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# THE ARTESIA ADVOCATE

HELPING TO BUILD A GREATER ARTESIA

ARTESIA, NEW MEXICO, TUESDAY, JULY 18, 1950

It Takes Money to Dust the City!

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## Monthly Citywide Bargain Days Start First Thursday In September

A monthly citywide bargain day will be started by local merchants on Thursday, Sept. 7, first Thursday of that month, continuing on the first Thursday of succeeding months, according to an announcement of the merchants' committee of Artesia Chamber of Commerce.

The move, designed to stimulate retail sales, was started two months ago when the idea was proposed. From the idea stemmed meetings of the merchants' committee, headed by Beach Barton, a questionnaire, and culminated in a circular letter issued after a committee meeting held at 7:30 o'clock Thursday night at the Chamber of Commerce.

Out of the questionnaires mailed 22 forms were returned, with 19 indicating willingness to offer awards and endorsing the plan. There were 14 agreeable to a small assessment to enable the chamber to advertise on special occasions, six negative.

Thursday was the choice of 10 on the time of the special event. Background of the bargain day specials on the same day many new customers will be attracted to Artesia.

"Once they start coming our way we will likely be able to hold them. This has been proved countless times in all sections of the country and there is no cheater ring than that of your cash register."

**Name Contest**  
To select a name for the special trades day, a contest will be held.

## First Christian Youth Spend Week In Sandias

Youth of the First Christian Church returned from the Sandia Mountains Sunday night, where they had been in camp and conference the last week. The week was considered very successful.

There were 64 high school age students and about 40 of junior high age. Robert Painter served as adult counselor for the younger group and made a significant contribution.

Rev. A. G. Bell and Rev. Clifford B. Thomas, ministers of the Artesia and Carlsbad churches, accompanied the group, serving on the faculty. Reverend Thomas served as dean of the conference. They said the ideal of this week's conference is to take the youth apart from the rush of everyday life, into the mountain heights and help them to see what the Kingdom of God would be like if and when it should come in its fullness.

In these camps excitement and accompanying emotionalism are carefully avoided, the pastors said, as such decisions as the youth make toward their lives come out of quietness and meditation. There were four youth who dedicated their lives to full-time Christian service and one who signed a statement of purpose looking toward a complete dedication later, should God open the way for full-time service.

Among the 22 youth going from Artesia, there were two guests from other churches, both of whom were made welcome and who made splendid contributions to the conference.

The youth are to make reports of their experience at the evening service at 7:30 o'clock next Sunday.

**Travel 18 Miles For Water—Spring Only 50 Feet Away**  
Comparable to the philosophy expressed in the song, "Back in Your Own Backyard," was an episode connected with the Artesia Presbyterian Westminster Fellowship youth retreat held Sunday in Rocky Arroyo, 50 miles southwest of Artesia.

Rev. Ralph O'Dell, pastor, who directed the group said: "We brought along a gallon jug of cold water. It became necessary to replenish it and we traveled 18 miles to fill the jug at an old windmill on an abandoned farm."

"On our return we discovered a spring of crystal pure water only 50 feet from the place where we had parked the truck."

**DEATH COMES TO MRS. JOSEFA AGUILAR**  
Mrs. Josefa Aguilar, long-time resident of Artesia, died at 2:15 o'clock Monday afternoon in her home here.

Funeral arrangements are pending at Paulin Funeral Home. Mass will be said, probably at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning, in Our Lady of Grace Church.

**CASTLEBERRYS ARE PARENTS OF SON**  
Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Castleberry are the parents of a son, John Mikel, born Thursday last week in Artesia General Hospital. He weighed nine pounds one ounce.

**DONNIE LLOYD THAGGARD IS BORN SATURDAY**  
Donnie Lloyd, a son, was born Saturday last week in Artesia General Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd I. Thaggard. He weighed five pounds 14 1/2 ounces.

**MR. MRS. TAYLOR HAVE BABY DAUGHTER**  
A daughter, Mary Gayle, was born Sunday in Artesia General Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Taylor. She weighed seven pounds two ounces.

## Sunday Is Freak Fire Day In Artesia, Where Impossible Happens

Sunday was freak fire day in Artesia and firemen were kept on the jump from two alarms an hour and a half apart.

The first fire nearly had to be started by lightning, according to observers, but there was no lightning, hardly a cloud, as far as that is concerned. And then when a tiny cloud brought a downpour an hour and a half later, the only bolt of lightning observed started a fire which was nearly impossible.

The first alarm was at 12:15 o'clock Sunday afternoon from the residence of Mrs. L. P. Evans, Ward and Hermosa Drive, where a small patch of shingles on the south slope of the garage burned, possibly two feet in diameter.

The wooden shingles had been thoroughly soaked the evening before in a downpour and there was no wiring anywhere close.

On the theory that someone with strong fingers had flipped a cigarette from a passing car, the distance from the edge of the garage to the near traffic lane in Hermosa Drive was measured and found to be about 30 feet, probably more. And the fire was far up on the roof, adding more distance.

Furthermore, even if a cigarette were to have landed on the roof and lodged between two shingles, where it might have been fanned by the breeze, the shingles were bound to be damp.

Inside the garage evidence of birds, nests, recently removed, was found. But none was found charred, and furthermore, there was no place at the location of the small fire to have supported a nest. So the possibility a sparrow had flown to a nest with a lighted cigarette—which has been the cause of numerous fires—was likewise discounted.

So Fire Chief Albert Richards and his firemen are at a loss as to the possible cause of the fire.

However, Chief Richards and others considered the possibility that a boy had tossed a piece of glass on to the roof and that it had acted as a lens. But no glass could be found.

Then, while the firemen were pondering that one at 1:45 o'clock, a downpour, accompanied with hail and one bolt of lightning, came from a small thunderhead. And then there was an alarm from the Continental Oil Company refinery.

Although fires are possible in a (Continued on page 6)

## Two Downpours Over Week End Deluge Artesia

Two deluges over the week end added to the growing total of precipitation for the year, which started in June and on Monday totaled 4.70 inches for 1950 to date and 1.92 inches in July thus far, according to the Southern Union Gas Company gauge.

The first of the downpours over the week end started about 7 o'clock Saturday night and within a few minutes water was running in all streets and in some places was as deep as a foot and a half.

That rain was relatively general and gauged 4.5 inch at the gas company gate north of the New Mexico Asphalt & Refining Company plant. And it is believed approximately the same amount of water fell in the rural areas adjacent to Artesia, although there was no more than a sprinkle at the municipal airport three miles west of town.

However, the reading of .17 inch on the Southern Union gauge Sunday afternoon did not give a true picture of the downpour in the center and south parts of the city, where it is believed nearly as much rain fell as the night prior.

That rain, which started at about 1:40 o'clock Sunday afternoon, seemed to fall from a single, small thunderhead. But it put out plenty of water, accompanied by considerable hail, the stone of which were small and did little damage.

Also accompanying that storm was a single bolt of lightning, which struck a blowdown stack at the Conoco refinery, starting a (Continued on page six)

## El Paso-Artesia Auto Line Photo Dates Years Back

Complete even to the tool box on the running board and the brass radiator is a Model T Ford pictured, with driver, in an old photograph at Artesia Chamber of Commerce, discovered in a check of old records.

The ancient automobile carries a placard reading: "El Paso-Artesia Auto Line, Leave Sheldon Hotel, El Paso, 5:10 a. m., Hotel Hardwick, Artesia."

There are no license plates shown in the king-sized picture, which measures 24x20 inches. The Ford has coach type lamps. Tires are the old high pressure kind with letters showing on the tread like mosquito bites on the neck of a summertime fisherman.

While there is no identification on the photograph, the picture apparently was taken on some dirt street in El Paso, so long ago that two horses, one pulling a cart, the other hitched to a post, are also shown.

They had no hydro-super-dynamic chrome plated polishing equipment in those days but somebody put out a lot of elbow grease in the shine that glistens on the Ford, especially on the brass work.

The driver, dimly seen in the shade of the touring car top, appears to have been a lanky individual and his garb is not a uniform but a regular suit, although with the finishing touch a "motor" cap.

He wears a collar, high, white, and as sturdy as a mackerel in a North Atlantic iceberg.

"Two Lose by Technical Knock-out."  
"I Do's Echo as Men Walk Last Mile."  
"Wedding Rings Do Double Shuffle."  
"Sky Pilot Flies Twin-Engine Job."  
"Two Out in Marital Double Play."  
So we just went ahead with our (Continued on Page Six)

## Pigskin Fever Is High As Grid Seat Sale Starts

Pigskin fever in Artesia on Monday was as high as the temperature. Within two hours after the 1950 Artesia High School football reserved seat ticket books went on sale, two-thirds of the books had been sold.

The sale started at 1 o'clock Monday afternoon at Keys Men's Wear, 116 West Main. At 3:15 o'clock Bill Keys, proprietor, and Jack Tinson, high school coach, were wearily mopping their brows and drinking pop as the avalanche of football ticket sales came to a lull.

Out of 990 ticket books issued, 560 had been sold. The ratio of sales was about \$2000 an hour.

First customer of the 1950 season was Artesia Auto.

The sale will continue until the books are sold, at the same place, and during store hours, Monday to Saturday, 8 o'clock in the forenoon to 6 o'clock at night on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday, and from 8 to 7:30 on Saturday.

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## Confused Youth From Mexico Visit Artesia

Three somewhat confused Mexican youths, who are studying for the priesthood, who had come somewhat farther than they intended, were questioned by police Friday afternoon, not that they were especially suspicious looking, but because police had received a radio pick-up order for three others.

The young men, who had difficulty making themselves understood in their broken and halting English, until Officer Manuel Rodriguez was pressed into duty as an interpreter, were cleared of all suspicions and were taken to the west edge of town, from where they might hitchhike back to Cox Canyon in the Sacramento Mountains, from where they traveled too far.

They said they were students at Ysietta College, El Paso, studying for the priesthood and are spending some time at St. Joseph Ranch in the Sacramento.

They had been granted leave to do a bit of exploring, all equipped with knapsacks, and had started out. It seems a truck driver picked them up and said he was driving to Artesia. The youths, who had heard of Artesia, decided they would like to come here. So they did. And they were nearly 100 miles from camp.

Police Judge Jerry Losee was called into consultation by Police Chief Earl D. Westfall. And then Judge Losee talked to Rev. Fr. Stephen Bon, pastor of Our Lady of Grace Catholic Church, Spanish-American. Father Stephen had knowledge of the camp for the young students in the mountains and they were soon cleared of all suspicions.

What nearly got the three young Mexicans into trouble was the fact they did not carry their papers with them. But they had not expected or been expected to wander so far from camp.

When they were started on their way back to camp—where they were due at 7 o'clock—they were instructed to tell those in charge that in the future when any of the students are turned out for the day on their own, they should carry their identification papers.

The youths went on their way, happily, but undoubtedly facing disciplinary action for arriving late, which they were bound to do. But they had seen part of Artesia and much country.

## Brownie And Fly-Up Day Camp To Be July 24-28

The Artesia Girl Scout Association is again sponsoring a day camp for the Brownie Scouts and Fly-Ups of Artesia July 24-28.

The camp will be held under the trees northwest of the high school. The girls will meet there at 8:30 o'clock each morning and will be dismissed at noon. Fly-Ups are the girls who have finished their Brownie work and will begin work on badges in the fall. A registered nurse will be on hand at all times.

Games, songs, stories, crafts and nature lore will be on the program for the girls, with a mid-morning snack as an added attraction.

Folders were mailed out to each Brownie and Fly-Up, but in case someone failed to get hers and wishes to attend, she may call Mrs. William M. Siegenthaler, camp director, phone 906-W, for a folder.

## Sedan Rescues Scared Artesia Boy From Storm

A shiny blue sedan made an amphibious landing on a storm-tossed Dunquerque in Artesia on Sunday afternoon, evacuating half of a two-boy task force that was movie bound.

It happened when the hail and rain hit for the second time in Sunday's storm. The boys were hurrying along the sidewalk when they came to a flooded intersection.

Smaller of the two darted ahead as the hail began, sought shelter under a service station roof, called on his companion to join him.

His confederate, however, startled by the downpour, the hail, and the booming "surf" couldn't move a muscle. He stood at the edge of the flood, arms overhead, vainly pleading for "someone please come get me."

Grownups in a car made half of a reverse bootlegger turn, backed up and took aboard the stranded youngster, who rejoined his smaller companion in the "Blighty" of the service station.

## Headquarters Of Police Are Moved On Last Friday

Police headquarters were moved Friday from the basement of the city hall to the former fire station at 104 North Fifth Street, just north of the city hall.

Police Chief Earl D. Westfall announced the department will hold open house at the new station from 10 o'clock Saturday afternoon to 7 o'clock that evening and from 2 to 6 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

In behalf of all members of the Police Department, Chief Westfall extended an invitation to all in the community to attend the open house and inspect the station and jail.

However, Chief Westfall said, anyone unable to attend the open house will be welcome at any other time and will be shown through the station.

The old fire station has been completely remodeled for the use of the Police Department, and a door has been cut through from that portion of the building to the old jail office. Another door has been cut at the rear of the building through which to bring prisoners from squad cars.

## RESPONSE OF SIGN MAKERS IS SLOW

Sign makers have been slow to respond to a call of the Highway 83 Association for submission of plans for proposed signs along the route. Only one such plan has been turned in to date to the Artesia Chamber of Commerce. One plan has been submitted for a special sign of the chamber, which has its office in Artesia Hotel.

## TAPP DAUGHTER IS BORN SUNDAY

A daughter, weighing two pounds one ounce, was born Sunday in Artesia General Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Tapp. She has not been named.

## Dusting Project Of 20-30 Club Is Still Badly In Need Of Funds

The possibility of dusting the city from airplanes for the eradication of flies and mosquitoes was still moot Monday afternoon, as members of the Artesia 20-30 Club were anxiously waiting for contributors of funds to step forward.

Oscar Bayer, chairman, announced some days ago there would be no house-to-house or store-to-store campaign, but rather that voluntary donations by mail or in person would be asked. And club members, anxious as they are again to sponsor a dusting program for the health and comfort of the community, are sticking to the original resolve, that there will be no personal solicitation.

Bayer pointed out last week that a year ago when Artesia was having a polio epidemic sufficient funds for two dustings were raised in record time. But this year, he said, when there is polio, contributions are slow in coming in.

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it across. They will run all over town to pick up contributions, large or small, if only people will call in to the Chamber of Commerce office, phone 192, which will relay the messages to the 20-30 Club members.

And as they did last year, the 20-30 members will be on hand in numbers to load the airplanes at the municipal airport with dust, which is a hot, sticky, dusty, sneezy job.

Co-operating with them is the Hazel Flying Service, which will donate use of the special dusters for actual expenses, while the pilots will contribute their time.

Quentin Rodgers, president of the 20-30 Club, on Monday afternoon called attention to the continued rains, which are bound to bring large hatches of both flies and mosquitoes. Whereas the city had been practically devoid of them the early part of June, it was only a few days after the first rain that they began to appear in numbers.

And, he added, there are more of both kinds of the pests every day and probably will be many more, unless the city is dusted.

Checks for the project may be made payable to 20-30 Club Dusting Fund and may be mailed to the 20-30 Club or Chamber of Commerce or left with President Rodgers at his office, 316 West Main Street. Or, if one prefers, he may phone the Chamber of Commerce office and a 20-30 Club member will call for the donation.

## Safety Record Established In North Eddy

Something of a safety record has been established in North Eddy County in the last fortnight.

It makes good news, after the July 4, long week-end holocaust over the nation to hear Bud South, New Mexico Police patrolman, say there has not been a single accident over his territory in the last two weeks.

Patrolman South, asked if by no accidents he meant no fatalities, said there had not been as much as a crumpled fender. His only qualification on the remark was to say that no accidents had been reported.

South patrols an area extending west to Elk, north to Hagerman, east to county line, and south of Artesia for 20 miles.

## Vets Building Is Burglarized Saturday Night

The Veterans Memorial Building was burglarized Saturday night and about two cases of liquor, a quantity of beer and some cash from a juke box and cigarette machine were stolen.

The burglary was discovered early Sunday morning by Homer Gary, building custodian, who stopped in to check up before going out of town for the day.

He and police theorized the burglar or burglars were hid in the building after a Spanish-American dance Saturday night. It was believed the hiding place was the back storeroom off of the main ballroom.

Police said evidence showed an attempt had been made to enter other parts of the building from the ballroom, but that they were futile.

It is thought also the burglar or burglars went out through a door and then tried to break in another rear door without success.

The police said undoubtedly the person or persons climbed up over the rafters in the storeroom to a position over the front storeroom, where a square of ceiling was broken out. A rope, which had been in the rear storeroom, evidently was used to let at least one person down into the front storeroom, from which the liquor was stolen.

The juke box and cigarette machine which were broken into were in the veterans' club portion of the building.

Adding to the belief someone had hid in the back storeroom at the time the dance was over and the building was locked up was the discovery of a sandwich and half a bottle of pop in that room.

## ENGLES BLEACHERS AND FENCE BEING BUILT

Footing is in for bleachers and fencing has been one-fourth completed at the Artesia Eagles baseball field on North 10th.

## Delegation Will Make Trips To Plug V-J Fiesta

As part of the plans for the fourth annual V-J Day celebration to be held Aug. 10, 11, and 12 in Artesia, the United Veterans Club will send a delegation throughout as many neighboring towns as possible on two trips, the first scheduled July 29, second Aug. 5.

Donald S. Bush, publicity chairman for the celebration, said that at each stop the delegation will put on a 15 or 20-minute show consisting of the United Veterans square dance team and a comedy skit.

Arrangements are being made with the local police departments and chambers of commerce of each of the communities involved with a request that the delegation be allowed the use of some section of the streets in each of the cities.

In the past these trips have been enjoyable and those wishing to participate should call, after 4 o'clock in the afternoon, United Veterans Club, telephone 559-J.

Here are the itineraries: July 29—leave Artesia 8:30 o'clock that morning; arrive Carlsbad 9:30, leave Carlsbad 9:45; arrive Hobbs 11:30, leave Hobbs 1:00; arrive Lovington 1:30, leave Lovington 1:45.

Arrive Tatum, 2:30, leave Tatum, 2:45; arrive Roswell 4:30, leave Roswell 4:45; arrive Artesia 6:00.

Aug. 5—leave Artesia 8:30; arrive Cloudcroft 10:30, leave 10:45; arrive Alamogordo 12:00, leave 1:00; arrive Las Cruces 3:00, leave 3:15; arrive El Paso 4:15, return to Artesia.

## 'Youth Week' To Be Observed On July 23-28

July 23-28 is "Youth Week" in Artesia, sponsored by the First Methodist Church. As there are no caravans in the New Mexico Conference this summer, the youth department of the Methodist Church decided to have a program of its own, patterned after the caravan idea.

Daily schedule is as follows: Morning, 9 to 10:30 o'clock, survey and visitation; afternoon, 2 to 4 o'clock, worship; evening, 6:30 o'clock, supper; 7 o'clock, discussion period regarding special projects undertaken during the morning and afternoon periods; 7:15 o'clock, class period on youth friendships; 8 o'clock, worship service; 8:20 o'clock, recreation.

The newly elected officers for the week are Betty Jo Kaiser, president; Marietta Hunter, vice president; Anna Marie Dunn, secretary-treasurer; Regina Hayes, worship; Lynn Menefee, world friendship; Vernon Crow, community service; and Philip Dillard, recreation.

Youth of all churches in Artesia are invited to participate and to help make "Youth Week" a big week.

## All Of Three Oil Wells Completed Are Producers

All of three wells completed the last week in the Eddy County oil fields were producers, but varying from 10 to 240 barrels per day on initial production tests. During the week a single new location was staked.

The completions: Miller Bros., State 1 (originally carried as Jones & Watkins, Miller 1), SE SE 9-19-29, total depth 2163 feet; flowed 240 barrels of oil per day, after shot.

Bedingfield - Featherstone, Brooks 10, NW NW 19-17-28, total depth 575 feet; pumped 55 barrels of oil per day, after shot.

Flynn, Welch & Yates, State 2, SE SW 1-18-29; total depth 2725 feet; pumped 10 barrels of oil per day, after shot.

The new location was the Bedingfield-Featherstone, Brooks 12, SE NW 19-17-28.

**Drilling Report**  
Nunn & Geiser, Hastie 6, NE NW 18-17-28.

Total depth 484; drilling plug. Highland Oil Corp., Levers 14, SE NW 34-16-29.

Drilling at 1900. Simms & Reese, Fedell 2, NW NE 35-18-26.

Drilling at 580. General American Oil of Texas, Burch 27-A, NW SE 19-17-30.

Drilling at 2741. Jones & Watkins, State 4, NE NE 15-19-29.

Drilling at 1460. Olen Featherstone, State 2, NW SW 36-18-31.

Total depth 3134; cleaning out after shot. George Turner, Turner 1, NW NW 24-20-28.

Total depth 671; fishing. Malco & Resier, Morris-State 1, SW NE 22-18-28.

Total depth 4460; shut down for orders. Harvey E. Yates, Ballard 4-B, NE SW 8-18-29.

Drilling at 2131. Boyd-Plemmons Drilling Co., Continental-State 2, NW NW 27-17-29.

Total depth 2403; running casing. General American Oil of Texas, Keeley 43-C, NW SW 25-17-29.

Drilling at 1001. General American Oil of Texas, Burch 14-C, SW SE 23-17-29.

Total depth 2814; testing. Harvey E. Yates, Page & Yates 2, (Continued on page six)

## Korea Rugged Land With Rapid Rivers

A mountainous land with crooked, rapid, and shallow river, where fogs are frequent, is Korea, the 150-mile wide peninsula between the Sea of Japan and the Yellow Sea.

That is the front on now Americans are waging war now, a war that could see a sizeable group of Eddy County men in action.

It is a poor country having only rice, hides, and cattle as its main exports, but it has some mineral wealth, with its gold, silver, copper, iron, coal and graphite.

Korea makes, or use to make when its Russian-inspired northerners were not busy killing American prisoners, hats, mats, pottery, and turning out quantities of ginseng, salt, and tobacco.

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# SOCIETY

## Dorothy Lorang Is To Marry New Jersey Man

Miss Dorothy Lorang, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Lorang of Artesia, was honored at a tea Friday afternoon of last week at the home of her aunt, Mrs. E. Jeffers, West Centre Avenue. The tea was given to announce Miss Lorang's engagement to Fernand F. Blessing of Jersey City, N. J.

Approximately 75 guests attended the tea between 4 and 6 o'clock. Light refreshments were served at a table centered with a large white heart flanked with blue daisies. Script on the heart read, "Dot and Ferdy, Sept. 3, 1950." Backing the heart was an array of blue and white flowers and blue tapers. Blue and white, the bride-to-be's chosen colors, were carried out in all floral decorations, the refreshments, and corsages.

Mrs. Lloyd Traylor and Mrs. James Hugdins served at the guestbook. Hostesses were Mrs. Leslie Martin, Mrs. Owen Haynes, Mrs. Jack Frost, Mrs. C. E. Terrell, Mrs.



MISS DOROTHY LORANG

Everett Crume, Mrs. W. E. Jeffers, Miss Ruth Jeffers, and Mrs. F. L. Green.

Miss Lorang was graduated from Artesia High School in 1947. She finished her junior year at Midwestern University, Wichita Falls, Texas, this spring. She plans to continue school there this fall.

## Norma Lee Essex Is Married To George Kaiser

Miss Norma Lee Essex, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Essex and George Edward Kaiser, son of Mr. and Mrs. George E. Kaiser, were married at 10 o'clock Friday morning in the Lakewood Baptist church, Rev. C. H. Murdock, pastor, read the vows.

Traditional wedding marches were used for professional and recessional. Music was played by Mrs. R. C. Waltrip, Miss Marietta Hunter sang, "I Love You Truly."

Palms and groups of seven-branched candelabra with baskets of white gladioli and astor daisies decorated the altar.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a white silk street-length dress trimmed in gold. She carried a small white Testament topped with yellow rosebuds and showered with knotted satin streamers. For something old she wore family earrings of pearl, for something borrowed and blue she carried a blue handkerchief.

Miss Joyce Essex, sister of the bride, was bridesmaid and wore a yellow organdy dress, with a small white hat. Her corsage was of white daisies.

Marvin L. Beeson, formerly of Martinez, Calif., was best man. Ushers were Glenn House and Jimmie McCutcheon.

After the wedding, a reception was held in the parsonage. Betty Jo Kaiser, sister of the bridegroom presided at the punchbowl. Miss Joyce Essex cut the cake. Jo Ella Roberts of Santa Fe, cousin of the bride, presided at the guestbook.

After a short honeymoon, the couple will be at home at 308 South Sixth Street in Artesia.

Christopher Columbus was married twice.

## Guy Waters Given Party on Birthday

Guy Waters, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Waters, was honored with a birthday party by his parents Wednesday of last week in observance of his fifth birthday.

The children played games and prizes were won by Dianne and Gerry Gilman, Ellen Denton, and Stevie Crosselet.

A large birthday cake decorated with "Happy Birthday" and holding five candles was served with punch to Skippy Nix, Dennis Tidwell, Sandy and Mike Durbin, Gerry and Dianne Gilman, Robby Bullock, Sue and Ellen Denton, Mary Sue and Clarie McGinty, Mary Jo and Susan Ann Rodke, Stevie Crosselet, Pam and Bobbie Jones, Decca Clem, Bobby Williams, Nelson and Martin Muncy, Janet and Ken Simons, and Mary and Phillips McLeod.

Mothers present were Mmes. B. N. Muncy, Jr., Robert Rodke, G. Denton, R. L. Williams, Orville Durbin and Harold Crosselet, and Mrs. Sam Guy of Anston, Texas, grandmother of the honoree.

## Social Calendar

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

Wednesday, July 19  
Artesia Woman's Club, membership tea for seniors and juniors at the home of Mrs. H. R. Paton, 2 to 6 p. m.

## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks and appreciation to our neighbors and friends for their thoughtfulness and words of sympathy in the death of our husband and father; also to Rev. Morgan and Paulin Funeral home and for all the beautiful flowers—Mrs. J. H. Frazier and children.

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## Miss Margie Jones Becomes Bride Of Richard McGuire, Albuquerque

At a single-ring ceremony at 10 o'clock Friday morning of last week at the Baptist Church chapel in Albuquerque, Miss Margie Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Jones of Artesia, became the bride of Richard McGuire, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. McGuire of Albuquerque, with Dr. Harry P. Stagg, executive secretary of the Baptist Convention of New Mexico, assisted by Rev. W. D. Wyatt, pastor of the church, officiating.

The chapel was decorated with American Beauty roses, white gladioli, fern and tall candelabra.

Preceding the ceremony, Miss Joy Weeks lighted the candles. She wore a pink linen dress with white carnations in her hair.

During the ceremony, George Boren sang, "Because" and "Savior Like a Shepherd Lead Us." He was accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Albina J. Brian.

The bride wore a street-length white embroidery organdy dress. She wore a shoulder-length illusion veil with a pearl tiara. She carried a white Bible topped with a white orchid and streamers tied with white gardenias. Her only ornament was a string of pearls, a gift from the bridegroom.

Miss Jeanne Whitaker, maid of honor, wore a street-length light blue organdy dress. Her accessories

were beige. She carried an arm bouquet of pink colonial carnations.

William E. Gardner was best man.

Bob Mays and Manning Hodges were the ushers. All the men wore white carnation boutonnières.

The bride's mother chose for her daughter's wedding, a aqua crepe dress with black accessories. Her corsage was pink carnations.

The bridegroom's mother wore a green crepe dress with brown accessories. Her corsage was of pink carnations.

Miss Naomi Burbaker was in charge of the guestbook.

Immediately after the ceremony the newlyweds left on a honeymoon trip and after July 23 will make their home in Albuquerque.

The bride graduated from Artesia High School in 1943. She attended Texas State College for Women at Denton, Texas, graduating in 1948. The last two years she has been employed at the Baptist Convention of New Mexico, at Albuquerque.

The bridegroom also is employed by the Baptist Convention and is a student at the University of New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones, parents of the bride, and Mrs. Whitaker of Seminole, Texas, were present for the ceremony.

## Are Wed In Double Ceremony



The above are Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Richardson, left and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Boyce, who were married in a double ceremony Tuesday afternoon of last week at the First Methodist Church. Mrs. Richardson is the former Jeannette Stack and Mrs. Boyce is the former Wanda Richardson. Mr. Richardson and Mrs. Boyce are brother and sister. (Photo by Leone)

## St. Paul's Guild Meets Thursday

St. Paul's Auxiliary Guild met Thursday afternoon of last week at the home of Mrs. Jim Lund on Hermosa Drive.

Mrs. A. T. Woods presided over the business meeting in the absence of Mrs. Oscar Pearson, president. Mrs. Woods also led the devotions.

An interesting letter was read that had been received from Mrs. James Griffin, a member. Mrs. Griffin is spending several months in Bath, England, visiting her parents.

Another letter was read that was received from a minister at the Holy Trinity vicarage of Zamanga City, Philippines, thanking the auxiliary for a box of clothes they had sent them. He also gave

## JAMES ABBOTT TO BE MARRIED AT PHOENIX

James L. Abbott, instructor of veterans' on-farm training, expects to leave Friday morning for Phoenix, Ariz., where he will be married at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon to Florence Rasmussen.

The wedding will take place at the Chapel of the Palms, First Presbyterian Church, with Dr. George Hunter Hall, pastor, officiating.

About 10 per cent of the people in the world own a Bible.

An interesting report of the children there, and how they handled the kindergarten.

At the close of the meeting the hostess served refreshments to eight members and a guest.

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## Homemakers' Circle Plans for Picnic In James Canyon

Plans were made for the annual picnic for members of the Homemakers' Circle of the First Baptist Church and their husbands as guests at an all-day meeting Thursday of last week at the home of Mrs. Charles Ransberger, with Mrs. B. E. Green as co-hostess.

The picnic will be Thursday, July 27, in James Canyon near Mayhill and the group will leave at 7 o'clock. Mrs. Carol Brown was appointed food chairman and Mrs. J. S. Mills chairman of transportation.

The day was spent in quilting and visiting.

At noon a delicious covered-dish luncheon was served to Mmes. F. E. Murphy, A. G. Bailey, E. B. Everett, Carol Brown, J. S. Mills, H. P. Henderson, M. W. Evans, J. M. Story, and Ernest Scoggins and daughter Elizabeth, members, and Mrs. O. S. Madison, and Mrs. A. E. Sudderth, guests.

The Homemakers' Circle will hold no meetings in August.

American women working full time earn an average \$1700 a year; men average \$2600.

## Miss Alexander Talks Friday at Garden Club Meet

Miss Ruby Alexander gave an interesting talk at the Artesia Garden Club meeting Friday afternoon of last week at the home of Mrs. T. J. Terry. Mrs. Orval Gray and Mrs. Burnett daughters of Mrs. Terry assisted her.

Mrs. Jess I. Funk, vice president, presided in the absence of Mrs. Harry Jordan, president.

Miss Alexander gave a talk on new sprays to be used on flowers. She also told what kind of bulbs should be planted at this time and a new chemical fertilizer to use.

After her talk an informal round table discussion was held. The hostess served refreshments of salad plates, wafers, and tea to 15 members and two guests.

## Locals

Jane Watson of Altice, Okla., has been visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Griffin. Jane and Mrs. Griffin are sisters.

A guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Waters is Mrs. Waters' mother, Mrs. Sam Guy of Anston, Texas.

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Donald Menefee And His Bride Are Pictured



Pictured are Mr. and Mrs. Donald Menefee who were married Sunday afternoon, June 25, at the First Methodist Church. Mrs. Menefee is the former Betty Brown. (Photo by Gable)

Betrothal of Hattie Ruth Cole Is Told at Tea

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cole have announced the engagement of their daughter, Hattie Ruth, to Robert Bruce Griffin of Chicago, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Griffin of Racine, Wis. Formal announcement of the betrothal was made at a tea from 2 to 5 o'clock Friday afternoon in the Cole home, 410 South Roselawn Avenue. The announcement was made with silver and white tea napkins inscribed, "Hattie Ruth and Robert, September the second." The date is the wedding anniversary of Hattie Ruth's parents.

The silver path in the center of the cloth to meet the miniature bridegroom, already standing waiting at the altar with six miniature bridesmaids. The bridesmaids were dressed in dusty pink, aqua, gold, and lime green. The punchbowl was garlanded with silver ribbon, pink asters and baby's-breath. Tiny pastel cakes decorated with orange blossoms, small sandwiches, nuts, and mints were served with the punch. The bride-to-be was dressed in a butter yellow lace and crepe cocktail dress, wearing a flame colored Glamelia corsage tied with chartreuse ribbon. Mrs. Cole wore a black dress with white beading and a pink Glamelia corsage tied with silver ribbon. The receiving rooms were decorated with daisies, gladioli, dahlias, and blue delphinium. Mrs. C. E. Mann, grandmother of the bride-to-be, presided at the guestbook. On the table with the guestbook was a lovely bride doll dressed in white satin and tulle veil, revolving round and round as the music box beneath her

played the "Wedding March" from "Lohengrin." Others assisting were Meses E. H. Ward, Bob Ferguson, Wendell Welch, J. D. Woodside, C. N. Perkins, A. J. Losee, Landis Feather, Leslie Martin, Helen Henson, David Barnette, and Buford Gray, all of whom wore white aster corsages tied with silver ribbon. Hattie Ruth was born and reared in Artesia and graduated from Artesia High School. She attended Belmont College and Conservatory, Nashville, Tenn. She attended Baylor University for a year and the last year attended Katherine Gibbs Secretarial School in Chicago, where she graduated in June. Mr. Griffin was in the Navy during World War II and is a graduate of the University of Wisconsin. The couple will make their home in Chicago. Do you have a spare room or apartment? Rent it thru the Advocate Want Ads. GO TO CHURCH

LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Waters left Saturday morning of last week for Denver, Colo. They plan to be gone about a week. Mr. and Mrs. Hollis G. Watson returned home Sunday evening from Albuquerque after visiting their son, Joe Watson, Mrs. Watson and Cynthia. They left Thursday morning of last week. Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Vaughan returned Saturday evening of last week from a two-week vacation trip spent at Durango and Pagosa Springs, Colo. Mrs. Julia Smith and son, Carlece Jr., left today for Los Angeles, Calif., where they will visit Mrs. Smith's brother, Fred Florschutz, who is agent for unclaimed freight for the Santa Fe. They had just returned from three weeks visiting in Topeka, Kan. Rev. and Mrs. Ralph L. O'Dell and children, Shirley, Douglas, Donald and Kathleen, left Monday for a 10-day stay in Ruidoso as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Kiddy. The minister is pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Artesia. Bob Gressett, son of Mrs. J. C. Gressett, 1108 West Dallas, is here on vacation. He arrived Saturday evening and will stay a week. Bob is with the Safeway Store at Las Cruces. Mr. and Mrs. Edward Baggett and Truett Gill returned Sunday morning from Mansfield, La., where they were called earlier last week because of the serious illness of Mrs. Baggett's and Truett's mother. Oran Johnny Duhon, who is with the Southern Pacific railroad at El Paso, spent the week end in Artesia visiting Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Gaspard. Oran is Mrs. Gaspard's nephew. Mrs. V. E. McGuffin and Wanda McDonald went to Roswell Saturday morning. They took Mrs. McGuffin's son, Johnny, to meet a bus for Clovis, where he spent the week end with relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Anderson, 307 West Grand, are in Colorado on a 10-day vacation trip. In Fort Collins, they will be guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Newton. Mrs. Anderson and Mrs. Newton are sisters. The Andersons left Artesia on Sunday. Mrs. Burr Clem took her daughter, Bobbie and Mrs. Phillips to Clovis Sunday where they took a train for San Francisco, Calif. Bobbie and Mrs. Phillips will spend two weeks in San Francisco visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Peterson and Billie. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Conner and daughter and Mrs. Conner's mother, Mrs. Ellen Grimlan, returned home Sunday from a two-week vacation trip. They visited Mrs. Conner's and Mrs. Grimlan's sister and daughter, Mrs. R. F. Ohmenus, at Culver City, Calif. and their brother and son, Clifton Grimlan and Mrs. Grimlan at Fontana, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Batie expect to leave this week for Pagosa Springs, Colo., to make their home. They recently purchased a ranch. Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Bryan, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Morgan and Mr. Morgan's sister, Mrs. Stella Cook, of Minneapolis, Minn., who is visiting here, spent Sunday at Cloudcroft. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Haselby and son, Rusty, and Mr. and Mrs. Warren Young of Roswell spent Sunday at Cloudcroft, Alamogordo, Tularosa and Roswell. Mrs. Otto Behnke, mother of Dr. Kathryn Kehnke, left Sunday for her home at Davenport, Ooka, after visiting her daughter two weeks. Mrs. J. W. Kennedy left Sunday for Lovington to visit her daughter and family. Mrs. B. J. Perkins went as far as Portales with Mrs. Burr Clem Sunday, where she visited her sister, Mrs. Billy Schumpert, and her two sons, Warren and Bernie. Mrs. Schumpert and boys returned to Artesia with Mrs. Perkins to visit a few days. Guests here Thursday of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Anderson, 307 West Grand, were Dr. and Mrs. Tom C. Sparks of Houston, who were en route to Carlsbad Caverns National Park after a fishing trip in North New Mexico and South Colorado and a visit in Amarillo, Texas, with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sparks, parents of Dr. Sparks. Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Vandagriff returned Thursday of last week after spending three weeks in Junction and Greenwood, Colo., visiting relatives.

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SUMMONS AND NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF SUIT

THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO: Joe A. Clayton, defendant. Impleaded with the following named defendants against whom substituted service is hereby sought to be obtained, to wit: Joe A. Clayton and Cecil P. Clayton; The following named defendants by name, if living, if deceased their unknown heirs, to wit: L. W. Martin, Herman M. Harper, J. D. Boyd, Mrs. Lottie Minor, D. L. Reed, Lewis R. Smith, Carrie E. Smith, James H. Beckham, Jr., Adabel V. Beckham, William Crandall, Margaret Crandall, Edith Rogers, Louis G. Purcello, Elizabeth Hodges, T. W. Burns, Jose G. Torres, Dr. B. F. Gregory, J. R. Little, C. A. Moore, B. W. Camp, Jr., L. C. Kinser, D. W. Qualls, T. W. Carter, Flora Mills Carter, Dora E. Little, Roy C. Douglas, T. A. Stancliff, Belle M. Stancliff, M. R. Kiser, Mrs. M. R. Kiser, R. G. Fleming, Mrs. R. G. Fleming, Henry A. Wuellner, John Snyder, Salome F. Valencia, Diego Valencia, John Thomann, Thomas Graham, Frank Gerber, W. D. Mahony, Otis Malcolm, and John Schmitter; San Diego, El Paso & St. Louis Railway Company, a dissolved corporation; Unknown Successors of San Diego, El Paso & St. Louis Railway Company, a dissolved corporation; The unknown heirs of the following named deceased persons, to wit: Maria G. DeCota, deceased, Arthur C. Keinath, deceased, Owen Allen, deceased, Laura A. Allen, deceased, S. A. Winters, deceased, Hattie E. Clayton, deceased, and Unknown Claimants of Interest in the Premises Adverse to the Plaintiff, GREETING:

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 GEO. E. CURRIER is plaintiff, and each of you are defendants, said cause being No. 11797 on the Civil Docket of said Court.

That the general object of this action is to quiet title in the plaintiff against all claims of the defendants in and to the following lands in Eddy County, New Mexico, to wit:

- Lot 14 in Block 13, and Lot 14 in Block 16 of the Forest Hill Addition to the City of Artesia, New Mexico. 50 feet by 125 feet in southwest corner of Block 19; Lot 3 in Block 30; Lots 25, 26 and 27 in Block 31; and Lot 8 in Block 36, all in the Fairview Addition to the City of Artesia, New Mexico. Lot 6 in Block 20 of the Artesia Heights Addition to the City of Artesia, New Mexico. Lot 9 in Block 57 of the Artesia Improvement Company Addition to the City of Artesia, New Mexico. Lots 9, 10, 11 and 12 in Block 3; Lots 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13 in Block 4; Lots 10, 11, 12, 13, 14 and 15 in Block 6; Lots 1, 2, 7 and 8 in Block 5; Lots 1, 2 and 3 in Block 14; and Lots 13 and 16 in Block 23, all in Morning-side Addition to the City of Artesia, New Mexico. Lots 2, 5 and 6 in Block 1; Lots 1, 3, 5, 7, 9 and 11 in Block 3; Lots 1, 3, 5, 7 and 11 in Block 5; and Lots 5, 7, 9 and 11 in Block 6, all in the Chisum Addition to the City of Artesia, New Mexico. Said real estate being more particularly described in the Complaint.

And to barr and forever estop you, and each of you, said defendants from having or claiming any lien upon or right, title or interest in or to said lands adverse to the plaintiff, and to forever quiet and set at rest the plaintiff's title to a fee simple estate therein. If you, or any of you said defendants, fail to enter your appearance in said cause on or before the 17th day of August, 1950, judgment by default will be entered against each of you failing to appear; and plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the Complaint.

The plaintiff's attorney is NEIL B. WATSON, of Artesia, New Mexico. WITNESS MY HAND and the seal of the Court on this the 30th day of June, 1950. (SEAL) Marguerite E. Waller, Clerk of the District Court. 53-41-T-39

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NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that all persons having claims against said decedent are hereby notified to present the same, as provided by law, within six (6) months from the 4th day of July, 1950, the date of the first publication of this Notice, or the same will be barred.

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF EDDY COUNTY, STATE OF NEW MEXICO. IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF J. C. FOLLIS, DECEASED. No. 1636

Subscribers to the Advocate: DWIGHT LEE, Sheriff of Eddy County, New Mexico. 51-41-T-57

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TWO JOINT CHIEFS of staff chairmen, Gen. Omar Bradley of the U. S. and Gen. Charles Francois Lecheres of France, chat on the latter's arrival in Washington by air for a North Atlantic treaty meeting. Other high French officers accompany Lecheres, who is also chief of staff of the French air force. (International)

New Mexico Gaining As Locale of Movies

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Cliff's Cafeteria, Only One Here, Opened Saturday

Artesia's only cafeteria opened for business Saturday after an open house event held at 2 o'clock the preceding afternoon.

Hours of business will be from 11 o'clock in the forenoon to 9 o'clock at night although these hours are subject to possible change, and the place will be open seven days a week.

The place specializes in choice steaks, fried chicken, and Spanish foods, with a waitress on duty to take orders, the only a la carte service of the cafeteria.

All else is regulation cafeteria style, patrons moving along an S-shaped 38-foot serving counter to select their meals.

Proprietor of the eating place, who has had 15 years experience in butcher shops in addition to restaurant experience, handles all cutting and preparation of meat.

"See Your Food Before You Buy" is the cafeteria slogan. Work of remodeling the location, at one time a theater, began on April 1.

The place is 140 feet long by 25 feet wide and contains five main compartments, an upstairs office, dining room, kitchen, storage and stock rooms.

Multiple Colors Floor is of asphalt tile of russet shade; ceiling gray. There is air conditioning by a washed air device. There are 11 booths of Syracuse vice. Lighting is from 16 fluorescent lighting fixtures.

Green Duran plastic. Chairs at the 14 tables are of the same material. Seating capacity is 100.

Walls are painted buff, gray, green, and rose. Equipment includes the 38-foot stainless steel S-shaped serving counter, made by Thermaduke Manufacturing, St. Louis; Viking 6x8-foot walk-in box, 50 and 30 cubic foot reach-in refrigeration; and two Garland hotel gas ranges.

Clifford Plattor, owner of the place, whose last name coincidentally fits his business, was for six years owner of Coney Island Cafe, 315 West Main, adjoining his new business. He sold the Coney Island before starting his new place.

Plattor, a native of Pendleton, Ore., has lived in New Mexico 18 years, coming to Artesia from Albuquerque, after eight years there and in other parts of northern New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Plattor and son, Jerry, 10, Park School pupil, reside at 1015 West Missouri.

There are 10 on the cafeteria personnel. Besides Mr. and Mrs. Plattor there are Mrs. Mary Savio, pastry cook, Mrs. V. B. Elmore, cook, Carol Ann Porter, Bobbie Dawn Hill, Charlene Parrish, Mrs. Lucille Hancock, Viola Torrez, Minnie Adkins.

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Presbyterian Youth Plan Second Retreat

Gratified by the retreat held Sunday in Rocky Arroyo, young people of the Westminster Fellowship Church of the First Presbyterian Church of Artesia are contemplating a second similar event to be held preceding the opening of school in the fall. Bear Canyon is a possible location.

Salient in the group's work in the mind of Rev. Ralph L. O'Dell, pastor, is that the organization "does its own thinking." Idea of the retreat originated with the boys and girls, who are of junior and senior high age range.

Attendance at the retreat held in Rocky Arroyo, 50 miles southwest of Artesia, totaled 50, including Ott Strock and James Blue, counselors, pastor, and Donald Fanning, who drove the truck transporting 42 of the party.

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Scout Board to Map Work on August 17 in Roswell Session

A council planning conference of the Southeastern New Mexico area will be held Aug. 17 in Roswell when plans will be made for Boy Scout work next year.

E. B. Bullock of Artesia, member of the board from this city, was among the 80 persons attending an executive board meeting recently at Camp We-Hin-Ah-Pay in the Sacramento Mountains.

He told of his experience at a national executive board meeting in Philadelphia as well as at the opening night of the national jamboree at Valley Forge, Pa.

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**Polsum Is Better Bread**  
FOR SALE—Two houses on corner lot at 1015 W. Washington. One house four-rooms and bath, 28-ft. garage adjoining, house back of lot three rooms and bath. Call 780-J at night. 40-tfc

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FOR SALE—Cushman motor scooter with windshield. See at Advertiser office or call 997-R6. 49-tfc

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FOR SALE—Bargain! 1946 V-8 horsepower Ford patrol, painted, excellent, only \$750. 49-tfc

**FOR SALE**—One 226 LeRoy engine, new motor guarantee, one-third new price, equipped with V-belt. 408 W. Texas, phone 764-M. 51-tfc

**FOR SALE**—One gas range, thermostat controlled oven, A-1 condition, \$60. Also 9-ft. Kelvinator refrigerator, \$150. Phone 764-M or 408 W. Texas. 51-tfc

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FOR SALE — Late model 1949 Chevrolet one-half ton pickup, extras complete, low mileage. 094-J2. 55-3tp-57

**FOR SALE**—1947 Ford club coupe, fully equipped with extras, including overdrive, excellent condition, low mileage, \$1050. R. B. Bue, 610 Ward, phone 1118-R. 55-4tc-58

**FOR SALE**—Two-room house, can be moved, located at old Loco. W. E. Watkins, Loco Hills, 55-6tp-60

**FOR SALE**—Coronado home freezer, 12-ft. upright, and large electric lawn mower, practically new condition, 100-ft. extension. See at 405 W. Washington. Bessie Willoughby. 56-tfc

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**FOR SALE** — New two-bedroom house, 1123 S. Roselawn. Call Witherspoon, phone 0187-R1. 56-3tp-58

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### For Sale

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**For Rent**  
**FOR RENT** — Tank type vacuum cleaner with attachments. Artesia Furniture Co., 203-5 West Main, phone 517. 61-tfc

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**FOR RENT** — Vacuum cleaners, floor polishers and portable sewing machines. Roselawn Radio Service, 106 S. Roselawn, phone 868. 61-tfc

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**FOR RENT**—Furnished two-room apartment, air conditioned, private bath. Artesia Motel. 55-4tc-58

**FOR RENT**—Portable sewing machines. Nelson Appliance Company, 518 W. Main, phone 978-W. 55-tfc

**FOR RENT** — Unfurnished house three and one-half miles east of town, 372-W or see Mrs. G. B. Dungan, 604 Quay. 55-tfc

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

**FOR RENT** — Two-bedroom duplex, unfurnished. Inquire at 1103 Richardson. 52-tfc

**FOR RENT** — Five-room modern house. Call 351. 57-1tp

**Miscellaneous**  
**MONEY TO LOAN** On Artesia real estate, low interest, quick service, small monthly payments, like rent, charged on balances only. We will be glad to explain our low cost, convenient loan plan. Chaves County Building & Loan Association, Roswell, N. M. E. A. Hannah, Artesia representative, 113 South Third, phone 352-W. 54-7tc-60

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

**WANTED TO RENT** — Two or three bedroom house in vicinity of new Junior High. Please call 1061-W. Mrs. C. C. Nelson. 54-tfc

**WANTED** — Experienced waitress. Apply in person. The Steak House, 205 North First St. 57-1tc

**WANTED**—Ironing to do, \$1 per dozen, 1108 Washington. 57-1tp

**Lost**  
**LOST**—Male dog, white with brown spots and short tail, answers name Bob, \$5 reward. Contact W. O. Haven, c/o Shooting Gallery near Lansdown Theater. 57-1tp

**Locals**  
Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Dippel, 509 West Quay, are visiting relatives in East Texas, while on a one-week vacation trip. They left Artesia on Sunday.

Mrs. Paul Frost and daughter, Bobbie Jean, 9, of 712 West Bullock, are in Orlando, Fla., visiting Mrs. W. W. Lindley, Mrs. Dan Harrell and Mrs. Richard Merriman. Mrs. Lindley is the mother and Mrs. Harrell and Mrs. Merriman

are sisters of Mrs. Frost. Mrs. Frost and daughter left Artesia on Wednesday, expect to be gone one month.

Rev. John Eppler, pastor of the Church of the Nazarene, returned home Friday from the Nazarene camp ground in the White Mountains, where he had been serving as a teacher and counselor since Monday of last week. He is to return there Monday of next week, to remain through Friday during a youth camp and institute.

Don Sanders of Wichita Falls, Texas, a ministerial student at Bethel Peniel College, Oklahoma City, who visited his cousin, James Boggs, last week, left Sunday. Miss Mildred Lambert returned to Artesia Saturday after spending six weeks at Teachers' College, Commerce, Texas. Miss Lambert will teach in the new junior high school this fall.

## Yankees Shade Lovington 6-5

Always potent, the Biggs Field baseball team from El Paso, will provide the Artesia Yankees with plenty of competition when the two nine clash in a pair of games here this week-end.

First contest will be at 8 o'clock Saturday night; second, 2:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon; both at Artesia Municipal Park.

Rain and the Yankees split in play last week-end. The Hagerman nine came to Artesia ready to play but a downpour flooded out the game that had been slated to start at 8 o'clock Saturday night.

There was rain on Sunday afternoon, too, but it came early and did not stop the Yankee-Lovington game, won by the locals in a last-inning drive, 6-5.

The Yanks were trailing 4 to 5 in the last half of the ninth. Joe Ford, second baseman for the Artesia team, walked, then scored on a triple by Jack Wilson, left fielder. Ken Baldersee's single wrapped up the game.

Baldersee went in the top of the seventh to relieve Ken Foster on the mound. Hayes pitched the whole game for Lovington.

Attendance at the Yankee games has been poor. Manager Red Goodwin said the crowd Sunday was meager. Asked if there were seats for spectators, he said there were seats in for 600 and that seats for 1000 would be in for the games this week-end.

Lack of a fence, ticket box office, and gate, hampers collection of admission charges, Goodwin ad-

mitted. He said better turn outs were imperative if the games are to continue.

### PLANT VEGETABLES FOR FREEZING LATER

The time is here to plant vegetables to store or freeze for next winter. The next four or five plantings of beans and corn should be double or treble—those made previously, to make sure of surpluses for canning, storing, or freezing.

A list of varieties of fruits and vegetables adapted to freezing can be obtained from the extension office.

### NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF SUIT THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO

TO: J. P. CLARKE, defendant, impleaded with the following named defendants against whom substituted service is hereby sought to be obtained, to-wit: The following named defendant by name, if living, if deceased, his unknown heirs: J. P. CLARKE; and, ALL UNKNOWN CLAIMANTS OF INTEREST IN THE PREMISES ADVERSE TO THE PLAINTIFFS.

GREETINGS: You, and each of you, are hereby notified that an action has been commenced and is now pending in the District Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, wherein George T. Wood and Selma M. Wood are plaintiffs and you, and each of you, are defendants, said cause be-

ing No. 11830 on the Civil Docket of said Court.

That the general objects of said action are to quiet and set at rest the plaintiffs' title, in fee simple, to the following described property in Eddy County, New Mexico: Lots 12, 13 and 16 in Block 20, Morningside Addition to the City of Artesia, Eddy County, New Mexico, as the same appears on the official recorded plat thereof, on file in the Office of the County Clerk of Eddy County, subject to a valid Mortgage in favor of the Artesia Investment Company.

You, and each of you, are further notified that unless you enter your appearance in said cause on or before the 31st day of August, 1950 judgment by default will be rendered in said cause against each of you so failing to appear, and plaintiffs will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the Complaint.

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

WITNESS MY HAND and seal of the District Court of Eddy County, New Mexico, on this 17th day of July, 1950.

(SEAL) Marguerite E. Waller, Clerk of the District Court, Carlsbad, New Mexico. 57-4t-63

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### ARTESIA ABSTRACT COMPANY

R. H. HAYES, Secretary  
118 South Roselawn Phone 12  
ABSTRACTS OF TITLE AND TITLE INSURANCE

Warranty deeds conveying real estate in Artesia and North Eddy County filed for record from July 5, 1950 to July 10, 1950, inclusive: WD 113-384 George L. Spurgeon and wife to Everett L. Murphy and wife Lot 17 Homac Re-division

WD 113-397 William M. Barnett and wife to Glenn Farmer and wife Lots 3, 4, 5 and 6 Block 1 Tyler's Sub-division

WD 113-402 Aubrey F. Smith and wife to Martin Yates, Jr. A tract in the NW 1/4 NE 1/4 of Section 18, Township 17, Range 26 described as: Commencing 570 feet North and 794.28 feet East of the Southwest Corner of the NW 1/4 NE 1/4 Section 18, Township 17, Range 26; North 566 feet; East 284 feet; South 566 feet; West 284 feet to the point of beginning.

WD 113-414 Mark T. Walters and wife to Mrs. Margaret D. Wilson Lot 9 Block 7 Forest Hill Addition.

WD 113-420 Thomas A. Southard and wife to H. A. Jones and wife A tract in W 1/2 SW 1/4, Section 4, Township 18, Range 26 described as beginning at a point 447.42 feet North of Southwest Corner of Section 4, East 457 feet; North 208 feet; West 457 feet; South 208 feet to the point of beginning.

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### Houses for Sale (City)

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INSTANTLY! You'll have to come a jumping if you want this comfy, 6 room and bath bungalow. It's a beaut and a bargain, deep corner lot, velvety lawn, dotted with flowering shrubs. See it today.

### Business Opportunities

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Good used Federal cash register for sale  
2 business building, North First Street, well located.

### RECRUITING OFFICER PROMOTED TO ENSIGN

Chief Petty Officer S. B. Kelly, recruiting officer for this area, who has been one of two Navy recruiters calling at Artesia regularly, has been promoted to the rank of ensign, limited duty, from chief fire control.

The new ensign has been assigned to the U.S.S. Duncan, a destroyer radar ship and is on his way to Korea.

WD 113-431 Bert Lynch and wife to Louie J. King and wife Lots 6 and 8 Block 4 Chisum Addition.

WD 113-436 Wallace H. Box and wife to John Wallace, Sr. and wife Lot 1 Block 5 Roselawn Sub-division.  
(Compiled by The Artesia Abstract Company).

### Valley Exchange

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Potpourri—

(Continued from Page One) struggles and finally came up with the headline we used.

The recreation program commission is calling for help. And that help can be given in the simplest way...

It is support—and cash—which is needed. Director Jack Tinson has pointed out that it costs about \$25 a night to carry on the program...

So it has been necessary to dip into the funds which were collected last spring, which were about half of the \$4000 which had been sought.

It's your program and ours, and it is worthy, designed for everyone, young and old, and it should have the support of the community.

There was enough squawking for such program before it was started. Now that we have it, let's make the best of it and lend financial aid.

A number of months ago we took a special bus trip over the city in company with the mayor and members of the City Council...

We suggest another bus trip! —A.L.B.

Two Downpours—

(Continued from Page 1) small fire which caused no damage.

Rainfall recorded for July by the Southern Union gauge at 8 o'clock on the mornings indicated for the previous 24 hours:

July 3, .06 inch; July 6, .97 inch; July 7, .17 inch; July 12, .10 inch; July 16, .45 inch; July 17, .17 inch.

During June the precipitation was 2.63 inches, prior to which only .15 inch had been gauged this year.

Pencil Sharpeners in many forms for sale at The Advocate.

Sunday Is—

(Continued from Page One) refinery, there is no fear of lightning, for all of the towers and apparatus are well grounded...

Ed Gillespie, superintendent, said the lightning struck a blow-down stack, out of which gas fumes are let off into the air.

Such fires at the top of the blowdown pipe are not uncommon, Gillespie said, but for unfeared lightning to cause it was another one "for the book."

Monthly—

(Continued from page one) passed along for your study also. Rules Explained

The letter shows how the deal will work. "You will be given an opportunity to contribute a prize for the contest. One winner will take all, meaning prizes from individual merchants need not be expensive...

"During contest, publicity will be needed. Therefore, participating merchants will be assessed \$2 apiece. This will be used in paper, on radio, for ballyhoo by merchants committee.

"Actually, both publicity outlets will cooperate with chamber in this to the extent that you will receive far more than \$2 worth of advertising, for participants will be named repeatedly.

"In September, another \$2 will be requested from each business. This will be used to get drawings, cuts and mats for heading monthly aids and pages, as "Artesia's Great Giveaway," etc. The balance will go for more publicity.

"Thereafter, you will be strictly on your own, and except on very rare occasions, no further contribution will be asked of you."

The meeting at which plans for the circular letter were drafted was attended by five members of the committee and by Bob Koonce, manager of the chamber of commerce.

Committee members present were Beach Barto, chairman, George Fowler, Bill Keys, W. W. Huber, and C. C. Nelson.

BALL POINT PENS by Filzette the student's choice at \$1.50. Artesia Advocate, office supplies.

Veterans Trap Tigers 10-9

Winner of their last six games, the Artesia Veterans will battle another local nine, the Artesia Eagles, Sunday afternoon on Eagle Field, located on North Tenth.

The Vets edged out the Roswell Tigers 10 to 9 in a return game played here last Sunday afternoon.

Fred Nunez pitched the entire game for the Vets, struck out eight batters, walked three. The Tigers used two hurlers, Rudolph, on the mound for a pair of innings, striking out one batter; and Luna, who pitched six innings, striking out five.

Izzy Juarez, Vet first sacker, was the batting champ of the contest with five hits for as many trips to the plate.

Two base hits were scored by J. B. Sosa, second baseman; Jim Juarez, center fielder; Izzy Juarez, and by Granada, right fielder.

Score by innings: Veterans 0 6 1 0 1 0 2 x—10. Roswell Tigers 1 1 1 4 0 0 2 0—9.

Artesia Veterans (10) AB R H. Saiz, 3b 5 2 2. Izzy Juarez, 1b 5 2 5. Sosa, 2b 4 1 3. Jim Juarez, cf 3 1 3. L. Gomez, c 4 1 2. Navarette, lf 2 0 0. Garcia, lf 2 0 0. Granada, rf 4 2 2. F. Gomez, rf 0 0 0.

Totals 38 10 20. Roswell Tigers (9) AB R H. Lara, ss 5 3 3. Armijo, 1b 2 1 1. Burroia, 1b 2 1 2. Lopez, 2b 5 0 1. Melendra, c 5 0 3. Melendez, 3b 5 0 2. Penia, lf 5 1 1. Flores, cf 4 0 0. Mata, rf 4 1 1. Rudolph, p 2 1 1. Luna, p 3 1 2.

Oil Report—

(Continued from page one) SE SE 6-20-27. Total depth 505; testing. American Republics Corp., Robinson 27-B, NE ND 27-17-29. Drilling at 2815.

R. R. Woolley, Arnold 14-A, SE SE 22-17-30.

L.O.O.F. LODGE Meets Wednesday, 7:30 P. M. L.O.O.F. Hall, 510 West Main

Albuquerque Boy Winner of State Junior Golf Meet

Artesia was one of the only half-dozen towns represented in the New Mexico junior golf tournament, sponsored by New Mexico Junior Chamber of Commerce, held July 12, 13, and 14, in Santa Fe.

Phil Kranz and Bus Brown were the Artesia boys competing in the tournament held on Santa Fe municipal links, and which was won by Pat Rea of Albuquerque who shot a 156.

Kranz said the other winners were Jim Breen, New Mexico prep titlist, with a 165, Jim Ortega, Albuquerque, and Teddy White of Roswell, tied, 166.

Top four of the tourney go to the national at Ames, Iowa, Aug. 13-16.

The Artesia boys left Monday by bus for the tournament. Driving, putting, and accuracy contests were held Wednesday; first round, Thursday; and final round, Friday.

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Today's dining room has a personality all its own. Color and gaiety are its decorative keynotes. Note how the background in the room sketched above keys the room to the nostalgic feeling of the Early American-type furniture.

Dado and woodwork painted pale yellow enhance color value of French blue wallpaper with small provincial pattern. Light filtered through tiered curtains of topaz-colored organdy casts pale sunlight glow over room, highlights burnished lustre of smooth-garnished wood finish.

Table seats twelve when fully extended. Mobile serving cart can be wheeled into living room for cozy, intimate fireside suppers for two. Furniture is open stock pattern so you can work out the combination of pieces best suited to your present needs; add more pieces as your requirements change.

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LT. WILLIAM T. NORRIS (right), Lewiston, Pa., and his wing man, Lt. James Harvey, Mountain Top, Pa., discuss his aerial fight with a North Korean fighter plane. They are shown back at the Far East Air Force command. They were flying protection over an airfield when Norris in his F-80 downed enemy. (International via Army Radio)

ARTESIA BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REVIEW



Here is an interior view of Simons Food Store at 507 South Sixth Street, phone 62-J, with John Simons, Sr., owner, shown behind the counter at the extreme right. Others in the picture, left to right, are: Jean Dolden, checker; Mrs. S. M. Laughlin, a customer, and Al Seals, also a customer. Tommy Kendall, butcher, and Mrs. Garland Stuart, another checker, are not shown in the picture.

State Experiment Station Reports Research Gains

Verticillium wilt on cotton can be decreased; range performance predicts feed lot performance; bulb placement affects onion seed yield; insect influence egg quality. These are just a few of the findings given in the New Mexico Agricultural Experiment Station's 16th annual report, "Research for New Mexico Agriculture," just released. The 56-page booklet tells of the progress in agricultural research at New Mexico A. & M. College during 1948-49. Subjects covered in the bulletin include field crops, livestock and range, dairying, poultry, horticultural crops, foods and nutrition, agricultural economics, agricultural chemistry and soils. The report also gives research findings from the sub-stations at Albuquerque, Tucumcari and Clovis. In the introduction to the report, Acting Director A. S. Curry points out that an increasing number of people outside agriculture depend on a decreasing number of people on farms and ranches for much of the basic materials in their foods, clothing and other necessities. Consequently, he says, there is a greater need than ever for more research in agriculture and home economics. Copies of the report may be obtained free of charge from the director, Agricultural Experiment Station, State College.

Predator Control In Well in Hand

Predators have been doing their best to cut down the wildlife of the state, but the predator control force of the Department of Game and Fish seems to have things well in hand, according to Homer Pickens, assistant state game warden. Trappers have reported instances of predation from their districts and some of them are quite serious, according to Pickens. Patrolman Lebow reported seeing a coyote killing a cock prairie chicken in the eastern part of the state. T. J. Lyons found where coyotes had killed a calf and a wild turkey. In the same report he wrote that coyotes had made a kill of eight turkeys and that a lion had killed two deer in his area. Trapper Wesley Hobbs reports that he caught two bobcats that had killed four sheep on a ranch near Carlsbad. On the credit side of the ledger, however, the trapping force accounted for 151 coyotes, 7 lions, 67 bobcats and an assortment of lesser predators for the month of May. "That more than evens things up," Pickens said. Of the trappers, high man for that month was Charles Mickey with a catch of 27 bobcats and 14 coyotes.

For Fryers At Their Best Try McCaw Hatchery

If you want fryers at their best, your best bet is McCaw's which you can buy either at McCaw Hatchery, 13th and Grand, phone 48, or from your favorite food store.

The McCaw Hatchery maintains a "perpetual motion" plan, under which there are fryers always in some stage of development, from the egg to the packing room and freezing.

Approximately 1500 layers provide eggs not only for hatching, but infertile eggs for the market. McCaw Hatchery during regular seasons hatch three breeds of chicks, New Hampshires, White Leghorns, and Hamp-X-Whites, the last of which are a crossbreed used principally for fryers.

In the broiler room, a large room filled with battery brooders, the chicks are kept until they are about 4 or 5 weeks old. Then they go into the finishing room, to be raised until they are about 10 weeks old and weigh 2 1/4 pounds and up.

McCaw Hatchery finishes about 600 fryers a week and has approximately 6000 on hand at all times from those just hatched to those ready for the dressing room.

The dressing room is equipped with a new killing stand, where the broilers are killed and bled. Next comes the automatic, thermostatically controlled scalding machine, to assure perfect picking. And there is an automatic picking machine, which cleans them thoroughly, even to the pin feathers.

In the packing room the chickens are inspected, thoroughly cleaned, cut up, and packed in cellophane covered boxes, which are sealed for freezing.

We suggest you stop in at McCaw Hatchery, 13th and Grand, or at your favorite food store for McCaw fryers.

Mid-West Doing Business in Temporary Site

Mid-West Auto Supply Company, handicapped more than a month because of a disastrous fire June 12, will operate in temporary quarters at 324 West Main Street until the regular location at 330 West Main Street can be rebuilt.

Somewhat more crowded than would be desired, nevertheless the temporary quarters, only a step to the east of the permanent location, will serve amply during the interim period, while business will go on as usual.

The store, which is owned by Owen Hensley and managed by Sam Henderson, cannot display its complete line of General Electric appliances, sporting goods, air-conditioning and heating plants and other merchandise, but Hensley's warehouse facilities make it possible to make delivery on short notice of any of the many items carried.

Right now many Artesia citizens are considering switching to the General Electric refrigerator-home freezer combination, for which Mid-West Auto Supply has the local franchise. This marvelous combination has two doors and two compartments, each separately refrigerated and insulated.

Drop in at the temporary Mid-West Auto Supply Company quarters at 324 West Main Street and ask for a demonstration.

Italian Spaghetti Is Specialty at Carter's Cafe

Not long ago on this page we told you about the delicious Wop salad at Carter's Cafe, 328 West Main Street, phone 221, which Miss Repha Thomas, sister of the

owners makes according to her own recipe. But Miss Thomas also has a recipe for delicious Italian spaghetti and it is made under her direction.

On days when her Italian spaghetti is on the menu, it never holds out, for it is very popular and simply won't go around.

And can you think of a better combination than Italian spaghetti and Wop salad, both made by the recipes of which Miss Thomas and her brothers, Bill and Tommy Thomas, are so proud.

Carter's Cafe also specializes in delicious homemade pies—fruit pies of all kinds, and chocolate and fruit cream pies—all browned to a turn and all having that flaky homemade pie crust. They're good to the last bite.

Long hours are maintained at Carter's Cafe, from 5:30 o'clock in the morning to 10 o'clock at night.

They serve regular breakfasts and regular dinners, and short orders at any time.

But for something special, don't forget Miss Repha Thomas' super-duper spaghetti and Wop salad.

Draft Board Checks Up on Registration

Signs of the times are reflected in a story from Gallup where the McKinley county draft board has issued a list of 12 men as being delinquent in registering.

The story lists names and addresses of the delinquents. While such action is routine, publication of names is out of the run of the mill.

Artesia Laundry & Cleaners Has 25th Anniversary

On July 20, 1925, the Artesia Laundry & Cleaners, under the management of Howard Whitson, opened for business in Artesia and is now completing its 25th year of service to the people of Artesia.

Previous to the opening of this plant, Artesia had not had a steam laundry for about 10 years and the laundry work of Artesia was being shipped to the Roswell Laundry Company at Roswell which had an agency in Artesia.

The first location of this business was on North First Street in the concrete block building recently vacated by Ferguson-Steele. At that time the highway from Roswell entered Artesia on 13th Street and First Street was a dead-end street that only extended a few blocks north from Main Street. The present location of the Artesia Hotel was a vacant lot and there were only a few business places on all of First Street. The records would seem to indicate that only six of the businesses that existed in Artesia in 1925 remain in Artesia today under the same ownership and same management.

In 1929 the Artesia Laundry & Cleaners moved to 401 West Main and in 1947 moved into the new building at 115 North Fourth Street. This business has grown as Artesia has grown and has constantly carried on a program of improvement in methods and equipment to keep abreast with the fast changing times of the last quarter century. They are always anxious to have the people of Artesia stop in and inspect their Sanitone dry cleaning plant, their fur cleaning department and their refrigerated fur and woolen storage.

Because this is their silver anniversary week, the Artesia Laundry & Cleaners is giving 25 silver dollars as a prize to some lucky customer this week. Some person who sends or brings an order to this plant before 10 o'clock Friday

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Leave 'Babes in The Woods' Alone

"If only people would learn to leave the 'babes in the woods' alone," said Assistant State Game Warden Homer Pickens, "we would conserve a lot more wildlife and at the same time save people a great deal of trouble."

According to Pickens, the Department of Game and Fish has a recurring problem every spring as people insist on bringing home everything from fawns to young birds which they find in the woods.

"It's an understandable feeling," Pickens said, "for folks to want to take care of tiny fawns and the like, but they should be left where they are found. Animals and birds speak a language all their own and though they seem to be orphans, the parents are usually close by and will take much better care of their young than a human. Besides, if people do take them home the young either die from improper care and feeding or grow up to be a nuisance when they get too big to handle."

Writer Sounds Call For War on Rabbits

Seen any jack rabbits around Artesia lately? Jack Sitton of The Daily Current-Argus, Carlsbad, says in some

parts of the county there are more jack rabbits than you can shake a stick at and that farmers and ranchers say seven rabbits eat as much grass as one cow. We suggest sportsmen organize a jack rabbit drive. It might reveal whether Artesia hunters are as good as those in Las Cruces and Dona Ana County. In a hunt there 180 rabbits were killed not long ago by 65 hunters.

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But as the years have rolled by and as new problems have confronted our nation—problems which appeared to be the most difficult our nation has ever faced—that leadership was provided.

Certainly today we need leadership, we need direction and we need statesmanship.

It is apparent after almost five years of blundering that we need someone able and capable, someone with the confidence of the American people and someone willing to direct the activities, the efforts and determination of our nation to bring about world peace and understanding.

Up to now we have paid a tremendous price for failure. We deserve some degree of success but it is tremendously difficult when leaders of nations seeking the road to peace are more interested in the highway to personal power and personal glory.

There is no more reason for a war than there is reason for our nation to fail in its efforts. With the proper leadership we can win that goal as we have won others during the 176 years that our nation has existed.

And many, we say, are wondering when the leader will come forth to lead us along a peaceful highway—along a course that could and should bring peace to the entire world.

Proper and adequate leadership can do just that. The way is open and the job could be done but we haven't done it.

Certainly a world that has been drenched with blood; a world that is without funds; without food; without clothing; without medical care; without shelter; without happiness and without the little extras that help provide comfort and happiness is ready for peace.

Will America's luck hold out—will that leader appear during this emergency just as he has always appeared when we need him?

We are sure that all of us are hoping and praying that our good fortune will continue.—O.E.P.

## Drunken Drivers

RECENTLY GOV. THOMAS J. MABRY received a letter from a citizen complaining about charges of drunken driving being changed in too many instances to reckless driving in order that a lesser sentence could be given to the offender.

Governor Mabry in his weekly column points out and rightly so that he has nothing whatsoever to do with the enforcing of this particular law and that it is something for the judge before whom the case is tried to pass the sentence. It is a matter for the officers or prosecuting officers, of course, to determine the charge.

Governor Mabry further pointed out in his column he had never made it a habit to pardon or to parole those who had been sentenced for drunken driving although he stated that as a rule he followed the recommendations of the pardon and parole board or judges who had sentenced individuals.

And the governor further explained he did this because he felt if individuals give of their time and service to the state that he should be willing to follow their recommendations. If he is not to do so then there would be little use to have such a board.

The governor is probably correct in his attitude and we can appreciate his view about following the recommendations of his board members. However we feel and we are sure there are many citizens feel that in far too many instances too little of some of the sentences assessed are served and that prisoners have been released from the state prison when they should have been required to serve longer sentences for the crimes for which they were tried, convicted and sentenced.

In one or two instances individuals only serve a part of a long term. Apparently the judge sentencing the defendant has felt that the crime justified the sentence or he would not hand it down.

And in far too many instances those who have preyed against society many times are being released from the state prison only to continue their violations of the law and they are soon back either in jail or prison.

That defendant who shows clearly he is entitled to another chance and who has earned that right certainly should have his chance, but the defendant or convict who has proven that he can't keep from violating the law had just as well be kept in prison while he is there.—O.E.P.

## Too Many Nails

IT SEEMS TO BE THE HABIT in Artesia for builders and others who use or pull nails to toss them out and leave them.

Nowhere else have we ever seen so many rusty nails of all sizes and descriptions and other small pieces of metal in alleys, vacant lots, and yards.

When the weather remains dry—which is does most of the time—the nails and other pieces of scrap metal are relatively harmless. But when it rains and there is any traffic, they are sometimes forced up-right in the mud, ready to jab the next tire or barefoot boy.

Although we admittedly know of no other community where workmen are so careless, there probably are many, a sufficient number in New Mexico that it would pay to have a mobile electric magnet, such as highway departments in some states employ to pick up all magnetic material.

If one such vehicle were available, it would be a good thing for the city of Artesia to employ it long enough to comb all alleys, vacant lots, gutters and other such places, until there remained not a single piece of dangerous iron or steel. And we believe one could be found.

There's an angle of clean-up perhaps the city has not thought about. If it should be carried out and it saves one boy getting a nail in his foot, it would be worth while.—A.L.B.

So long as the test of a man's worth is the size of his bank account the world will lack much of being an ideal state.

If Artesia wants to grow there is one sure way: Make jobs available for the people who would like to live here.

## "WHERE'LL IT BREAKOUT NEXT?"



## What Other Editors Are Saying

### LET US USE OUR HEADS

Since the UN police action was begun in Korea about two weeks ago we have been hearing tales of panic buying tires, automobiles, sugar, sheets and numerous other things that were scarce or impossible to get during the war.

The net result of such folly will be to hike the price on all these items and to create a temporary shortage which will do nobody but the profiteer any good.

According to the best information available from Washington, the present trouble in Korea will not materially affect our economy and there will be no shortages unless they are made by hoarders or black marketers. In the event the trouble spreads, the picture will be changed, but even then those who have laid in a supply of goods that will be rationed will not be ahead. They will have to turn it all in.

People have apparently already forgotten how the wartime regulations operated. A fellow said the other day, "Who will know how many tires I have on hand?" He has forgotten the tire inspection routine where the numbers of the tires a person owns are recorded then the tires are checked at regular intervals to see that there has been no changes. Tires will get you no where if you have no gasoline and gasoline will be tighter in the event of a global war than it was during the last war.

There will be price hikes on many items in spite of all we can do to keep things on an even keel. Paper companies must have had their marketing pencil in hand when the word of U.S. intervention in Korea was announced. At any rate, higher prices on many paper items were out in less than a week after the announcement. These things boost us along the road to inflation which, if uncontrolled, is the road to ruin.

Let's not play into the hands of our enemies by disrupting our economy at home by foolish buying. Let's use our heads and save our cash—and our country.—Eddy County News.

### UNDERCOVER ORGANIZATION

It is being talked around that there is an undercover organization in the making to secure legalization of gambling in the next session of the State Legislature. How much truth there is in the statement is problematical, but it is reasonable to believe. But we hardly believe the solons will be influenced to offend the peace and dignity of the state that way. After all, they represent the people, and the people don't like the idea.—Roswell Daily Record.

### ONE IS DUMFOUNDED

Charges against State Police Chief Hubert Beasley, that he was a party to the torture of a Negro suspect in the Cricket Coogler case, comes with such surprise that one finds the word dumfounded more to the measure.

With Beasley, Happy Apodaca was also charged, along with two others, but that does not surprise one nearly so much as Beasley's indictment, inasmuch as the chief of state police has been regarded as a high type man, and supposedly above resorting to dark age methods of making a suspect talk.

If the charge is true, and can be proved, then we hope Beasley and his associates get all the law will allow, and that he be removed from the office that has such power in state law enforcement.

There are still officers in some places who believe that anything is justified in order to make men talk when they are taken into custody, but we didn't believe that New Mexico contained any of that kind of cattle.

There are still officers who believe it is perfectly within their rights to "work over" a prisoner, but we had hoped that the people of New Mexico did not have any of them in law enforcement places.

Actually an officer has no legal or moral right to abuse a prisoner, no matter what his crime. Officers have no right to "work him over" either by physical force or abusive language. But some of them obviously do not know that or believe that they can get away with any sort of methods that bring out information.

If we have any more of that kind in this state, let's find it out quickly, and put them where they can do the least harm.—Roswell Daily Record.

### MOVIE BUSINESS FOR NEW MEXICO

The filming of motion pictures, particularly those with western settings, may some day be a substantial business in New Mexico.

For instance, in the five-month period ending next September, no fewer than five location companies will have seen action in a 50-mile radius of Gallup in the heart of the Indian country. Several motion picture companies have been on location in recent months in and around Santa Fe.

New Mexico's scenery is unsurpassed for motion pictures, particularly in color. Perhaps the movie producers are waking up to this fact.—Carlsbad Current-Argus.

## FACES MIRROR TOUGH SLEDDING IN KOREA BATTLE



INTENSENESS OF THE FIGHT in South Korea is shown on faces of these GIs manning a 105-mm. howitzer. Twenty minutes after the photo was taken they were forced to withdraw southward. (International)

## As Artesia Grows

—TWENTY YEARS AGO—  
(From The Advocate files for July 17, 1930)

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Burch and Hugh, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Will Cheney, and M. W. Evans and family returned last week from the northern part of the state, where they spent a week fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Vandagriff left Sunday for a 10-day visit with Mr. Vandagriff's mother at Elk City, Oklahoma.

Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Clarke, accompanied by Mrs. Clarke's sister, Mrs. Landry; Miss Catherine Clarke and Miss Ethel Bullock, drove over to Alamogordo Sunday returning home by way of Cloudcroft.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Kiddy returned Sunday from Okmulgee, Okla., where Mr. Kiddy was called because of the serious illness of his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Francis accompanied by Mrs. Francis' mother, Mrs. Preston Dunn, left Tuesday morning for Denver, Colo., where they will spend about two weeks sight-seeing.

Ray Bartlett drove up to the Artesia-Sacramento Camp and brought his wife and little daughter, Shirley, home on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Blocker reached home last Wednesday from a visit of a few weeks in the east.

## TEN YEARS AGO

(From The Advocate files for July 18, 1940)

Mrs. Arba Green entertained the First Afternoon Bridge Club at her home Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Walter Douglas, Mrs. J. W. Johns and Mrs. P. V. Morris as club guests.

Mrs. Ralph Barr entertained the Delt-a-Dek Bridge Club at her home Wednesday afternoon, complimenting her sisters, Mrs. Carl Joiner of Arp, Texas, and Mrs. Raymond Reid of Deming.

Mrs. Ralph Shugart and children, Jane and Ralph, Jr., returned Saturday from a summer vacation spent with relatives in Marion, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Russell left this morning for El Paso, where they will attend a district sales and display meeting of radio distributors and dealers.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Francis and children left Tuesday on a 10-day camping trip near Weed.

Rev. S. M. Morgan returned Wednesday afternoon from Albuquerque, where he attended a state mission board meeting of the Baptist convention. He was accompanied as far as Estancia by Mrs. Morgan and children, who visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Brown, while Rev. Morgan was in Albuquerque.

A week of more moderate temperatures than were experienced a week ago was climaxed early this morning with another good rain, which measured .84 inch.

## Farm Briefs

By Dallas Rierson  
(Eddy County Agent)

Shade is important to the dairy cow. When she gets so hot that she pants in an effort to lower the body temperature, the amount of milk produced, as well as the butterfat content, is reduced.

A cow must also have plenty of water. If a cow must walk a distance for water during the hottest part of the day, the exertion may cause more discomfort than thirst. Milk production suffers as a result.

When production is at a high level, as it often is as a result of lush grazing, every effort should be made to milk at the same hour each day. It may not be possible to divide the period between each milking equally but "once Bossy sets her alarm clock for 5 p. m.," she expects her milker to be there.

Additional advice is to avoid excitement or hurrying a cow. Injury to the delicate cells of the udder may bring about conditions for an attack of mastitis.

Clean up, wash up, and paint up is the order of the day, but watch where you throw those empty paint cans.

Cattle are fond of licking fresh paint from fences, posts, gates, exterior of barns, stanchions and other parts of the stable. Cattle frequently lick disarder cans, buckets, and other containers containing fresh paint. As most paints contain lead, it requires only a small amount to cause fatal lead poisoning. Sprays containing lead arsenate and similar compounds are also common sources of poisoning. Special precautions should be taken to keep cattle away from public dumping grounds, as such areas are often possible sources of chemical poisoning. Be safe! Burn or bury those empty spray and plant dust containers.



NEW YORK—I went to see Kathleen Winsor today and I discovered we had two things in common: (1) Each of us has written two books, and (2) each of us is beautiful. I want to remind each of you again that beauty is in the mind of the beholder.

The big difference between us is that Miss Winsor's two books have brought her pots of money, so I went to see her in the hope that she would describe her technique and I could lift a few trade secrets. Miss Winsor's two books, of course, are *Forever Amber* and *Star Money*, each of which deals with a sultry and headstrong heroine. It was a little startling to find that the author herself appeared only mildly sultry and not at all headstrong, especially since some critics have hinted broadly that *Star Money* might be her own story—an inference she denies.

She lives in the Ritz Tower, as does Greta Garbo, who is older, and a bit leaner, and she and her husband, lawyer Arnold Krakover, have a handsome three-room suite. The living room is all in dark green, with a grand piano in one corner, lots of green plants spread around and, when I got there, a copy of one of William James' books on a coffee table. Miss Winsor, tall and dark and with a fetching low voice, was buttoning up her dress when I arrived—she buttons from top to bottom—and was highly excited because she and Arnold were going to Bermuda for the weekend. I thanked her for lending a friend of mine her big convertible, in which we had driven down to Princeton a couple of weeks before, and we got down to her trade secrets.

"Well, there's nothing very exceptional about the way I work," she said. "We get up at 8 and have breakfast. Arnold goes to work about 9—you know, his office is only a couple of doors from the Stork club and we never go to the Stork—and I fiddle around, ordering groceries, making laundry lists and phone calls, until around 11. Then I go into the study and work for five hours straight, taking 10 minutes out to eat a salad for lunch."

"I WORK SWIFTLY. Sometimes I just sit and stare at my typewriter for five hours, but more often I get 10 or 15 pages—around 3,000 or 4,000 words—done each day. Once, I wrote 25 pages, which is my record. The first draft of a book takes about eight months or a year—but I do six drafts for each book, going over and over and correcting and changing situations, etc. It took five years to write *Forever Amber* and three and a half to do *Star Money*. I read more than 350 books in doing research for *Amber*, and it used to burn me up when a critic would hint that I hadn't done the research, let alone the writing."

Miss Winsor never reads the critics' notices. "It wouldn't make any difference in my writing, anyway," she said. "I do the very best I can on a book and then it's over and I never read a sentence of it again. I wrote *Amber* out in Berkeley, Cal., beginning the research while I was still in college there, and I wrote *Star Money* here in New York. There wasn't any difference. I can do my job anywhere, I guess. I was born in Olivia, Minn., and I lived in California a long time, but then it was over and I packed up and came to New York and now I think New York is the greatest place in the world. Arnold and I live a pretty quiet life. Sometimes we have dinner here in the Ritz but more often we go out, and one of our favorite places is a saloon-type restaurant in the Fifties on the East Side called Billy's. Real fine steaks. We go to plays a great deal but not often to night-clubs."

The study where she works is a book-filled little room with a huge light-colored desk, which she litters with papers, and a bright red leather chair in which she seats her remarkable torso. There are pictures of Arnold all over, including some in uniform, and there are a couple of beautiful Japanese samurai swords near the desk, that he brought back from Nippon. Krakover entered the Army as a private and came out as a lieutenant colonel, incidentally, which is about five strokes off par for the course. He met Kay when he was handling her divorce from Artie Shaw and they've been married now more than a year. This is her third marriage, but a gambling man might give you 6 to 5 this one could last."

WELL, WE SAT AROUND smoking cigarettes and talking literary lace, and every five minutes or so she went up in my estimation. Her books are a long way from being literature, but when you talk to her you realize that she is doing the best she can and you have to hand it to her. It's only when those historical potboilers are written by skillful authors who can write up from their readers but prefer to write down, in the interests of a few bucks, that you get mad. She told me that she practices the piano daily and doesn't like her racing, and when I was leaving I asked whether she writes her novels from outlines. "No," she said. "I just start writing and wait to see what my people will do." What they do, as you are aware if you have read her books, is plenty.

## YOU'RE TELLING ME!

By HOYT KING  
Central Press Writer

A COLORADO university professor says the 1950 census will reveal a surplus of women, thus making it harder for them to find husbands. Leave it to the government to count its chickens before they're hatched.

Statistics show men don't live as long as women, but there's a compensation. There's more old age among women.

A Harvard psychologist taught a pigeon to play the piano. Hunt and peck system, no doubt.

Reports from Washington indicate no immediate danger of the draft law being put in operation. On the other hand, reports from Korea indicate a lot of us better not start any continued stories.

Russia objects to the U. S. blockade of Korea. This is the first time there was any hint anybody else wanted in or out.

Word from New York is that lingerie will have more color in it. What the manufacturers are angling for is more women in it.

Even with all the misunderstanding in the world, things will work out all right some day. Peace by peace.

Handwriting is a key to character, says a professor. Especially when found on that little piece of paper maked "insufficient funds."

Driving courteously, and exhibiting good manners, will do more to cut highway fatalities than the traffic regulations.

## Try and Stop Me

By BENNETT CERF

A DISILLUSIONED chorus girl returned home from Miami Beach this spring with nothing but abuse for the Lothario who had underwritten the entire safari. "Some cheap skate," she explained. "Not only did he lie to me about the size of his yacht—but he made me do the rowing!"

In 1831, the *New England Magazine* began a monthly feature by Oliver Wendell Holmes called *Autocrat of the Breakfast Table*. After two installments, however, the magazine ran into financial difficulties and suspended publication. It was a full twenty-five years later when Holmes, now famous, was persuaded to resume his *Autocrat* feature by *Atlantic Monthly*. His first article, exactly three hundred months after the one that preceded it, began, "I was just going to say, when I was interrupted..."

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### STRANDED BY FLASH FLOOD IN PITTSBURGH SUBURB



MRS. HARRY SCHIEFELBEIN, 57, is helped from a flood-stranded streetcar in Millvale, suburb of Pittsburgh, Pa., after torrential rains drenched the region, with loss of a least three lives. Flash floods struck in several Pennsylvania and southern Ohio cities. (International Soundphoto)

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### Western College Own Album Recordings

Mexico Western College's shipment of record albums of college songs has arrived in Artesia. Records were produced by Echo-Productions of National Broadcasting Company. Three records, six playing are encased in an attractive, and gold album with inside selections are executed by college hand under direction of A. Parotti, head of the department. This 1949-50 has been credited as being the best musical aggregation in history of the college.

Recording was done by Station KSIL, Silver City. Engineers recorded the band. The tape recording was sent to Echo at Chicago. Master discs were made and records pressed for the band and chorus selected included in the college. On the first record is

"Rally 'Round, You Mustangs," written by Minnie Dee Weaver, Deming alumna of New Mexico Western. On the reverse side is "Hail to the Colors," a fight song written by Ross Capshaw, 1950 graduate and member of Western's summer faculty.

On the second platter, Miss Mary Schadel, student, carries the vocal solo to "We'll Remember You," a college sweetheart song written by Mrs. Treva Speight and Mrs. Georgie M. Grey, both of Hot Springs. For variety, the well known "Golden Bear" march is on the reverse side of this disc. It's written by J. J. Richards.

Three numbers are on the third record of the album. On one side is "Dear Alma Mater," composed by Ross Capshaw and Abramo Parotti, and on the second side is a double offering. Half of the side is devoted to "Fight On, Mustangs," words of which were written by T. F. Cooney of Jemez Springs, and music was composed by Ross Capshaw. The remaining half of the second side is "O, Fair New Mexico," the official state song written by Elizabeth Garrett. Vocal solo for the rendition is done by John M. Elliott, assistant professor of music at the college

and head of the high school music department.

The album cover is inscribed with "New Mexico Western Sings." The front cover is done in purple and gold, the college colors. The back cover is a white leatherette. The inside liner has two pictures typifying the campus and descriptive copy about the college. Albums may be ordered by writing or phoning the public relations department at New Mexico Western College.

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### Livestock Losses In Shipping Can Be Prevented

Livestock losses in shipping and at terminal markets are to a large extent preventable, County Agent Dallas Rierison reminded ranchers this week.

According to a recent report from the National Livestock Loss Prevention Board, 13,182,962 cattle slaughtered under federal inspection in 1949, 12,247 were condemned for pneumonia and pleurisy, 6866 were condemned for blood poisoning, 6172 for pericarditis, and 5602 for emaciation. Of the 6,749,001 calves slaughtered in 1949, 15,944 were condemned for immaturity. A total of 19,386 hogs were condemned for septicemia.

"Shipping diseased animals is waste of money," says the county agent, commenting on the report. "Shipping and handling costs are lost, and after a cow is condemned it can be used only for the making of by-products such as tannage.

"If shippers would only ship healthy animals, a large part of these losses would be prevented. A great many times these diseases can be cured before the animal is shipped. Shipping fever can be prevented by vaccination prior to shipping. There is certainly no need for animals being condemned

for emaciation, which is simply starvation. They are actually too thin to be suitable for human consumption. Why ship this kind of livestock?"

Federal inspection showed that 2934 cattle, 700 calves, 2073 hogs, and 825 sheep were affected with various diseases that could have been spotted before shipment. Inasmuch as these animals were condemned after reaching the market, they could just as easily have been treated or disposed of without the expense of shipping.

The NLLPB estimates that 1,940,000 pounds of meat condemned by ante-mortem inspection constituted a loss of \$770,000. Post-mortem inspection represented

a waste of approximately 62,540,000 pounds, constituting a loss of \$19,575,000. Parts of carcasses condemned caused an estimated waste of 9,000,000 pounds of meat, worth \$3,000,000. Total waste under post-mortem inspection was 73,602,000 pounds, worth \$23,220,380.

Some of the causes of loss, most of which were preventable, were death on arrival, crippled on arrival, bruises, condemned ante-mortem inspection, carcasses and parts condemned under post-mortem inspection, condemned calves and calf livers, inedible beef trimmed out around grub holes, grubby cattle hides. The total waste of meat from these losses was 157,680,844 pounds, worth \$91,805,057.

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lost would fill a refrigerator train 62 miles long, each car containing 21,000 pounds. Prevention of this loss would give each United States citizen more than one pound of meat or one good steak.

### Mushball Adopted For Second Round Of Service Games

Service softball league teams of the municipal recreation program will use the bigger 16-inch circumference ball for the second half of the current season, Director Jack Tinson said Saturday.

The service loop has been using the smaller 12-inch size ball during the first half because the king-sized softballs ordered were not received until the first half was already underway.

It was logical not to change the size ball at that time. Now that the larger size balls are here, Director Tinson said it would be a waste not to use them.

Play in the second half starts tonight for the church loop. For the service league the second half began last night as it did for the senior circuit.

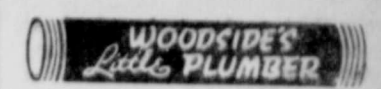
Teams in the service bracket are Kiwanis, Elks, 20-30, Rotary, Lions, Jaycees.

Championship playoff is slated for Aug. 25.

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### Maljamar Items

(Mrs. Kenneth Shields)

Rev. Wilson Armstrong of Hobbs is the pastor of the Maljamar Baptist Church now. Rev. James Barton of Artesia, who has moved to Stillwater, Okla., was the pastor here.

Mr. and Mrs. Luke Taylor are on their vacation. They went to Ruidoso and Carrizozo, and plan to spend the last week in Hot Springs.

Emily Taylor is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Douglas, Carrizozo.

Alfred Loyd is expected home this week end after being in the hospital in Artesia, where he had a recent operation on his left foot.

Mrs. Son Taylor went bobcat hunting last week and stepped out of her car and sprained her right ankle.

Mr. and Mrs. Weston Mills and family returned home recently. They spent two weeks in the East. They went to Niagara Falls and visited relatives in Pennsylvania. Mills' parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Mills, and Katherine Drost, of Sharon, Pa., came to New Mexico for a visit as the Mills returned home. E. R. Mills had only been here a few days when he was called home on business. He flew to Pennsylvania and back again to join his family here. While they were here they visited El Paso, Juarez, Albuquerque, Santa Fe, Ruidoso, and White Sands.

Mrs. L. J. Kelly received a message July 2, that her brother, Robert Sanders, 51, of San Diego, Calif., had died on his yacht from a heart attack while on a fishing trip. Mrs. Kelly left with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Sanders of Anson, Texas, and Mr. and Mrs. Cloyd Sanders. They motored to California for the funeral and returned Wednesday of last week.

Roy Lee Warren was riding in the Roping Club arena a few days ago and sustained a broken leg. He has been in a Hobbs hospital several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Kelley and family and Yvonne Peden of Lovington returned Saturday, July 7, after spending several days vacationing in Colorado and Utah. They also visited the Grand Canyon. They went to Denver and Salt Lake City.

Jack Alexander has been in the Veterans Hospital at Albuquerque again for several days. He is expected home soon. The hospitalization is not caused from his attack of bubonic plague last winter. Robert Taylor of Alabama was a houseguest of Mr. and Mrs. Dru Taylor while he taught Bible school here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Davis had as houseguests recently Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Parnell and Mrs. Henry Parnell of Wells, Texas, and Mrs. Harrison of Lufkin, Texas. The group went through the Carlsbad Caverns.

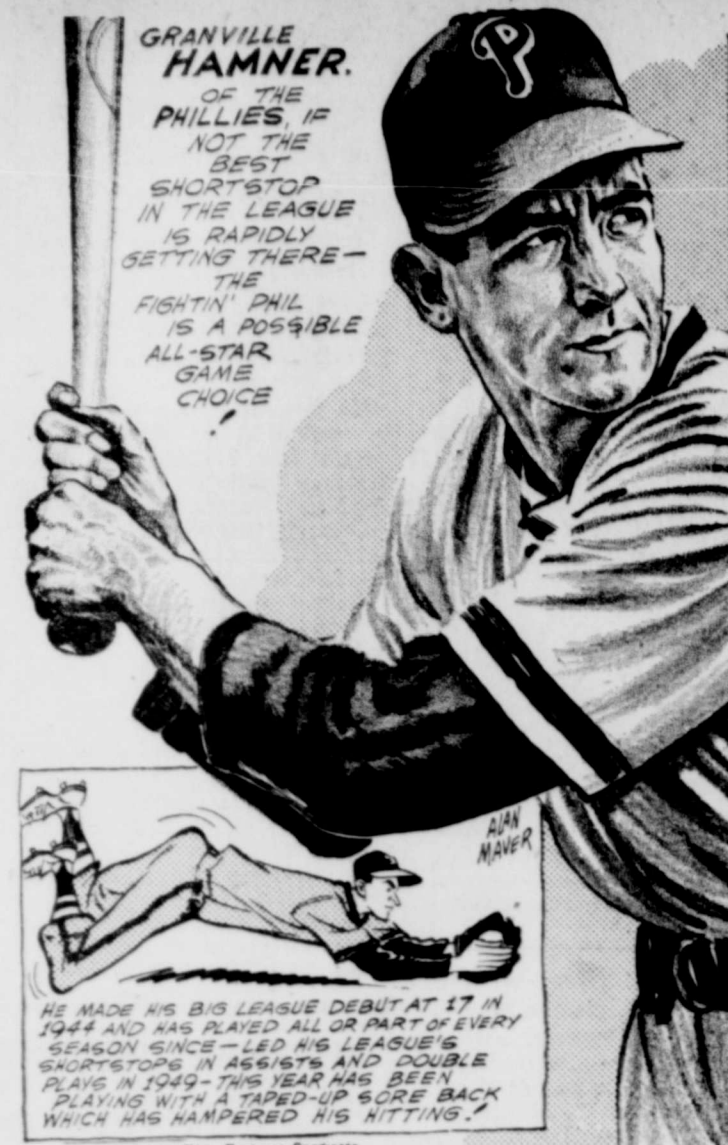
Mrs. Oscar Goodman honored Mrs. Ed Akens with a pink and blue shower at her home Tuesday of last week. Homemade ice cream and pink and white cake were served to Meses. Clarence Dozier, Zealey Edwards, Albert W. Golden, Aubrey Northam, Son Taylor, I. F. Wooten, H. E. Rich, Charlie Shannan, and M. P. Blakely and "Ma" Payne, and Mrs. T. L. Brandon of Carlsbad.

Larry Wooten spent last week on the Derrick ranch.

Joy Mason spent last week in Roswell visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Davis had as guests Sunday of last week Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Davis of Eunice and Freddie Smith, son of Mr.

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HE MADE HIS BIG LEAGUE DEBUT AT 17 IN 1944 AND HAS PLAYED ALL OR PART OF EVERY SEASON SINCE - LED HIS LEAGUE'S SHORTSTOPS IN ASSISTS AND DOUBLE PLAYS IN 1949 - THIS YEAR HAS BEEN PLAYING WITH A TAPED-UP SORE BACK WHICH HAS HAMPERS HIS HITTING.

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and Mrs. Newt Smith, formerly of Lovington.

Mrs. C. O'Neal and sons, Frank and James of Galveston, Texas, were recent guests in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Irish and Mr. and Mrs. Odell O'Neal.

Mrs. John Leo and son have spent several days in Breckenridge, Texas, with her father, W. Brown, who is seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Pleasant and Wanda Jean attending the wedding of Jeannette Stack, formerly of Maljamar, and "Red" Richardson of Artesia, in Artesia Tuesday of last week.

Richard Hunt of Plainview, Texas, a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert C. Hunter a few days, and Mrs. Hunter, left Monday of last week to take her nephew home and to bring home her sons, Ronny and Kenny, who had been spending their vacation with their grandparents Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Lee of Skellytown, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hofeman and daughters left Monday of last week on their vacation. They were going to Farmington and on to Colorado to fish.

Ethel Wooten spent last week with her grandmother in Artesia. While playing ball in his yard at home, A. C. Taylor, II, broke his little finger on his right hand and had to be taken to Lovington for medical attention.

Mrs. Gilbert Iverson, sponsor of the children 8 to 12 for the Maljamar Recreation Club, gave them a party at her home recently. Canasta was played and refreshments were served to Joy Mason, Peggy and Patsy Jo Vowell, Wanda Jean Pleasant, Sandra Martin, Kenny Elliott, Donnt Mason, Tommy Cooper, Tommy Wooten, Larry and Donny Loyd, Jimmy Patterson, Billy Golden, A. C. Taylor, II, Gary Miller, Jerry Sanders of San Diego, Calif., and Ray Northam and Theron Northam of Artesia.

The Canasta Club met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Shields Wednesday evening of last week. High scores went to Mrs. Freeman H. Alexander and Herbert C. Hunter. Refreshments were served to Mr. and Mrs. Gil-

bert Iverson, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Freeman H. Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. O. Hunter, and Herbert C. Hunter.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Cullen of Hobbs were guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Carden Sunday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. I. R. Blanton of Loco Hills were guests of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Blanton Thursday evening. They attended the softball game in Lovington.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Pleasant honored their daughter, Wanda Jean, with a birthday dinner at their home recently. Guests attending were Mr. and Mrs. Luther Kelley, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Dickinson and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Artice O. Vowell.

Huck Norris of Aztec, who is in the Navy and on leave from California, is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Son Taylor and Mr. and Mrs. Dru Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Blakely made a business trip to Vaughn Thursday.

Mrs. Brown Cockburn of Artesia was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Freeman H. Alexander Monday of last week.

Mrs. Garel Westall and Mrs. E. R. McKinstry of Loco Hills were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Shields Monday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Choate are new residents in the community. Choate is a brother of Mrs. Elmo Young.

Jerry Sanders of San Diego, California, is a guest of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Kelly. He plans on staying until August, when his parents are to visit here.

The Kewanee Sewing Club met at the home of Mrs. Freeman H. Alexander Thursday. Mrs. Floyd McCarthy announced the Lea County Fair is to be Sept. 15-16 and said the club should plan on the booths and work that Maljamar is to exhibit there. Cherry pie and whipped cream were served to Meses. Dru Taylor, Sherman Irish, Kenneth Shields, Luther Kelley, J. C. Davis, Gilbert Iverson, Floyd McCarthy, Artice O. Vowell, and Ralph McGill, and "Ma" Payne.

Mrs. T. L. Brandon of Carlsbad has been a guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Akens the last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Triplehorn of Andrews, Texas, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Dyer Sunday of last week.

Betty Dyer left Friday morning with Mrs. McHeon of Lovington for a visit of a few days in South Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Winkles and Mrs. D. G. Winkles of Artesia.

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went to Graham, Texas, Friday, July 6, and on to Luters, Texas, Sunday, July 8, and attended the Winkles reunion. About 200 persons attended.

The Maljamar Rattlesnakes played softball at the Lovington park Thursday night with Humble. The score was 9-4 in favor of Humble.

### Rush of Summer Work Causes Heat Illnesses

"High temperatures and the rush of summer farm work makes it easy to be over come by several forms of heat illness," County Agent Dallas Rierson pointed out. "Sunstroke follows prolonged exposure to the sun; heatstroke is from excessive heat with or without exposure to the sun. The effects are the same and either may be fatal." The symptoms are hot and dry

skin, face red and flushed, breathing hard and loud, pupils enlarged, and unconsciousness may follow in severe cases.

Prevention is the best cure, but you should be prepared if it does strike. Here is what the county agent suggests for sunstroke and heatstroke:

Move to a cool shady place, strip to the underclothes, lay on back with head and shoulders raised.

Apply ice or cold wet cloths to head, cool the body gradually with a cool bath or with a hose or wet the clothes and rub limbs toward the heart.

After treating for several minutes, stop and observe patient. If skin becomes hot again, resume treatment.

If conscious, the patient may be

given cool drinks, not ice cold. Do not give stimulants.

Get the patient to a doctor or a hospital as soon as possible. Continue the treatment in the ambulance.

With heat exhaustion, the patient's skin is cold and clammy. A simple rule may serve as a guide and avoid treatment confusion. Briefly, it is this: If the patient is cold, make him warm; if he is hot, make him cool.

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