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But one boy and one girl said things which everyone should learn, respect and carry out. They are things which we have preached and which most people know, but many neglect. And those youngsters had gone to the state encampments, where they learned the American way of government, at the same time building up a great respect for true democracy.

Geraldine Blount, in her report, stressed getting out the vote. She said that was one thing they did at Girls State, and something which should be done at all elections.

Travis Waltrip sounded a similar note, when he said, "All who have the right to vote should register and vote."

Those young Americans, and undoubtedly all of the other youngsters who attended Girls State and Boys State, will remember the lessons in good citizenship they learned and will carry them out all through their lives.

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Artesia Has Two Girls Entered In 'Miss New Mexico' Contest

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The contest is sponsored by the state Jaycee organization. Winner of the state title will receive a round trip by plane to Atlantic City, N. J., competing in the national, evening dresses and a Lane cedar chest.

A \$5000 scholarship and a Nash Airflyte automobile are among awards for the national winner.

Miss Terry, one of the two Artesia entries in the state contest, is 19 years old, 5 feet 6½ inches tall, weighs 120 pounds, has blue eyes, blond hair. She is the daughter of Mrs. E. H. Bunting of Hope, a graduate of the school there and has attended Eastern New Mexico University in Portales.

She was a high school cheer leader, Yucca Blossom and rodeo queen in college.

Miss Hayhurst, who is employed in Artesia by Union Supply Company, Inc., Ward Building, is 18 years old, 5 feet 5 inches tall, weighs 122 pounds.

She is a 1950 graduate of Artesia High School, was football and May Day queen in high school, majored in commercial subjects, won typing and office practice awards and was a straight "A" student her senior year.

Tennis, bowling and horseback riding are her favorite sports. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hayhurst who reside west of Artesia.

Carlsbad Representatives

Carlsbad entries are Pat Branch and Helen Stewart. Miss Branch, 22, is an employe of U.S. Potash. She is 5 feet 3 inches tall, has brown hair, blue eyes, is a singer and has studied in Paris.

The other Carlsbad entry is 5 feet 4 inches tall, blond, blue eyes, 18 years old, lifetime resident of Carlsbad, 1948 graduate of the high school there, is employed at David James, a women's ready-to-wear store. Like Miss Branch, she is also a singer.

There are expected to be two entries from each of the following towns, as well as from Artesia and Carlsbad.

Roswell, Albuquerque, Santa Fe and Las Cruces.

Carlsbad was selected as the place of the 1950 state contest at a board of directors meeting held after the 1949 pageant in Roswell.

Cliff Ryan, president of the Carlsbad club, is chairman of the contest.

Minimum age for contestants is 18 years, by Sept. 1 of the contest year. They must be single, never married, divorced or had marriage annulled.

Talent, personality and beauty are factors in deciding the winner.

Shirley Winters, the 1949 New Mexico entrant, won a \$1000 scholarship. She will begin her sophomore year at Baylor in September.

Talent, one of the factors in judging, may consist of ability to sing, play a violin, piano or other musical instrument, dancing, public speaking or dramatics.

In Artesia on Wednesday night for the installation of new officers of the Artesia club, Ryan explained how the contest would be staged.

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Young Men Remember to Register

A number of young men have come to the realization that the Selective Service Act is still in force and are rushing to register, a matter some of them had neglected to do when they reached their 18th birthday, according to Frank Smith, local member of the Eddy County board.

Brig. Gen. Russell C. Charlton, director of Selective Service for New Mexico, some time ago reminded young men that they must register, although few were being drafted at that time.

And now since the war in Korea started and the order has been given to draft 20,000 men in the 25-year-old class, those who have failed to register according to law are rushing to do so, Smith said.

He said every young man is required to register within five days of his 18th birthday and advised all who are 18 years old or older and have failed to register up to this time to see him at once, in order to avoid difficulties.

Smith may be contacted at the Mahone-Smith Motor Company at 406 South First Street.

C-C Prexies To Obtain Estimate Loop Road Cost

Presidents of the Artesia and Carlsbad Chambers of Commerce, Bill Siegenthaler and James Robertson, are to call Sunday on the Highway Department in Santa Fe to obtain an estimate of the cost of constructing the oil field-potash loop road.

This was one of the developments of a preliminary report on the Eddy County budget for the forthcoming fiscal year, given in a meeting held Tuesday afternoon in the commissioners' room at the courthouse in Carlsbad.

The budget will be the subject of a hearing conducted before the state tax commission on Tuesday, July 18, in the county seat.

Purpose of the meeting Tuesday was to check the budget prior to its submission to the state tax board. Analysis of the budget was given by R. A. Wilcox, deputy county clerk.

Commissioner Joe Lusk, Carlsbad rancher, who recently was appointed to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of J. S. Windham, was named temporary chairman of the board.

Attendance at the meeting totaled 12, included W. T. (Doc) (Continued on Page 8)

V-J Fiesta Beard Causes Big Stares In County Capital

Bob Koonce, manager of Artesia Chamber of Commerce, learned that beards are ace attention getters, when he was in Carlsbad Tuesday.

He told of the stares of which he was the object and to one over-curious Carlsbad citizen he pointed out the tag he was wearing, captioned "Pardon My Beard."

The tag explains the beard as a part of promotion for the fourth annual V-J Day celebration to be held here Aug. 10-12.

Services Held On Thursday For J. H. Frazier

Funeral services for James Hugh Frazier, 60, who died at 11:30 o'clock Tuesday night in Lovington, were conducted at 3 o'clock Thursday afternoon in Paulin Chapel.

Rev. S. M. Morgan, pastor of Artesia First Baptist Church, officiated. Burial was in Woodbine Cemetery.

Mr. Frazier, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Monroe Frazier, was born Dec. 30, 1889 in Collin County, Texas; married Lillie Lorena in 1912 in that county.

The family moved to Eddy County in 1933.

Survivors are the widow, two sons, three daughters, 15 grandchildren, two sisters, and six brothers.

Sons are R. F. of Dexter, and J. D. Wichita Falls; daughters, Mrs. Clyde Smith, Dexter, Mrs. Bill Richmond, Hobbs, and Mrs. Frank Johnson, Roswell.

Sisters, Mrs. Edrie Smith of Portales and Mrs. Lily Morgan, who resides in Arkansas.

Brothers, Clyde, Carlsbad; Walter, Hobbs; Ford, Portales; Ben, Dexter; Luther, whose home is in Arkansas, and Frank, residing in Arizona.

Second Half Ball Schedules Are Announced Today

Schedule for the second half of the three municipal softball leagues was made known today by Jack Tinson, director of the Artesia recreation program.

Director Tinson stressed two points in connection with release of the schedule:

1. Players, coaches, and team managers should clip the schedule from this newspaper and keep it for ready reference.
2. This schedule is official and its publication is due notice to all concerned of the dates on which the teams play. A team failing to appear for a scheduled game will forfeit that game.

This means the teams "take it on from there" and publication of the schedule eliminates the necessity of the director notifying each team when it is to play and who it is to play.

It also cuts out the need for repeated telephone calls asking such information.

Director Tinson said the second half in the senior league would end Aug. 4. The period Aug. 7-12 will see teams in all leagues idle because of fourth annual V-J celebration.

All leagues will be back in business on Aug. 15. From that date to Aug. 25 there will be three games nightly. Senior league will have a Shaugnessy playoff of the four top teams.

In the other leagues winner of the second half will play the winner of the first half, best two out of three.

In the church league it was necessary to advance starting time of games for the period Aug. 15-23 to 6 o'clock. Director Tinson said (Continued on Page 8)

Rodeo Tickets Will Go On Sale Aug. 1

J. L. Long, the chairman of the ticket committee of the United Veterans Club has announced that reserved seat tickets will go on sale Tuesday, Aug. 1, for the V-J Day rodeo performances Aug. 10-12.

Approximately 1100 reserved seats will be sold in the west section of the stadium at Artesia Municipal Park where the rodeo will be held.

The price for reserved seats has been set at \$2, including tax.

Any firm or individual who desires to purchase a block of six or more seats, can place any advertising he desires along his block, Long said.

Those desiring the choice seats in this section may contact Long or may wait for a further announcement as to where the tickets will be available.

It's Artesia Municipal Park Officially

The new municipal recreation park and athletic field on North 13th Street was officially named Artesia Municipal Park Wednesday night by action of the City Council, thus bringing to an end the contest proposed by the "Potpourri" column in The Advocate.

A number of names had been suggested in honor of both living and dead persons, including men who gave their lives in World War II and lowly athletes.

It was pointed out by members of the council that there are many who could be honored, but that it was felt Artesia Municipal Park is descriptive of the new park and field, that it is municipally owned and operated, and that the name so designates it.

Remarks in "Potpourri" in regard to the naming of the park were written and set in type before the council meeting Wednesday night.

By the council's action, the contest automatically ends and from now on the park will be referred to as Artesia Municipal Park.

Junior Baseball, Girls' Games Are On Fare Tonight

Guy Chevrolet girls softball team is scheduled to play Carverettes of Carlsbad and the American Legion junior baseball team will play the American Legion junior team of Alamogordo tonight in Artesia Municipal Park.

The girls game will probably be played first.

Some fast scheduling is due for the Legion junior nine as it warms up for the district tournament to be played Wednesday, July 19, in Roswell.

Coach Cal Hall said he was trying to schedule Carlsbad for a return game to be played in Artesia on Tuesday.

Artesia plays Roswell in a game there Wednesday.

The district tourney will be a prelude to the state contest to be played in Artesia Municipal Park Aug. 3, 4, 5, and 6. Winner will represent New Mexico in the regional at York, Neb., in mid-August.

Gilbert Archeluta, director of the state Legion athletic department, says 21 teams have been registered with the department.

They are seven from Albuquerque, others from Artesia, Roswell, Carlsbad, Raton, Las Vegas, Clayton, Los Alamos, Gallup, Lordsburg, Hurlley, Las Cruces, Alamogordo, Hot Springs, Clovis.

Last Wednesday the local nine played Roswell at the municipal park here, making 15 errors and losing 17-3. Robert Bryant started on the mound for Artesia, was replaced by (Continued on Page Eight)

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Germany Is Hot Spot To Watch, Speaker On Korean War Tells V.F.W.

The hot spot in the cold war—which has become a shooting war in Korea—is Germany, members and veteran guests of the Veterans of Foreign Wars post here were told Monday night at the monthly meeting by Lt. William Wygocki, intelligence officer at Walker Air Force Base, Roswell.

Speaking on the record insofar as security would permit, Lieutenant Wygocki said that Korea, of course, is also a hot spot, as developments are different there than had been thought. He said the Russians may make a play there which will lead to World War III, for if they back out they will lose face with their satellite nations.

Lieutenant Wygocki said General MacArthur has asked for more troops in Formosa, but he predicted the Chinese will invade there regardless. But he pointed out Formosa is the only connecting link between the Asiatic mainland and Japan and the Philippines.

Arms have been moved from Formosa to Korea, but Formosa will be defended if the communists invade.

The lieutenant said that the fleet met with guerrilla warfare along the coast of South Korea, which made it difficult to get supplies to American and South Korean troops in the fighting area.

Lieutenant Wygocki said at the time of the meeting Monday night, there was a stalemate in Korea and that it was hoped the North Koreans would use up their supplies, thus giving an advantage to the South Korea and American forces.

The Russians have long planned to pit the two leading ideologies in the world against each other, the speaker said. In the last 50 years five empires have fallen and today only the United States and Russia have vast resources, Lieutenant Wygocki said. He pointed out that Russia has planned to conquer the world by conquest and by infiltration in the United States and Britain.

Meanwhile Russia has several divisions on the Yugoslav and Turkish borders, the speaker said. He recalled that the Russians have conquered nations around them and that the present program calls for the conquest of South Korea first with East Berlin coming later.

But watch Iran, Germany and France, the speaker advised.

Lieutenant Wygocki, touched on communism in the United States and said that Denver is the biggest communistic city in the nation. However, he said, sabotage has been on a small scale and has been hard to pin down.

Since the invasion of South Korea, communistic bulletins, or publications inspired by communism, have appeared everywhere through out the nation, even in drug stores in the Pecos Valley, but how they are placed there no one seems to know, the lieutenant said.

Prior to Lieutenant Wygocki's talk, during the regular V.F.W. business meeting, Jon Easley, one of the Artesia Boy Scouts who attended the National Jamboree at (Continued on Page Eight)

Artesia Firemen Answer 81 Calls During 1949-50, Annual Report Shows

Artesia firemen answered 81 calls during the 1949-50 fiscal year ending June 30, according to the annual report made at the weekly department meeting Monday night by Dallas Golden, secretary and full-time fireman, which was subsequently presented to the City Council Wednesday night by Chief Albert Richards.

At the Monday night meeting, Chief Richards was re-elected, as were Assistant Chief Elmo Naylor and Secretary Golden.

The report of 81 calls for the last fiscal year compared with 96 for 1948-49 and 73 for 1947-48.

Golden's report was broken down in two different manners, one of which showed 46 of the calls were fire alarms in the city, 26 were fire alarms outside of the city and seven were for the emergency squad and rescuitor.

For the 1948-49 fiscal year, the three figures were 65, 22 and 11, respectively.

Of the fire alarms answered during the year just ended, 18 were to mercantile establishments and residences, 14 were caused from grass and trash fires and the like, two were false alarms and 40 were (Continued on Page Eight)

Kiwanis Speaker Compares Korean War and Bataan

That America should make itself so strong no nation would dare attack it and should not distribute fighting men in tiny units all over the globe was the subject of a talk at the weekly luncheon of Kiwanis club at noon Thursday in Masonic Temple.

The speaker said America should be realistic in its policy of aid to other countries, either taking them over and "running them or getting out." A summary of the Korean war status was given.

He declared "life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness" were not won and handed out to enjoy "a silver platter," but must be paid for over and over by blood and agony.

The speaker was E. B. Emerson of the Artesia Advocate.

President Justin Newman announced the appointment of Burl Sears as chairman of the attendance committee and of a meeting of the board of directors scheduled for Tuesday night, July 18, at 205 Booker Building.

Brown Pipe Is Burglarized On Tuesday Night

Brown Pipe & Supply Company at 701 South First Street was burglarized Tuesday night and an amount of cash believed to have been \$30.12 was stolen from a filing cabinet, which had been forced open, police reported.

The cash was in a tray in the cabinet and was found in the back part of the building Wednesday morning. It is 22 cents remained.

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test to be held Aug. 4 in Carlsbad.

Others introduced were Cliff Rye, Carlsbad Jaycee president, who is director of the Miss New Mexico contest, and Ralph W. Callaway of Carlsbad, a vice president in the state organization; and Mr. and Mrs. Chester Marsh, Carlsbad. Mrs. Marsh is an aunt of Mrs. Nelson, wife of the new president of the Artesia club.

Registered at the supper were the following, each person registering separately, husbands and wives not listed under Mr. and Mrs. prefix:

Bill White, Betty White, Dorothy Rountree, Wiley Rountree, Orville (Rooster) Durbin, Alene Durbin, Evelyn Russell, Marvin N. Russell, Don Chapin, Christina Chapin, Dorothy Estill, Milford Estill.

Clyde Gilman, Sara Gilman, A. D. Cunningham, Don Mays, Billie Mays, Nedra Cunningham, Sue Crossett, Harold Crossett, Thelma Hayhurst, Jerry Cole, Wes Jones, Nancy Jones, Clayton Menefee, Maxine Menefee.

Frances Currier, Charles G. Currier, Beach Barton, Cecil Waldrep, Quentin Rodgers, Evelyn Rodgers, Harry J. Nelson.

Clifford D. Rye, Ralph W. Callaway, Ola Marsh, Chester Marsh, all of Carlsbad; and E. B. Emerson, Artesia Advocate.

"Baby" of Local Clubs

The Artesia Junior Chamber of Commerce is the newest civic service organization in the city. Its charter dates April 15, 1950, only three months ago.

A six-page folder, "Prescription for Leadership," issued by the

Artesia Has Two Girls Entered In 'Miss New Mexico' Contest

Artesia is to be represented in the "Miss New Mexico" contest at Carlsbad on Aug. 4 by Jeanette Terry and Thelma Hayhurst, it was made known today by Clayton Menefee, treasurer of Artesia Junior Chamber of Commerce.

The contest is sponsored by the state Jaycee organization. Winner of the state title will receive a round trip by plane to Atlantic City, N. J., competing in the national, evening dresses and a Lanecedar chest.

A \$5000 scholarship and a Nash Airflyte automobile are among awards for the national winner.

Miss Terry, one of the two Artesia entries in the state contest, is 19 years old, 5 feet 6 1/2 inches tall, weighs 120 pounds, has blue eyes, blond hair. She is the daughter of Mrs. E. H. Bunting of Hope, a graduate of the school there and has attended Eastern New Mexico University in Portales.

She was a high school cheer leader, Yucca Blossom and rodeo queen in college.

Miss Hayhurst, who is employed in Artesia by Union Supply Company, Inc., Ward Building, is 18 years old, 5 feet 5 inches tall, weighs 122 pounds.

She is a 1950 graduate of Artesia High School, was football and May Day queen in high school, majored in commercial subjects, won typing and office practice awards and was a straight "A" student her senior year.

Tennis, bowling and horseback riding are her favorite sports. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hayhurst who reside west of Artesia.

Young Men Remember To Register

A number of young men have come to the realization that the Selective Service Act is still in force and are rushing to register, a matter some of them had neglected to do when they reached their 18th birthdays, according to Frank Smith, local member of the Eddy County board.

Brig. Gen. Russell C. Charlton, director of Selective Service for New Mexico, some time ago reminded young men that they must register, although few were being drafted at that time.

And now since the war in Korea started and the order has been given to draft 20,000 men in the 25-year-old class, those who have failed to register according to law are rushing to do so, Smith said.

He said every young man is required to register within five days of his 18th birthday and advised all who are 18 years old or older and have failed to register up to this time to see him at once, in order to avoid difficulties.

Smith may be contacted at the Mahone-Smith Motor Company at 406 South First Street.

C-C Prexies To Obtain Estimate Loop Road Cost

Presidents of the Artesia and Carlsbad Chambers of Commerce, Bill Siegenthaler and James Robertson, are to call Sunday on the Highway Department in Santa Fe to obtain an estimate of the cost of constructing the oil field-potash loop road.

This was one of the developments of a preliminary report on the Eddy County budget for the forthcoming fiscal year, given in a meeting held Tuesday afternoon in the commissioners' room at the courthouse in Carlsbad.

The budget will be the subject of a hearing conducted before the state tax commission on Tuesday, July 18, in the county seat.

Purpose of the meeting Tuesday was to check the budget prior to its submission to the state tax board. Analysis of the budget was given by R. A. Wilcox, deputy county clerk.

Commissioner Joe Lusk, Carlsbad rancher, who recently was appointed to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of J. S. Windham, was named temporary chairman of the board.

Attendance at the meeting totaled 12, included W. T. (Doc) (Continued on Page 8)

Funds Still Needed For 20-30 Club Program To Dust City By Airplane

The Artesia 20-30 Club is still seeking funds for the underwriting of aerial dusting of the city for the eradication of flies and mosquitoes, Oscar Bayer, chairman, said this morning.

He said hopes to dust the city by airplane this week end are fading, as the money is not coming in rapidly enough. And the club will not go ahead with the program until it is certain the project has been underwritten.

Bayer said the club members are not going to put on a house-to-house or store-to-store campaign, but are relying entirely on the generosity of the people of the community and on the general desire to get rid of flies and mosquitoes, from both health and nuisance standpoints.

The chairman pointed out there has been no polio here this year, and perhaps will be none, but that on the possibility flies might transmit polio, it would be far better to take precautionary action before any cases.

North Eddy County was having a polio epidemic last year at the time the city was dusted and funds came in readily, Bayer recalled.

He added, it may have been coincidental, but there were no more cases after the dusting.

The chairman also pointed out that since the recent rains there has been a great increase in the number of mosquitoes, which make it almost unbearable to go out at night.

The 20-30 Club still has hopes that besides funds for the immediate

Former PW's Notified Claims Checks Coming

A number of Artesia men who were prisoners of war of the Japanese after the fall of the Philippine Islands, this week received letters from the War Claims Commission that they will receive within the next few weeks checks in the amount of \$1 for each day they were held captive.

For most of the local men, who were members of the famous 200th Coast Artillery Regiment, this will amount to \$1246, for the majority were prisoners of war from April 9, 1942, to Sept. 5, 1945, which was 1246 days.

The payments were provided for by the 80th Congress by Public Law 896, which provided payment of \$1 a day to all former prisoners of war in World War II, or to their next of kin, should they have died in prison camp or since.

The money for the claims is tax free, as it comes from assets and deposits of the Japanese and German governments.

In all there have been about 125,000 claims filed by or for prisoners of war in both the Asiatic and European theaters.

Some of the local men said they got their claims in early and are therefore among the first to be compensated.

North Eddy County had approximately 50 men in the Philippines (Continued on Page Eight)

Services Held On Thursday For J. H. Frazier

Funeral services for James Hugh Frazier, 60, who died at 11:30 o'clock Tuesday night in Lovington, were conducted at 3 o'clock Thursday afternoon in Paulin Chapel.

Rev. S. M. Morgan, pastor of Artesia First Baptist Church, officiated. Burial was in Woodbine Cemetery.

Mr. Frazier, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Monroe Frazier, was born Dec. 30, 1889 in Collin County, Texas; married Lillie Lorena in 1912 in that county.

The family moved to Eddy County in 1933.

Survivors are the widow, two sons, three daughters, 15 grandchildren, two sisters, and six brothers.

Sons are R. F. of Dexter, and J. D., Wichita Falls; daughters, Mrs. Clyde Smith, Dexter, Mrs. Bill Richmond, Hobbs, and Mrs. Frank Johnson, Roswell.

Sisters, Mrs. Edie Smith of Portales and Mrs. Lily Morgan, who resides in Arkansas.

Brothers, Clyde, Carlsbad; Walter, Hobbs; Ford, Portales; Ben, Dexter; Luther, whose home is in Arkansas, and Frank, residing in Arizona.

Second Half Ball Schedules Are Announced Today

Schedule for the second half of the three municipal softball leagues was made known today by Jack Tinson, director of the Artesia recreation program.

Director Tinson stressed two points in connection with release of the schedule:

1. Players, coaches, and team managers should clip the schedule from this newspaper and keep it for ready reference.
2. This schedule is official and its publication is due notice to all concerned of the dates on which the teams play. A team failing to appear for a scheduled game will forfeit that game.

This means the teams "take it on from there" and publication of the schedule eliminates the necessity of the director notifying each team when it is to play and who it is to play.

It also cuts out the need for repeated telephone calls asking such information.

Director Tinson said the second half in the senior league would end Aug. 4. The period Aug. 7-12 will see teams in all leagues idle because of fourth annual V-J celebration.

All leagues will be back in business on Aug. 15. From that date to Aug. 25 there will be three games nightly. Senior league will have a Shaughnessy playoff of the four top teams.

In the other leagues winner of the second half will play the winner of the first half, best two out of three.

In the church league it was necessary to advance starting time of games for the period Aug. 15-23 to 6 o'clock. Director Tinson said (Continued on Page 8)

Rodeo Tickets Will Go On Sale Aug. 1

J. L. Long, the chairman of the ticket committee of the United Veterans Club has announced that reserved seat tickets will go on sale Tuesday, Aug. 1, for the V-J Day rodeo performances Aug. 10-12.

Approximately 1100 reserved seats will be sold in the west section of the stadium at Artesia Municipal Park, where the rodeo will be held.

The price for reserved seats has been set at \$2, including tax.

Any firm or individual who desires to purchase a block of six or more seats, can place any advertising he desires along his block, Long said.

Those desiring the choice seats in this section may contact Long or may wait for a further announcement as to where the tickets will be available.

Junior Baseball, Girls' Games Are On Fare Tonight

Guy Chevrolet girls softball team is scheduled to play Carverettes of Carlsbad and the American Legion junior baseball team will play the American Legion junior team of Alamogordo tonight in Artesia Municipal Park.

The girls game will probably be played first.

Some fast scheduling is due for the Legion junior nine as it warms up for the district tournament to be played Wednesday, July 19, in Roswell.

Coach Cal Hall said he was trying to schedule Carlsbad for a return game to be played in Artesia on Tuesday.

Artesia plays Roswell in a game there Wednesday.

The district tourney will be a prelude to the state contest to be played in Artesia Municipal Park Aug. 3, 4, 5, and 6. Winner will represent New Mexico in the regional at York, Neb. in mid-August.

Gilbert Archeluta, director of the state Legion athletic department, says 21 teams have been registered with the department.

They are seven from Albuquerque, others from Artesia, Roswell, Carlsbad, Raton, Las Vegas, Clayton, Los Alamos, Gallup, Lordsburg, Hurley, Las Cruces, Alamogordo, Hot Springs, Clovis.

Last Wednesday the local nine played Roswell at the municipal park here, making 15 errors and losing 17-3. Robert Bryant started on the mound for Artesia, was

Brown Pipe Is Burglarized On Tuesday Night

Brown Pipe & Supply Company at 701 South First Street was burglarized Tuesday night and an amount of cash believed to have been \$30.12 was stolen from a filing cabinet, which had been forced open, police reported.

The cash was in a tray in the cabinet and was found in the back part of the building Wednesday morning. It is 22 cents remained.

Police said desks had been pilfered, but insofar as was known nothing had been taken from them.

Entrance was gained through a back sliding door and it is believed the burglar or burglars left the same way.

It's Artesia Municipal Park Officially

The new municipal recreation park and athletic field on North 13th Street was officially named Artesia Municipal Park Wednesday night by action of the City Council, thus bringing to an end the contest proposed by the "Potpourri" column in The Advocate.

A number of names had been suggested in honor of both living and dead persons, including men who gave their lives in World War II and local athletes.

It was pointed out by members of the council that there are many who could be honored, but that it was felt Artesia Municipal Park is descriptive of the new park and field, that it is municipally owned and operated, and that the name so designates it.

Remarks in "Potpourri" in regard to the naming of the park were written and set in type before the council meeting Wednesday night.

By the council's action, the contest automatically ends and from now on the park will be referred to as Artesia Municipal Park.

Germany Is Hot Spot To Watch, Speaker On Korean War Tells V.F.W.

The hot spot in the cold war which has become a shooting war in Korea—is Germany, members and veteran guests of the Veterans of Foreign Wars past here were told Monday night at the monthly meeting by Lt. William Wygocki, intelligence officer at Walker Air Force Base, Roswell.

Speaking on the record insofar as security would permit, Lieutenant Wygocki said that Korea, of course, is also a hot spot, as developments are different there than had been thought. He said the Russians may make a play there which will lead to World War III, for if they back out they will lose face with their satellite nations.

Lieutenant Wygocki said General MacArthur has asked for more troops in Formosa, but he predicted the Chinese will invade there regardless. But he pointed out Formosa is the only connecting link between the Asiatic mainland and Japan and the Philippines.

Arms have been moved from Formosa to Korea, but Formosa will be defended if the communists invade.

The lieutenant said that the fleet met with guerrilla warfare along the east coast of South Korea, which made it difficult to get supplies to American and South Korean troops in the fighting area.

Lieutenant Wygocki said at the time of the meeting Monday night, there was a stalemate in Korea and that it was hoped the North Koreans would use up their supplies, thus giving an advantage to the South Korea and American forces.

The Russians have long planned to pit the two leading ideologies in the world against each other, the speaker said. In the last 50 years five empires have fallen and today only the United States and Russia have vast resources. Lieutenant Wygocki said he pointed out that Russia has planned to conquer the world by conquest and by infiltration in the United States and Britain.

Meanwhile Russia has several divisions on the Yugoslav and Turkish borders, the speaker said. He recalled that the Russians have conquered nations around them and that the present program calls for the conquest of South Korea first with East Berlin coming later.

But watch Iran, Germany and France, the speaker advised.

Lieutenant Wygocki, touched on communism in the United States and said that Denver is the biggest communistic city in the nation. However, he said, sabotage has been on a small scale and has been hard to pin down.

Since the invasion of South Korea, communistic bulletins, or publications inspired by communism, have appeared everywhere through out the nation, even in drug stores in the Pecos Valley, but how they are placed there no one seems to know, the lieutenant said.

Prior to Lieutenant Wygocki's talk, during the regular V.F.W. business meeting, Jon Esasley, one of the Artesia Boy Scouts who attended the National Jamboree at South Korea and American forces.

Artesia Firemen Answer 81 Calls During 1949-50, Annual Report Shows

Artesia firemen answered 81 calls during the 1949-50 fiscal year ending June 30, according to the annual report made at the weekly department meeting Monday night by Dallas Golden, secretary and full-time fireman, which was subsequently presented to the City Council Wednesday night by Chief Albert Richards.

At the Monday night meeting, Chief Richards was re-elected, as were Assistant Chief Elmo Naylor and Secretary Golden.

The report of 81 calls for the last fiscal year compared with 98 for 1948-49 and 73 for 1947-48.

Golden's report was broken down in two different manners, one of which showed 46 of the calls were fire alarms in the city, 26 were fire alarms outside of the city and seven were for the emergency squad and rescuitor.

For the 1948-49 fiscal year, the three figures were 65, 22 and 11, respectively.

Of the fire alarms answered during the year just ended, 18 were to mercantile establishments and residences, 14 were caused from grass and trash fires and the like, two were false alarms and 40 were

That America should make itself so strong no nation would dare attack it and should not distribute fighting men in tiny units all over the globe was the subject of a talk at the weekly luncheon of Kiwanis club at noon Thursday in Masonic Temple.

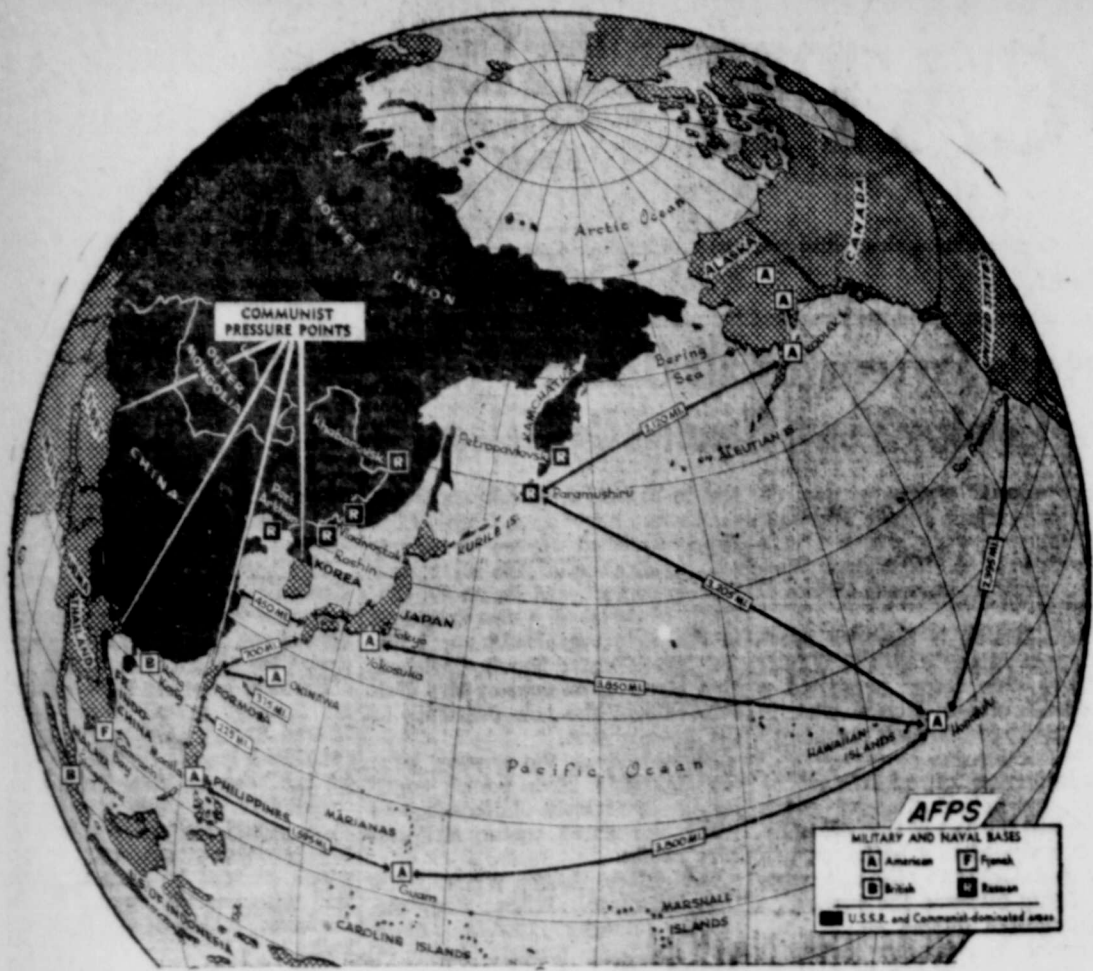
The speaker said America should be realistic in its policy of aid to other countries, either taking them over and "running them or getting out." A summary of the Korean war status was given.

He declared "life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness" were not won and handed out to enjoy "on a silver platter," but must be paid for over and over by blood and agony.

The speaker was E. B. Emerson of The Artesia Advocate.

President Justin Newman announced the appointment of Burl Sears as chairman of the attendance committee and of a meeting of the board of directors scheduled for Tuesday night, July 18, at 205 Booker Building.

Korean Picture as Framed on a Global Basis



THIS GLOBAL MAP clearly pinpoints areas where Communist pressure is heaviest. A full-scale attack in Korea by the Communists was branded by President Truman as a "lawless action" and a serious threat to world peace.

Lake Arthur

(Joyce Foster) Rev. and Mrs. Alvie Taylor and family; Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Taylor of Hagerman, and Mr. and Mrs. T. V. Hudson of Dexter spent several days last week at Chama and in Southern Colorado fishing.

Old-Timer On Visit Is Amazed At City Today

Howard E. Mapps of Greeley, Colo., who first came to Artesia in 1905, is looking the city over this week in amazement and making comparisons of the community today with the way it was 45 years ago.

Protect Poultry Against Enemies

Has your growing flock suffered losses caused by hawks, crows, owls, foxes, weasels, and other natural enemies of chickens? If you have had trouble with any of these pests recently, or in past years, it will pay you to install a few protective devices where the chickens range.

Realtor Purchases Batic Sandwich Shop

Wally Wallace of Southwestern Realty, 315 West Quay, made known Tuesday his purchase from Eugene Batic of Batic Sandwich Shop, 320 West Quay.

Safety Week Endorsed By Chamber of Commerce

Posters and other media will be put out by Artesia Chamber of Commerce in support of Child Safety Week, Sept. 4-11.

CHECKERBOARD CHUCKLES • From Your Purina Dealer. A comic strip featuring chickens and a farmer. One chicken asks 'WHAT'S SHE DOING?' while another is counting eggs. A farmer says 'I'M ON THE PURINA GROWENA PLAN. TESTS SHOW UP TO 21 EXTRA FALL EGGS!'.

FEEDING NOW FOR EXTRA FALL EGGS? Think how much extra profit you'll make on pullets laying 21 extra fall eggs. Growena-fed pullets laid 21 more fall eggs than pullets on an inadequate ration.

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Here's a Freezer full of Better Living! When it comes to the pleasure of eating you can have the "full life" right in your kitchen—a Kelvinator Home Freezer. See how wonderful it is to reach into your freezer and have the menu of your choice at a moment's notice!

Amazing New FLAVOR-BLENDING Discovery. A wonderful new flavor experience awaits you with your first glass of "flavor-blended" Country Club Beer. M. K. Goetz Brewing Co., St. Joseph and Kansas City, Mo.

It's a "Double Duty" Dandy. [with "Stowaway" center seat] Yes, the new Ford "Country Squire" is the most advanced station wagon on the road—here! Just slip out the rear seat and fold the "Stowaway" center seat into the floor. In less than 3 minutes you'll have converted this road-bugging beauty from a big, comfortable 8-passenger car into a "flat-deck" workhorse.

It's the new FORD "Country Squire" STATION WAGON. ARTESIA AUTO COMPANY. 302 WEST MAIN PHONE 52. For Sunday calling or Monday hauling. Rides 8 folks in comfort... or handles a half-ton of cargo.

KSVP PROGRAM SCHEDULE 1450 ON YOUR DIAL. Subject to Change without Notice. FRIDAY AFTERNOON: 11:00 Baseball, 11:15 Farm and Market, 12:30 Ranch House Boys, 1:25 Camel Scoreboard, 1:30 Local News, 1:35 Music Fill, 1:45 Personality Time, 2:00 News, 2:15 Melody Scrap Book, 2:25 Reminiscent Rhythm, 2:30 Americans, 3:15 Front Page Drama, 3:30 Your Concert Master, 4:00 News, 4:05 Revolving Rhythm, 4:15 Sports Parade, 4:25 Secured Show, 5:00 Mark Trail, 5:30 Tom Mix, 6:00 Gabriel Heatter and the News, 6:15 Funton Lewis, Jr., 6:30 Meet the Band, 6:45 Sports Final, 6:55 Bill Henry, 7:00 Local News, 7:15 Saddlebag Express, 7:25 Dance Time, 7:30 This Rhythmic Age, 7:45 South American Way, 8:00 Accent on Melody, 8:15 I Love a Mystery, 8:30 Spanish Program, 10:00 World News, 10:05 Sign Off. SATURDAY: 6:59 Sign On, 7:00 Farm & Home Hour, 7:05 News, 7:15 Local Club, 7:25 Local News, 7:40 1450 Club, 7:45 News, 7:55 Background for Breakfast, 8:15 Eddie Arnold Show, 8:30 Bab Ruth Story, 8:45 Meet the Band, 9:00 Story Time, 9:15 Shopper's Notebook, 9:30 Morning Devotional, 9:45 Jungle Jim, 10:00 News, 10:05 Music in the Modern Mood, 10:30 Trade Winds Tavern, 10:45 Hollywood Calling, 11:15 Accent on Melody, 11:30 Man On the Farm, 12:15 Farm and Market, 12:30 Ranch House Boys, 1:25 Camel Scoreboard, 1:30 Local News, 1:35 Music Fill, 1:45 Personality Time, 2:00 News, 2:15 Melody Scrap Book, 2:25 Reminiscent Rhythm, 2:30 Americans, 3:15 Front Page Drama, 3:30 Your Concert Master, 4:00 News, 4:05 Revolving Rhythm, 4:15 Sports Parade, 4:25 Secured Show, 5:00 Mark Trail, 5:30 Tom Mix, 6:00 Gabriel Heatter and the News, 6:15 Funton Lewis, Jr., 6:30 Meet the Band, 6:45 Sports Final, 6:55 Bill Henry, 7:00 Local News, 7:15 Saddlebag Express, 7:25 Dance Time, 7:30 This Rhythmic Age, 7:45 South American Way, 8:00 Accent on Melody, 8:15 I Love a Mystery, 8:30 Spanish Program, 10:00 World News, 10:05 Sign Off. SUNDAY: 6:59 Sign On, 7:00 Farm & Home Hour, 7:05 News, 7:15 Local Club, 7:25 Local News, 7:40 1450 Club, 7:45 News, 7:55 Background for Breakfast, 8:15 Musical Roundup, 8:30 Day B With Music, 8:45 Robert Harleigh and the News, 9:00 Variety Time, 9:15 Bob Wills Show, 9:30 Morning Devotional, 9:45 Western Jamboree, 10:00 News, 10:05 Sign Off, 10:15 Lanny Ross, 10:30 Cedric Foster and the News, 10:45 Checkerboard Jamboree, 11:00 Baseball, 11:15 Farm and Market, 12:30 Ranch House Boys, 1:25 Camel Scoreboard, 1:30 Local News, 1:35 Music Fill, 1:45 Personality Time, 2:00 News, 2:15 Melody Scrap Book, 2:25 Top in Pops, 2:30 Americans, 1:30 Nick Carter.

WAITING RESULT OF GEORGIA VO



Gov. Herman Talmadge



M. E. Thompson

VICTORY IS CLAIMED in Georgia's Democratic gubernatorial primary by Gov. Herman Talmadge by virtue of the state's county unit system of voting, but M. E. Thompson, former acting governor, claims an advantage in popular vote. In a previous election fight both claimed the governorship and attempted to take office. Talmadge is shown in Atlanta receiving news of current returns by telephone. (International)

Map Revision Would Put City In Yucca State

Artesia in the state of Yucca. That would be the setup for Artesia and for Eddy County if a plan for redrawing state lines so they correspond with economic and geographical realities of today was adopted.

The idea is advanced by David L. Taylor in a series of three articles in the Kiwanis magazine.

He proposed dividing the United States into either 23 region-states based on trading areas, soil belts, watersheds and banking regions, or 47 region-states.

"Either plan would be more realistic than the present system," he says.

To back up his idea he cites the case of Chicago suburbanite having to go downstate to rural Springfield, "hurdle an archaic constitution maintained as a control over him by those who represent a different mentality because of a different culture and regional outlook."

Yucca would be some state, under the revision. It would consist of Southwest Texas, El Paso, southern New Mexico and southern Arizona and a strip of the California border. El Paso would be the capital.

Texas would be slashed up a lot. The lower valley would be Rio Grande state with San Antonio as capital; East and North Texas, Lone Star, with Houston as the keystone; South Plains, including a thin slice of eastern New Mexico, Longhorn, Lubbock.

North Plains, the Oklahoma Panhandle, Northeast New Mexico, all of Oklahoma except a southeast sector, the state of Petroleum, with Tulsa as the capital.

Then there would be Red River

state, which would include most of Arkansas, north Louisiana and a thin segment of the Texas-Louisiana border, with Shreveport as the capital.

"Businesses revise sales territories; government agencies redraw regional lines; the church expands or contracts its functional units as needed.

"Why, then," Taylor asks, "must states go on forever with the same line?"

"Let's erase all the lines that don't make sense, as though they never existed and draw them afresh as the need and desires of the people in questioned areas are determined.

"The costs of shifts in government would be petty compared with wealth resulting from savings effected by efficiency and from the comparative ease of doing business with capitals that understood and cared about local problems."



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**STATE NO. 2859
REPORT OF CONDITION OF
PEOPLES STATE BANK
OF ARTESIA IN THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO
at the close of business on June 30, 1950.**

ASSETS	
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	\$584,543.45
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	470,406.68
Other bonds, notes, and debentures	8,000.00
Corporate stocks (including \$6,000 stock of Federal Reserve bank)	6,000.00
Loans and discounts (including none overdrafts)	682,510.86
Bank premises owned \$66,438.29, furniture and fixtures \$34,260.14	100,698.43
Other assets	884.39
TOTAL ASSETS	\$1,853,043.81
LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	1,068,761.48
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	141,747.15
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	414,450.03
Other deposits (certified and officers' checks, etc)	11,494.77
TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$1,636,453.43
Other liabilities	103.75
TOTAL LIABILITIES (not including subordinated obligations shown below)	1,636,557.18
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Capital*	100,000.00
Surplus	100,000.00
Undivided profits	16,486.63
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	216,486.63
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	1,853,043.81

*This bank's capital consists of:
Common stock with total par value of \$100,000.00.

MEMORANDA

Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes 470,406.68

(a) Loan as shown above are after deduction of reserves of 486.41

We Harold Kersey, Vice President and Cecil Waldrep, Executive Vice President of the Above-named bank do solemnly swear/affirm that the above statement is true, and that it fully and correctly represents the true state of the several matters herein contained and set forth to the best of our knowledge and belief.

HAROLD KERSEY, Vice President,
CECIL WALDREP, Exec. Vice Pres.
CORRECT—Attest:
WILLIAM M. SIEGENTHALER,
GEO. S. TEEL,
MRS. GRADY BOOKER,
Directors.

State of New Mexico, County of Eddy, ss:
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 12th day of July, 1950.
and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.
SEAL) DOROTHY DUNN, Notary Public.
My commission expires Nov. 17, 1952.

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PEARS Hunt's—Bartlett No. 2 1/2 Can	29¢	BLACKBERRIES Kimbies No. 2 Can	19¢
NORTHERN TISSUE 3 Rolls	19¢	BEANS Chuck Wagon—Mexican Style Can	9¢
OXYDOL Large Size Package	25¢	BABY FOODS Gerbers 3 Cans for	25¢
PEACHES Hunt's No. 2 1/2 Can	23¢	SPAM 12 ounce Can	46¢
FRUIT COCKTAIL Hunt's No. 300 Can	17¢	JELLO Assorted Flavors Pkg.	7¢
MEX-I-CORN Niblets 12 oz Can	15¢	PEANUT BUTTER Peter Pan 12 oz. Jar	35¢
TOMATO JUICE Garth 46 oz Can	19¢	CLOROX Bleach Quarts 17¢ Pints 10¢	
SARDINES Maine Pack—in Oil Can	9¢	SYRUP Log Cabin 12 oz. Can	27¢
FLOUR Gold Medal 25 lb. Bag	1.99	LIPTON TEA 1/2 lb.	61¢
CHEESE Kraft's Velveta 2 lb. Pkg.	69¢		

MEATS

BEEF SHOULDER ROAST Grade A lb	63¢	GREEN BEANS Kentucky Wonders lb.	10¢
SLAB BACON Grade A lb	59¢	BELL PEPPERS Firm and Crisp lb.	19¢
GROUND BEEF Fresh lb.	49¢	RADISHES & GREEN ONIONS Bunch	5¢
HAMS Half or Whole, All Popular Brands lb.	59¢	LEMONS Fresh and Fine—360 Size lb.	15¢
CHEESE Longhorn lb.	39¢	POTATOES California, Long Whites lb.	4¢



VISIT ARTESIA'S LOW PRICE QUALITY FOOD MART THIS WEEK END

111 SOUTH FOURTH STREET

SOCIETY

Bridal Shower Given in Honor of Miss Essex

Miss Norma Lee Essex, a bride of today was honored with a bridal shower Friday evening of last week by her aunt, Mrs. Iris Robert of Carlsbad, at the G. E. Kaiser home at 1102 West Quay Avenue.

A brown umbrella with baby bows of gold and green on each tip and a large bow of the same colors on the handle was used as a centerpiece under which the gifts were placed.

A color scheme of gold and green was carried out in the refreshments of lime sherbet and individual cakes with tiny umbrella decoration on each.

Those present were Meses. John Terpening, Henry Terpening, Richard Maplet, Billy White, R. C. Waltrip, Pete Burns, Ira Dixon, Sam Harrison, Sy Edgerton, G. E. Kaiser and D. D. Essex.

Misses Mary Walker, Rosemary Reidy, Dorothy Whitely, Joyce Essex, Betty Jo Kaiser and Jo Ella Roberts.

Those sending gifts but unable to attend were Miss Evelyn Bach, Miss Authrean Horton, Mrs. Arch Horton, Mrs. L. E. Partlow and Mrs. Vernon Swift.

Youth Conference Report Given at Committee Meet

The Clare Tree Major general committee met Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. V. P. Sheldon to hear a report given by Mrs. J. J. Clarke, Jr., who had just returned from a governors' committee meeting of the mid-century White House youth conference.

Mrs. Clarke and Mrs. Fred Jacobs were asked to attend this meeting by Gov. Thomas J. Mabry.

Mrs. Clarke presented the local group a questionnaire, which she brought back from this meeting for revision.

The questionnaire had to do with what people are interested in doing for the youth of the nation, such as housing, recreation, comic books, movies, plays, health, libraries, child labor and youth employment.

The Artesia committee took this up at the request of Mrs. Major, who will attend the White House youth conference in December.

At the close of the meeting, refreshments were served by Mrs. Sheldon to Meses. Joe Nunn, David Salkin, William M. Siegenthaler, Hugh Parry, Raymond Lamb, J. J. Clarke, Jr., Fred Jacobs and James R. Heald.

Miss Stack, Bill Boyce Are Wed In Double Ceremony to Richardsons

In a double wedding held at 3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at the First Baptist church Miss Jeannette Stack became the bride of Lewis Richardson and Miss Wanda Richardson became the bride of Bill Boyce. Rev. S. M. Morgan, pastor, officiated at the dual double-ring ceremony.

Jeannette is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Stack of Loco Hills, Wanda and Lewis, sister and brother, are daughter and son of Mr. and Mrs. Al Richardson, who live on West Grand Avenue. Bill Boyce is the son of Mrs. Hazel Boyce of Las Cruces. His grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Wilson, are residents of Artesia.

Mrs. W. E. Fleming, Jr., played a variety of wedding selections as guests assembled. She played the traditional "Wedding March" as the brides entered.

The brides were dressed alike in white marquisette street-length dresses with white accessories. They carried bouquets of red roses on white Bibles.

Reba Newton and Laverne Grimlan, maids of honor, were dressed in yellow with white accessories. Their corsages were of white carnations.

A. U. Lung of Stonewall, Okla., and Donnie Smith of Lovington, were best men.

Mrs. Richardson chose for the wedding a white and blue sheer dress.

Mrs. Stack wore a two-piece suit dress of blue and white rayon cord. Both wore corsages of red roses.

After the wedding, a reception was held in the Richardson home. A lovely white cake topped with wedding bells was cut.

The two couples left on a brief honeymoon trip to Carlsbad, after which they will be at home at the Richardson residence on West Grand Avenue.



WIDE COTTON KNIT MIDDIE BAND—Gives free action to this white rayon dress designed for a New York summer collection. Extended shoulders give the illusion of brief sleeves. (N. Y. Dress Institute Photo)

Bettye Cantrell Is Married To Arthur Starnes

Miss Bettye Cantrell became the bride of Arthur Starnes Tuesday. The marriage took place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cantrell, with Rev. A. C. Taylor, pastor of the First Baptist Church at Lake Arthur, officiating.

Miss Norma Jean Cantrell, only sister of the bride, was maid of honor.

J. D. Cantrell, brother of the bride, was the bridegroom's attendant.

The bridegroom is the son of Mrs. A. J. Starnes of Joplin, Mo.

Those attending the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Cantrell, the bride's parents, and Mrs. Lee Nabour and Mrs. Joe Dishman of Lamesa, Texas, close friends of the bride and bridegroom.

The newlyweds left on a honeymoon trip to Joplin, Mo., to visit the bridegroom's mother, Mrs. Starnes.

The couple will make their home in Snyder, Texas, where Mr. Starnes is employed by King Drilling Company.

Four Conoco Colony Women Are Honored at Birthday Picnic

Four women in Conoco Colony were honored with a picnic supper Tuesday evening in honor of their birthdays.

They were Mrs. Ormond Loving, Mrs. Floyd Springer, Mrs. J. L. Stewart and Mrs. Carl Dingler. They were presented gifts.

Those enjoying the picnic were Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gillispie of Artesia and their daughter, Mrs. Clifford Gilbert and Mr. Gilbert and children of Victoria, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Glatton, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Carder and children; Mr. and Mrs. Carl Dingler of Artesia and their daughter, Mrs. Archie Hemler and Mr. Hemler and children of Norman, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Ormond Loving and family; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sarvey, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Springer, Mr. and Mrs. James Feenix, Jr. and family and Mrs. Noel Singleton and son.

Daughters of Mary Meet on Tuesday

The Daughters of Mary of Our Lady of Grace Catholic Church met Tuesday evening at the church with Socorro Guerrero, president.

The recreational hall, which has been started, now has the platform finished, on which the girls will have a dance Tuesday, July 25. Socorro Gomez and Petra Guerrero will be in charge of refreshments.

Those present were Socorro Guerrero, Estela Lopez, Juanita Socorro, Belzoro Gomez, Connie and Luisa De Anda, Vera Solis, Eusebia Navarrette, Margie Hernandez, Elmira Gonzales, Viola Samora, Eva Alanex, and Petra Guerrero.

D.A.V. And Its New Auxiliary To Have Joint Supper Monday

The Disabled American Veterans chapter will have a covered-dish supper in conjunction with the newly-formed auxiliary at the Veterans Memorial Building at 7 o'clock Monday night, it was announced by Julius Chandler, commander.

Mrs. Leland Wittkopp has been elected president of the auxiliary and will be installed with other officers at another meeting in the near future.

The two organizations will have separate meetings Monday night after the supper.

FELLOWSHIP BOARD MEETS THURSDAY

The executive board of the Christian Women's Fellowship of the First Christian Church met Thursday morning at the home of Mrs. L. C. Kidd, president, who presided over the business meeting.

The hostess served cookies, candy, and coffee to Meses. Britton Coll. C. V. Miller, Clark Storm, Arthur G. Bell, Neil C. Albert, W. H. Ballard, A. W. Boyce, A. C. Crozier, Earl Darst, and William M. Siegenthaler, members, and a guest Mrs. Lucille Carver of Watonga, Okla., sister-in-law of Mrs. Kidd.

Woman 4-H Leader Is to Be Awarded Trip

The outstanding woman 4-H Club leader in New Mexico this year will receive an all-expense paid trip to the National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago Nov. 26-30. For the fourth successive year, the New Mexico Association of Home Extension Clubs will sponsor the award, Miss Elsie Cunningham, state home agent with New Mexico A. & M. College, announced.

The winner will be chosen from candidates submitted by each county. Judges of the statewide contest will be representatives of the New Mexico Farm and Livestock Bureau, New Mexico A. & M. College, the New Mexico Association of Home Extension Clubs, L. S. Kurtz, state 4-H Club leader; Miss Cunningham and one county agent, to be named later. County judges will be selected by local women's extension clubs. The contest will close Oct. 15.

In 1949, Mrs. Beryl Krogh, leader of Beryl's Busy Bee 4-H Club in Bernalillo County, was chosen to receive the award.

Full details of the contest may be obtained from the county extension office in Carlsbad.

Three 4-H Club Programs Offer High Awards

Three national 4-H awards programs—girls' record, canning, dress revue—offer special incentive to rural girls enrolled in club projects, according to L. S. Kurtz, state 4-H Club leader.

County winners in each will receive honor medals, and state champions will earn educational trips to the National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago next November.

National awards are \$300 college scholarships in the girls' record and canning programs and leather-cased scissors in the dress revue. The programs are conducted under the direction of the Co-operative Extension Service.

New Mexico state winners in the programs last year were Nancy Parrish of Portales in canning; Oneta Johnson of Artesia in dress revue and Lois McKinley of Melrose in girls' record.

County extension agents will furnish full information on these programs.

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LOCALS

Duane Tucker, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Tucker of Loco Hills, left Friday afternoon of last week for Pueblo, Colo., where he will attend the Midwest School of Commerce to study railroad telegraphy. Mr. and Mrs. Tucker and Duane's cousins, Jimmy and Thomas Tucker, and Dorothy Green accompanied Duane to Pueblo, and returned to Artesia on Monday evening. Duane will be gone two months.

Pearl Jean Farham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Parham, is in critical condition in a clinic in Temple, Texas. Mr. and Mrs. Parham took their daughter Sunday to the clinic, where she underwent brain surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Burns of Odessa, Texas, were in Artesia Wednesday visiting Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Schulze.

Mrs. H. L. Webb will leave Sunday to visit her son, Gayle, and family in Waxahachie, Texas. She will be gone about a month.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Cabot and children returned home Wednesday night from a week vacation trip to the northern part of New Mexico and Colorado Springs, where they visited relatives and sight seeing.

Mrs. Glen O'Bannon and children, Mary Frances and G. W., and Mrs. Ora Buck and children, Charles and Cookie, planned to leave this morning on a 4000 mile vacation trip. They plan to visit in Colorado, Yellowstone National Park, Washington, and California, and plan to be gone about three weeks.

Social Calendar

Friday, July 14
Artesia Garden Club, meeting at the home of Mrs. T. J. Terry, 902 West Texas. 2:30 p. m.

Monday, July 17
Rebekah Lodge, meeting, initiation and cupcake night, 1.0.0.F. Hall, 7:30 p. m.

Tuesday, July 18
Cottonwood Extension Club, picnic at the home of Mrs. David King, 1 p. m.

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Locals

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis G. Watson returned home Wednesday from a five-weeks trip. They visited in 16 states. They went from here to Minnesota and into Canada, then to Wisconsin and south to Kentucky. In Tennessee they visited Mr. Watson's sister and family. They also visited in Birmingham, Ala., Mississippi, Louisiana, and other states.

Ted Vandagriff of Albuquerque spent last Sunday with his mother, Mrs. D. M. Walter.

Mrs. R. C. Taylor and daughter, Jean, of Lawton, Okla., are visiting Mrs. Taylor's brothers, Claud, Harold, and W. C. Roark, and family.

State Treasurer Roy Rodgers was in Artesia from Tuesday to Wednesday on business.

Conrad (Connie) Pope, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Pope, phoned his parents from the West Coast Wednesday night that he was leaving on Thursday on a supply ship for Korea. He is a hospital corpsman in the Navy.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hamlin of Pagosa Springs, Colo., formerly of Artesia, were here this week on business.

Mrs. Merle Story returned home Sunday from Chicago, where she visited her daughter. While in Chicago she bought merchandise for Tots, Tots & Teens.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Hopper and daughter, Barbara, left Friday of last week for their home in Puente, Calif. They had been visiting Mrs. Hopper's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Faulk, west of Artesia, and other relatives and friends two weeks. Making the trip with Mr. and Mrs. Hopper were Mr. Hopper's nephew, Terry Benjamin, of El Monte, Calif., Mr. Hopper's mother, Mrs. Billie Hopper, and niece, Dianne. Mrs. Hopper and Dianne went on to Breckenridge, Texas, to spend a month visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. (Pa and Ma) Folkner, who returned home Friday after a fishing and vacation trip of a month in Tennessee and Arkansas, were off again Wednesday on another fishing and vacation trip, this time to Port Aransas, Texas, on the Gulf Coast. They were accompanied by three of their grandchildren on the trip this week. Jerry and Jack Folkner, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Folkner of Albuquerque and William Foster, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Foster of Artesia. They planned to be gone about two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Anderson and son, Dick Anderson, and his wife, and Joseph Anderson's sister, Miss Betty Anderson of Kenosha, Wis., were here visiting Mr. and Mrs. K. R. Jones, after a trip to the West Coast. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Anderson and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Anderson left Wednesday, but Miss Betty Anderson remained for a longer visit. She and Mrs. Jones are sisters. The visitors went through the Carlsbad Caverns Sunday and while here they visited the oil fields.

Miss Barbara Jean Ferriman of LaGrange, Ill., is here visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Ferriman and her uncles and aunts Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ferriman and Mr. and Mrs. George Ferriman.

Miss Mildred Cameron has been engaged as a secretary in the office of the Pete L. Loving Insurance Agency.

Mrs. I. H. Spratt of Hereford, Texas, is visiting her son, Jack Spratt, this week.

Mrs. Vina Tarrant of Fort Worth, Texas, is visiting her son, Gene Tarrant, and family. Her stay in Artesia is indefinite.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Shelton of Lubbock, Texas, spent Sunday here visiting Mrs. Shelton's mother, Mrs. Vena Newman. Mrs. Shelton's niece, little Marian Riley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Riley, accompanied her aunt home for a visit. Her stay is indefinite.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Fauntleroy and son, Stephen, left Sunday morning for Denver, Colo. They plan to be gone a week. This is a business and vacation trip.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gillispie of Conoco Colony are their daughter, Mrs. Clifford Gilbert and Mr. Gilbert and children of Victoria, Texas.

Guests for the summer in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Dinger of Conoco Colony, are their daughter, Mrs. Archie Hemler and Mr. Hemler and three daughters of Norman, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Vermillion have as guests Mr. Vermillion's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vermillion of Amarillo, Texas.

Mrs. V. F. Lowery and sons, Gene Edward and Robert Mason, left three weeks ago to visit in Texas. They visited in Uvalde and Victoria. Mr. Lowery joined his family for a family reunion at Nursery on July 4. The reunion was for Mrs. Lowery's father, Riley Adeock, and immediate relatives. They also visited in Bay City, and in Fairbanks they visited Mr. Lowery's brother, M. O. Lowery. The family returned home last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Dunn and daughter, Anna Marie, plan to leave Saturday morning for Long Beach, Calif., to visit their son and brother, Clyde Dunn, and Mrs. Dunn, Anna Marie, worthy advisor of the Artesia Order of Rainbow for Girls, plans to attend the Supreme Assembly, which will be in session in Long Beach. They plan to be gone about 10 days.

Mrs. W. F. Morris and son, W. F., Jr., of Odessa, Texas, arrived Tuesday to visit Mrs. Morris' sister, Mrs. Bill Ellinger, and Mr. Ellinger and daughters.

Mrs. M. M. Alexander, mother of Mrs. H. C. Bidwell, who fell several weeks ago and broke her hip, is still a patient in Artesia General Hospital. She is doing as well as can be expected.

Billy Holland plans to spend the week end in El Paso. She and her father will leave Artesia Friday evening.

Rev. and Mrs. V. E. McGuffin and son, Johnny, returned home Monday from an extended vacation trip to Colorado and California. They will go to Clovis Sunday to attend the wedding of their niece, Helen Cuipepper.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Menefee, 1007 West Grand, will leave Tuesday, July 18, on a one-week vacation trip. They will go first to Delport, Texas, to visit Mr. and Mrs. Sid Parks, parents of Mrs. Menefee, Sarah Menefee, 10, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Menefee, has been staying with her mother's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Nelson and son, Bobby, 1014 Ward, will leave Saturday on a one-week vacation trip. They will go to Melvin, Texas, where they will visit Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Nelson, parents of Mr. Nelson, then they plan on fishing at Buchanan Dam on the Colorado River near Austin.

Bob Morris, salesman for a tool company at Pampa, Texas, was in Artesia on Monday and Tuesday on a periodic business trip.

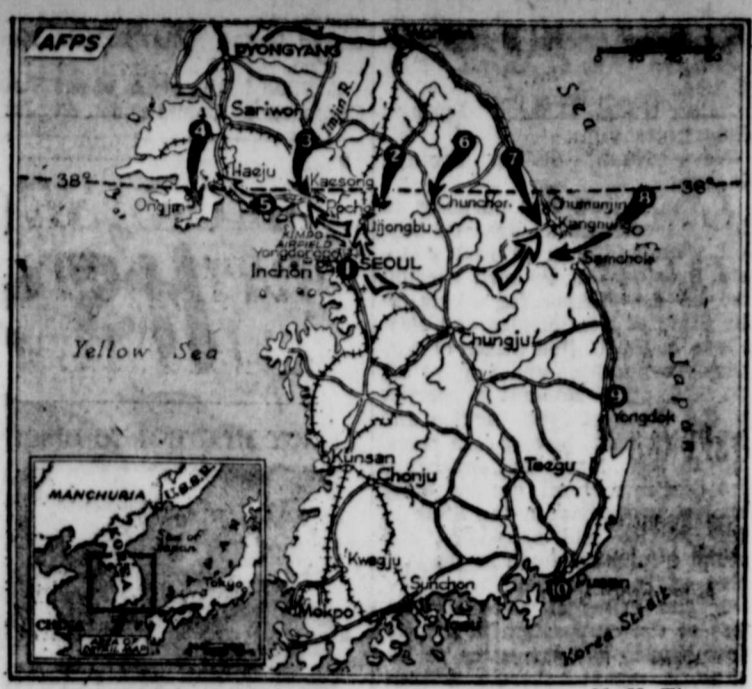
Mr. and Mrs. Allen Pearce and sons, Larry and Ray, returned to their home in Carlsbad yesterday after an extended visit here with Mrs. Pearce's mother, Mrs. Mary E. West.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Horner and family; J. B. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Smith and family; Mr. and Mrs. Guy Smith and children; Claude Smith, Mr. and Mrs. John Smith and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Strickland enjoyed a picnic at the beach at Carlsbad Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Prueitt and son Thell, and Carl Chambers left last night to spend their two-week vacation in Texas. They will go through Fort Worth and visit Mrs. Prueitt's and Carl's sister, then they will go on to Rosebud, south of Waco, to visit their mother. Both Mr. Prueitt and Carl are employed by Southern Union Gas Company.

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WHEN THE North Korean Communists started their advance, Seoul defenders (1) temporarily stopped the drive down the Uijongbu road (2). The North Koreans then made air attacks on Seoul's airport. Seizing Kaeson (3) they entered the Ongjin Peninsula (4) soon after the invasion began. The South Koreans retaliated at Haeju (5) and Communist troops attacked at Chunchon (6), and Kangnung (7). The Communists made landings from the sea in the same area (8) and at Yongdok (9). South Koreans were said to have sunk one ship off Pusan (10).

Moves Are Made To Clear Way For Rebuilding

In a series of moves this week steps are being taken to clear the way for the rebuilding of the C. C. Pior building at 330 West Main Street, which was badly damaged by fire June 12, for the re-occupation by the Mid-West Auto Supply Company.

Mid-West will operate for the present at 324 West Main, Owen Hensley, owner said. And when Pior has rebuilt his building, Mid-West will move back there.

In order to clear the location at 330 West Main for occupancy by Mid-West, Charles Henderson moved his The Sportsman store from there to that portion of the Hensley building at Fifth and Main Streets, which has been occupied by the Sears, Roebuck order office. And that business at the present has no headquarters.

The Sportsman will be moved back to 324 Main, when the building is completed for Mid-West and operations of that business again open there.

In the moves this week, Hensley is moving his automotive equipment and supplies from State Distributors, which he also owns, to the temporary headquarters for Mid-West.

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The cost of maintaining an American soldier during the war was \$13,000 a year. Now it is about \$5,000.

Commencement Speaker to Be Tom Dabney

Thomas Ewing Dabney, earthy and noted editor, author and legislator, will deliver the commencement address at New Mexico A. & M. College's summer graduation exercises Aug. 5.

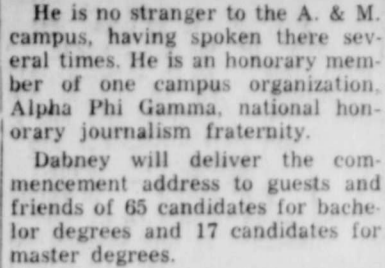
Probably New Mexico's favorite adopted son, the editor and publisher of The Socorro Chieftain is more or less recognized by his fellows of the press as a watchdog for strict adherence to established journalistic principles. Dabney won the State Press Association's award for community service in 1949.

A graduate of Sewanee with a master's degree from Harvard, Dabney held diplomatic posts in Mexico and Salvador. He returned to this country and became publisher of The Ocean Springs News and later editor of The Pensacola Journal.

His first job on a New Orleans newspaper was with The Daily Item. He later became feature writer, financial writer and editorial writer on The Times-Picayune.

Books that he has written are "Revolution or Jobs," "Intrigue,"

Wife Preservers



Always lay your spectacles down on the frames, never with the glasses flat on the table or dresser. If they are laid flat, the glasses may become marked.

High blood pressure is 2 1/2 times as common among overweight than among average persons.

The Wool Front

By Bill Snyder (Extension Wool Marketing Specialist)

From United States Foreign Agricultural Report No. 48 comes the prediction that world wool supplies likely will lag behind demand for the next three years—to become 6 or 10 per cent below the current rate of consumption by 1953. Also according to the Bureau of Agricultural Economics, consumer income should remain high this year along with relating expenditures for wool goods.

Now in the news is the sensational run of mohair prices in Texas. No. 1 kid hair is reported from Boston at \$1.15 to \$1.20 and No. 1 grown (doe) at 85 cents. These are historic peak levels for mohair, according to authentic sources.

Such straws in the wind point towards a continued sellers' market in wool. But severe inflation could nullify much of this price advantage to growers. For costs of production then might equal or exceed wool and land returns. The safest road to follow, today as yesterday, is that of highest production per unit, whether wool and lamb returns per ewe or per grazing unit—for minimum cash outlay.

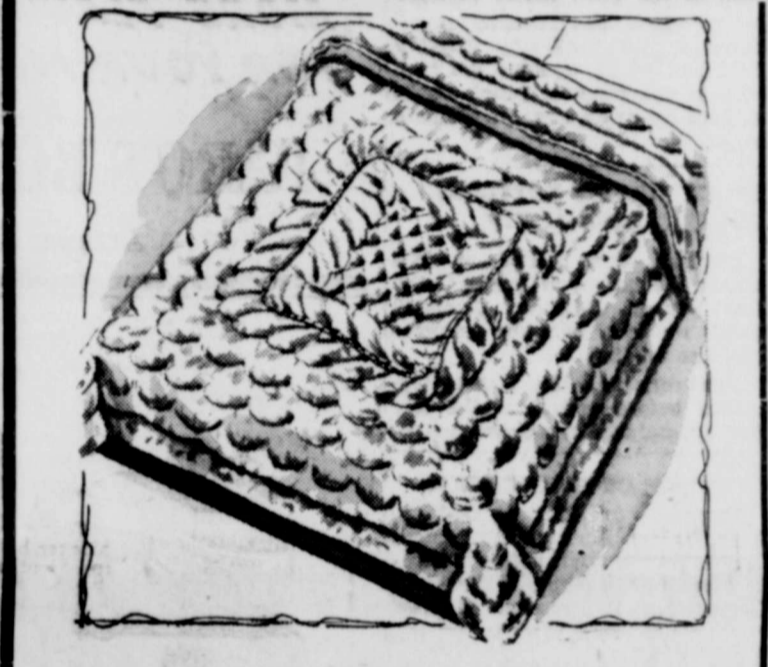
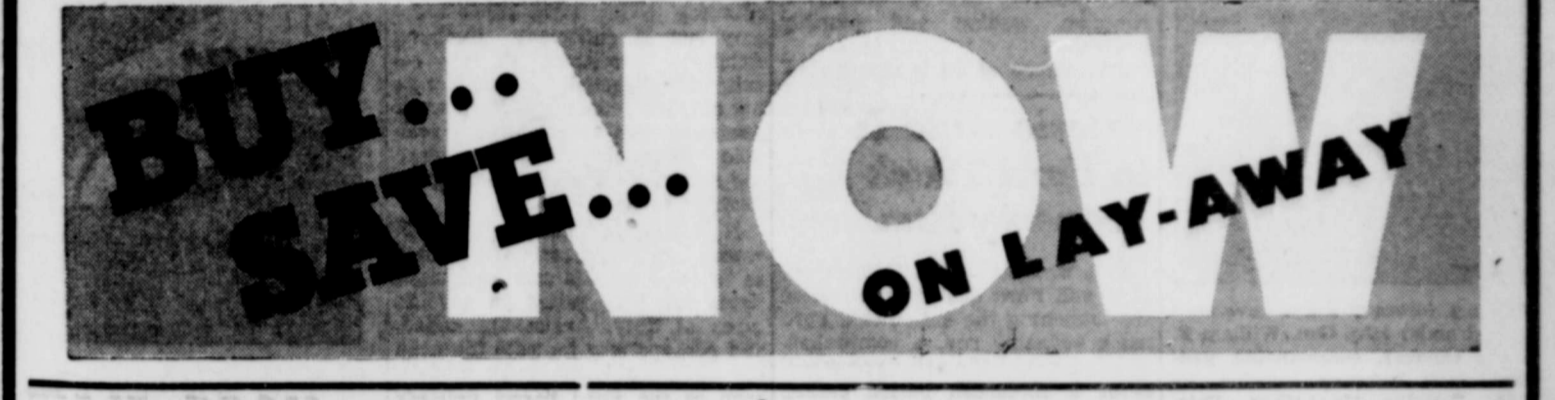
Farm Facts

Pullets grown on good, clean range, away from older birds, make good, healthy prospects for the late summer or early fall laying season. This helps to prevent disease carry-over from the older hens to the young pullet flock.

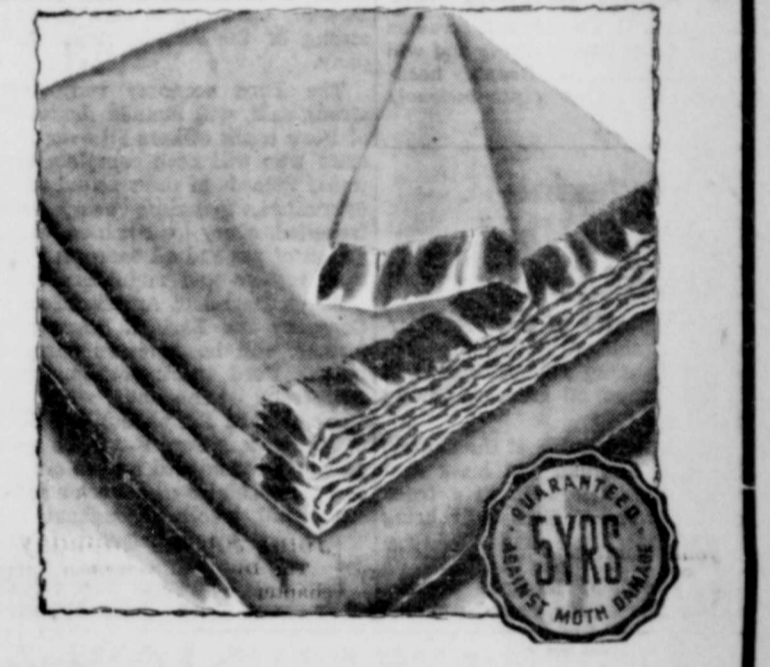
The farm can be the ideal place to raise a family, but it can be a dangerous place, too. Don't permit children to climb on machinery, barn roofs, silos or on windmills. The National Safety Council warns. Keep small children away from water tanks—they might fall in and drown. Be certain no children are in the way before moving machinery or automobiles.

The Northern New Mexico Fair will be held in Santa Fe Sept. 15-17.

The Rural Electrification Administration has approved a loan of \$381,000 to the Eastern New Mexico Rural Telephone Co-operative of Clovis to finance the construction of 1376 miles of rural telephone lines to serve 1856 member-subscribers and exchange facilities for 11 central office units with dial equipment.



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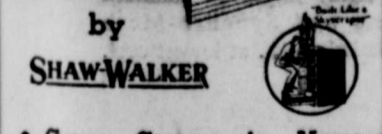
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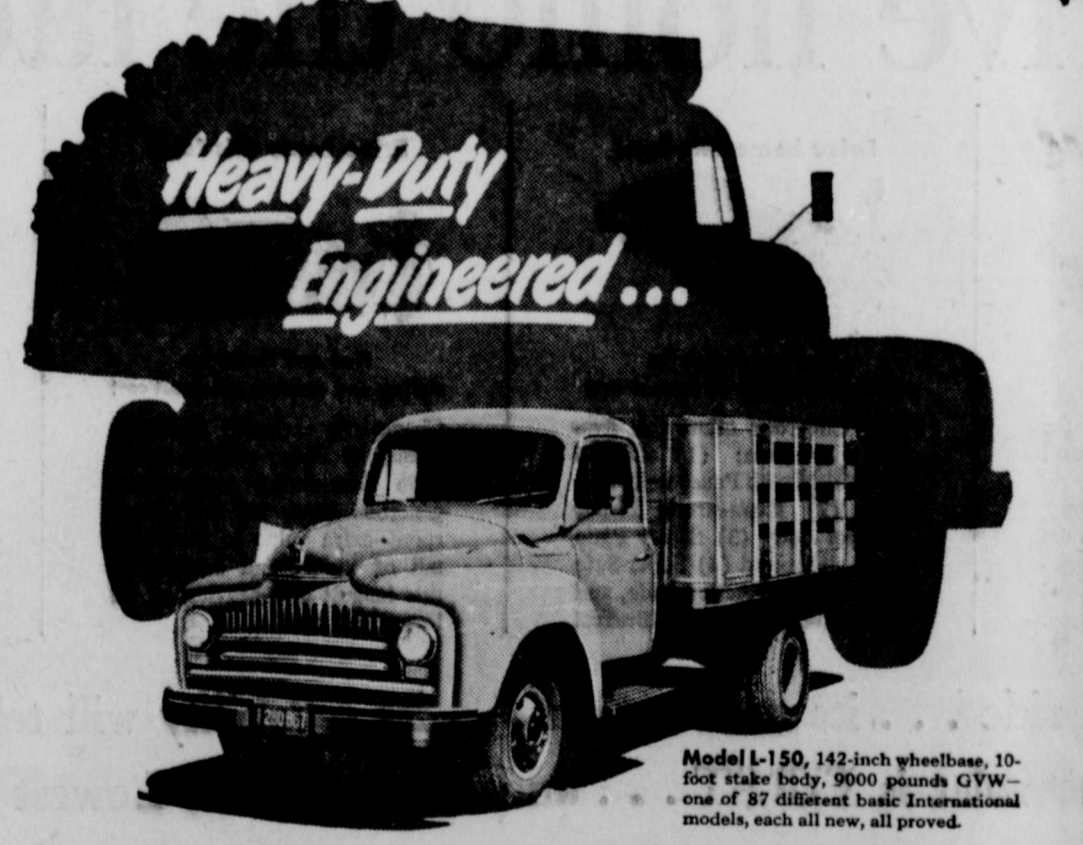
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BY WALLY BISHOP



Put in Command



AI U. S. forces in Korea have been placed under Maj. Gen. William F. Dean (above), commanding general, 24th Infantry Division, by Gen. Douglas MacArthur, Brig. Gen. John H. Church will serve as senior GHQ liaison officer and will be attached to Dean's headquarters. (International)

Presbyterian Youth to Hold Retreat Sunday

Young people of the Presbyterian Westminster Fellowship will hold a planning retreat Sunday at Rocky Arroyo, 50 miles southwest of Artesia. They will assemble at the church, Fourth and Grand and leave at 1 o'clock that afternoon in a truck for the retreat. Each will bring his own eats. The young people are asked to invite their friends. Study will be assigned on the basis of four areas, called commis-

sions. These are faith and life, stewardship, outreach and fellowship.

The first deals with private devotion, doctrine and Bible; second, the use of time, talent, money and giving; third, community and missionary activity; while the last includes parties, social life, recreation.

Rev. Ralph L. O'Dell, pastor, will direct the retreat. Idea of the event was originated by the boys and girls, who are of junior high and senior high age range.

They believed they could do more effective work by holding a session in a new location.

On the play side will be horse-shoe pitching, softball, hiking, a campfire, wading and possibly swimming.

Attendance of 50 is anticipated.

Artesia Auto Is In Ford Truck Economy Run

This week the Ford Motor Company and Ford dealers of America are launching the nationwide Ford truck economy run, a comprehensive truck operating study that will cover a six-month period ending Dec. 31, according to Jack B. Armstrong of the Artesia Auto Company.

The Ford economy run, Armstrong said, will include thousands of Ford truck owners all over America who will keep complete day-to-day records of their actual truck operations, including every mile travelled, every load hauled, every gallon of gas and oil consumed and total repairs and maintenance.

A. W. Harral of Artesia Electric Company and Earl H. Bowman, a farmer, will be Artesia's entrants in the Ford truck economy run, Armstrong announced. Harral's truck, a Ford F-1 pickup and Bowman's truck, a Ford F-3 stake model, can be identified by the orange and black shields which are mounted on all trucks throughout the nation that are participating in the run.

Harral and Bowman were selected because they have operated

trucks for many years and because of their experience and familiarity with trucking problems.

"I'm pleased to be a part of this big truck economy study, which will accumulate a large amount of facts and figures important to truck operators," said Bowman.

"Nearly every business uses trucks and of course any study that might show how they can be used more efficiently and economically should be of great interest to truck users everywhere," Harral stated.

Every Ford truck model, from 35-horsepower pick-ups to 145-horsepower big jobs and every truck-using vocation will be represented in the Ford truck economy run in sufficient numbers, Armstrong declared, so that results are expected to demonstrate not only the economy of Ford truck operation, but to establish a realistic "yardstick" of truck operating economy for all truck-using industries as well.

It is possible that the study will reveal interesting facts and figures as to what models and equipment items are best suited to specific types of duty, Armstrong added, and perhaps may indicate the need for additional new truck models, such as the Ford parcel delivery truck, which was recently introduced in the multi-stop delivery field and which doubles the load area of conventional panel trucks without increasing wheelbase length.

TRUCK FIRE AT BOTTLING PLANT CAUSES ALARM

Firemen were called at 4:05 o'clock Wednesday afternoon to the Dr. Pepper Bottling Company plant, where a company automobile was on fire.

However, the blaze was extinguished before arrival of the city fire apparatus. Damage was small.

NOTICE OF PUBLICATION

Pursuant to Section 54-1003, New Mexico Statutes Annotated, Codification of 1941, notice is hereby given of the filing in the State Corporation Commission of New

Mexico of a Certificate of Incorporation and of NUNN BROS., INC.

1. The amount of authorized capital stock is: \$1,000,000.00.

The amount of capital stock actually issued, and with which the corporation will commence business is: \$4,000.00.

2. The names of the incorporators

and their post office addresses are: Joe Nunn, Artesia, New Mexico. Kathryn Nunn, Artesia, New Mexico. Pete Nunn, Sharon Springs, Kansas. Neva Nunn, Sharon Springs, Kansas.

3. The objects and purposes of the said corporation are: To buy, sell, own and deal in real estate and livestock on its own account and on commission for others, in the State of New Mexico and elsewhere, and to purchase and acquire oil, gas and other mineral properties in the State of New Mexico and elsewhere, and develop the same, and to buy, lease, sell, exchange and deal in such oil, gas and other mineral properties in the State of New Mexico and elsewhere, and as more fully set forth in the Articles of Incorporation.

4. The Principal place of business of the corporation is Artesia, New Mexico and the name of the statutory agent therein and in

charge thereof upon whom process against the corporation may be served is Joe Nunn, Artesia, New Mexico.

5. Filed in the office of the State Corporation Commission on July

7, 1950. No. 27460, Cor. Rec'd Vol. 6, Page 176 at 9:00 A. M. State Corporation Commission of New Mexico. By Dan R. Sedillo, Acting Chairman.

Certified copy of Certificate of Incorporation has been recorded in the office of County Clerk of Eddy County, July 10, 1950 at 11:30 A. M. Book 6 Page 257.

Advertisement for Sun Crest Motor Oil. Text: "When you're thirsty for SOMETHING BETTER". "REACH FOR Sun Crest". "MORE FLAVOR FOR YOUR MONEY". "BARO'S BOTTLING CO. Artesia, New Mexico".

Advertisement for Conoco Super Motor Oil. Text: "It's Super for Mileage You'll Brag About!". "There'll be a smile in every mile... when you OIL-PLATE your engine with new Conoco Super Motor Oil!". "Proved by 50,000-Mile Road Test!". "Come in and let me tell you about '50,000 miles no wear!'". "CONOCO Super MOTOR OIL". "CONTINENTAL OIL COMPANY".



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FOR SALE-Real estate. If you
want to buy or sell, see us. Check
our listings. Key & Haskins, 412
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FOR SALE - Two houses on cor-
ner lot at 1015 W. Washington.
One house four-rooms and bath
with 28-ft. garage adjoining house
on back of lot three rooms and
bath. Call 780-J at night. 40-tfc

FOR SALE - Three-room house
and lot, 908 West Mosley. 33-tfc

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FOR SALE-Cushman motor scou-
ter, with windshield. See at Ad-
vocate office or call 097-R6. 49-tfc

FOR SALE-D4 Caterpillar tractor
and bulldozer, 2700 hours. Case
hay baler, Model A Farmall, R Mo-
ne tractor with 4-row cultivator,
ATA Moline, priced to sell. See
Douglas O'Bannon, Cottonwood,
phone 014-F11. 41-tfc

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FOR SALE-Bargain! 1946 V-8
100 horsepower Ford panel,
guaranteed, excellent, only \$750.
Call 491. 41-tfc

FOR SALE-One 226 LeRoI engine,
new motor guarantee, one-third
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FOR SALE - Late model 1949
Chevrolet one-half ton pickup,
all extras complete, low mileage,
call 094-J2. 55-3tp-57

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fully equipped with extras, in-
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FOR SALE-Saddle pony, black
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FOR SALE - Five-room modern
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M. 55-6tp-60

FOR SALE-Coronado home freez-
er, 12-ft. upright, and large elec-
tric lawn mower, practically new,
excellent condition, 100-ft. extension
cord. See at 405 W. Washington.
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Estate guide this page. 29-tfc

For Sale

FOR SALE-Two-bedroom house,
803 Mann. Call 939 before 8 a.
m. or after 6 p. m. 56-1tp

FOR SALE - Boat, trailer and
motor, good condition, \$135.
508 1/2 East Mosley, phone 643-J.
56-1tp

FOR SALE - New two-bedroom
house, 1123 S. Roselawn. Call
Phil Witherspoon, phone 0187-R1.
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FOR SALE-1949 23-ft. Admiral
house trailer. Can be seen at
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FOR SALE-Two-bedroom house
with four acres of land. Located
in Westview subdivision. See J. P.
Clapp, one and three-fourths mile
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G. B. Dungan, 604 Quay. 55-tfc

FOR SALE-Two bicycles, senior
and junior size. Inquire 534-W.
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For Rent

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

FOR RENT-Storage space, phone
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FOR RENT - Vacuum cleaners,
floor polishers and portable sew-
ing machines. Roselawn Radio Ser-
vice, 106 S. Roselawn, phone 866.
55-tfc

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

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

FOR RENT-Bedroom, across hall
from bath, outside entrance, \$5
per week. Phone 421-J or see at
601 West Richardson. 56-tfc

FOR RENT - Small unfurnished
house, 207 N. Ninth. Call 911-M
or come to 211 N. Ninth. 55-2tc-56

FOR RENT-Furnished two-room
apartment, air conditioned, pri-
vate bath. Artesia Motel. 55-2tc-56

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FOR RENT - Unfurnished five-
room house on North highway.
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FOR RENT - Unfurnished house
three and one-half miles east.
Phone 372-W or see Mrs. G. B.
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West Texas. 54-3tp-56

FOR RENT-Unfurnished three-
room house at 504 East Chisum.
Call 34 or 735-R. 56-tfc

FOR RENT - Two-bedroom du-
plex, unfurnished. Inquire at
1103 Richardson. 52-tfc

FOR RENT-Nice three-room fur-
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quire 604 West Grand Ave. 1-tx

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three bedroom house in vicinity
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house for 30 days. Excellent
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ers, 314 North Roselawn, phone
638-J. 56-2tc-57

Lost

LOST-Blue tick hound, has name
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Vets Nose Out Tigers, 6 to 5

Roswell Tigers, nosed out 6 to
5 by Artesia Veterans, in a game
played in the old fairgrounds park
in Roswell last Sunday afternoon,
July 9, will have a chance to even
the count when they play the Ar-
tesia nine on the Veterans field
here at 2:30 o'clock Sunday after-
noon. In the game last Sunday, the

Veterans collected 13 hits, made
four errors, while the Tigers got
11 hits and made a quintet of
errors.

Ramon Ayala, Tiger third base-
man, got the longest hit of the
game, a triple.

Each team used two pitchers.
For the Veterans, Izzy Juarez
pitched five innings, struck out
one batter, walked two; Nunez, on
the mound the remaining four,
struck out a quartet, walked none.

Westfall, for the Tigers, equalled
Nunez in strikeouts. His team
mate, Romero, struck out two.
Score by innings:

Tigers	000 301 010	5
Veterans	030 201 000	6
Artesia	AB R H E	
Saiz, 3b	5 0 3 0	
Izzy Juarez, p. 1b	5 0 1 0	
Ismael Juarez, ss	4 0 2 2	
Nunez, p. 1b	5 0 0 0	
Sosa, 2b	3 1 0 2	
Joe, 2b	0 0 0 0	
Jim Juarez, cf	3 1 0 0	
L. Gomez, c	3 2 2 0	
Rodriguez, lf	4 2 2 0	
F. Gomez, rf	3 0 3 0	
Granada, rf	1 0 0 0	
Totals	36 6 13 4	
Roswell	AB R H E	
Lara, ss	4 0 1 2	
Flores, cf	2 0 0 0	
Lopez, 2b	2 0 1 0	
Houston, 2b	3 2 2 0	
Burrola, c	3 1 2 0	
Melendez, cf	2 0 0 0	
Anaya, rf	3 0 2 0	
Armijo, 1b	4 0 0 1	
Pena, lf	4 0 1 0	
Romero, p	2 0 0 0	
Westfall, p	2 0 0 0	
Ayala, 3b	4 2 2 2	
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Totals	37 5 11 5	

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**State Jaycee Board
To Meet in Artesia**

Board of directors of New Mexico Junior Chamber of Commerce will hold a session on Saturday, Aug. 5, in Artesia, one day after the Miss New Mexico contest in Carlsbad.

Decision to hold the directors gathering in Artesia was aligned with the fact that Carlsbad was instrumental in organizing the Artesia club.

Announcement of the meeting was announced by Cliff Ryan, Carlsbad president, who was in Artesia on Wednesday night, attend-

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5 room house, 1112 Missouri \$7,000
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Potpourri—

(Continued from Page One) We Lark back to a carnival which came in several months ago, showed one night, and then was refused a city license for the second night, leaving only one thing for it to do, to pack up and leave. We said in the Tuesday issue that if the carnival which is showing here this week was still doing business at the time it appeared in print, you could be certain it is clean within reason and that there are no zip games.

We are happy to report that the carnival is still showing. A representative of the D. S. Dudley Shows, a pleasing gentleman, who had read what we wrote previously, invited us to look things over. We knew the police had previously done just that, but we were glad to make our own tour of inspection.

The carnival man said that what we had said previously does apply to some shows. He likewise said that the management has no control over help when off duty and that the brushes some of them had with the law have no bearing on the carnival itself.

J. D. Jackson of Clovis, formerly of Artesia, still keeps up with things here, as witnessed by a letter which we received from him. Not only does he keep up with Artesia, but he does it by reading The Advocate, which we recommend highly to others.

Here's what he has to say about the new recreation park and athletic field: "For the past several weeks I have read with a great deal of interest your articles concerning your new ball park, and the naming of the ball park.

"I would like to say a few words in regard to 'Scratchy' Rideout. I lived in Artesia a number of years, and practically grew up with 'Scratchy,' and all these years I have known him to be a great sportsman. I sincerely hope whom ever the committee is finds it possible to name this ball park 'Rideout Park,' or such a name that will pertain to 'Scratchy.'"

We've had lots of fun out of the renaming—or the attempt to rename—Hot Springs, making it Truth or Consequences.

We don't know whether it was the Truth or Consequences influence which caused a dilly in The El Paso Times or not the other day, but we noted that an Associated Press Story about a Catholic bishop was datelined: "Vatican City, N. M."

We are generally slow to anger. With few exceptions it has not been our way of doing things to become truly angry with anyone. And when we have we have usually overcome it quickly.

On the other hand we know of

very few people whom we have angered in our lifetime. Most of them have quickly realized there were no real grounds for being angry and have gotten over it.

One of the best friends we ever had became just that when he found he had attacked us unjustly and on garbled facts.

But we did get plenty mad when we read about the North Koreans executing some of our boys who had surrendered to them and who had done nothing more than to follow orders.

We try to save our anger for things like that and then we go all out. And we believe that every other true American should feel deep anger over such an atrocity and should remember it long, so long as totalitarian forces and ways exist on the Earth.

It seems we missed a bet the other day when we told about the first calf slaughtered at the new Payne Packing Company plant knocking down Mayor Oren C. Roberts, as he was preparing to sock it between the eyes with a sledge.

In fact, we were taken to task by none other than the knocker, when he suggested we should have reported the reversal of the ordinary by saying, "Bull throws the mayor."

And our friend, W. E. Rood, publisher-editor of The Penasco Valley News at Hope, having read of the incident, asked us why they didn't have the mayor shoot the bull. But there would have been nothing unusual in that. —A.L.B.

United States Junior Chamber of Commerce, Adkar Building, Tulsa 3, Okla., tells what the organization does for members, community, and employers of members.

Local—a supplementary educational organization wherein the young men of the community join together in a friendly spirit to inculcate civic consciousness in its membership by means of active participation in projects that will improve community, state, and nation.

State—there are 47 state organizations in the United States.

National—1800 local organizations, 180,000 members.

International—in 34 countries.

Benefit To City—Improvement of the community through a 10-project program is listed as an attribute of the Jaycee organization. These projects are:

Reduction of juvenile delinquency; increasing traffic safety measures; stressing public health; prevention of home and industrial accidents; making Christmas a happier season.

Stimulating interest in government; assistance in tax reduction; development of aviation; training

of civic leaders; production of sound community projects.

For Associates—Boss or associates of a Jaycee, says the folder, can: Benefit from the business training a member obtains from assistance in getting the job done; benefit from the contacts made with young men going places; find you more valuable because of the habit you acquire in accepting responsibility.

For Individual Member—Under the caption "you can," the folder lists: Participate in community projects that embody all the elements of a successful business operation; receive a practical business education without cost or risk to yourself.

Develop new friendships based on common interest and respect; increase your ability to speak, act, and influence people; become a leader.

To attain these purposes, the folder recommends a Jaycee volunteering to serve on committees that interest him, learn to think and speak on his feet, to be an active member, to think of himself as a leader, then produce.

President Harry S. Truman says: "The years immediately ahead present a greater challenge than ever before to all the businessmen of America and I expect the young men belonging to the junior chamber of commerce to provide progressive leadership in the thinking and doing of the business world."

"I know that they will do everything possible to spur this country on to a full realization of its magnificent potentialities."

Artesia Jaycees—

(Continued from Page One)

lived in the first by Juarez, who pitched the remainder of the game. Eduardo Leaton, who had been playing centerfield, was shifted to shortstop, handled three chances, made no errors, likely will continue to play the new position.

Starting line-up for the Artesia nine tonight: Gould, c; Giles, p; Brown, 1b; Coor, 2b; Juarez, 3b; Leaton, ss; Hager, lf; Loyd, cf; Haddock, rf.

Former—

(Continued from page one) at the time of their fall and many of them were captured. A number of them died while prisoners, while a few were subsequently liberated and came home.

C-C Prexies—

(Continued from Page One) Haldeman, Bob James, and Lusk, commissioners; Bob Koozee, manager of Chamber of Commerce; Doyle Hankins, Steve Mason, and Siegenthaler, all of Artesia; and Robertson.

Artesia Has—

(Continued from page one) The plan is for the contestants to begin arriving on Thursday, Aug. 3, in Carlsbad. Under the two contestants from each of the towns previously named there would be 12 contestants.

They are to stay at the Crawford Hotel. On Friday morning, Aug. 4, judges and contestants will breakfast together at the hotel and a group picture will be taken, to be published in that afternoon's issue of the Daily Current-Argus.

A rehearsal of the candidates will follow. Then they will eat a late luncheon, possibly at 2 o'clock at the Crawford. At 5:15 o'clock they will be in the Silver Spur where a special radio program will be presented from 5:15 to 5:45.

Joe Welch, proprietor of the Silver Spur, is giving his radio time for the special program, Ryan said. The girls will be interviewed with J. B. Smith as master of ceremonies and the program go over the air from radio station KAVE, Carlsbad.

A Hammond electric organ will provide background music for the special broadcast.

The contest will be held at 8 o'clock that night in the Carlsbad High School auditorium. After the contest, the girls, judges, Jaycees and guests will hold a buffet supper at 10:30 o'clock in the Silver Spur, honoring the 1950 Miss New Mexico.

Contestants will stay at the Crawford that night, leave the next day on the return trip to their home towns.

Germany—

(Continued from Page One) Valley Forge, Pa., reported on his trip.

He told of addresses by President Truman and General Eisenhower of fireworks on the Fourth of July and of the trip home, on which the Scouts visited New York and saw the Statue of Liberty.

The youth, impressed by the camp, told the veterans, "If everybody could work together like the Boy Scouts, the world would get along better."

Artesia Firemen—

(Continued from Page One) automobile and miscellaneous fires. The report made out by Golden showed that on 74 fire calls, a total of 9225 feet of hose was strung. This compared with 4525 feet for the previous year.

Insurance adjustments paid here during the last fiscal year totaled \$41,940, not including those for the C. R. Scott Oil Company fire last Aug. 1.

That was the second most costly fire for the year, the loss of which was estimated at the time to be approximately \$30,000.

The most costly and destructive

of the fiscal year came near its end, that at the Mid-West Auto Supply Company store on June 12, at a loss of about \$50,000.

Second Half—

(Continued from page one) this possibly would be a minor hardship on teams in that league, but it was a necessary move.

During the time the church and service leagues are finishing their second half games the senior league will be playing off its championship games.

Senior Loop

Games July 17 to Aug 15 at 8:45 p. m. July 17—Thayer vs. NuMex. July 18—REA vs. Southern. July 19—Park Inn vs. Ferguson. July 20—Thayer vs. REA. July 21—NuMex vs. Ferguson. July 22—Park Inn vs. Southern. July 23—Thayer vs. Ferguson. July 24—REA vs. Park Inn. July 25—NuMex vs. Southern. July 26—Thayer vs. Park Inn. July 27—Ferguson vs. Southern. Aug. 1—REA vs. NuMex. Aug. 2—Thayer vs. Southern. Aug. 3—Park Inn vs. NuMex. Aug. 4—Ferguson vs. REA. Aug. 7-12—No game immediately before and after V-J Day celebration rodeo, Aug. 10, 11, 12.

Service Clubs

Games at 7:30 p. m. July 17—Kiwanis vs. Elks. July 19—20:30 vs. Rotary. July 21—Lions vs. Jaycees. July 23—Kiwanis vs. Rotary. July 27—Elks vs. Jaycees. Aug. 1—20:30 vs. Lions. Aug. 3—Kiwanis vs. Jaycees. Aug. 7-12—Play suspended; V-J celebration.

Church League

Games July 18-Aug. 4, 7:30 p. m. Games Aug. 15-Aug. 23, 6 p. m. July 18—Catholic vs. Presbyterian. July 20—Baptist vs. Episcopal. July 24—Methodist vs. Christian. July 26—Catholic vs. Episcopal. July 28—Christian vs. Presbyterian. July 31—Baptist vs. Methodist. Aug. 2—Catholic vs. Christian. Aug. 4—Methodist vs. Episcopal. Aug. 15—Baptist vs. Presbyterian. Aug. 16—Catholic vs. Methodist. Aug. 17—Baptist vs. Christian. Aug. 18—Episcopal vs. Presbyterian. Aug. 21—Catholic vs. Baptist. Aug. 22—Methodist vs. Presbyterian. Aug. 23—Christian vs. Episcopal. Aug. 24—Championship playoff.

Immediate—

(Continued from page one) that the Eddy County budget be set up for \$1500 for the department, instead of \$750, as was set up a year ago, which will help out more in the case of county calls, which the city firemen have been answering insofar as possible.

John D. Josey, Jr., city supervisor, was ordered to test all fire hydrants and to repair or replace any where necessary.

The council approved payment for the new steel bleachers for Artesia Municipal Park in the amount of \$9890. The amount does not include the cost of lumber or the concrete foundation footings.

It was reported that "Shorty" Bassett has contributed 75 gallons of battleship gray paint for the bleachers, the city to pay the freight.

Fund Still—

(Continued from Page One) late dusting of the city from airplanes a sufficient sum may be collected so a fog machine can be purchased, to be presented to the city.

Contributions may be made by mailing checks to the Chamber of Commerce or 20-30 Club, or leaving them with Quentin Rodgers, president of the 20-30 Club, at Mid-West Investment Company, 310 West Main Street. Checks should

be made payable to the 20-30 Club Duster Fund.

If the dusting project is carried out, Hazel Flying Service special duster planes will be used, with charges made only for actual cost, and the duster pilots are to contribute their services.

Wood Reports On Meet Rotary International

A. R. Wood, who represented the Artesia Rotary Club at the annual convention of Rotary International in Detroit last month, gave a comprehensive report on the convention at the weekly luncheon meeting of the local club Tuesday noon. He said he was especially impressed by the friendliness displayed by delegates from throughout the world in the nations in which Rotary functions.

In general the nations represented want to see advancement in the social order of their people, Wood said. And there is a general feeling that all stomachs will keep out communism. He said it was brought out that the people of Southeast Asia will tip the scales in shaping of world affairs.

The Artesia delegate was accompanied to the convention by Mrs. Wood. Charley Bullock, new president of the Rotary Club, who presided at his first full meeting, presented directors' buttons to Thad Cox, immediate past president and Lan-

dis B. Feather, Bill McGinty, W. Byers, Bert Muncy, Jr., Directors T. Stovall, Dr. C. Pardue Bunch and Rev. R. L. Williamson were absent and will receive their buttons later.

REUNION IS GIVEN IN HONOR OF L. W. RIPPLE

Notes for the story in Tuesday's issue about the Weed High School reunion inadvertently omitted the fact the reunion was given in honor of L. W. Ripple of Bakersfield, Calif., who was principal of the school in the 1930's and consequently that fact was not mentioned in the story. The person who furnished the notes expressed regret at the oversight.

Another discrepancy in the story was that the flowers which decorated the gymnasium were furnished by the committee and were presented at the close of the affair to Col. R. R. McCorkle and A. W. Boyce of Artesia and Ripple.

Twenty-four Americans were indicted for treason in World War II.

About one-third of American husbands have their clothes selected by wives.

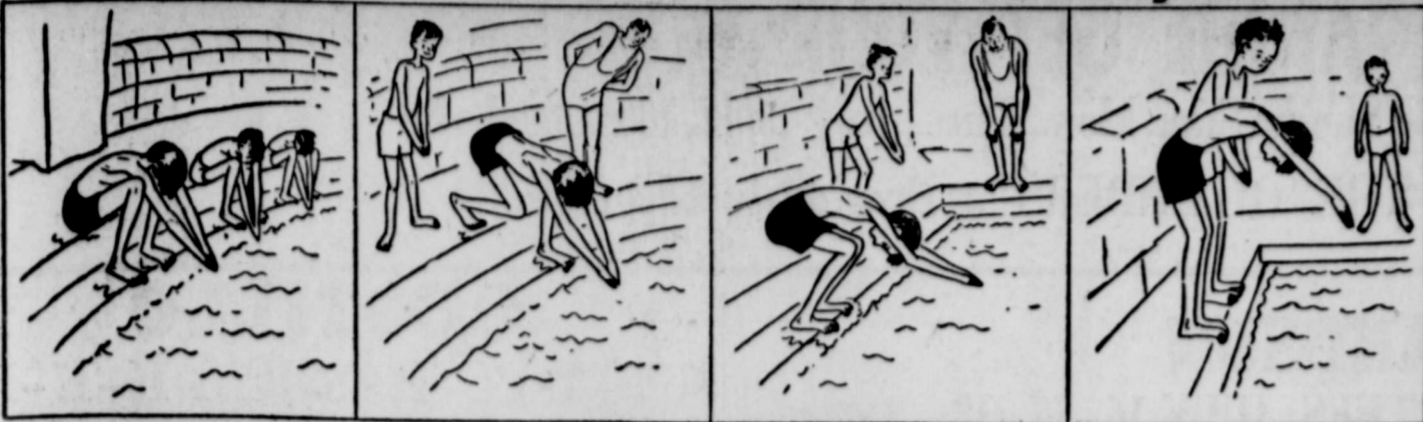
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3. Then take a crouching position with both feet fairly close together and your toes gripping the edge. Repeat as before, only this time give a little push with both feet as you tip forward into the water.
4. In the final diving lesson, stand with both feet parallel, knees bent slightly, and repeat as before. This time, as the balance is lost, push gently with both feet and attempt to straighten the body as you enter the water.

Concerted Effort Is Being Made To Curb Traffic Fatalities In U.S.

In a united effort to halt a rapidly rising increase in fatal automobile accidents, New Mexico has been asked to join the 47 other states in a nationwide crackdown on speeding and drinking motor vehicle operators.

A letter has been sent to Gov. Thomas J. Mabry by J. Dewey Dorsett, general manager of the Association of Casualty and Surety Companies, in New York, officially transmitting a strongly worded resolution which was adopted by the executive committee of that organization, appealing to all of the states, municipalities and counties in the country to enforce laws governing motor vehicle speeds and driving while under the influence of liquor.

Declaring that speeding and the use of alcoholic beverages are the primary causes of highway accidents, the resolution cites the National Safety Council as authority for the statement that deaths from motor vehicle accidents rose 11 per cent during the first four months of this year over the corresponding period in 1949. It further pointed out that two-thirds of all such fatalities were on rural highways, where excessive speeds are far easier than in crowded urban streets.

A copy of the resolution has been sent to the governors of all of the states and the mayors of all cities above 10,000 population. Copies also will be sent to the gov-

erning bodies of all counties in the country. The gravity of the situation is indicated by the fact that this is the first time the association, which speaks for 81 insurance companies representing millions of policyholders, has ever taken official action on such a public issue. The association maintains one of the country's outstanding safety organizations.

The resolution, in part, follows: "The executive committee of the Association of Casualty and Surety Companies observes with deep concern the latest figures of the National Safety Council regarding fatal motor vehicle accidents and their causes. For the first four months of the current year, deaths total 980 more than for the comparable period of 1949—an increase of 11 per cent. Furthermore, each month has shown a greater percentage than the preceding month—in April, 17 per cent more than April, 1949.

"Of particular concern is the situation in the rural areas of the country where year by year the number of fatalities is rising. In 1946, the first full year following termination of gasoline rationing and federally restricted speed limits, there were 21,020 fatalities on rural highways. In 1949, there were 22,400—approximately two-thirds of all fatal highway accidents.

"These statistics alone should be

sufficient to alarm every person in the United States, but their causes as reported by the National Safety Council are even more alarming because they indicate a lack of uniform and adequate law enforcement which in time may become a menace to the security of the nation itself. A speed violation, says the National Safety Council, was involved in one out of every three fatal accidents in 1949. Further, the council reports that in the event of an accident at 65 miles per hour, the chance of someone being killed is one in six as compared to one in sixteen at 45 miles per hour. It should further be repeated that two-thirds of all fatalities occur on rural highways where speed unquestionably is greater than in cities.

"In 1948, we are again informed by the National Safety Council, reports from 22 states reveal that over 17 per cent of the drivers involved in fatal accidents also had been drinking. Over the nation as a whole, 25 per cent of the motor

vehicle drivers or pedestrians involved in fatal accidents were reported to have been drinking. Approximately 12 per cent of the drivers who were found violating traffic laws in 1948 were under the influence of alcohol at the time.

"Surely the time has come for state, county and municipal officials to recognize that excessive speed and the use of alcoholic beverages by drivers are the primary causes of motor vehicle accidents on our highways and take firm action to enforce the laws which prescribe safe speed limits for given highway conditions and forbid the operation of a motor vehicle by any person who is under the influence of an intoxicating beverage. We feel that it is our duty both as citizens and as representatives of capital stock casualty insurance companies which write a majority of the automobile liability insurance in this country to appeal to the appropriate public officials and urge upon them the strict enforcement of the law with-

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"At this season of the year, as we enter the vacation period with thousands of additional drivers on the highways, we pledge all public officials our utmost support in this essential fulfillment of their responsibility in reversing the upward trend of deaths due to motor vehicle accidents on our highways.

Accordingly, upon motion made and seconded, be it resolved:

"That the executive committee of the Association of Casualty and Surety Companies deplores the accident situation existing upon our highways which constitutes a menace to the safety of every man, woman and child in the nation and in an effort to bring about a prompt correction recommends as follows:

"That this statement of facts and resolution be brought to the attention of the governors of various states, the mayors of the municipalities therein and the governing bodies of all the counties and all such officials called upon to firmly

and impartially enforce the traffic laws under their jurisdiction.

"That this statement of facts and resolution be brought to the attention of the National Committee for Traffic Safety, composed of 85 national organizations interested in the highway problem and that that body be urged to encourage its constituent members to join in this effort through a program of voluntary law observance on the part of their individual members.

"That the association co-operate with state, municipal and county authorities in a common effort to fulfill the purposes of this resolution.

"That the legislative bodies of the various states consider the advisability of increasing the personnel of state police and highway patrol forces in order to assure more adequate policing of the rural highways and thereby protect the public against lawless motor vehicle operators.

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'Annie Get Your Gun' Is Natural For Betty Hutton

"Annie Get Your Gun," Broadway's fabulous hit which played to an audience of one and a half million spectators during its three-year stage run, now has been brought to the screen by M-G-M and emerges as the biggest, most spectacular and most tuneful Technicolor treat to be offered filmgoers in the history of screen musicals. The new offering will run at the Landsun Theater three days starting Sunday.

With the vivacious Betty Hutton in a made-to-order role as the rough and ready markswoman, Annie Oakley, and with stage star Howard Keel making an auspicious film debut as Frank Butler, the man whom Annie "can't get with a gun," this exuberant and eye-filling picture unfolds its song and laugh-filled plot against colorful backgrounds of Wild West shows replete with cowboys and Indians, tribal dances, stunt riding, shooting contests, buffalo stampedes and all sorts of rootin'-tootin' activities centering around that famous figure of Old West folklore—Buffalo Bill.

And interposed amid the excitement and the laugh-jammed story of the rivalry between Annie and Frank Butler for the honor of being the world's champion sharpshooter, a contest which is ultimately resolved when Annie decides that she'd rather have her man than her medals, are the wonderful Irving Berlin songs including "Doing What Comes Naturally," "The Girl That I Marry," "You Can't Get a Man With a Gun," "Show Business," "Falling in Love," "Sun in the Morning," "I'm an Indian, Too," "Anything You Can Do" and other hits, sung to perfection by Miss Hutton and Keel.

The infectious Betty Hutton reaches the peak of her popularity in the role of the loveable, homespun Annie who can't read or write but who sings and shoots her way to triumph before royalty on a grand European tour and eventually into the heart of the man she loves. Howard Keel scores an outstanding hit in his first motion picture role. A handsome young actor with a superb singing voice, he is an admirable romantic foil for Miss Hutton. A top-notch group of actors is seen in support of the stars, among them Louis Calhern as the delightful Buffalo Bill, J. Carrol Naish as Sitting Bull, the Sioux Chief who adopts Annie, Edward Arnold as Pawnee Bill, Keenan Wynn as the amusing and glib-tongued company manager, Benay Venuta as Annie's rival, and Clinton Sundberg as the harassed hotel owner.

"Annie Get Your Gun" shoots along at a furious pace under the smart showmanship of Producer Arthur Freed and Director George Sidney, a producer-director team that has given the screen some of

its finest musical hits. In "Annie" they have come up with the greatest of them all. It's a smash hit square in the bull's-eye!

Brownie Fly-Up Day Camp to Be Held Here on July 24-28

The annual Brownie fly-up day camp, which is sponsored each year by the Artesia Girl Scouts Association, will open Monday, July 24, and run through Friday, July 28.

It will be held under the trees at Mae West Curve, northwest of the high school, from 8:30 o'clock to noon each morning.

Singing, dancing, games, nature lore and crafts will be featured, with lots of fun for everyone.

Further information will be given in subsequent news stories.

Enrollment In Blue Cross to Close Saturday

Saturday is the last day of the hospital-sponsored Eddy County Blue Cross community enrollment. It is through the co-operation of the hospitals of the county that this enrollment campaign has been made possible for the residents of Eddy County. Participating are Artesia General, Carlsbad Osteo-

pathic, St. Francis of Carlsbad and Carlsbad Memorial.

Blue Cross workers will be on hand both today and Saturday in the Artesia Pharmacy and the First National Bank. The headquarters in Artesia Pharmacy will remain open until 9 o'clock Saturday night to accommodate those people coming in from out of town.

Anyone living in Eddy County who is under 66 years of age is eligible to enroll in Blue Cross at this time.

Today with more than 38 million members in Blue Cross, people from every walk of life have found that Blue Cross is the sort of program they want and need to help them in paying their hospital expenses. It is important to remember that surgical protection is also available in addition to Blue Cross hospital care.

Full information may be obtained from either enrollment center. There will also be two enrollment centers open through this Saturday in Carlsbad, the Corner Pharmacy and Star Drug Store.

Tenures Started By 20-30 Officers

New officers of Artesia 20-30 Club were installed as a part of a ladies night program held at 7:30 o'clock Monday night, July

10, in the Artesia Hotel basement clubroom. Attendance was 27.

A meeting of the new board of directors has been called for 6:30 o'clock Monday night, July 17, preceding the club's regular meeting. The club meets regularly at the hotel.

Chuck Baldwin installed the new officers at the ham dinner last Monday night.

A guest at the dinner was Warren Kesselring.

The new officers are: Quentin Rodgers, president; Orville Durbin, first vice president; Ernest Harwell, second vice president; Bob Gates, P. H. A.; Oscar Bayer, assistant P. H. A.

Directors are A. D. Willburn, Ted DeMarrs, Doug O'Bannon, Larry Smith, and Bayer.

Food Mart Manager Worked in Grocery Business 20 Years

Jack Moreland, manager of Food Mart 20, successor to Batie's Grocery & Market, 111 South Fourth, in the Carper Building, has had 20 years experience in the grocery business.

He had been an employee of Batie since February, 1939, 11 years ago. He said that in all his years as a groceryman he had worked for only two employers.

Moreland is a native Texan and lived in Abilene, Stanton, and La-

mesa before coming to Artesia.

The Moreland home is at 1203 West Grand and the family consists of Mr. and Mrs. Moreland and their son, Billy Ray, 15, who will be a high school sophomore next September, and Jackie Lynn, daughter, 10, pupil in Park School.

Advancement of Moreland to Food Mart manager became effective Monday, July 10. Concern name is Food Mart, Inc., headquarters, El Paso. President is D. L. McFadden.

Simultaneous with the sale of Batie store here to Food Mart was the sale of the Batie store in Carlsbad, also to Food Mart.

Jaycees Sound Early Advance Call to Voters

In case you have forgotten there's a general election coming up this fall.

The date is Tuesday, Nov. 7. Even though the date is four months distant Artesia Junior Chamber of Commerce isn't overlooking any chance to stress its "get out the vote" movement in which they worked energetically at the time of the primary last month.

Specifically, the Jaycees are reminding storekeepers who generously donated window space last

month for display of placards emphasizing the duty of all to vote, that the placards will be equally apropos come fall.

The Jaycees intend to follow through on the campaign they started, ask that the placards be used again, and that even more citizens heed the admonition to cast their ballots.

Composing the get out the vote committee of the Jaycees are:

Bill Adair, Beach Barton, Julius Chandler, A. H. Crossett, Maurice Dippel, Clyde Gilman, James Hanes, Bob Horner, Charlie Lewis, Andy May, Ken Payne, Quentin Rodgers, Wiley Rountree, John Shackelford.

Fred Simpson, A. V. Swearingen, Cecil Waldrep, Paul Francis, Raymond Ferkel, Charles Runnels.

There were 34 train accident fatalities in the United States in 1948—one for every 1,350 million miles traveled.

Work in Progress On V-J Fiesta Book

Type for 16 pages of the 24-page fourth annual V-J Day rodeo program has been set and pages printed.

The booklet is titled: "United Veterans Fourth Annual V-J Day Rodeo Program, Aug. 10-11-12," with a picture of the Veterans Memorial Building published between the "program" and the line giving the dates.

Sale of advertising began a month ago; printing, on July 4. Press run is expected to be 6000 copies with 2000 inserts showing order of rodeo contests, number of animal, and name of contestants, to be put into the booklets daily.

Some of the booklets will have yellow covers, others buff. Size of the booklet is 6 by 9 inches.

First story in the publication is "Artesia, Oil Center of New Mex-

ico," a chamber of commerce release.

The booklet is being printed by Stuart Printing, 204 North Rose-lawn.



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An important factor in the care of eggs on the farm is cooling eggs to a safe temperature. Eggs when laid are about the temperature of the hen's body, 104 to 107 degrees. Because the germ in fertile eggs can grow when the temperature is above approximately 85 degrees, prompt cooling is essential. Cooling is also important in order to maintain the quality of thick, firm, upstanding yolk that is normal for a freshly laid egg. Prompt removal of eggs from the nest to a cool room facilitates lowering the temperature.

Keeping eggs clean and maintaining internal good quality are responsibilities of the farmer, the egg dealer, and other handlers who come in contact with them—but the farmer in particular is in the best position to profit by good care of eggs.

A high percentage of all eggs are clean before they come in contact with the nest. Therefore, one of the best ways to keep eggs clean is to provide good nesting materials. Straw has characteristics which make it one of the best nesting materials, but shavings, oat hulls, sawdust, and excelsior also are excellent for this purpose. Whatever is used in the nest, keep it clean, dry and free from molds.

Here are some additional points to remember if you want to market top quality eggs:

Gather eggs at least three times a day, using ventilated baskets. Don't market dirty eggs. Remove spots from eggs with a damp cloth or by buffing with erery cloth. The marketing of dirty eggs reduces sale value and hurts consumer demand.

Pack eggs carefully, small end down. And put clean eggs in clean cases.

Market eggs at least twice a week. Protect eggs against extreme temperatures on the way to market. Always avoid rough handling.

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'SERIOUS,' DULLES SAYS IN TOKYO



JOHN FOSTER DULLES (black suit), hurriedly returning to Tokyo from a sightseeing trip on outbreak of the Korean war, described it as "a pretty serious affair," but said he would not comment further "until I get the facts more fully." Here Dulles is shown on his inspection trip to Korea, from which he just returned to Japan en route home. With him are Col. Ham (at his right); Maj. J. W. Billelo, Korean military advisory group, senior adviser (at Dulles' left); and Col. W. H. S. Wright, chief of the Korean military advisory group (behind Dulles to left).

New Extension Circular Tells How to Beautify

If a house is to become a home and not just a shelter, it needs attractive surroundings. And ornamental shrubs and trees play an important part in making home surroundings attractive.

A new extension circular, "Ornamentals for New Mexico," just off the press, will show Sunshine State homemakers how they can make proper use of such plants and trees according to principles of landscaping design. The 52-page booklet contains descriptions and other information about 100 kinds

of trees and shrubs that are adaptable to various parts of New Mexico. The circular is illustrated with many photographs.

Among the trees which are described in "Ornamentals for New Mexico" are the hackberry, red mulberry, black locust, Siberian elm, Englemann spruce, Italian cypress, Jerusalem pine, Western red cedar, and many others. Shrubs include the Japanese barberry, desert willow, bush honeysuckle, crape myrtle, smoketree, cotoneaster, arborvitae, bridalwreath, and junipers, as well as numerous others. "Ornamentals for New Mexico" was revised by Extension Horticulturist L. C. Gibbs from the New Mexico Experiment Station bulletin, "Ornamental Trees and Shrubs for New Mexico," by J. V. Enzie, head of the horticulture department at New Mexico A. & M. College, and F. R. Whitley, former extension horticulturist.

Fred Lynn Says Earmark Highway Tax Revenues

Fred Lynn, secretary of the New Mexico Highway Users Conference, says that his organization has repeatedly re-affirmed its position that highway-user tax revenues be earmarked for the exclusive purpose of building and maintaining New Mexico roads.

He goes on to say that the only protection the people can have that this money will not be diverted is to adopt a Constitutional amendment to that effect. He said the House of Representatives in the last two sessions of the New Mexico Legislature voted unanimously for such an amendment.

Highway users simply want their tax money used for the purposes for which it was paid and, says Lynn, "There is no sense of reasoning why New Mexico motorists who already pay the highest taxes in the nation should pay for general expenses of the government. It is unfair and unjust for any administration or legislative body to divert the highway users' tax money to other purposes than roads. Twenty-one states have already adopted anti-diversion Constitutional amendments and it was done for the purpose of preventing legislators from diverting road money to general expenses."

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Vets Have Until 1957 On GI Bill Loan Guaranty

The Veterans Administration has reassured New Mexico veterans that they have plenty of time—until July 25, 1957—to avail themselves of loan guaranty benefits of the GI Bill.

Martin May, loan guaranty officer at the VA regional office in Albuquerque, made the statement to counteract a false impression resulting from pending changes in the Loan Guaranty Act.

"Not only has there been no curtailment in the GI loan program," May said, "but Public Law 475, recently enacted, actually expands the program. Widows of veterans are in many instances now entitled to loan guaranty benefits."

"Veterans who have not heretofore used loan guaranty benefits may now obtain straight VA 4 per cent loans carrying 60 per cent guaranty not to exceed \$7500. Previously the guaranty had been limited to 50 per cent and a maximum guaranty of \$4000."

"Provisions have also been made for direct loans by the VA in areas where 4 per cent financing is not available."

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Loans—First mortgage security	\$240,734.46
Accrued interest receivable	246.80
Stock in FHLB	1,600.00
Cash on hand and in banks	12,552.00
Furniture and fixtures	2,599.73
Other assets (detail)	10.00
TOTAL	\$257,772.99

LIABILITIES	
Installment stock and dividends	\$5,109.20
Paid up stock and interest or dividends	196,200.00
Deposits and accrued interest	22,937.53
Advances from FHLB	19,200.00
Accounts payable	122.74
Federal insurance reserve	275.00
Other reserves	7,200.00
Undivided profits	5,964.55
Advance payments by borrowers for taxes, etc.	743.97
TOTAL	\$257,772.99

State of New Mexico, County of Eddy, ss:
We, Emery Carper, President and Harry J. Nelson, Secretary, of the above-named association do solemnly swear that the foregoing is a true and correct statement of the financial condition of said association on the 30th day of June, 1950.

CORRECT—Attest:
CLYDE GUY,
TOM W. HEFLIN,
SAM SANDERS,
Directors
EMERY CARPER, President
HARRY J. NELSON, Secretary
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GRAPEFRUIT JUICE Tesson 46 oz	43c
ORANGE JUICE Donald Duck 46 oz	47c
GRAPE JUICE Queen Isabella quart	39c

Canned Goods	
PORK & BEANS Van Camps 300 tin	13c
HOMINY Diamond White or Yellow 300 tin	3 25c
TUNA Breast of Chicken solid pack	43c
TOMATOES Diamond No. 2 tins	12 1/2c
PEACHES Hunt's—Halves or Slices 300 tin	16c
APPLE SAUCE Bakers No. 2 tin	16c

Quality Meats	
CHUCK ROAST From AA Baby Beef	58c lb.
ARM ROAST From AA Baby Beef	64c lb.
HENS Fresh Dressed	43c lb.
FRYERS Fresh Dressed	53c lb.
PORK ROAST Fresh	45c lb.
PORK STEAK Fresh	49c lb.
LEAN CUTS	17c lb.
PORK CHOPS	65c lb.
HAMS GLOVERS Hick'y Smk.	64c lb.

Self-Service Produce	
GREEN BEANS KENTUCKY WONDERS	10c Pound
TOMATOES Texas vine ripened	21c Pound
CANTALOUPE Las Cruces vine ripened lb	6c
GRAPES Thompson Seedless	25c lb.
ORANGES California for Juice	10c lb.

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We Are To Blame

THERE HAS BEEN MUCH CONCERN voiced over the nation for the past several months. We have been concerned about the cold war; about the conditions in various countries of the world; about the situation and conditions in Washington; and about what Russia plans and expects to do.

We believe there is ample cause for us to be concerned but unfortunately there isn't much that we can do about it as individual or private citizens and we do not do anything about it when the opportunity presents itself.

The one and only time that we can do anything about it is at the ballot box and 50 per cent of us apparently aren't sufficiently interested to even take the trouble to go to the polls and vote.

We have been contented and satisfied to go along running our business; making money; not making anyone mad; refusing to participate in our elections and taking part in politics.

We have seen far too many groups and organizations impose on the government; taking an unfair advantage of the government; using the government; and expecting the government to support them and take care of them. We have known it wasn't right; that it couldn't last; and that a day of reckoning would arrive sooner or later but as long as we could continue to make money—we were satisfied and happy.

We haven't been very honest about a lot of things. We haven't been very loyal or very concerned about our country or our government. Our attitude has been that everything has always been all right and it will continue to be all right.

We turned the government over to a group of politicians who have made the government their business and made it pay them nice profits. We have been content to sit back, make dollars and forget everything else.

And now we are a little concerned. We are concerned because we may face another war—a war a world cannot finance and pay for. We are concerned because of an international situation that should never have been permitted to get into the condition it is today.

But we couldn't be concerned before. We couldn't be bothered about it. It was perfectly all right for everyone to get everything they could get and for our welfare state to grow just as long as we were getting ours.

But now we are beginning to wonder. We are beginning to realize that our government hasn't always been fair or honest in its dealings. And we are beginning to realize that we have handed out gifts and money and machinery and war equipment right and left without much plan or system or much understanding of what we were doing.

We have gone along and paid the bill happy and satisfied because we have been making ours. Now the bill has gotten too large and we are not going to be able to pay it much more. And we are beginning to look around and about to find out that we have been used. We are beginning to realize that many things have been done in order that those in power could stay in power and that these individuals using us, our country and our government to promote their own interests haven't been much concerned about the welfare of the nation.

What has happened has occurred because of our indifference; our refusal to accept our duties and our responsibilities as citizens—our refusal to go to vote; our refusal to be active in politics; our refusal to stand for what we believe is fair and right and honest and decent.

Every nation which has collapsed has collapsed because of corruption within the government.

We are not fearful of the enemies from without—it is those from within we fear.

It is not too late, but what has happened is our responsibility and we are to blame. We can correct it by taking an interest in our own government, which after all is our greatest business.—O.E.P.

File Your Protests

CASE AFTER CASE is being reported to us where individuals not serving and actually not meeting the requirements to draw unemployment compensation are receiving it.

There are just two ways this can happen—either there is not sufficient investigation made before the claim is allowed after it perhaps has been unfairly and dishonestly applied for or we as employers are failing to file our protests and our objections.

This unemployment fund is the employers. We put up a percentage of the salaries we pay to create a fund for our firm, concern or our business. And the more funds that are drawn out of it the more we have to pay into it.

Recently we heard of the case of a young woman, who was getting married. She quit her job to become a housewife. But two weeks later she had applied for unemployment compensation. And she received that compensation. Certainly she was not entitled to have it but she got it.

The employer doubtless failed to file within two weeks after she quit her separation notice. He probably neglected to follow through and file other protests against her being paid unemployment compensation.

We heard of another case when an employe was fired because over a period of three years he had stolen approximately \$3500. And when the separation notice was filed the state office wanted further explanation. Certainly the discharging of a dishonest employe, who admits his guilt, is justifiable and we don't believe under any stretch of the imagination he is entitled to unemployment compensation.

We don't believe there is a state program—a program designed and created to aid those worthy and deserving people when they have no income and who can not find employment that is more abused than the unemployment compensation program.

And it is abused because of failure on the part of those charged with administering the program employing proper safeguards in accepting and filing these applications for unemployment compensation and the failure of employes to file those forms and records they should file to halt the abuse now prevailing.

It is time for us to take more interest in not only protecting ourselves but in protecting a program that can be of real service if the present practices are halted.—O.E.P.

Anyway, it's better to get out of the wrong side of the bed than to sleep all day.

Cats are not allowed to run on a private beach in Florida. There ain't no sandy claws!

PRAY FOR RAIN!



What Other Editors Are Saying

GOT SOMETHING HERE

It looks like the Rodeo de Santa Fe boys may have started something. A list of those signing up to back the event with important money, and the terms of the incorporation make it appear that we have here a permanent early summer festival that will rival Fiesta at summer's end.

Rodeo de Santa Fe, which will be inaugurated with a four-day run July 13, has been underwritten by an impressive list of Santa Fe business firms for some \$35,000. The underwriters will be called on only in the event of a loss in operation.

The terms of the incorporation permit no member of the organization to profit from the event. Funds accumulated from the operation will go toward investing in a permanent plant, improving facilities, promotion, and putting on a better show.

The event was inaugurated chiefly to balance the Santa Fe calendar of events and to meet the demand of thousands of rodeo fans in this area.

The planners promise to make it something more than a run-of-the-mill cowboy show. Beutler Brothers of Elk City, Okla., the foremost rodeo entrepreneurs in the world, present the show from start to finish. Three of the four performances will be at night, getting away from the sweltering-in-the-sun that is an unpleasant part of the rodeo tradition. There will be square dances and parades, and, as might be expected in Santa Fe, an art show of cowboy subjects.

The new event has a strong promise of success—Santa Fe New Mexican.

NEW MEXICO FREIGHT RATES
It is gratifying that New Mexico railroads, the Santa Fe and the Rock Island, have agreed voluntarily to support the state's efforts to keep eastern New Mexico in the same freight rate zone as Texas and other Southwestern states.

In the past the railroads have voluntarily kept the eastern part of the state in the Southwestern rate zone, which is lower than that of the Rocky Mountain zone. Under action of the Interstate Commerce Commission, now pending, all of New Mexico would automatically be placed in the western, or higher, zone.

As a common sense matter, it seems to us that at least the eastern part of New Mexico should be placed in the Southwestern zone. Our terrain is similar to that of Texas, and we are a good deal farther east than El Paso, for instance.

With the carriers and the state in agreement, it would seem that the ICC would automatically go along with the wishes of the interested parties.—Carlsbad Current-Argus.

THE NEA ACTS WISELY

In two directions, at least, the National Education Association has done the expedient, the wise, and, under the conditions of today, the right thing.

Assembled in convention in St. Louis, this largest of the educational organizations has faced the fact that the teaching profession is under fire on the communist issue, and the equally important fact that the association could do something about it.

It put itself on record as wanting no partnership with communists or others who would change the American system of government by unconstitutional means. And sensitive to the affronts and embarrassments encountered by its Negro members, and cognizant that communism eagerly makes capital out of racial discrimination, it voted to consider for its next convention only those cities where its members will be provided for with a "maximum degree of equality."

Ideally, one would wish that the communist issue could be disposed of simply through watchful enforcement of the profession's own standards of honest teaching. But the tactics of a conspiratorial movement and the concern which they have aroused demanded a declaration with everything spelled out.

Ideally, also, one would wish that the N.E.A. could go to any American city and find unqualified welcome for its delegates of any race. That time is not yet. And the N.E.A. resolution wisely combined the idealism of its intent with realism in its wording.—Christian Science Monitor.

Truth of the Matter
The truth of the matter is—whether we like it or not—we've gone the way of other frontiers. The horse, buggy, stage coach, wagon train, chaps, spurs and even the language have been modernized.

If Billy the Kid should return today, his gravest danger would be threading his way through automobile traffic.

The Railroadmen's Home Life Magazine expressed the trend of the nation:
"When Noah sailed the ocean blue, He had his troubles same as you. For days and nights he drove his ark Before he found a place to park."

I got all mixed up reading a classified ad in The Lincoln County News-Outlook last week. It read:
"Call at Rolland's Drug Store for wolf bait." And here I was thinking that, what with all the queer calls and whistles, that wolf bait walked down the street in a neat skirt and only dressed up the bait a bit in drug stores.

Nowadays, when you see a New Mexican youngster strolling down the street, you don't wonder whether he'll become president, or a bank executive, or a Western cowboy. You think in terms of the Barefoot Boy poem as parodied in Overland Life:
"Blessings on thee, little man, Barefoot boy, with cheeks of tan; Trudging down the dusty lane With no thought of future pain; You're our one and only bet To absorb the national debt. Little man with cares so few We've got lots of faith in you; Guard each merry whistled tune, You are apt to need it soon. Have your fun while you can, You may be a barefoot man."

And in conclusion, that's all this week except the yarn about the Louisiana State University student who failed to graduate because he flunked a course in marital relations. But the next week his wife presented him a baby boy.

Wool Clips
By Bill Snyder
(Extension Wool Marketing Specialist)

In May, more than 500,000 pounds of wool sold at Albuquerque for 55 cents at the warehouse, several clips bringing 57 to 58 cents, while certain "reputation" light-shrinking fine-wool clips in the Roswell area sold up to 65 to 67 cents. Other Roswell-area lots were bringing upwards of 60 cents, with medium wools selling for slightly less—all before recent price advances. More recently, top medium-wool clips from the Roswell and Aztec areas brought about

Assignment New Mexico

By G. Ward Fenley

With the ever increasing influx of tourists, dudes and Eastern tenantry, we have one heck of a time keeping New Mexico New Mexican.

Right now Santa Fe's Bill Harrison and Carlsbad's Jack Sitton are dueling over whether to pronounce rodeo as ro-day-o or rod-e-o. Bill says ro-day-o is Spanish and Western style; Jack says ro-day-o is dudish, snobbish, and sophisticated.

Western Signposts
Last week, The Clovis News-Journal gloated over having a real, live African lion escaped and on the prowl. When he was corralled and back in the zoo, the Clovis police shrugged it off as "merely routine."

A. L. (Pot) Bert was giving a big plug to Artesia's August party when he wrote up an elaborate description of the United Veterans Club square dance team.

"Women," said Pot, "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."

Now, just a minute, Pot. That's going a bit too far.

Gordon Greaves went into ecstasy last week over a square dance team that executed intricate dances on horseback down Portales way.

The trend is the same all over the state. We're doing our dullest to stay Western. Down at Lincoln, they're re-enacting the escape of Billy the Kid Aug. 16 just like it happened back in 1881.

The Western atmosphere is dear even to New Mexican youngsters. The Vegas Optic said last week that three Vegas, Jimmy Bickel, Jack Kamper, and Walter Kincaid (all attending the Valley Forge Boy Scout Jamboree) had sold three cockleburrs for \$1.50 to an Eastern boy with the promise that if he'd keep them cold for three weeks, the burrs would hatch out porcupines.

One hundred and twenty sticks of dynamite were touched off last week in the center of Portales and The Daily News said the explosion caused only a "ripple of excitement."

We still like to think we are tough—wild, woolly, and full of fleas, and never been carried before the knees.

Dr. Paul Popenoe of Los Angeles says it's the "little things" that cause lack of finances. Little shoes, for instance, cost nearly as much as big ones.

Actually, successful marriage is bound up with the Golden Rule. But sometimes husbands and wives get careless with the gold.

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Special to Central Press
WASHINGTON—There's still a lot of apprehension in Washington over the role Russia may play in the Korean fighting.

The electric atmosphere that prevailed immediately following President Truman's announcement of armed intervention on the side of South Korea has subsided.

There is less fear of immediate and direct military action by Russia to counter the U. S. move. But there are new fears.

There is increasing talk in the nation's capital that the Korean fighting may be diversionary—that another of the Russian-controlled satellite armies may strike elsewhere in the Orient, or that Russia herself may find a military "incident" in Iran or Turkey and precipitate military action in the Middle East.

And, too, there has always been the chance that Russia would support the North Korean fighters with ground troops in Korean uniforms, tanks, planes and heavy artillery, and the crews to man them.

Washington doesn't take seriously the Russian claim that she is adhering to the inadmissibility of interference in the internal affairs of free nations.

To official Washington the question is not whether Russia will move, but rather the timing, place and effectiveness of the move she will make.

LONG FIGHT—No quick end to this Korean war is in sight, either. Despite initial optimism in the United States, it now appears that the job of driving the Communists from South Korea will be a long, drawn-out task.

There are three reasons why that war has been lengthened: (1) Difficulty in dislodging the invaders from fortifications built during their early successes, (2) collapse of the South Korean army, (3) time required to get American troops to the battlefield.

The tide of battle gradually will swing to our side. But it's going to take time and the Korean war may easily last for months, with thousands of American casualties.

KOREAN JET TEST—The Far Eastern situation doubtless will provide the first test of jet plane against jet plane in history.

The Germans got jets into the air shortly before World War II ended, but the United States couldn't get its Lockheed Shooting Star F-80 ready in time.

Since the last year 1,700 Shooting Stars were built and a dozen advanced jets are now in some stage of production.

The F-80 is already in combat in Korea and best information is that the Republic F-84 Thunderjet and North American F-86 Sabre will get into the fray if it lasts any length of time.

The F-84 is rated better than 600 miles an hour and the F-86 holds the world's official speed record of 670 m. p. h.

Russia is known to be producing at least 1,000 jet fighters a year and certainly will have to throw some of them into Korea if it wants to avoid complete aerial defeat.

POLITICAL AFTERMATH—Most unbiased political observers say it's too early to tell just what effect U. S. intervention in the Korean war will have on President Truman's chances for re-election in 1952.

Of course, the Democrats believe that the action strengthens Truman's hand on the ground that he has demonstrated that the Administration is not "soft" toward Communist aggression.

On the other side, the Republicans say that the decision to send American forces to Korea is open admission of the failure of Mr. Truman's past policies and indicates previous "bungling" by the Administration.

Now that the fighting has started, politics have been forgotten for the time being. Republicans have lined up solidly behind the new Far East policy and

But 1952 is still too far away to make any predictions now. The fighting may have ended long before then or there may be a new international crisis. These could influence the election outcome.

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CRASH VICTIMS CLASP HANDS ON PAVEMENT



INJURED VICTIMS in a head-on crash of their car and another at Jamaica, L. I., Charles Meyers, 42, and his wife Martha, 38, clasp hands as they await removal to Mary Immaculate hospital. Meyers suffered a fractured leg; his wife received a possible fractured skull and deep head lacerations. (International)

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.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Sixth and Quay
The church school, 9:45 a. m.
Worship service, 11 a. m.
Chal Rho Fellowship, 5:30 p. m.
C.Y.F., 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

THEL BAPTIST CHURCH
Fisher 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.
Prayer service, 11 a. m.
Training Union, 7 p. m.
Evening preaching, Wednesday prayer meeting, 7 p. m.
Rev. A. C. Taylor, pastor.

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

MADONNA CATHOLIC CHURCH
North Hill
Mass Sundays, 7 and 9 a. m.
English sermon.
Confessions every Saturday, 4 to 6 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

PANISH-AMERICAN CATHOLIC CHURCH
North Mexican Hill
Sunday school, every Sunday, 9 a. m., Mrs. Lucinda H. Martinez, pastor.
Prayer service, every other day, 11 a. m.
Visits by pastor, second Wednesday, preaching same night 7:30 p. m.

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

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

Ladies' Aid, third Thursday.
Sunday school, 10 a. m., each Sunday.

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

PRIMER IGLESIA BAUTISTA 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

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.

ST. ANTHONY CATHOLIC CHURCH
Ninth and Missouri
Mass Sunday at 6:30 and 8 a. m.
English sermon.
Mass week days, 7:30 a. m.
Confessions every Saturday 7:30 to 8 p. m. and before Mass Sunday mornings.
Rev. Francis Geary, Pastor.

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

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

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

CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER-DAY SAINTS
Sunday school at 10 a. m., Sacrament Service, 7:30 p. m., in the basement of the Artesia Hotel.
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FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Fourth and Grand
Sunday church school, 9:30 a. m.
Sunday morning worship, 10:15-11 a. m.
Westminster Youth Fellowship.

Sunday, 8 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.
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.
Prayer 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
Holy Communion and sermon, first Sunday, 7:30 p. m.
Regular services, every Sunday except first, 10 a. m.
Young People's Fellowship, every Sunday, 7 p. m.
John T. Tinson, minister in charge.

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.
Clem Wesley Hoover, Minister.

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.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD
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Sunday evening service, 7:30 P. M.
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NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF SUIT
STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO: Charles L. Day, if living, if deceased, the unknown heirs of Charles L. Day, deceased, impleaded with the following named defendants against whom substituted service is sought to be obtained, to-wit: The following named persons by name, if living, if deceased, their unknown heirs, Charles L. Day, Don F. Lyman, A. L. Patrick, Harrison Mann, William H. Harrison, also known as W. H. Harrison, Agnes L. Harrison, George T. Harrison, J. W. Harrison, F. A. Harrison, Mrs. W. W. Sawyer, Fred Hazard, Edith C. Hazard, G. N. Rodecker, W. E. Rodecker, Wilbur H. Rodecker, Mrs. L. L. Smith, Ida F. Robertson, and all unknown claimants of interest in the premises adverse to the estate of the

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plaintiff, GREETINGS:
You are hereby notified that a suit has been filed against you, and each of you, by R. W. Fair, as plaintiff, in the District Court of the Fifth Judicial District of the State of New Mexico, within and for the County of Eddy, that being the Court in which said cause is pending, and being Cause No. 11737, the general object of said suit being to quiet and set at rest plaintiff's title in fee simple in and to the oil and gas leasehold estate described in the complaint in said cause, situated in Section 22, Township 19 South, Range 26 East, N.M.P.M., Eddy County, New Mexico.
The plaintiff's attorney is Donald S. Bush, whose office is in the Booker Building, Artesia, New Mexico.
You, and each of you, are hereby further notified that unless you enter your appearance in said

cause on or before the 21st day of August, 1950, judgment will be rendered against you in said cause by default.
WITNESS my hand and the seal of said Court this 27th day of June, 1950.
(M. SEAL) Marguerite E. Waller, Clerk of the District Court
52-41-F-58

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

CANDELARIO VILLA, Plaintiff,

vs. The following named defendants by name, if living, if deceased, their unknown heirs: JAMES S. VENABLE, et al, Defendants.

No. 11780

NOTICE OF PENDING OF SUIT THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO:

JAMES S. VENABLE; defendant, impleaded with the following named defendants against whom substituted service is hereby sought to be obtained, to-wit: The following named defendants by name, if living, if deceased, their unknown heirs: JAMES S. VENABLE and JAMES F. PLECKER; and, ALL UNKNOWN CLAIMANTS OF INTEREST IN THE PREMISES ADVERSE TO THE PLAINTIFF.

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 Candelario Villa is plaintiff and you, and each of you, are defendants, said cause being No. 11780 on the Civil Docket of the said Court.

That 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:

Lots 10, 12 and 14 in Block 12 of the Artesia Heights Addition to the City of Artesia, Eddy County, New Mexico, as the same appears on the official plat thereof on file in the Office of the County Clerk of Eddy County, New Mexico,

subject to a valid mortgage in favor of The First National Bank of Artesia, New Mexico.

You, and each of you, are further notified that unless you enter your appearance in said cause on or before the 5th day of August, 1950, judgment by default will be rendered in said cause against each of you so failing to appear, and 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 22nd day of June, 1950.

(SEAL) Marguerite E. Waller, Clerk of the District Court, Carlsbad, New Mexico. 50-41-F-56

SUMMONS AND NOTICE OF SUIT PENDING

STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO: FREDRIC RUNKLE, against whom substituted service of process is hereby sought to be obtained.

GREETINGS: You are hereby notified that there has been filed in the District Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, a certain cause wherein Nina Jewel Runkle is plaintiff and you are defendant, the same being Cause No. 11744 on the Civil Docket, the nature of the cause is to obtain a divorce in favor of the

plaintiff and against you, the defendant.

You are further notified that unless you enter your appearance or plead herein on or before the 9th day of August, 1950, the plaintiff will make application to the Court for Judgment by Default and Judgment by Default will be entered against you as prayed for in plaintiff's Complaint.

James P. Jennings, whose post office address is Box 805, Roswell, New Mexico, is attorney for plaintiff.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal this 19th day of June, 1950.

(SEAL) Marguerite E. Waller, Clerk of the District Court, Carlsbad, New Mexico. 50-41-F-56

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

AMY CHAMPION, Plaintiff,

(Also known as MRS. J. B. CHAMPION, Sr.) vs. DORA E. COMBS et al, Defendants.

No. 11779

NOTICE OF PENDING OF SUIT THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO:

DORA E. COMBS, defendant impleaded with the following named defendants against whom substituted service is hereby sought to be obtained, to-wit: The following named defendants by name, if living, if deceased, their unknown heirs: JOHN D. HUNT; JOHN W. HUNT; R. G. TUPPER; Mary M. TUPPER; W. E. HORNADAY and MARIE HORNADAY; Unknown heirs of the following named deceased persons: JOE A. COMBS and J. B. CHAMPION, SR., (also known as JOHN BENJAMIN CHAMPION, SR.), and ALL UNKNOWN CLAIMANTS OF INTEREST IN THE PREMISES ADVERSE TO THE PLAINTIFF.

GREETINGS: You, and each of you, are hereby notified that unless you enter your appearance in said cause on or before the 5th day of August, 1950, judgment by default will be rendered in said cause against each of you so failing to appear, and 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 22nd day of June, 1950.

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That 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:

Lots 2 and 4 in Block 14 of the Forest Hill Addition to the City of Artesia, Eddy County, New Mexico,

with Lot 4 subject to a valid mortgage in favor of the Peoples State Bank, Artesia, New Mexico.

You, and each of you, are further notified that unless you enter your appearance in said cause on or before the 5th day of August, 1950, judgment by default will be rendered in said cause against each of you so failing to appear and 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 22nd day of June, 1950.

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By Thomas J. Mabry GOVERNOR

"Better build schoolrooms for 'the boy' than cells and gibbets for 'the man.'"—Eliza Cook.

In the preceding two articles, I have discussed my own policy, and that of the State Board of Parole, as it pertains to clemency for prisoners confined in jail or the state penitentiary. I have explained that I have never acted on any of these cases except on the recommendation of the State Parole Board, or the sentencing judge.

The question arises as to how the Parole Board determines when the individual confined to the penitentiary should be released, especially those who are serving life sentences.

All state penitentiaries grant their inmates time off for good behavior. This is a morale building measure and one that is conducive to better discipline among the prisoners than would be the case if prisoners knew they would not be rewarded for good conduct, and

they had nothing to look forward to except the fixed and distant day of their sentence ending.

In New Mexico, we have the habitual criminal law, which has not been generally applied except in portions of the eastern section of the state. Under this law, a person convicted of a fourth offense is automatically sentenced to life imprisonment, if the law is strictly observed, even though he is guilty of a minor felony, including the theft of, say, \$30, or writing a \$5 check without funds to cover. A case such as this would, of course, deserve special attention on the part of the Parole Board, as the individual may never have been involved in anything more than similar minor felonies.

In other cases involving life sentences, and intermediate sentences of three to five years or five to 10 years, as examples, our own Parole Board observes pretty much the same rules that govern all other boards of pardons and paroles throughout the nation.

An analysis of the rules of other states show that the majority do not have statutory time limitations on life sentences. Those states which do have prescribe varying minimum limits of from five years, less good time earned, to 20 calendar years. Several of the states have no general time limitation whatsoever. Some states grant paroles after one-third of the minimum has been served.

One state allows life termers to be paroled after serving as little as five years and several after seven or eight years. New Mexico's policy on life sentences is as strict



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as any in the nation, with only two or three exceptions. Our policy has borne good results. It gives some hope to prisoners who are serving life sentences that if they obey the rules of the institution, they can be released after serving from around eight to 15 years. This, of course, depends on the nature of the crime and the attitude and behavior of the individual prisoner.

Nearly all the states follow the same policy as New Mexico in short term cases. They grant paroles on the expiration of the minimum

term, less good time. No inmate, who has a black mark against his record within a six-month period, can be released until good record is established.

All good prison management has come to realize that we get better rehabilitation by holding out hope of a cut in time through obedience to rules and a showing that reform is being achieved. There is still much room for improvement on treatment and methods of reformation of criminals in all the states.

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