmint he's going to run into just around the corner.

Two Silver City families, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tatch, ran on to (literally) an antelope in the Cliff area. Stunning the animal by the car impact, Messrs. Goss and Tatch alighted to examine him.

Touching the animal, he arose suddenly and climbed body and soul into the front seat. After forcible extraction, he walked calmly off, leaving a copious amount of blood and hair on the seat covers. Mrs. Goss worked three hours cleaning up the mess.

You Just Never Can Tell
The Artesia Advocate, if you can believe A. L. (Pot) Bert, says an Artesian (resident, not well), Mr. R. H. Hayes, stepped from his front door into the teeth of a windstorm with the result that the onslaught was so severe that the windblown gravel nicked his gold-filled tooth. Required dental services.

There's something in the Southeast New Mexico air that tends to make things bigger than they are. It's catching. Carlbad's Jack Sitton has been taking the cake but Hobbs' Bob McGrath is running him a close race—not political.

Maybe the exaggerated size of things comes because they're so close to Texas.

Anyway, The Hobbs News-Sun has come up with a 10-month-old youngster, Danny Truett Carter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Truett Carter, who has a dark brown left eye and a light blue right eye.

Jimmie Barber, Raton sage who writes an intensely interesting column in The Range, says Raton will never become a bona fide tourist center until the city develops a snake farm. Snakes are rampant this time of year up on Goat Hill, according to Jimmie and H. Allen Smith.

Another way to get in the news,

Assignment New Mexico

By G. Ward Fenley

A certain Mr. Carl E. Burdick of Suffolk, Va., wrote a little epistle to Earl Miller, as quoted in The Pecos Valley News at Hope.

"Dear Mr. Miller: Hope you stand true and it will not be long until you are out from under the weight of the petticoats. It never was intended for women to rule. Hope you hold the fort until the men get back in their proper place."

Now Mr. Burdick, that's what we call vain hopes for Hope. One way or another, women always will have and always will rule the world. Personally, I'm beginning to like it. My wife has been gone just one week on a three-month vacation and I've had burnt toast six of the seven mornings. Oh, well, they say charcoal is good for the teeth.

A good woman can keep you out of a lot of bad company also. I see where, according to The Gallup Independent, that a man was hauled into the Albuquerque court for getting soured. He said he got in bad company.

"How?" asked the judge.
Replied the drunk: "You see judge I was out with three men and I had a bottle of Scotch. The other three were teetotalers and don't touch the stuff."

And in conclusion, that's all this week except what Daniel said as he was thrown in the lions' den: "At least there won't be any speech after this banquet."

Uncle Bill Says

By William Robinson

Next Sunday, June 18, is generally recognized as Father's Day in these United States. Generally that is all that is done about the alleged anniversary of those persons who are primarily responsible for our being here. So far Congress and the Legislature have declined to make and few do, canned Very few columnists and preachers turn loose any extended links of bologna on account of it.

In many homes the author of it all is presented a necktie that sometimes shocks his sense of propriety. Really practical and rational mothers have recognized the proper make-up for dinner on this day of days. It consists of fried chicken with brown gravy, potatoes that are really mashed, biscuits such as all housewives ought to make and few do, canned peaches, apple pie with cream cheese, one about as easy to attain as the other, actual coffee instead of the "instant" stuff, with a dish of "granny grum" at the point where they usually call it dessert. If he is really lucky he gets a ham-

burger with axle grease on it. All of which doesn't matter. He has been hardened by experience and won't be surprised.

All of which is all right with Father, who will accept it as the normal thing when he gets the bill for whatever is given him, goes to church with mother and with about one chance in 90 that he will hear the preacher's imagination attune itself to music in speaking of the father who tried his best to make something out of son, generally making anything except a dazzling success out of the poor material he had to use.

Most of us Americans are not sentimentalists and don't overdo Dad. With most of us, he is rated as a good old scout, a friend and a pal in fair weather or four, who has forgotten more than most of us will ever know.

Honor him on June 18, of course. You ought to do it every other 18th in the year.

20-30 Club Election Scheduled Monday

Election of officers is scheduled for the next meeting of Artesia 20-30 Club to be held Monday night, June 19, in the Artesia Hotel basement clubroom.

Officers tenure is for six months. Lowe Wickersham is present president.

Discussion of the club-sponsored Boy Scout Troop 79, soon to have a camp near Bear Canyon, and of the state convention to be held in Albuquerque, beginning today, ending Sunday, was business of this week's session.

Gail Ray is delegate of the Artesia club.

Attendance at the chicken fried steak supper meeting totaled 12.

Special Day Plan Suggested as Way To Increase Trade

A questionnaire concerning a special event designed to increase retail sales will be prepared by Artesia Chamber of Commerce for distribution among Artesia merchants.

The publication is a result of a discussion held at a meeting of the merchants committee at 8 o'clock Tuesday night in the Artesia Hotel basement clubroom.

Name of the event talked about is a community wide "special" day, which would be similar to the typical dollar day elsewhere but would be free of the "dollar" name angle.

The first Monday, Wednesday, or Thursday of each month has been proposed as the time of the "special" day.

Attending the meeting were committee members, Beach Barton, chairman, W. W. Huber, George Fowler, C. C. Nelson, L. I. Austin, Irvin Golstein, stationer, and Ralph Lennon, hotel manager; Bob Koonce, manager, Chamber of Commerce; and Wayne Griffin, of Radio Station KSPV.

Artesia Man Chosen Director of State Funeral Directors

Two Artesia girls were elected as mayors of two of the four mythical cities of Girls State, in the citizenship training course held this week in Portales.

They were Kay Booker, who was elected the chief executive of Oregon City, and Geraldine Blount, elected to the main office of Sandia City.

Inside WASHINGTON

MARCH OF EVENTS

Senate Probers Wonder Why 'Big Shots' Not Prosecuted | Congress May Be Adjourned By Mid-August—Predictions
Special to Central Press

WASHINGTON—Senate crime probers have a lot of embarrassing questions they want to ask the Internal Revenue Bureau about why certain bigtime racketeers and gamblers haven't been prosecuted. For instance, in one West Coast case, three men were partners in a gambling casino. One of the men died, leaving only a small estate according to his formal will.

Later, a secret will turned up showing assets of \$672,000. The government—federal, state and local—eventually got \$610,000 of this. However, the Internal Revenue Bureau had been watching the tax returns of the three men for some time and hadn't turned to the doctore until a lawyer for the heirs reported it.

But what the crime hunters want to know is this: if the dead man was in partnership with two other men and it finally developed that he had \$672,000 in unreported income, why hasn't the Bureau gone after the other two?

● FAST GETAWAY—The two men who will have most to say about when this session of Congress ends are the two with the greatest reason to get home early—Senate Majority Leader Scott Lucas (D), Illinois, and GOP policy chief Robert A. Taft (R), Ohio. Both are up for re-election and face stiff campaign battles.

Taft began his campaign last autumn when he spent weeks in Ohio hitting every county with explanations of the issues aimed primarily at independent voters. Opposed by organized labor, however, he still has a lot of work to do in his race with Democratic Joe Ferguson.

Lucas is regarded as being in a more difficult position because his leadership duties have kept him more closely tied to Washington. Former Rep. Everett Dirksen, Republican, has been stumping Illinois for more than a year.

It looks now like a mid-August adjournment—time enough for Lucas and Taft already have had a preliminary talk about what bills shall be considered in the time remaining.

● POLITICAL MOTIVES—An unasked question hangs heavy over an administration proposal to divorce the extension service for local farm bureaus in some 12 or 13 states where formal agreements still exist.

With the Agriculture department urging the step at this time, the thought naturally arises that it could be an attempt to discipline the American Farm Bureau Federation for its stout opposition to the Brannan Farm Production Payment Plan.

Thus far AFBF leaders haven't even suggested such a thing. The nearest approach to it came when National Grange Master Albert Goss was asked during testimony before the House agriculture committee whether any "politics" was involved in the Grange's support of the proposal. Goss said emphatically not.

Official desire for separation of extension and the Grange Head farm bureaus is based on the premise that it is potentially unhealthy for any privately-controlled farm organization to be making financial contributions which help pay the salaries of county agents and home demonstration agents in some states. The underlying argument is that the men and women in extension would think long before biting the hand that feeds them.

Identification Lint to Include All Varieties

Greater premiums than ever are in store for cotton farmers in New Mexico and West Texas under a revised lint identification program announced by Marshall Thompson, extension cotton marketing specialist.

Thompson said that all varieties of cotton grown in the El Paso area will now be eligible for lint identification under the Extension Service program. Previously, only the 1517 variety has been identified.

"The quickest and most economical method of establishing and maintaining a market for cotton is by properly labeling every bale produced in this area," Thompson explained. "Therefore, we have broadened the program to include as many producers as possible."

"In recent years, other varieties of cotton besides 1517 have increased greatly in popularity among farmers in the El Paso area. For example, since 1948, when the Extension Service identification program was started, the acreage of the Mesilla Valley variety has increased tremendously. Two years ago, less than 5 per cent of the total upland cotton acreage in Dona Ana County in New Mexico and Hudsport and El Paso counties in Texas was planted to the Mesilla Valley variety of cotton. Today, about 60 per cent of the cotton acreage in these three counties is planted to this variety."

In Chaves County this year, only about 50 per cent of the upland cotton acreage is planted to 1517, with the remainder in Deltapine, Rowden, and other varieties, the cotton marketing specialist said. Formerly, all cotton grown in Chaves County was 1517.

Under the revised program, information about variety, year, area of growth will be stamped on the gin portion of the Smith-Dunn combination tag, Thompson said. Large, brilliantly-colored placards will be placed within the field to duplicate the information on tag.

Some of the major advantages of the outlined lint identification program can be summarized as follows, according to Thompson. It will apply to all varieties.

The only expense involved will be the cost of the placards—rubber stamp—only a fraction of cent per bale.

It will greatly simplify the tagging process for the ginners. It is in use at present will carry additional information; no tag numbers to encase; and no wasted ink.

It will encourage producers to form one variety communities in an effort to secure a market for quality products through direct advertising means of the placards placed their bales.

This area is in a position to set a precedent for the entire cotton belt by demonstrating the value and economy of using a standardized, combination gin tag bearing the gin name, producers' year of growth, area of growth, and the variety of cotton.

Many legislative bills have been drawn up and submitted in the past in an effort to require lint identification by law and it is only a matter of time before a workable plan is presented and passed.

By working together, the cotton interests of this area can play a large part in the drafting of such a legislation by working out a demonstrating a practical method of lint identification rather than sit back and take "pot luck" which in all probability will result in impractical, "swivel chair" law.

Try and Stop Me

By BENNETT CERF

WHEN Hector McNeil, England's brilliant representative to the U. N., visited the Dutch Treat Club, President Ray Den introduced him with the following anecdote: A decrepit English lord come down with a violent toothache and was bundled off to his dentist for relief. The dentist took a gloomy view of the situation. "This tooth will have to come out, m'Lord," he announced. "It's going to be painful. I'd better give you gas."

"In that case," said the lord, "I'll have some of that twilight sleep I've been hearing about." "You must be joking, m'Lord," hazarded the dentist. "Twilight sleep is used exclusively for labor pains." "Great Scott," complained the lord, "have they got that, too?" McNeil laughed at the joke, but added this postscript: "I thought twilight sleep was the prerogative of the Tory Party the past twenty years!"

"Dis is my master creation," chortled Jimmy Durante on the radio the other evening. "A lady's dress dat's strapless, backless, slitless, an' topless!" "What do you call it?" asked the M. C. Durante answered, "Good Morning, Judge."

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CHURCHES

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

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH Sixth and Quay The church school, 9:45 a. m. Morning worship, 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.

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

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.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH Temporary location I.O.O.F. Hall 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.

LOCO HILLS BAPTIST CHURCH Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Preaching, 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

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.

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

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

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

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH Fourth and Grand Sunday church school, 9:45 a. m. Sunday morning worship, 11 a. m. Westminster Youth Fellowship, Sunday, 6 p. m. Choir rehearsal, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m. Women's Association, first Thursday, 2:30 p. m. Circles, third Thursday 2:30 p. m. Mary Gilbert Circle, third Thursday 7:30 p. m. 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. Preaching service, 11 a. m. Evening preaching, 7:30 p. m. Wednesday prayer meeting, 7:30 p. m. Rev. C. H. Murdock, 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. Donaciano, Bejarano, Pastor

SHERMAN MEMORIAL COMMUNITY METHODIST (Loco Hills) Sunday school, Mrs. W. C. Davis, superintendent, each Sunday, 10 a. m. Preaching, each Sunday, 11 a. m. Family night with covered-dish supper, last Friday of each month, 6:30 p. m. Rev. C. A. Clark, 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. Mebane Ramsey, Minister.

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF EDDY COUNTY, STATE OF NEW MEXICO EVA N. DELGADO Plaintiff, vs. JAMES S. VENABLE, also known as J. S. Venable, if living, if deceased, THE UNKNOWN HEIRS OF JAMES S. VENABLE, ALSO KNOWN AS J. S. VENABLE, DECEASED; WILLIAM CRANDALL, if living, if deceased, THE UNKNOWN HEIRS OF WILLIAM CRANDALL, DECEASED; MARGARET CRANDALL, if living, if deceased, THE UNKNOWN HEIRS OF MARGARET CRANDALL, DECEASED; and ALL UNKNOWN CLAIMANTS OF INTEREST IN THE PREMISES ADVERSE TO THE PLAINTIFF.

Defendants. SUMMONS AND NOTICE OF SUIT PENDING STATE OF MEXICO TO: JAMES S. VENABLE, also known as J. S. Venable; IM- PLEADED WITH THE FOLLOWING NAMED DEFENDANTS AGAINST WHOM SUBSTITUTED SERVICE IS HERE BY SOUGHT TO BE OBTAINED TO-WIT: JAMES S. VENABLE, also known as J. S. Venable, if living, if deceased, THE UNKNOWN HEIRS OF JAMES S. VENABLE, ALSO KNOWN AS J. S. VENABLE, DECEASED; WILLIAM CRANDALL, if living, if deceased, THE UNKNOWN HEIRS OF WILLIAM CRANDALL, DECEASED; and MARGARET CRANDALL, if living, if deceased, THE UNKNOWN HEIRS OF MARGARET CRANDALL, DECEASED; and ALL UNKNOWN CLAIMANTS OF INTEREST IN THE PREMISES ADVERSE TO THE PLAINTIFF.

GREETINGS: YOU AND EACH OF YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED THAT there has been filed in the District Court of Eddy County, State of New Mexico, a certain cause of action wherein Eva N. Delgado is the plaintiff and you and each of

you are defendants, the same being cause No. 11745 on the Civil Docket. The general objects of said action are to quiet and set at rest the plaintiff's title, in fee simple, to the following described property situated in Eddy County, New Mexico, to-wit:

Lot 7 in Block 20, Artesia Heights Addition to the City of Artesia, Eddy County, New Mexico.

YOU AND EACH OF YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED THAT unless you enter your appearance or plead herein on or before the 22nd day of July, 1950, the plaintiff will make application to the Court for a Judgment by Default and Judgment by Default will be rendered against you and each of you as prayed for in said Complaint.

The name of the plaintiff's attorney is William M. Siegenthaler, whose post office address is Box 128, Artesia, New Mexico.

WITNESS MY HAND AND THE SEAL OF THE DISTRICT COURT OF EDDY COUNTY on this the 5th day of June, 1950. (SEAL) Marguerite E. Waller, Clerk of the District Court Eddy County, New Mexico. 46-41-F-52

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IN 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

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

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. Sadler, 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 same will be barred.

Myrtle McCann Larsen, William H. Larsen, Ancillary Administrators of the estate of Anna Ida McCann, deceased.

IN THE PROBATE COURT, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

In the MATTER of the ESTATE OF GILBERTO MARTINEZ, DECEASED

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

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.

CITY OF ARTESIA, ARTESIA, NEW MEXICO

NOTICE OF BIDS FOR COPPER TUBING

Sealed bids will be received by the City Clerk of the City of Artesia, New Mexico, at the City Hall until 7:00 p. m., on June 28, 1950 for furnishing copper tubing, 4000 ft. copper tubing 3/4" type K, soft.

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BY ORDER OF THE CITY COUNCIL

CITY OF ARTESIA, John D. Josey, Jr., City Supervisor.

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STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE

Number of Application RA-1587 and RA-1587-S-1, Santa Fe, N. M., June 2, 1950.

Notice is hereby given that on the 1st day of May, 1950, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, W. Leslie Martin of Artesia, County of Eddy, State of New Mexico, made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a permit to change place of use of 9468 acre feet of shallow ground water per annum in the Roswell Artesia Under-ground Basin by abandoning the use of 31.56 acres of land described as follows:

Subdivision N part Lot 3, Section 1, Township 17 S., Range 26 E., Acres 3.56

Subdivision N part Lot 4, Section 1, Township 17 S., Range 26 E., Acres 3.56

Subdivision Part of SW 1/4 SW 1/4 NW 1/4, Section 1, Township 17 S., Range 26 E., Acres 6.80

Subdivision NW 1/4 SW 1/4, Section 1, Township 17 S., Range 26 E., Acres 20.64

and commencing the irrigation of 31.56 acres of land described as follows:

Subdivision W Part Lot 2, Section 1, Township 17 S., Range 26 E., Acres 17.55

Subdivision W Part SW 1/4 NE 1/4, Section 1, Township 17 S., Range 26 E., Acres 14.01

The lands to be moved from are to be dried up.

No additional rights over and above those set forth in Permits Nos. RA-1587 and RA-1587-S-1 are contemplated under this application.

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

Any person, firm, association, corporation, the State of New Mexico or the United States of America, deeming that the granting of the above application will be truly detrimental to their rights in the waters of said underground source, may protest in writing the State Engineer's granting approval of said application. The protest shall set forth all protestant's reasons why the application should not be approved and shall be accompanied by supporting affidavits and by proof that a copy of the protest has been served upon the applicant.

Said protest and proof of service must be filed with the State Engineer within ten (10) days after the date of the last publication of this notice. Unless protested, the application will be taken up for consideration by the State Engineer on that date, being on or about the 12th day of July, 1950.

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Cocktail Peanuts	can	39c	Pitted Pie Cherries	30c
Dromedary Dates	Pkg.	25c	Jolly Time Pop Corn	19c
Hi Ho Crackers	1 lb box	27c	River Brand Rice	14c
K.B. Mug Peanut Butter		41c	Hunts Fruit Cocktail	34c
Duo—Grated Tuna		29c	Kounty Kist Corn	2 1/2 25c
Champ Dog Food	3 1/2 25c		Plansun Fresh Blackeyed Peas	2 1/2 25c
Rev Jelly	5 lb Jar	73c	Chuck Wagon Beans	10c

Diamond Pinto Beans	No. 2 can	16c
Whole New Potatoes	No. 2 can	2 1/2 25c
Comstock Pie Apples	No. 2 can	21c
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Maljamar News

(Mrs. Kenneth Shields)

Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Young and family left Tuesday on their vacation. They were to visit Mrs. Young's mother, Mrs. W. M. Choate, at South Bend, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hatfield had as house guests last week Mr. and Mrs. Art Baker and children of Independence, Kan. The group spent Tuesday visiting the Carlsbad Caverns.

Little Stevie Carter was honored with a birthday dinner given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Olen Ashlock Sunday. After the dinner, a birthday cake was enjoyed and a canasta played by the grown-ups. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. George Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Carter and Janie.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Kelley spent Monday with their daughter, Mrs. Ed Taylor, and family in Artesia.

Mr. and Mrs. Son Taylor and family returned Monday night from Hot Springs, where they had spent several days. On their way home they spent several hours at Elephant Butte Dam fishing, then they went to El Paso and returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Artice O. Vowell and daughters left on their vacation Friday of last week to visit relatives in Texas. While they are gone Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cockburn, formerly of Maljamar, are staying at their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Robison and sons of Seward, Kan., recently visited at Maljamar. They were residents of Maljamar and Loco Hills six years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Melton West and family went to the mountains Tuesday and spent the night with Mrs. West's sister, Mrs. Allen Blakeney, and family.

Mrs. Kenneth Shields has received word from Jon Cadwallader of Mountain Park that they do not have any cherries this year. The frost got all of them May 4.

Morris Dickson and family of Artesia are living in the house formerly occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Loyd, who recently moved to Farmington.

Mrs. L. J. Kelly spent Monday to Thursday of last week in Lubbock with her daughter, Mrs. John Pruitt of Lovington, who was hospitalized there.

Mrs. F. H. Alexander spent Monday in Lubbock.

Bob Hunter returned recently from a vacation in Okmulgee, Okla., visiting his grandmother, Mrs. C. R. Cline.

Six-year-old Johnnie West fell and broke his arm in two places Thursday morning of last week while playing in his yard.

The Wednesday Bridge Club met with Mrs. Zelmer Glover last week. High scores were won by Mrs. Garel Westall and Mrs. E. R. McKinstry. Those attending were Mmes. Harold Adams, Clifford Whitefield, Garel Westall and E. R. McKinstry of Loco Hills, John McMurray and Kenneth Shields of Maljamar.

Mrs. and Mrs. Othor Furrh spent Friday night of last week with her sister, Mrs. L. O. Shrader, and family in Artesia.

Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Elliott and family left recently on their vacation. They were to visit relatives in Texas.

Tommy Potts fell and cut his head Wednesday of last week while playing. He was taken to Lovington for medical attention.

Several of the women and girls

have been practicing softball here on Tuesday evenings. They are planning on a team.

Mrs. Weston H. Mills went to White Oaks on business Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert C. Hunter had as houseguests Friday of last week to Monday Mrs. Hunter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Lee of Skelleytown, Texas, and Bill Hunt of Plainview, Texas. Ronny and Kenny returned with their grandparents to spend their vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Shields spent Sunday visiting Mr. Shields' parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Shields at Hobbs and Mr. and Mrs. William Edwards. They attended the opening of the new Lea County Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Othor Furrh celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary quietly at their home Thursday of last week at the Maljamar Re-pressuring Plant Camp. They had a few friends in for coffee and cake. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Olen Ashlock, Mrs. A. C. Hatfield and Joey, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert C. Hunter, Mr. and Mrs. Pansey, and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Martin.

State Cattlemen Meet June 29-30 In Carlsbad

Program of the Water Resource Development Board of New Mexico will be analyzed and discussed at the second quarterly meeting of the New Mexico Cattle Growers Association in Carlsbad June 29-30, according to Roy Forehand of Carlsbad, president. "Members of our organization own or use more than 90 per cent of all lands in New Mexico and thus water resources are a matter of top importance to our group," Forehand said.


Dr. B. J. Workman, New Mexico School of Mines, Socorro, and Dr. Irving Langmuir, Nobel Prize winner, have been invited to ap-

pear on the meeting program and outline experimental work now being carried on in the Southwest in "Rainmaking" and artificial precipitation. The two are recognized as foremost authorities in the nation in this study.

Another subject which will receive attention at the meeting will be the current statewide tax equalization program. Forehand continued, Harold B. Sellers, Santa Fe, chief state tax commissioner, has been invited to address the organization and outline the present status of the equalization plan, which was authorized by the last session of the New Mexico State Legislature.

Bud Williams of Clovis will deliver the response to the address of welcome and Hal R. Cox, Las Cruces, has been named chairman

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of the general resolutions committee to serve during the meeting. Cox is also a vice president of the organization.

The meeting will open at 3 o'clock Friday afternoon, June 29, with headquarters in the Crawford Hotel and advance hotel reservations indicate that more than 500 cattlemen representing every part of New Mexico plan to attend. Ed County ranchers and Carlsbad businessmen have arranged a dance and barbecue for visiting delegates.

"Since our last meeting in Albuquerque the latter part of March nearly 200 livestock producers have made application to join the organization, and these applications will be presented to the executive board for acceptance at the Carlsbad session," Forehand said.

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Mescalero Indians To Battle Artesia Eagle Nine Sunday

Always mighty Mescalero Indian baseball team will be the next opponent for the Artesia Eagles. The local nine will play the Mescalero Apache Indian Reservation team at 2:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon in Mescalero.

To date the Eagles have played eight games, winning five, tying one, losing two. Their last game was against the Hagerman Blues. The Eagles defeated the Blues for the third time this season in that game winning 17 to 6.

Fence posts have been set for the Eagle diamond on North Tenth Street and the Eagles are working energetically to get their field in shape so home games can be played and local fans can see them in action.

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Farm Commodities Pose Big Problem Government Limited In Selling of Stocks

At the moment the government owns approximately \$1,806,365,438 worth of farm commodities, purchased through the years to support farm prices, agricultural department officials report.

Products stored in government bins include 3.5 million bales of cotton, 145 million bushels of wheat, 187 million bushels of corn, 422 million pounds of linseed oil, 264 million pounds of dried milk, 79 million pounds of dried eggs, and quantities of various other items.

What's become of it all? It may be disposed of in various ways, but not dumped upon the



The government today has 167 million bushels of America's finest corn stored under the price support plan. The question is, what to do with it?

open market to compete with commodities now in private ownership. To do so would flood the market and depress the commodities offered far below support prices. The government would then find itself buying the commodities placed upon the market.

These commodities, however, can be sold should the market prices strengthen considerably above support levels.

The government has two methods at present of moving commodities. They are:

- (1) Persuading the consumer to increase their purchases through normal purchasing channels, thus reducing the supply and raising the price to where government stocks can be put on the market. Also, reducing supplies to a point where support prices would become unnecessary.
- (2) Many of the commodities in government stockpiles are being distributed to school lunchrooms, charitable institutions, Indian affairs, and needy groups.

Bass And Bluegill Are Planted Tuesday In Local Waters

L. Q. Carman, superintendent, and William White of the U.S. Fish Hatchery at Dexter were in the Artesia area Tuesday planting fish in local waters.

Cottonwood Lake and Cottonwood Creek received the greatest number, 600 each bass and bluegill.

In both Clarks Lake north of Artesia and Spring Lake southeast of the city the men planted 500 bass and 200 bluegill.

Superintendent Carman said the bass were about two inches long and the bluegill were spawning size fish.

He said fish will be delivered to and planted in farm ponds and public waters south of Artesia on another trip in the near future.

D.A.V. TO ORGANIZE AUXILIARY MONDAY

Julius Chandler, commander of the Disabled American Veterans chapter, has announced that at a meeting at 7:30 o'clock Monday evening at the Veterans Memorial Building it is planned to organize a ladies' auxiliary.

He extended an invitation to all eligible women to attend and have a part in the organizational meeting.

Yankees Invite Fans To See Them Practice

Local baseball fans now have the opportunity to see the Artesia Yankees do their work-outs at the new city park on North Thirteenth Street.

Red Godwin, manager, said permission had been obtained from the municipal recreation program director for the Yanks to practice on the field semi-weekly, from 4:30 o'clock to 6:30 o'clock on Tuesday and Thursday evenings.

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This Is Poor Conservation



Taken less than three miles apart on the same day in the Mesilla Valley, these two photos show the results of poor conservation methods.

The top photo shows the effects of wind erosion. The blowing of the soil has depleted the fertility of the field and has also clogged ditches and fence rows and made the field unlevel.

The bottom photo shows how water is wasted by over-irrigation. Not only does this waste reduce the precious water supply, but often damages roadways, promotes weed growth, and sometimes damages crops and reduces soil fertility. (Photos by Hal Taylor, New Mexico Extension Service.)

park field was held Tuesday, June 13.

Manager Goodwin said fans would be welcome to watch the work-outs.

Tri-City Flood Control Meeting Held in Carlsbad

Representatives from three towns, Artesia, Roswell, and Carlsbad attended a conference on flood control held from noon to 3:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon in La Caverna Hotel, Carlsbad.

Roswell gave an outline of proposed flood control for the area under which two retarding dams would be built across the Rio Hondo and Rocky Arroyo.

These would only temporarily impound the water. Permanent built-in outlets would be at the bottom of the dam.

Roswell specified that it wanted

to make it clear it would not usurp downstream water rights of the other towns.

Attendance at the session was 15, seven from Roswell, six from Carlsbad, and two from Artesia. The latter two were E. B. Bullock and Bob Koonce, manager of the chamber of commerce.

The representatives were guests of the Roswell Chamber of Commerce.

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(Mrs. Earl Smith)

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Stewart, Miss Duluth Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. McClendon and children, and Mrs. McClendon's sister, Mrs. Wilby Black, Mr. Black and daughter, who are here visiting from Ponca City, Okla., spent last week end at the White Sands, Ruidoso, and Cloudercroft.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Wadkins and son, Junior, spent three days last week in Duncan and other Oklahoma towns visiting relatives and selling a piece of property.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Doughty and son, Loyd; Ramond Doughty of Loco Hills, and Mrs. George James and baby of Maljamar spent several days of last week in Oklahoma and Texas visiting relatives. T. J. Griffin of Healdton, Okla., came back with them to visit.

Mr. and Mrs. John Haney and sons are vacationing in Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Kirk Phillips and children spent last week end in Dexter visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Settlemyre and son, George, of Artesia and daughter and family of Loco Hills, Mrs. Wednall Parham, Mr. Parham, and daughter, Jo Ann, enjoyed the rodeo in Carlsbad Friday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wier, Norman Bedford, Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Davis and children; Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Davis and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Richardson and daughter, Duluth, were among

those who attended the rodeo in Carlsbad Thursday of last week. The Richardson family also visited friends, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Barkley.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Shouse and children are vacationing in Albuquerque and visiting Mr. Shouse's mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Rayford Booker entertained old friends, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Clemens and children, Lawrence and Carolyn, of Ponca City, Okla., last week end. The guests and Barbara Booker spent Friday of last week at the Carlsbad Caverns and Saturday the two families went to the mountains.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Richardson and son spent a week in Beaumont, Cisco, and other Texas cities visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Shelton of Snyder, Texas, and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Shelton of Lovington were guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Choate.

Mort Miller of Artesia spent last week end visiting the Bill Briscoe family.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hill and daughter, Mersha Carol, of Artesia were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Brown.

Roquefort cheese dressing, made by crumbling the cheese into a standard French dressing, gives tang to a green salad. It is equally good on a salad of cooked vegetables.

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Newsman Urges Rotarians Analyze Community Needs

The services a newspaper can and does render to its community were enumerated in a talk, "Community Service—From the Newspaper Standpoint," Tuesday noon by Brownwood (Brownie) Emerson at the weekly luncheon meeting of the Artesia Rotary Club.

Emerson, reporter and feature writer for The Advocate, was introduced by A. L. Bert, editor, who was in charge of the program.

In his talk Emerson stressed the need of communities analyzing their needs, utilizing services of the newspaper to achieve objectives in bettering communities, and said Artesia should be made so full of opportunities and so much a criterion of the good life that boys and girls raised here would never want to leave it.

He pointed out that moral values, service to our fellow citizens, is the basis of community service, advocated sports for those of all ages as a means of inculcating tolerance, kindness, sportsmanship.

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Importance of enthusiasm was emphasized in his talk and he stressed the need for "cash, time, and sweat," to put over community projects.

"Be a Rotarian or get out," he said. "Come alive. Be on the ball or get out of the game and let someone run who wants to run."

R. L. Paris, rural-urban committee chairman for the club, announced that the regular luncheon next Tuesday noon will be a rural-urban meeting and urged that every Rotarian bring as his guest a farmer or rancher. A special program has been planned, he said.

Guests at the meeting Tuesday included Ed Mechem, Republican nominee for governor, and members of his party who were in Artesia that day on a three-week campaign trip throughout Southeast New Mexico.

Charlie Bullock, who is in charge of the Rotary Club's slowball team, appointed Bill McGinty to take

charge of the club's first game, which will be played this evening against the Jaycees, as he will be out of town. Bullock, president-elect of the club, is on his way to Detroit to attend the annual convention of Rotary International.

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January Exports Pass \$224 Million Mark

January agricultural exports totaled \$224,300,000, the agricultural department reports. Cotton topped the total with \$83,500,000.

Wheat and wheat flour were second to cotton, valued at \$47,300,000, while corn was in third place with \$14,700,000. Imports during the month were valued at \$290,700,000, or approximately \$66 million more than exports.

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